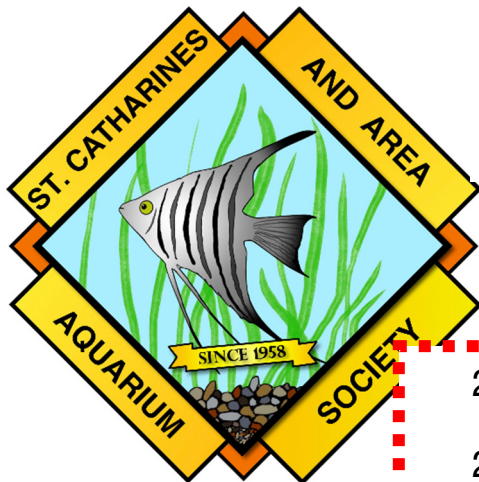
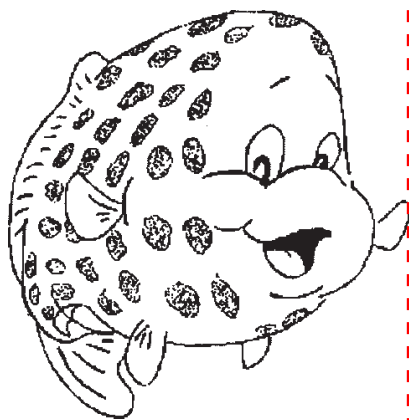


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Our Mission Statement

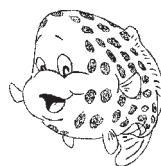
The Society, established in 1958, is a non-profit educational organization dedicated to the task of promoting interest in the breeding, raising, maintenance and study of tropical fish; both at the beginner and more advanced levels.

Meetings of The St. Catharines & Area Aquarium Society, (SCAAS) are held on the 1st Monday of each month at the Columbus Club at 6944 Stanley Avenue in Niagara Falls. Doors open at 7 PM with the meetings starting at 7:30 PM.

SCAAS is a charter member of the **Canadian Association of Aquarium Clubs Inc.**, (CAOAC, www.caoac.ca), and a member of the **Federation of American Aquarium Societies**, (FAAS, www.faas.info).

More news and information about SCAAS can be found at our website: www.scaas.info

We also have a Facebook page under **The St. Catharines and Area Aquarium Society** where you can ask aquarium related questions and post photographs of your aquariums and fish, plants, etc. We have close to 800 members on this page. Unfortunately, due to Facebook policies we are unable to post fish for sale ads using our club page.



Executive

President: Vacant

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Treasurer: Vacant



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Membership Fees

Family/Couple	\$30
Adults	\$25
Junior (under 16)	\$15
Senior (60+)	\$10
Senior Couple (60+)	\$15

Jar ShowFOM

September: Goldfish	March: Postponed
October: Danios, Barbs, Tetras	April: Anabantids including Gouramis and Bettas
November: Cichlids	May: Guppies
December: Open to All Types	June: Corys, Catfish, Plecos
January: Plants	No shows for July and August
February: Loaches, Sharks	

Committees

Breeder/OAA Awards: Tom Bridges
tp.bridges@sympatico.ca

Horticulture Awards: Vacant

CAOAC Representative: Phil Barrett

Programs: Open Position

SCAT Newsletter & Jar Show Coord.: Pat Shriner

Past President & Membership: Jon Mattatall

Webmaster: Jon Mattatall

Ways & Means: Open Position

CAOAC Corresponding Secretary & SCAAS:
Cindy Barrett

Auction Committee: Cindy Barrett

Editor's Note



Please I need your aquarium related articles, and photos for future editions of the SCAT. Wanted or for sale ads are welcome too.

Please send them to me by email at pshriner17@gmail.com by the 20th of the month to be included in the next SCAT edition.

Thank you

Pat

Club Meeting Minutes



- Meeting Date: February 5, 2024
- Call to order: 7:45 PM
- Attendance: 28
- Program: Jeff Berthelette spoke via zoom on invasive animals and plants in the hobby.
- Tom Hillier spoke to the members advising that the club was going broke and is in severe financial distress having only \$151 in the bank.
- A total of three \$100 donations were made by members.
- 50/50 total was \$86, the winner donated their take of \$43 back to the club.
- Monthly auction was held.



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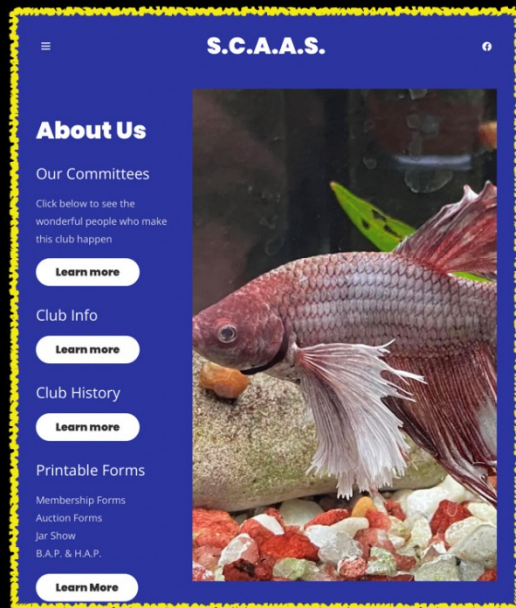
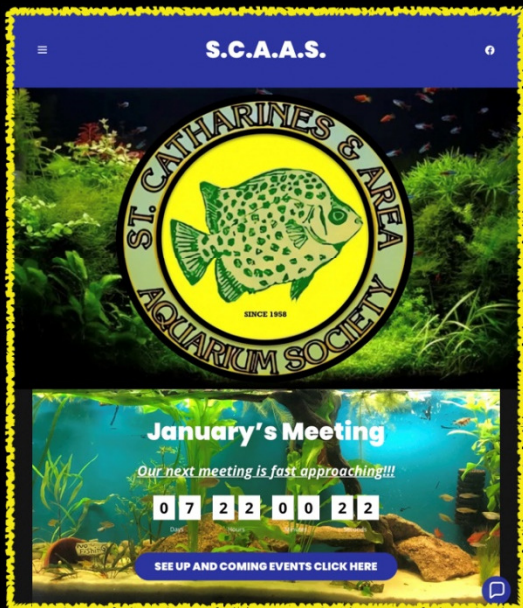
** JAR SHOW WILL NOT TAKE PLACE AT THIS MEETING AND WILL RESUME IN APRIL **

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Awards from Last Month's Meeting

Jar Show – Fish of the Month
1st – Denise Wyse (kuhli loach)

Upcoming Events

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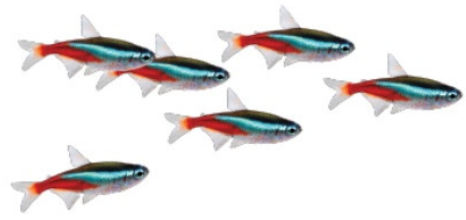


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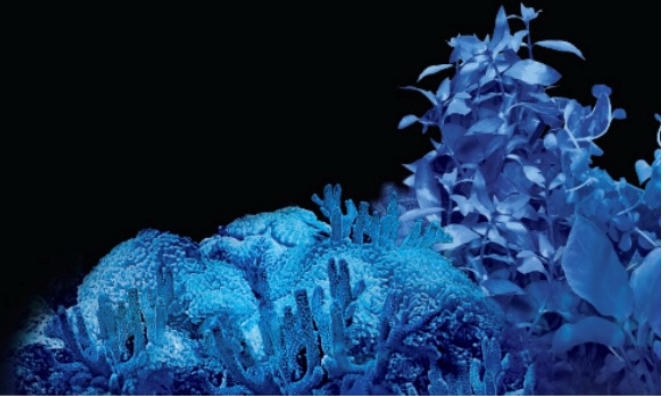
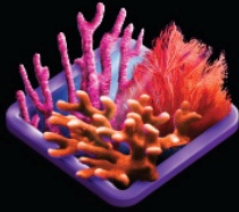
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