

# Bluegrass Fish Keepers Association Horticulture Award Program



## Purpose

1. To recognize BFKA member accomplishments
2. To encourage and promote BFKA member participation.
3. To share plant species amongst club members
4. To share information and techniques on growing and propagating different species

## Guidelines

1. Must be a BFKA member in good standing.
2. Must submit a HAP form and your aquatic plants at the monthly meeting.
3. Submission must be bagged and labeled with the scientific name and "HAP".
4. Points are awarded only once for each species submitted by a member.
5. Points will be given separately for propagation by seed or for flowering.
6. Regrowth of a seasonal plant does not count as propagation.
7. Additional points may be earned via writing an article or giving a presentation.
8. Any plant not included in the HAP Point List will be assigned points by the HAP committee or Board.
9. Following a submission, it is the members own responsibility to ensure that his points have been recorded.
10. In the event that any confusion in the identification of a plant, reference to a published photograph must be made to get credit for that species. In the event no published photograph exists, a color photograph shall be taken and filed with the HAP submission sheet.
11. The HAP Coordinator and or Board shall make final determinations of classifications and points.

## ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS

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|----------------------------|
| Novice- 50 points          |
| Intermediate- 100 points   |
| Advanced- 300 points       |
| Senior- 500 points         |
| Master- 1,000 points       |
| Grand Master- 1,500 points |

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### Floating plants

A doubling of the original amount of plant material. At minimum a loose “handful” for larger species such as frogbit. Half of a loose “handful” for smaller plants such as duckweed is the minimum amount required.

### Bunch plants

Rootless cuttings (stems) must be a minimum of 6 inches long. If stems with roots are submitted, the non-rooted portion must be at least 5 inches from the base to the tip of the stem. A minimum of 5 stems are required for points.

### By Runner or Division

At least 3 individual plants, with at least 4 leaves a piece. Each plant must be capable of living independently of the parent plant. In the case of genera that typically have fewer than 4 leaves per plant, 15 individual plants must be submitted to obtain credit. Of these, at least 5 must be connected on the same runner and all must have viable roots at each node/plant. For genera such as Cryptocoryne that spread by both stolon and rhizome, a plug with at least 3 individual plantlets, each with an independent root system may be submitted for points. Credit will be given once per species for asexual reproduction regardless of method.

### Rhizome Division

Ferns such as Java fern and Bolbitis must be free of the parent plant, at minimum 3 inches long, and have roots or rhizoids at least  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch long on the cutting.

### Flowers

Points for flowering of plants may be awarded for either submergent or emergent specimens. Verification via photograph must be done when the plant is in full bloom and the flower is attached to the member's own plant in their aquarium or pond. 3 Photos must be submitted; Full tank, plant, flower. Submitting a physical specimen at the BFKA monthly meeting is encouraged. Points equal to the successful vegetative propagation of the species will be awarded for flowering a plant in addition to credit for successfully propagating the plant (sexually or asexually). For example, successfully flowering Hygrophila difformis will award 5 points in addition to a potential 5 points for asexual propagation of the species.

### Seed/spore

The points will be the same as the points for that species propagation.

### Presentation 30 Points

An oral presentation minimum length of 15 minutes on the propagation of the species. Oral presentations can be given at the BFKA monthly meeting but need to be prearranged with the board.

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### Article 15 Points

A written article on the propagation of the species, submitted for publication on the club website or newsletter. Articles must be approximately 250-400 words. Articles should describe plant maintenance, propagation, and general care. Articles must be readable, informative, and publishable. Photograph submissions with the article are encouraged.

### 5 Points

*Ammania senegalensis*

*Azolaceae caroliniana*

*Azolaceae filiculoides*

*Azolaceae nilocita*

*Azolaceae pinnata*

#### **Ceratophyllum sp.**

*Ceratophyllum demersum* (Hornwort)

*Ceratophyllum siliquosa*

*Ceratophyllum submersum*

*Ceratophyllum thalictroides* (Water Sprite)

#### **Ceratopteris sp.**

*Ceratopteris cornuta*

*Ceratopteris froesii*

*Ceratopteris pteroides* (Water Sprite)

*Ceratopteris siliquosa*

*Ceratopteris thalictroides* (Indian Fern)

*Crassula aquatica*

*Crassula helmsii*

*Egeria densa*

*Egeria najas* (Slender Leafed Elodea)

*Eichornia azurea*

*Eichornia crassipes* (Water Hyacinth)

*Eichornia diversifolia*

*Eichornia natans*

#### **Elodea sp.**

*Elodea canadensis* (Canadian Elodea)

*Elodea densa* (Anacharis)

*Elodea nutalli*

*Fissidens frontatus*

*Hippurus vulgaris*

#### **Hygrophila sp.**

*Hygrophila augustifolia*

*Hygrophila balsamica*

*Hygrophila corymbosa* (Temple Plant)

*Hygrophila difformis* (Water Wisteria)

*Hygrophila guianensis*

*Hygrophila lacustris*

*Hygrophila lancea*

*Hygrophila longifolia*

*Hygrophila polysperma*

*Hygrophila pinatifida*

*Hygrophila salicifolia*

*Hygrophila stricta*

*Hygrophila violacea*

#### **Lemna sp.**

*Lemna gibba*

*Lemna minor* (Duckweed)

*Lemna spirodela* (great duck weed)

*Lemna trisulca*

*Lomariopsis lineata* (Subwassertang)

*Prosperpinaca palustris*

*Plagiochilaceae*

*Riccia fluitans*

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### **Salvinia sp.**

*Salvinia auriculata* (Butterfly Fern)

*Salvinia cucullata*

*Salvinia minima*

*Salvinia natans*

*Salvinia rotundifolia*

*Salvinia sprucei*

*Spirodela polyrhiza*

*Staurogyne* sp. 'Porto Velho'

*Subularia aquatica*

*Subwassertang*

*Synnema triflorum*

*Taxiphyllum barbieri*

*Taxiphyllum alternans*

### **Utricularia sp.**

*Utricularia exoleta*

*Utricularia gibba*

*Utricularia minor*

*Utricularia neglecta*

*Utricularia vulgaris* (bladderwort)

### **Vallisneria sp.**

*Vallisneria americana* (Corkscrew Val)

*Vallisneria asiatica*

*Vallisneria gigantea* (Giant Val)

*Vallisneria gracilis*

*Vallisneria natans* (Eel Grass)

*Vallisneria neotropicalis*

*Vallisneria portugalensis*

*Vallisneria spiralis*

*Vallisneria tortifolia*

*Vesicularia dubyana* (Java Moss)

*Vesicularia ferriei*

*Wolffia arrhiza* (Dwarf Duckweed)

## 10 Points

### **Acorus sp.**

*Acorus calamus*

*Acorus gramineus*

*Acorus pusillus*

*Acorus variegatus*

*Bacopa floribunda*

*Bacopa lanigeria*

*Bacopa monnieri*

*Bacopa myriophylloides*

*Bacopa rotundifolia*

*Bacopa variegatus*

### **Alternanthera sp.**

*Alternanthera lilacina*

*Alternanthera philoeroides*

*Alternanthera reineckii*

*Alternanthera roseafolia*

*Alternanthera sessilis*

*Alternanthera violette*

*Brasneria schreberi*

### **Bacopa sp.**

*Bacopa amplexicaulis*

*Bacopa caroliniana*

*Bacopa crenata*

### **Cabomba sp.**

*Cabomba aquatica*

*Cabomba australis*

*Cabomba caroliniana*

*Cabomba piauhensis*

*Cabomba pulcherrima*

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**Cardamine sp.**

Cardamine lyrata

Cardamine rotundifolia

Cardamine variabilis

Iris pseudacorus

Lilaeopsis novae-zelandiae

Limnobium laevigatum (Amazon Frogbit)

**Crassula sp.**

Crassula bonariensis

Crassula helmsii

Crassula recurva

Crassula vaillanti

**Limnophila sp.**

Limnophila aquatica

Limnophila aromatica

Limnophila australis

Limnophila glabra

Limnophila heterophylla

Limnophila indica

Limnophila sessiliflora (Ambulia)

**Crinum sp.**

Crinum thaianum

**Eleocharis sp.**

Eleocharis acicularis (Hairgrass)

Eleocharis minima

Eleocharis vivipara

Lindernia rotundifolia

**Fontinalis sp.**

Fontinalis antipyretica

**Lobelia sp.**

Lobelia cardinalis

Lobelia splendens

Glossostigma elatinoides

**Ludwigia sp.**

Ludwigia abscondens

Hemianthus micranthemoides

Ludwigia alternifolia

**Heteranthera sp.**

Heteranthera reniformis

Heteranthera zosterifolia (Stargrass)

Heteranthera dubia

Ludwigia arcuata

Ludwigia brevipes

Ludwigia glandulosa

Ludwigia mullertii

Ludwigia ovalis

Ludwigia palustris

Ludwigia repens

Hydrilla verticillata

Lysimachia nummularia

Hydrocharis marsupiana

Mayaca fluviatilis

Hydrocleys nymphoides

Micromeria brownii

**Hydrocotyle sp.**

Hydrocotyle leucocephala (Brazilian Pennywort)

Micranthemum tweediei

Hydrocotyle maritima

Myosotis scorpioides

Hydrocotyle verticillata

Hydrocotyle vulgaris (Umbrella Plant)

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**Myriophyllum sp.**

*Myriophyllum alterniflorum*  
*Myriophyllum aquaticum* (Brazilian Milfoil)  
*Myriophyllum brasiliense* (Parrot Feather)  
*Myriophyllum heterphyllum*  
*Myriophyllum hippuroides* (Red Milfoil)  
*Myriophyllum matogrossense*  
*Myriophyllum scabratum* (Foxtail)  
*Myriophyllum spicatum* (Milfoil)  
*Myriophyllum tuberculatum*  
*Myriophyllum ussuricense*  
*Myriophyllum verticillatum*

**Najas sp.**

*Najas 'roraima'*  
*Najas graminea*  
*Najas guadelupensis*  
*Najas indica*  
*Najas microdon*

*Nelumbo lutea*

*Nelumbo nucifera*

*Nitella flexilis* (Stonewort)

*Nomaphila augustifolia*  
*Nomaphila stricta*

**Nymphoides sp.**

*Nymphoides indica*  
*Nymphoides aquatica* (Banana Plant)  
*Nymphoides humboldtiana*  
*Nymphoides peltata*  
*Nymphoides* sp. 'Taiwan'

**Potamogeton sp.**

*Potamogeton crispus*  
*Potamogeton gayi*  
*Potamogeton gramineus*  
*Potamogeton malaianus*  
*Potamogeton mascarensis*  
*Potamogeton natans*  
*Potamogeton oxyphyllus*

*Potamogeton perfoliatus*

*Ranunculus inundatus*

**Rotala sp.**

*Rotala indica*  
*Rotala macracantha*  
*Rotala rotundifolia*  
*Rotala wallichii*

**Sagittaria sp.**

*Sagittaria cuneata*  
*Sagittaria graminea*  
*Sagittaria lancifolia*  
*Sagittaria montevidensis* (Arrowhead Sag)  
*Sagittaria platyphylla*  
*Sagittaria pusilla*  
*Sagittaria sagittifolia*  
*Sagittaria subulata*  
*Sagittaria weitherbiana*

**Samolus sp.**

*Samolus parvifloris* (Water Cabbage)  
*Samolus valerandii*

*Saururus cernuus*

*Shinnersia rivularis*

*Stratiotes aloides*

*Staurogyne repens*

*Telanthera lilacina*

*Thalia*

*Typha latifolia*

*Utricularia exoleta*

*Utricularia vulgaris*

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**15 Points**

*Aglaonema simplex*

**Anubias sp.**

*Anubias azfelli*

*Anubias barteri* (all varieties)

*Anubias coffeafolia*

*Anubias congensis*

*Anubias gilletii*

*Anubias glabra*

*Anubias gracilis*

*Anubias hastifolia*

*Anubias heterophylla*

*Anubias lanceolata*

*Anubias nana*

**Aponogeton sp.** (all species NOT Class D)

**Bucephalandra sp.**

*Bucephalandra Akantha*

*Bucephalandra aurantiitheca*

(*Bucephalandra Longspath*)

*Bucephalandra Belinda Diabolica*

(*Bucephalandra Paris*)

*Bucephalandra bogneri* (*Bucephalandra Serian*)

*Bucephalandra chimaerae*

*Bucephalandra Chrysokoupae*

(*Bucephalandra Marie, Miranda or Julia*)

*Bucephalandra*

*Bucephalandra elliptica*

*Bucephalandra filiformis*

*Bucephalandra Forcipula* (Giant

*Bucephalandra*)

*Bucephalandra Goliath* (*Bucephalandra Goliath*)

*Bucephalandra Kerangas.*

*Bucephalandra Kishii* (*Bucephalandra Skeleton King or Dark Achilles*)

*Bucephalandra Micrantha*

*Bucephalandra Minotaur* (*Bucephalandra Giant*)

*Bucephalandra Muluensis*

*Bucephalandra Oblanceolata*

*Bucephalandra Oncophora*

*Bucephalandra Pubes* (*Sekadau 2*)

*Bucephalandra Pygmaea* (*Bucephalandra Bukit Kelam*)

*Bucephalandra sordidula* (*Bucephalandra Titan*)

*Bucephalandra Spathulifolia*

(*Bucephalandra Tebakang*)

*Bucephalandra Tetana* (*Bucephalandra penelope*)

*Bucephalandra Vespula*

*Bucephalandra Yengiae*

*Bucephalandra Magnifolia*

**Crinum sp.**

*Crinum calamistratum*

*Crinum natans*

*Crinum pururascens*

**Cryptocoryne sp.**

*Cryptocoryne affinis*

*Cryptocoryne albida*

*Cryptocoryne aponogetifolia*

*Cryptocoryne auriculata*

*Cryptocoryne axelrodii*

*Cryptocoryne balansae*

*Cryptocoryne blassii*

*Cryptocoryne beckettii*

*Cryptocoryne bognerii*

*Cryptocoryne bullosa*

*Cryptocoryne ciliata*

*Cryptocoryne cordata*

*Cryptocoryne costata*

*Cryptocoryne crispatula*

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*Cryptocoryne didericci*  
*Cryptocoryne evae*  
*Cryptocoryne ferruginea*  
*Cryptocoryne fusca*  
*Cryptocoryne gracilis*  
*Cryptocoryne griffithii*  
*Cryptocoryne hejnyi*  
*Cryptocoryne johorensis*  
*Cryptocoryne korthausae*  
*Cryptocoryne legroi*  
*Cryptocoryne lingua*  
*Cryptocoryne longicauda*  
*Cryptocoryne lucens*  
*Cryptocoryne lutea*  
*Cryptocoryne minima*  
*Cryptocoryne moehlmannii*  
*Cryptocoryne nevillii*  
*Cryptocoryne nurii*  
*Cryptocoryne parva*  
*Cryptocoryne petchii*  
*Cryptocoryne pontederifolia*  
*Cryptocoryne purpurea*  
*Cryptocoryne retrospiralis*  
*Cryptocoryne sarawacensis*  
*Cryptocoryne schulzei*  
*Cryptocoryne siamensis*  
*Cryptocoryne spiralis*  
*Cryptocoryne sulphurea*  
*Cryptocoryne thwaitesii*  
*Cryptocoryne tonkinensis*  
*Cryptocoryne undulata*  
*Cryptocoryne usteriana*  
*Cryptocoryne versteegii*  
*Cryptocoryne walkeri*  
*Cryptocoryne wendtii*  
*Cryptocoryne willisii*  
*Cryptocoryne zewaldiae*  
*Cryptocoryne zonata*  
*Cryptocoryne zukalii*

***Cyperus* sp.**

*Cyperus alternifolius*

*Didiplis diandra* (Water Hedge)

***Echinodorus* sp.**

*Echinodorus acicularis*  
*Echinodorus amazonicus*  
*Echinodorus amphibius*  
*Echinodorus angustifolius*  
*Echinodorus argentinensis*  
*Echinodorus aschersonianus*  
*Echinodorus augustifolius*  
*Echinodorus austroamericanus*  
*Echinodorus barthii*  
*Echinodorus berteroii*  
*Echinodorus bleheri*  
*Echinodorus bolivianus*  
*Echinodorus cordifolius*  
*Echinodorus grandiflorus*  
*Echinodorus grisebachii*  
*Echinodorus horemanii*  
*Echinodorus horizontalis*  
*Echinodorus inpai*  
*Echinodorus intermedius*  
*Echinodorus isthmicus*  
*Echinodorus latifolius*  
*Echinodorus longiscapus*  
*Echinodorus macrophyllus*  
*Echinodorus magdalensis*  
*Echinodorus major or maior or martii*  
*Echinodorus muricatus*  
*Echinodorus nympheafolius*  
*Echinodorus opacus*  
*Echinodorus osiris*  
*Echinodorus palaefolius*  
*Echinodorus paniculatus*  
*Echinodorus parviflorus*  
*Echinodorus pellucidus*  
*Echinodorus portoalegrensis*  
*Echinodorus quadricostatus*  
*Echinodorus rigidifolius*  
*Echinodorus scaber*  
*Echinodorus schlueteri*  
*Echinodorus subulatus*  
*Echinodorus tenellus*  
*Echinodorus uruguayensis*

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	Isoetes setacea Isoetes velata
<b>Eichhornia sp.</b>	
Eichhornia azurea Eichhornia crassipes	<b>Marsilea sp.</b> Marsilea brownii (Four Leaf Water Clover) Marsilea crenata Marsilea quadrifolia
<b>Eusteralis sp.</b>	
Gymnocoronis spilanthoides	Microsorum pteropus
Hemianthus callitrichoides	<b>Nesaea sp.</b>
Hottonia inflata Hottonia palustris	<b>Nymphaea sp.</b> Nymphaea alba Nymphaea chromatella Nymphaea colorata Nymphaea lotus Nymphaea maculata Nymphaea masaniello Nymphaea pubescens Nymphaea sp. 'Rose Arey' Nymphaea stellata Nymphaea tetragona
hygroryza aristata	
<b>Isoetes sp.</b>	
Isoetes echinosperma Isoetes flaccida Isoetes lacustris Isoetes malinverniana	Pistia stratiotes (Water Chestnut) Pogostemon erectus Pogostemon stellata (Eusteralis) Pogostemon yatabeanus Proserpinaca palustris (Mermaid Weed)
<b>Trapa sp.</b>	
Trapa japonica Trapa natans (Water Chestnut) Ultramafic Bucephalandra	

**20 Points**

<b>Aldrovanda sp.</b>	Aponogeton distachyos
<b>Aponogeton sp</b>	Aponogeton echinatus
Aponogeton abyssinicus	Aponogeton elongatus
Aponogeton bernieranus	Aponogeton fenestrails
Aponogeton boivinanus	Aponogeton guillotii
Aponogeton capuroni	Aponogeton henkelianus
Aponogeton crispus	Aponogeton longplumulosus
	Aponogeton loriae

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*Aponogeton madagascariensis*

*Aponogeton monostrachyus*

*Aponogeton natans*

*Aponogeton rigidifolius*

*Aponogeton stachyosporus*

*Aponogeton ulvaceus*

*Aponogeton undulatus*

*Barclaya longifolia*

**Blyxa sp.**

*Blyxa echinosperma*

*Blyxa japonica*

*Blyxa longifolius*

**Bolbitis sp**

*Bolbitis fluviatilis*

*Bolbitis heteroclita*

*Bolbitis huedelotti*

*Bolbitis hydrophylla*

**Lagenandra sp.**

*Lagenandra dalzelii*

*Lagenandra koenigii*

*Lagenandra lancifolia*

*Lagenandra meeboldii*

*Lagenandra ovata*

*Lagenandra thwaitesii*

**Nuphar sp.**

*Nuphar japonica*

*Nuphar luteum (Spatterdock)*

*Nuphar pumila*

*Nuphar sagittifolium*

**Ottelia sp.**

*Ottelia alismoides*

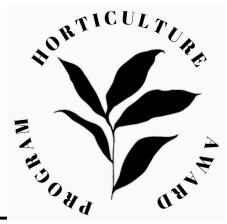
*Ottelia kunnenensis*

*Ottelia muricata*

*Ottelia ulvifolia*

*Spiranthus cernua*

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Member Name \_\_\_\_\_

Scientific Name \_\_\_\_\_

Commercial Trade Name \_\_\_\_\_

Description of plant \_\_\_\_\_

Propagation Method: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you had this plant? \_\_\_\_\_

Growing Conditions:

Tank size: gallons \_\_\_\_\_ height \_\_\_\_\_ length \_\_\_\_\_ depth \_\_\_\_\_

Filter type \_\_\_\_\_ Water movement? \_\_\_\_\_

Water temperature \_\_\_\_\_ pH \_\_\_\_\_ GH \_\_\_\_\_ KH \_\_\_\_\_

Lighting: type and intensity \_\_\_\_\_ duration \_\_\_\_\_

Substrate \_\_\_\_\_ depth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Fertilizers: \_\_\_\_\_ frequency \_\_\_\_\_

CO2 or other carbon enrichment added? \_\_\_\_\_

Water changes \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Fishes and other plants in the tank \_\_\_\_\_

Other notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Points may be obtained only once per species /variant/cultivar

Plant photos or articles should be emailed to

[bluegrassfishkeepers@gmail.com](mailto:bluegrassfishkeepers@gmail.com)

**HAPC Official Use**

Observed Date

Other notes:

Article submitted?

Photo submitted?

Certified by:

Points

Date