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The annual ACA Convention has come and gone. I don't know about you, but I had FUN!! I pick up the mail for my local club, which includes the exchanges. I have not seen a single review of the Convention. Well, I'll give you my perspective of this year's Convention in Atlanta!

The first thing that I noticed was when I stepped out of the Airport - humidity! I almost never feel that kind of humidity here in California. I mean 80% is too much. Anyway, it was off to the hotel. I must say, this was what makes or breaks a convention. No matter how good everything else is, if the hotel is not any good, the convention will not be good either. Remember Chicago in 1997? Although the GCCA did an outstanding job, the hotel really screwed the convention over, from the problem with the rooms to the tent in 114°F weather for the auction. Well, I can easily say that the Atlanta convention had one of, if not the best, hotels that has ever held a convention that I attended. Not only was the service great, the convention area was well laid out and maintained, but the food was good and reasonable. That sports bars on the bottom floor got a lot of my business, and I noticed quite a few others in there, any time I went there.

I went on only one of the trips, the one to the Tennessee Aquarium in Chattanooga. A two-hour bus ride to a very nice aquarium. The displays were well done, and I really liked the Seahorse displays. My only problem was that I got on the wrong bus. You see, we were about 20 minutes outside of Chattanooga on the way back to Atlanta when we got a call that we left someone at the aquarium. We turned around in time to catch the Chattanooga rush hour. We picked up the one straggler (by the way, we left about 20 minutes late in the first place) and headed back to Atlanta. Needless to say, the guy that was late was very upset and very, very apologetic. We gave him no slack though! I was supposed to attend the Board of Trustees meeting at 4:00, as were about four others on the bus, we got there about 6:00, and I got to attend my first BOT meeting. It is just like my local clubs meeting - too long!

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Tropheus moorii "Kasanga Red Rainbow" F1	1¼	\$12.00 each
Tropheus moorii "Mpulungu" F1	1¼	\$9.00 each
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Gnathochromis permaxillaris F1	1"- 1¼"	\$15.00 each
Pundamilia nyererei "Black & Orange"	1"	\$10.00 each

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Tom Leontis **sigri@aol.com** **516.358.9498**
1751 Aladdin Avenue, New Hyde Park, NY 11040 **Fax - 516.328.1578**

Local pickup/delivery or FedEx free box

Aulonocara eureka "Albino"	2½"-3"	\$16.00 each
Cyathopharynx furcifer "Kigoma" F1	3"-3½"	\$16.00 each
Cyphotilapia frontosa "Blue Mpimbwe" F1	2"	\$12.00 each
Enantiopus melanogenys "Yellow" F1	3"-4"	\$25.00 each
Enantiopus melanogenys "Yellow" F1	2"-2½"	\$6.00 each
Neolamprologus buescheri "Zaire"	2"	\$10.00 each
Neolamprologus leleupi "Bright Orange"	2"	\$8.00 each
Neolamprologus nigriventris	2"	\$20.00 each
Neolamprologus speciosus "Zaire" 11:84	1"-1½"	\$14.00 each
Paracyprichromis nigripinnis	2"-2½"	\$12.00 each

Michael McKinney **cichlids@nycap.rr.com** **413.448.2665**
54 Williams St, Pittsfield, MA 01201

Haplochromis chilotes breeders	4M/2F 5-7" ..	\$150.00 group
Haplochromis chilotes	1"	\$7.00 each
Haplochromis polli	1"	\$6.00 each
Haplochromis sp. 'Fire Red Ugandan'	1½"	\$7.00 each
Haplochromis sp. 'Half Crimson'	1"	\$4.00 each
Haplochromis nyererei 'Igombe Island'	1½"	\$7.00 each
Haplochromis nyererei 'Ruti Island'	1½"	\$7.00 each
Lipochromis sp. 'Matumbi Hunter'	1½"	\$6.00 each
Neolamprologus crassus Kekese F1	1"	\$7.00 each
Pseudotropheus polit	1½"	\$6.00 each

George Momah **281.494.0011**
16514 Boss Gaston Rd., Richmond, TX 77469 **Fax 281.494.0016**

Archocentrus sajica	1½"	\$3.00 each
Aulonocara sp. Maleri "German Red"	2"	\$4.00 each
Hemichromis elongatus	2"	\$3.00 each
Hemichromis letourneauxi	2"	\$4.50 each
Heros severum "Gold"	2"	\$3.00 each
Hypselecara temporalis "Chocolate Cichlid"	2"	\$3.00 each
Melanochromis johanni "Electric Blue"	2"	\$3.00 each
Pseudotropheus acei "Black Tanzania"	2"	\$3.50 each
Pseudotropheus chamelios	2"	\$3.80 each
Pseudotropheus greshakei	2"	\$3.00 each

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6479 Elwood Road, San Jose, CA 95120-5401 or
email (preferred) ellenbej@pacbell.net

Tom Morenz **513.574.3128**
3935 DeMarc Ct., Cincinnati, OH 54248 Air Freight, UPS, Free O2 & Box
Will Trade for Discus

Bathybates fasciatus Wild	12" - 3 sub-adults ..	\$350.00 group
Champsochromis spilorynchus F1	4"-5"	\$45.00 pair
Cyathopharynx furcifer "Kalila"	3"	\$15.00 each
Cyathopharynx furcifer "Kalila"	1½"-2"	\$10.00 each
Cyathopharynx furcifer "Mbetee Deep" F1	2M/3F ..	\$125.00 group
Cyathopharynx furcifer "Mbetee Yellow Chin" F1	4"	\$45.00 pair
Cyathopharynx furcifer "Sibwesa" F1	4"	\$50.00 pair
Cyathopharynx furcifer "Sibwesa" F1	6"-7"	\$60.00 pair
Ophthalmotilapia ventralis "Tembwe" F1	5M/10F ..	\$300.00 group
Xenotilapia spilopterus "Kachaese" Wild	8 Adults ..	\$200.00 group

Marc Nicholson **www.alansfish.net** **770-979-0236**
4261 Wrexham Ct, Snellville, GA 30039

Labidochromis caeruleus	1"	\$3.00 each
Pseudotropheus socolofi	1"	\$1.00 each
Pseudotropheus zebra "Red Top" F1	1"	\$2.00 each

Ronald and Charlotte Nielson **www.fishpost.com** **410.519.6431**
1321 Ava Rd., Severn, MD 21144 **FedEx/Air Freight**

Apistogramma agasizzi (Blue Tail or Red Tail) Wild/Peru	1"-2"	\$15.00 pair
Apistogramma bitaeniata Wild/Peru	1"-2"	\$15.00 pair
Apistogramma panduro Wild/Peru	1"-2"	\$15.00 pair
Apistogramma papagei Wild/Peru	1"-2"	\$15.00 pair
Apistogramma sp. aff juruensis (Blue or Yellow) Wild/Peru	1"-2"	\$15.00 pair
Apistogramma sp. Algodon 2 Wild/Peru	1"-2"	\$20.00 pair
Bujurquina robusta Wild/Peru	3"	\$10.00 each
Bujurquina souza Wild/Peru	3"	\$10.00 each
Chromidotilapia guentheri Wild/Cameroon	3"-4"	\$20.00 pair
Pelvicachromis taeniatus Moliwe Wild/Cameroon	1½"-3"	\$20.00 pair

Toyin Ojo **sales@rehobothaquatics.com** **225.272.9816**
16801 Vermillion Dr., Baton-Rouge, LA 70819 **FedEx/Air Freight**

Chromidotilapia batesii Wild	1.5"	\$12.99 each
Chromidotilapia sp. "Makondo" Wild	Adult	\$50.00 pair
Chromidotilapia sp. "Mundemba" Wild	Adult	\$50.00 pair
Myaka myaka "Lake Barombi Mbo" Wild	3"	\$20.00 each
Paranannochromis longirostris Wild	Adult	\$25.00 each
Pelvicachromis taeniatus "Kienke" Wild	Adult	\$28.00 pair
Pelvicachromis taeniatus "Lobe" & "Moliwe" Wild	Adult	\$25.50 pair
Pelvicachromis taeniatus "Wouri" & "Makoure" Wild	Adult	\$35.00 pair

Kevin Plazak **Kevin@Cichlasoma.com** **916.498.9510**
924 9th Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95818

Archocentrus centrarchus	1"	\$2.50 each
Cryptoheros myrnae	1"	\$3.00 each
Cryptoheros nanoluteus	1"	\$4.00 each
Cryptoheros cf. nigrofasciatum "Red Point"	1"	\$3.00 each
Cryptoheros sajica	1"	\$4.50 each
Labidochromis caeruleus	1"	\$2.00 each
Labidochromis chismulae	1"	\$2.50 each
Labidochromis sp. "Hongi"	1"	\$4.00 each
Labidochromis sp. "Mbamba"	1"	\$4.00 each
Labidochromis sp. "Pearlmutt"	1"	\$3.50 each

Bob Randall **bobrfish@yahoo.com** **952-432-6298**
965 Beacon Lane, Apple Valley, MN 55124

Paretroplus menarambo	1"	\$10.00 each
Paretroplus petiti	1"	\$10.00 each
Paretroplus petiti	4"-8" - 3 fish	\$40.00 each
Xenotilapia ochrogenys, Ndole bay F1	2"	\$10.00 each

Jeff Rapps **tangledupincichlids.com** **908.387.9858**
201 Ridge Rd., Phillipsburg, NJ 08865 **bigguapote@enter.net**
Fax 908.387.9859

Amphilophus citrinellus "Lago Nicaragua"	2"-2½"	\$7.50 each
Amphilophus lyonsi	2"-2½"	\$10.00 each
Astronotus crassipinnis "Zebra Oscar" Wild		ask
Chaetobranchopsis flavescens Wild		ask
"Cichlasoma" oblongus	1¼"-1½"	\$5.50 each
Crenicichla marmorata Wild		ask
Crenicichla sp. "Cobra" Wild		ask
Crenicichla sp. "Xingu III" Wild		ask
Geophagus altifrons "Tapajos"	3½"-4"	\$15.00 each
Geophagus "Red Head Tapajos" Wild		ask

Jason Selong **bigskycichlids.com** **660.665.3054**
1115 North Luther St., Kirksville, MO 63501

Aulonocara stuartgranti "Ngara"	1¾"	\$3.00 each
Astatotilapia latifasciata	2"	\$3.00 each
Labidochromis caeruleus "Yellow"	1"	\$2.00 each
Pseudotropheus demasoni	¾"	\$2.00 each

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Professionally shipped via airfreight. Quantity discounts		
Asprotilapia leptura "Purple Zambian"	1½"	\$18.00 each
Aulonocara hueseri "Midnight"	2"	\$7.00 each
Aulonocara stuartgranti "Cobue"	1½"	\$10.00 each
Aulonocara stuartgranti "Maulana Bicolor"	2"	\$6.00 each
Aulonocara stuartgranti "Mdoka Flametail"	2"	\$8.00 each
Aulonocara sp. "Chitande Type Masinje"	1½"	\$12.00 each
Aulonocara sp. "Turkis"	1½"	\$10.00 each
Aulonocara walteri	1½"	\$12.00 each
Callochromis stappersi	1½"	\$8.00 each
Cardiopharynx schoutedeni	2½"	\$16.00 each
Copadichromis chrysonotus	2M/8F Adults ..	\$150.00 group
Copadichromis chrysonotus	1½"	\$6.00 each
Copadichromis sp. "Mloto Fluorescent - Hai Reef"	1½"	\$18.00 each
Copadichromis sp. "Virginalis Gold"	1"	\$14.00 each
Cyathopharynx foai "Mbeta Golden Chin"	1½"	\$18.00 each
Cyathopharynx foai "Sibwesa"	1½"	\$22.00 each
Cyprichromis leptosoma "Kigoma"	1½"	\$12.00 each
Cyprichromis sp. "Kekese Azuri Multicolor"	1½"	\$16.00 each
Cyprichromis sp. "Kekese Dark Blue"	2"	\$12.00 each
Cyprichromis sp. "Kiku Lime Ghost"	1½"	\$12.00 each
Cyprichromis sp. "Mbeta"	1½"	\$18.00 each
Cyprichromis sp. "Speckled Rainbows"	1½"	\$14.00 each
Cyprichromis microlepidotus "Burundi"	2"	\$14.00 each
Julidochromis marlieri	1½"	\$6.00 each
Julidochromis transcriptus	2"	\$6.00 each
Labeotropheus trewavasae "Ungi Red Nose"	1½"	\$12.00 each
Limnotilapia dardenni	2½"	\$6.00 each
Ophthalmotilapia nasutus "Malibililli Green Black"	5M/5F Adults ..	\$400.00 group
Ophthalmotilapia ventralis "Chaitika"	2"	\$16.00 each
Ophthalmotilapia ventralis "Kabangu"	2"	\$14.00 each
Ophthalmotilapia ventralis "Longola Sunflower"	4M/3F Adults ..	\$280.00 group
Ophthalmotilapia ventralis "Masanza Red Gold"	1½"	\$45.00 each
Otopharynx sp. "Blue Otter Island"	2"	\$8.00 each
Paracyprichromis sp. "Kisonso Bright Yellow"	1½"	\$14.00 each
Petrochromis famula "Tembwe"	2"	\$16.00 each
Placidochromis phenochilus	1½"	\$8.00 each
Simochromis babaulti "Kawe Yellow"	1½"	\$16.00 each
Tropheus brichardi "Kipili Gold"	2"	\$10.00 each
Xenotilapia ochrogenys "Kaseke Violet"	1½"	\$24.00 each

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Robert Stevens www.commonwealth.net/bob **248.478.0542**
2014 Sunset, Livonia, MI 48152 Will deliver to Chicago Swap in October
Ship air freight or Airborne overnight

Aulonocara sp. Albino Rubescens red	3" pair	\$20.00 pair
Aulonocara sp. Benga	4" pair	\$30.00 Pair
Aulonocara sp. Chipoka	4" pair	\$20.00 pair
Aulonocara sp. German red	4" pair	\$25.00 pair
Aulonocara sp. Lwanda	3" pair	\$25.00 pair
Aulonocara sp. Miami red	3" pair	\$20.00 pair
Aulonocara sp. Mozambique	4" pair	\$30.00 Pair
Aulonocara sp. Ngara	4" pair	\$30.00 pair
Aulonocara sp. Rubescens red	3" pair	\$20.00 pair
Aulonocara sp. Tangerine	4" pair	\$20.00 pair

Azman Sugi www.aquaticbiosystem.com **970.351.6486**
114 N. 49th Avenue Court, Greeley, CO 80634 mansugi@aol.com
Local/instate pickup or delivery only

Altolamprologus calvus "Black Zambian" F1 Male	4"	\$25.00 each
Altolamprologus calvus "White Chaitika" F1 Male	4½"	\$25.00 each
Altolamprologus calvus "Yellow" F1 Male	4½"	\$25.00 each
Aulonocara stuartgranti Maulana Bicolor 500	1¼"	\$5.00 each
Aulonocara stuartgranti Mdoka Ngara Flametail	1¼"	\$5.00 each
Julidochromis marlieri	1"	\$3.00 each
Pseudotropheus demasoni	1"	\$3.00 each
Tropheus moorii "Moliro Red" F2	1"	\$9.00 each

Bunthid L. Tumnontigoon (Max) multifasciatus@hotmail.com
4539 El Simpatico St., San Antonio, TX 78233-6969 **210.946.2602**
Local pickup and Local delivery only

Altolamprologus compressiceps "yellow" Wild (only one)	3½"	\$18.00 each
Julidochromis ornatus F1 (only one)	2½"	\$10.00 each
Neolamprologus brevis "Ikola Sunspot" (Tanzania) F1	1"	\$5.50 each
Lamprologus callipterus "Msalaba" (Tanzania) Male & Female		Want
Lamprologus callipterus "Kipili" (Tanzania) Male & Female		Want
Lamprologus Kungweensis "Cape Kabogo" (Tanzania)		Want
Neolamprologus speciosus		Want
Neolamprologus wauthioni "Kabogo (Yellow)" (Tanzania)		Want

Ciscero T. Warren, Jr. 919.872.7931

3820 Saratoga Dr., Raleigh, NC 27604

Chalinochromis brichardi "Zambian"	4"	.....	\$60.00 pair
Cyphotilapia frontosa "Mpimbwe"	5"-7½"	.....	\$150.00 trio
Cyprichromis leptosoma "Utinta"	3"	.....	\$35.00 pair
Julidochromis transcriptus "Zaire"	1½"	.....	\$6.00 ea
Neolamprologus brichardi "Fulwe Rock"	4"	.....	\$50.00 pair
Julidochromis marlieri (dark)			want
Nanochromis nudiceps			want
Pelvicachromis roloffi			want
Teleogramma brichardi			want

Dan Woodland woodlad@ccf.org 440.885.2033

7330 Ames Road Parma, Ohio 44129

Any shipping, free box and O2 Combine with Mark Chaloupka

Cichlasoma "Vieja" fennestratum Palma Sola, Mexico F0 Breeders 6"			\$75.00 pair
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Herichthys deppii Rio Chapa Chapa, Mexico F2	1"	\$ 5.00 each
Herichthys deppii Rio Chapa Chapa, Mexico F2 breeders	4"	\$35.00 pair
Herichthys sp. Rio Salto, Mexico F1 (undescribed)	3"	.....	\$10.00 each
Herichthys sp. Rio Salto, Mexico F1 (undescribed)	1"	\$3.00 each
Herichthys sp. Rio Salto, Mexico F1 (undescribed) breeders	4"	\$35.00 pair

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ACA Member Web Site: The password changes with every TP issue.
www.cichlid.org Login Name: Password:

Magazine Subscription Project

At the General Meeting of the American Cichlid Association Board of Trustees (BOT) held on July 24, 2002 in Atlanta, I presented an idea to the Board for targeting our young people as prospective members of the American Cichlid Association. We know that our membership numbers have decreased over the past several years. I feel that we should start working on our younger people, perhaps Junior High and High school age, to educate and develop an interest in the tropical fish hobby. I thought perhaps by providing a subscription for The Aquarium Fish Magazine to our local Junior High or High School, students in those schools will have an opportunity to read the great fish articles that are presented in the magazine and, from those articles, develop an interest in the hobby.

The Aquarium Fish Magazine folks have agreed to help us jump start our project by offering a subscription of 12 issues for \$12.99. This is a huge 46% off the normal subscription rate of \$27.97. Also, to jump-start the program, I made and sold 39 solid oak clocks with the ACA logo laser engraved on the face of the clock. These clocks were sold at a silent auction during the ACA banquet on Saturday night. I raised \$1,300 from this project. This money will be used to pay for a subscription to your local school. We need your help in presenting this information to your school.

In order to receive the \$12.99 subscription rate, the subscriptions must be sent in on the form that the subscription department at Aquarium Fish Magazine provided to me. I need the school name, mailing address, and Librarian contact name for each subscription submitted. This information can be sent to me, John Hansen, JJ's Tropaquatics, 125 Wood Haven Trail, Pearcy, AR 71964 or to my email address jjstropaquatics@yahoo.com. Because the school year will be starting in the next few weeks, I need the subscription information as soon as possible so we can get the magazines started in the schools.

At this time, I would also like to challenge our ACA members to support a subscription to your local school for this project. You can send the subscription information and payment to me at the above address. Each month, I will be submitting a detailed report of this project to the Board of Trustees. Please help me make this a successful endeavor of educating and developing an interest in the tropical fish hobby with our young people. They will be our future ACA members.

I welcome any questions, comments or suggestions that anyone has regarding this project. My telephone number is 501-760-3801. Thank you for your support.

John Hansen,
BOT,
American Cichlid Association

BOT Nominees - Ballot Enclosed

Mark Whitney

A member of ACA (12 years), raised cichlids (20 years). I am a school principal. I would like to increase membership. I think we need to do more to support local clubs in expanding their programs so membership will increase. I think both the BB and TP have improved and can be used for new avenues in expanding our membership and hobby. I feel it is important we have someone from Western USA on BOT as we are lacking that now.

John Van Asch

Married, 46, father of 4, currently pursuing a degree in elementary education after being "downsized" (22 years with same company). ACA member for more than 20 years. I have only missed 2 conventions since 1976 (San Jose and Minneapolis). Seeking second two-year term on BOT. I feel my first term was a period of getting my feet wet and a second term would allow me to see current issues before the board (membership, convention guidelines, etc.) to completion.

Ronald Nielson

I have kept fish since age twelve. My U.S. Army career held me back a bit, until three years ago when I began a fish import and wholesale business. I also work closely with American Zoological Association's conservation program for Malagasy cichlids. However, I am not just interested in Malagasy cichlids but will work within ACA to promote cichlid conservation of threatened New and Old World cichlids.

Luis Morales

I have 30 years in the hobby, breeding, importing, collecting, wholesale and retail. Memberships: ACA (1+yrs), JSAS and NJAS (5+yrs) and Apistogramma study group (3yrs). Service: club photographer, past JSAS web master, Cub Scouts Natural Aquarium class, fish room video, articles, presentations: Angelfish, Amazon Collecting, etc. As a Trustee I would work to promote conservation and increase knowledge of family Cichlidae. Additionally, I would leverage my management skills to run the organization in an efficient and fiscally responsibly manner.

Jeffrey J. Filz

Opened a fish shop 9 years ago, specializing in cichlids and catfish. Member of the ACA (8 years), the Greater Chicago Cichlid Association and Green Bay Aquarium Society (7 years), the Milwaukee Aquarium Society (6 years), and Marineland sales ambassador (3 years). Currently, Vice President of the Green Bay Aquarium Society. I started keeping fish about 16 years ago. I will able to serve the ACA with a view from the hobbyist. Your voice can be heard!

Ken Davis

Active in the Aquarium hobby for 40 years as a hobbyist, breeder, wholesaler, retailer. President of the Atlanta Area Aquarium Association (1995 to present), served two terms on ACA Board of Trustee (1998-2001), Chairman in 1999. Chairman of the 2002 ACA convention in Atlanta. Member of ALA. Maintains 500-tank cichlid and livebearer hatchery including rare and endangered fish. Ken works as a Horticulturalist for the Plant Pathology Department at the University of Georgia.

Chuck Davis

Member of the ACA over 25 years; Life Member; served twice on the Board; headed two ACA Conventions; Life member of the North Jersey A.S.; a hobbyist for over 45 years; will push for independent auditing of ACA funds, a timely ACA roster, and an expanded program to serve the organized hobby.

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I have seen most of the speakers, but there were two that I wanted to see. The first was the Discus Study Group, with Convention Chair Ken Davis speaking about his trip to the Far East. It was very interesting to hear that in Vietnam, they feed their Discus baby Snakeheads that they get right out of the river. Ken is a genuinely great speaker, if you can just get over his Georgia accent! The other speaker that I wanted to see was one of the Atlanta's members speaking on Fishrooms - Ray McCalab. This guy is very anal about his fishroom, which was more of a room in his house that he happens to keep fish in (Discus and Apistos), than a room in the garage that was built for fish. I mean, really, how many people have a fishroom with plush wall-to-wall carpet? I am pretty anal myself with my fishroom so I enjoyed his talk. Both Ken and Ray are good speakers so if your local club is looking for someone new, give these guys a call, I highly recommend them both.

The banquet was top notch, with Ian Tapp doing a lot of Photoshopping and giving a truly hilarious talk. Poor Dan Woodland! I'm sure he has put out a contract on little Ian! This fish show winners were very interesting, all little fish, not the biggies that we are used to seeing. Sorry, but I can't remember who won, but I know that it wasn't Ron Georgeone.

The Convention finished with the usual long auction. Very well run, not quite up to my standards, but very good nonetheless. There were not a whole lot of new fish that I had to have, but I had fun anyway.

I went to the annual BITCH dinner after the auction and went home on Monday. I had an especially good time - Thanks Ken and your staff. Phil, can you top that next year in Cincinnati?

Speaking of flying home (nice segway, huh), I did not hear of one person that had trouble bringing their fish home on the planes. I did hear of a few people that had problems trying to check their fish on the way to Atlanta,

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but they told them to read the proper passage in the airlines manual, and they got their fish on the plane. I was glad that there weren't any problems as I was the one passing the information around. I just hope that the two airlines (United and Delta) decide not to take fish in the future.

That's all for now. Please get in your ads by the 15th of October for the November issue. Also, please make sure that you are a member before trying to place an ad. I am checking closely and I deleted five ads from this issue. That is why I am rambling on about nothing, just to fill space. Til November, keep your water changed and your cichlids spawning!

Jim

BOT Props:

- Prop 02-14 To sign the release as presented from Gray Harris Robinson LaneThron.
Failed unanimously
- Prop 02-15 To award funding to O'Connell in the amount of \$700 and funding to Mann in the amount of \$1,400.
Passed unanimously
- Prop 02-16 To create the position of Counsel to the ACA.
Passed unanimously
- Prop 02-17 To appoint Fred Hamilton to the position of Counsel to the ACA.
Passed unanimously
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Babes In The Cichlid Hobby

“Excellence Through Experience”

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING CICHLID RESEARCH AND CICHLID CONSERVATION

Your donations and your purchases made this years auction a big success. It is so rewarding to see the ACA membership step up to the plate, and support our endeavor to raise money for the **Guy Jordan Endowment Fund** and the **Paul Loiselle Conservation Fund**. Pam Marsh, President of the Babes In The Cichlid Hobby spelled it out clearly, *“This money isn’t corporate, this money has come from individual cichlid enthusiasts, who know if they don’t support research and conservation, their hobby is at risk. The Babes do this for the love of cichlids and because we want to make a difference in the hobby!”*

Again, we cannot THANK YOU enough for your support. We know this means that you really do care about Cichlid Research and Cichlid Conservation!! It is not too early to start thinking about next year; it will be here before we know it! Start cleaning out those closets and save a box of stuff for your favorite BITCHES!!

Cichlid Power!

Pam Chin	7230 High Hill Dr.
BITCH Reporter	Sloughhouse, CA 95683
Pam@Cichlidae.com	916/682-3742

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