

BAP AWARD PROGRAM

INTRODUCTION

This publication contains the latest revision of the rules and regulations concerning matters that are relevant to the Youngstown Area Tropical Fish Society's Breeder Award Program. The rules were approved by the BOD and will take effect March 1st, 2006. All previous handbooks of the rules and regulations are made obsolete by this publication.

PURPOSE

The purposes of the Breeder's Award Program are:

- 1.—To promote the keeping and breeding of aquarium fish.
- 2.—To recognize outstanding achievement in breeding aquarium fish.
- 3.—To encourage research in the spawning of the more difficult species.
- 4.—To make accounts of breeding success available to all club members.
- 5.—To distribute spawned species to fellow hobbyists.

ELIGIBILITY

All club members, except corresponding members, that hold "Good Standing" status
Are eligible for the Breeder's Award Program.

AWARD LEVELS

The program is made up of nine levels of competency. The levels and requirements are:

Breeder's Award-50 points from categories 1 through 14.

Intermediate Breeder-100 points from categories 1 through 14.

Advanced Breeder-150 points from categories 1 through 14.

Master Breeder-200 points from categories 1 thru 14 plus spawning 3 species from 3 different categories on the difficult list or one target species.

Grand Master Breeder—All aforementioned requirements plus one species from the target list or an additional 3 species from the difficult list.