


# BREEDERS AWARD PROGRAM (B.A.P.)

## THE BASIC STEPS FOR A BREEDERS AWARD

- 1.) Within approximately 2 to 3 weeks of a spawn or birthing, request verification by the B.A.P. chair, or, by arrangement with the B.A.P. chair, another member of the club (usually an executive member).
- 2.) Complete and submit a club spawning report - forms are available from the sign in desk at the front entrance to the venue or from the membership chair at the meeting and also on the club website in the **FORMS** section. [WWW.SCAAS1958.CA](http://WWW.SCAAS1958.CA)
- 3.) Either donate 6 fry or two sexable pairs to the club mini-auction or write an article for The SCAT newsletter, describing the care and breeding of the species that spawned, or instead of writing, give a short oral and/or pictorial presentation at a club meeting.
- 4.) Certificates are granted for each specific species. Varieties of species do not qualify for additional certification or points — ie.: red wag platy and gold platy or various colours of angels, etc..
- 5.) Points are assigned to each class of fish.
- 6.) Plaques are awarded for the required number of spawns in each class. (See B.A.P. chair for information.)
- 7.) Presentation of your certificates will be made at the club meetings. Credit and points earned will be printed in an upcoming newsletter. Once you have earned a certificate you will automatically be listed in the next update of the C.A.O.A.C. Breeders Directory.
- 8.) C.A.O.A.C. breeders awards may be earned through fish bred for club certification. These applications must be made by the February C.A.O.A.C. meeting each year. Application forms and details of these awards are in the C.A.O.A.C. binder. Photocopies may be made for you.
- 9.) Anyone applying for a C.A.O.A.C. award will be presented with their special certificate at the annual C.A.O.A.C. convention in May. If you cannot attend, your certificate will be sent to the club.



### BREEDERS CERTIFICATE FORM (B.A.P.)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Scientific name of fish \_\_\_\_\_  
Common name of fish \_\_\_\_\_

2. Type of breeder (circle one) livebearer, bubblenest, substrate, eggscatterer, other \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTION OF PARENTS - size, color, special characteristics

MALE: \_\_\_\_\_

FEMALE: \_\_\_\_\_

3. HOW DID YOU PREPARE THE PARENTS? - including feeding times, types of food \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

TANK SET-UP - including plants, size of tank, water level, aeration, lighting, gravel, filtration, etc. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

BREEDING CONDITIONS Temperature \_\_\_\_\_ pH \_\_\_\_\_  
Time of day \_\_\_\_\_ Date of breeding \_\_\_\_\_

4. How long before the fry were free swimming? (days) \_\_\_\_\_

FRY First food used \_\_\_\_\_ # of times per day \_\_\_\_\_  
When they were fed \_\_\_\_\_ # of fry (approx.) \_\_\_\_\_  
Other foods used \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER GENERAL INFORMATION OR NOTES \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

WITNESSED BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

REQUIREMENT FOR CERTIFICATE: (CHECK) ✓  
 Donation of 6 fry or 2 sexable pairs to the mini-auction  or BAP article for the newsletter   
 OR short presentation at a meeting  \_\_\_\_\_ (Breeder's signature)