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Editor's Soapbox

I must first apologize for a comment that I made in the September issue of the Trading Post. It was near the end of my Soapbox comments, where I was talking about the airlines taking fish as baggage, and I made the comment that I hoped that they would stop taking fish. Well, you see, it was really late and I was trying to get the TP put to bed (sent off to the printer) and I didn't do a very good job of proof reading my own column. I meant to say that I hoped that the airlines would not stop the practice of taking live fish as baggage. I received hell for that wrong comment (thanks Ron), although I am glad that someone is reading whatever I write. So now on to this month's tirade...

Summer is over and the days are getting colder (it is much colder here in Northern California, the days are only getting up to 75°F, the mornings are now down to 50°F – eat your heart out Ken) and shorter as well. It is time to start getting those fish spawning again after having fun all summer. I have noticed that a lot of people are doing just that, spawning fish that is, as this issue of the TP has more ads in it than any other issue that I have published so far. What is really amazing is that I had a problem early in October with my ISP and did not get the usual reminder notice sent out. So many of you had already sent in your ads that when I finally did send out the reminder notice (a week ago), I got even more ads. So, even though the deadline is always the 15th of the month, I will try to get an additional reminder out about the same time (yea, I know, talk is cheap).

I receive almost all of the ads via email, and there are some of you that have offered to help. Well, I'd like to take you up on that offer. You see, about 85% of the time that I spent working on the TP is formatting the emails into something that I can use. The big problem is that everyone is trying to be helpful and format the ad before they send it to me, you know, putting spaces in between the fish name, the size, and the price. This actually causes me the most time. I will give you a few pointers as to how I would like to see the email ads:

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Labidochromis textilis	1½"	\$4.00 each
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Neolamprologus leleupi	1½"	\$3.00 each
Pseudotropheus demasoni	1½"	\$3.00 each
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Nandopsis bartoni	2"	\$6.00 each
Nandopsis bartoni (males)	4"	\$15.00 each
Nandopsis bartoni (pairs)	2"-4"	\$50.00 pair
Herichthys tamasopoensis (F1)	3"	\$7.50 each
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Lamprologus multifasciatus	3/4"	\$4.00 each
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Lamprologus similis	3/4"	\$6.00 each
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Ophthalmotilapia boops "Mpimbwe neon tail" F1	1 1/2"	\$12.00 each
Paracyprichromis nigripinnis F1	1 1/4"	\$7.00 each
Pseudotropheus demasoni F1	1"+	\$3.00 each
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Lepidolamprologus boulengeri	1 1/4"	\$4.00 each
Neolamprologus brichardi "Karilani is."F1	1"	\$2.00 each
Neolamprologus caudopunctatus "red dorsal"	1"	\$3.00 each
Neolamprologus gracilis "powder blue"	1"	\$2.50 each
Neolamprologus leleupi "bright yellow"	2"	\$3.00 each
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Cynotilapia sp. "Lion"	1"	\$2.50 each
Julidochromis ornatus	1"	\$5.00 each
Neolamprologus falcicula "Walteri"	1"	\$4.00 each
Neolamprologus leleupi	1"	\$5.00 each
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Geophagus steindacherni Wild Columbia	3"	\$3.00 each
Laetacara thayeri Wild Peru	1"	\$2.00 each
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Ophthalmotilapia ventralis & nasuta Wild various		See Web Page
Tropheus moorii "Ilangi," "Red Namansi" various Wild		See Web Page

Del Kail **del@weberized.net** **503.590.0456**
13620 SW Beef Bend Rd. #41, Tigard, OR 97224-1689

Local Delivery or Any shipping

Neolamprologus brevis "Sunspot"	¾"-1"	\$2.00 each
Pelvicachromis pulcher "Common Kribs"	½"-1"	\$0.50 each
Pelvicachromis pulcher "Common Kribs"	1"-2"	\$1.00 each
Pelvicachromis pulcher "Common Kribs"	1"+	\$1.00 each
Pelvicachromis pulcher "Common Kribs"	Breeding Pr.	\$5.00 pair

Tom Leontis	sigri@aol.com	516.358.9498	Fax: 516.328.1578
1751 Aladdin Avenue, New Hyde Park, New York 11040 FedEx, free box			
Aulonocara sp. "Eureka Albino" AS	1½"-2"	\$9.00	each
Cyathopharynx Furcifer Kigoma F1	2"-2½"	\$13.00	each
Cyphotilapia frontosa "Blue Mpimbwe" F1	1½"-2"	\$10.00	each
Enantiopus Kilesa F1	1½"	\$22.00	each
Enantiopus Melanogenys Yellow Kapilula F1	1½"	\$5.00	each
Neolamprologus buescheri "Zaire"	2"	\$10.00	each
Neolamprologus nigriventris	2"	\$20.00	each
Neolamprologus speciosus "Zaire" 11:84	1"	\$14.00	each
Paracyprichromis nigripinnis	2"	\$10.00	each
Xenotilapia ochrogenys "Ndole Bay"	1½"-2"	\$12.00	each

Bill MacIndewar	wmacindewar@attbi.com	781.665.6764
34 Beacon Street, Melrose, MA 02176 Local pickup and delivery only		
Apistogramma cacatuoides "Triple Red"	1"	\$15.00 pair
Apistogramma panduro F1	1"	\$6.00 each
Apistogrammoides pucallpaensis	1"	\$5.00 each
Nanochromis parilus F1	1"	\$6.00 each
Neolamprologus multifasciatus	1"	\$4.00 each
Pelvicachromis humilis "Kasewe" F1	2"	\$8.00 each
Pelvicachromis taeniatus "Nigeria Red" F1	1"	\$6.00 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

Richard J. Moore	845.278.0261	
29 Old Doansburg Ln. Brewster, NY 10509		
Gnathochromis permaxillaris F1	2"	\$15.00 each
Pundamilia nyererei "Black & Orange"	1½"	\$10.00 each

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Marc Nicholson	www.alansfish.net	770.979.0236
4261 Wrexham Ct, Snellville, GA 30039		FedEx/USPS
Labidochromis caeruleus	1"-1½"	\$3.00 each
Melanochromis auratus	2½"-3"	\$4.00 each
Pseudotropheus daktari-"Hai Reef" Wild Pairs	3½"-4"	\$20.00 pair
Pseudotropheus sp. "Mboso-Neon spot" Wild Males	3½"-4"	\$8.00 each
Pseudotropheus zebra "Red Top" F1	1"-1½"	\$2.00 each
Pseudotropheus socolofi	1"-1½"	\$1.50 each

Ronald and Charlotte Nielson	www.fishpost.com	410.519.6431
1321 Ava Rd., Severn, MD 21144		FedEx/Air Freight
Astatotilapia latifasciata	3"	\$6.00 each
Aulonocara sp. "Eureka Albino" AS	1"-2"	\$5.00 each
Aulonocara baenschi	1"-2"	\$3.00 each
Aulonocara sp. "Mbenji "	1"-2"	\$3.00 each
Aulonocara sp. "Ruby Red" AS	1"-2"	\$3.00 each
Cyrtocara moori	4"-5"	\$12.00 each
Haplochromis obliquidens "Red Fin"	2"	\$4.00 each
Haplochromis sp. "Half Crimson"	2"-3"	\$5.00 each
Neolamprologus leleupi "firecracker"	1"-2"	\$4.00 each
Tropheus duboisi "Maswa"	2"	\$9.00 each

Steven Radzik	Razbass@aol.com	508.892.0804
4 Hyland Ave, Leicester, MA 01524		Will do trades also
Aulonocara sp. "Reubescens" AS	1½"-2"	\$5.00 each
Copadichromis trewavase "Lupingo" (very rare)	½"-1"	\$6.00 each
Haplochromis "Half Crimson" (reverse trio)	1½"	\$16.00 trio
(smaller females available)		
Haplochromis sp. "Hippo Point Salmon"	1½"-2"	\$16.00 trio
Pseudotropheus polit	1"-1½"	\$6.50 each
Pseudotropheus polit (4 fish)	1½"-2¼"	\$32.00 group
Tropheus sp. "Bemba Orange Flame"	1¼"-1¾"	\$7.00 each

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Michael Reily	mgrcichlids@aol.com	770.448.7831
4885 Haydens Walk Dr., Alpharetta, GA 30022		
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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
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"	1½"	\$14.00 each
Cyathopharynx foai "Kalila"	1½"	\$18.00 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. "Kazinga"	1½"	\$18.00 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
Enantiopus melanogenys "Kapilula"	1"	\$16.00 each
Labeotropheus trewavasae "Sambia red mango"	1"	\$16.00 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 "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
Xenotilapia ochrogenys "Kaseke Violet"	1½"	\$24.00 each

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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
Herichthys carpinte Laguna de la Puerta, Mexico F2	1"	\$3.00 each
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

Rich and Michelle Wrathell	Mfishtlc1959@sbcglobal.net	989.753.9899
2959 W. Anita Dr., Saginaw, MI 48601		
No Shipping-Local Delivery		
Astatotilapia nubilus	2"-4"	\$2.00 each
Astatotilapia nubilus	4"-5"	\$50.00 trio
Cyphotilapia frontosa "Kigoma" F1	3"-4"	\$12.00 each
Labidochromis sp "Hongi"	2"-4"	\$2.00 each
Neolamprologus pulcher "Daffodil"	2"-4"	\$2.00 each

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everything into Excel to make the formatting easier (not to mention getting all the names corrected) so if you want to put your ad into Excel, that would be the best for me.

- 2) Please try to spell the fish names correctly. I use my best judgment but I may change a name that you think is right. I know from the time when Eric Hanneman did the TP, he always had that problem.
- 3) Please try to use the latest genus and species for your fish. I still see *Haplochromis ahli* when it has been renamed *Sciaenochromis fryeri* for several years now. I have been changing those as they come in. Also, since *Pseudotropheus* has been broken up, I rarely see the new genus *Metriclima*. And there are also lots of problems with “*Lamprologus*”. I put it in “quotes” because I see *Lamprologus* used for *Altolamprologus* and *Neolamprologus*. *Lamprologus* are usually the shell dwellers, *Altolamprologus* are the “compressed” types, and *Neolamprologus* are the predator types. (Don’t get me started with “*Cichlasoma*”!) Let’s try to get updated. (I know that the ACA species list could use some help as well so don’t look there!)
- 4) I know that this may be a nit-picky point, but could you not add a plus sign (+) when you list the size. Everyone assumes that the size listed is a minimum and that any fish ordered would be that minimum size or larger. I can see listing fish as 2"-3", but not 1¼"-1½". And of course, everyone knows that the sizes are Total Length (TL), from the tip of the nose to the end of the tail. Standard Length (SL) is for people that write articles in scientific journals. (BTW, SL is from the nose to the caudal peduncle, it doesn’t count the tail.)
- 5) When you list a size that is different than a whole number, do not list it in decimals. For example: 1.5" is decimal. I would like to see it as 1½" or you can use the fractions that I use in the TP. When I retype the inch mark (“), the fraction will automatically change to they way I like it. I could convert everything to metric units (cm) and that would get rid of the fractions (not to mention the “ marks), but no one would know the size of the fish, except maybe Ron Coleman.

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- 6) Please format prices, for example: \$5.00 each. So many of you forget the \$ sign (sometimes I'm not sure if it is the price or the size). Also, make sure you list: each, group, trio, or pair. I don't want to try and guess what you really mean.
- 7) One last item, if you need to pay for some part of your ad, please send the check to ACA Treasurer Tim Hovanec, listed on page 3 of the TP. I have a tendency to sit on the checks and/or lose them. I email Tim to see if the check has been received.

I hope that you don't think that I am trying to get out of work with all of these requests (well, maybe I am), but I'm trying to get every issue of the TP out on time and in a format that you will appreciate.

I don't know if you realize this, but this issue ends my first full year of being the editor of the Trading Post. I always encourage criticisms, whether positive or negative (I like the positive ones more) because it gives me something to not only write about, but they help improve the quality of your publication. BTW, if you want to email me your positive comments, use ellenbej@pacbell.net. If you want to email me your negative comments, send them to acatp@cichlid.org. (There is a hidden joke in here, but I'll let you figure it out.)

Jim

BOT Props:

- Prop 02-18 To change the ACA incorporation to the State of Ohio and have our legal counsel, Fred Hamilton, serve as the agent of record.
Passed unanimously
- Prop 02-19 To create an ACA chair position of Club Liaison.
Passed unanimously

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

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Rusty Wessel

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email: rusty@cichlidae.com

and to each of the BOT members (addresses listed in front).
