Happy June

Most of the clubs are winding down for the summer. One last meeting prior to the summer break.

Our first joint auction with the Ontario Reptile Breeders was a success. Lots of glitches but nothing too serious. Thanks to everyone who made it possible and especially to Sharon, Ron and Annette from London.

We will be discussing it further at a meeting prior to the President’s BBQ at 10:30 a.m. on June 24.

President’s BBQ:
June 24, 12 Noon
423 Loverage Street, London, Ontario.

Everyone is welcome but let us know if you are coming. Bring a bathing suit if you dare.

Glad to take some time off and watch my pond – my lotus’ are doing great this year.

Bob.

Don’t Forget
June is the President’s Barbeque

CAOAC supplies the grilled food and beverages. Please bring some chips and or desert to share with the others.
## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### EXECUTIVE

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### Notice to CAOAC Member Clubs

If your club resides outside of Ontario, CAOAC would like to hear from you. Send us your clubs special function dates so we can share them with the rest of our clubs. You never know who might be travelling out your way!

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Executive Meeting May 6, 2012 London, Ontario

Called to order by Bob Wright (President)

The meeting was called to order 9:30 AM.

Executive Attendance

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Motion to accept minutes by Ken, seconded by Noel.

Carried

Reptile Expo

Noel called Grant to confirm status of his email request. Participating clubs was confirmed with Grant. Meeting to be held Friday, May 11, time and place TBD.

Convention

Bob reported it was a good meeting at convention. There were some great ideas for community events exchanged.

Treasurer’s report

Paypal is now up and running. Non Profit status was confirmed with Paypal and then the account was confirmed.

New Business

Noel has asked Ann-Marie to set up a Facebook page for CAOAC.

Ann recommended that an Omni-directional speaker/microphone be purchased to enable better communication with people joining in through Skype. Noel made the motion to purchase up to $250, seconded by Ken.
Membership
Bob reported that East Coast AS has dissolved; however, Joey wants to keep the name open. Bob will get more information from Joey as to what he is looking for.

Awards
Peter asked about an update on the CD. Clubs are asking for the updated CD. Bob indicated that Char has been working full time and has not had the opportunity to finish the work. Peter also asked about the gift for Ray Lucas. Bob indicated they are looking into it.

Tom asked who to send in paperwork for an award for HAP, he was told to send it in to Peter.

Judges
Last meeting, 2 new judges were appointed, Chris Larsen (Regina) and Paul Mansfield (Regina, but formerly judge from England). Paul is waiting on a CD. Ann will send out when Bob sends the address.

Website
Phil mentioned to Noel that the website is running well and that Paypal has been added.

Club Reports

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SAS – They had their auction last month with very view sellers and buyers, but they still made money. There were a lot of nice tanks and stands from one seller, but didn’t get what seller wanted. A new venue for the next auction is in the works, so they are looking at changing to the Christian High School.

Betta Breeders - they will be participating in the Reptile show.

Brant – they are still calculating the show and auction results and currently have 17 members.

KWAS – Their new executive has been set with the following: Pres Cam Turner, VP Jeff Loney, Treasurer Terry Clemens, and Secretary Carlos Mendes. Grant was to speak at the last meeting, but had to cancel. They are trying to initiate a marine achievement program. June is the annual give back to members meeting. They bring in pizza, drinks and prizes. You have to bring in your membership card, which is your ballot. They are also looking to get an
Anti-Harassment policy passed into the constitution. Who has to sign it is still being worked on. (Details are still being worked out)

**DRAS** – They thanked all who showed up. It was a great auction, but a larger room may be needed.

**Ottawa Amphibian** – they are running smoothly

**LAS** – Their auction today after the CAOAC meeting.

**SCAT** – They have their show in the fall.

**CKAS** – They have some new members, Ron Bishop talked on showing fish, Zenin will be presenting in May and Bob Wright will talk in June

**New Business**

Denise Antler, member of Brampton Peel and also Budgerigar & Foreign Bird Society of Canada, asked us to participate in the Canadian National Cage Bird Show & Expo. Noel suggested asking Toronto Willowdale to promote their club at the event.

**Convention 2012**

Ann got a quote from Niagara College and their price is 5% higher than the last quote, which is very reasonable.

Edmonton has asked to host convention next year for the May long weekend. Ken motioned to host convention in Edmonton. Noel second. Carried

Meeting adjourned at 10:55 AM

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**REMINDER FROM YOUR EDITOR**

All newsletter content must be sent in by the end of the month. Any material not received may have to be omitted until the next issue.

Phil Maznyk  
CAOAC Newsletter Editor/Webmaster

Can't make a meeting in person but would like to attend via Skype. You can, just look up Ann Stevens our Recording Secretary and add her to your list. Search for user nov18angel and then let Ann know prior to the meeting, and she will sign on to Skype and accept your call.

www.caoac.ca
Having difficulty Getting A Speaker To One Of Your Meetings?

Did you know CAOAC has numerous great programs all available for a very small fee to member clubs. Visit the CAOAC website and choose yours today!
**DIRECTIONS TO THE CAOAC MONTHLY MEETING**

![Map of directions to the CAOAC meeting location]

**CAOAC is pleased to announce that we are now fully PayPal certified.** All member clubs can now renew their membership and insurance securely online by using PayPal on our website.

**DIRECTIONS TO THE CAOAC MONTHLY MEETING**

- **Hwy 5**
- **Plaza**
- **Hwy 6**
- **Hwy 1**
- **115 Main Street South, Waterdown, ON**

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**Date** | **Description** | **Debit** | **Credit** | **Balance**
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May 29, 2012 | GC 0240-DEPOSIT |  | 1,550.76 | $11,818.40
May 14, 2012 | CHQ#00130-0500249639 Ann Stevens |  | 139.59 | $10,267.64
 | Rogers Rocket Stick |  |  | 
**Total:** | **$139.59** | **$1,550.76** | **$11,818.40**

- **Paypal $60.00**
- **Sub-total $11,878.40**
- **Receivables $0**
- **Committed funds $521.28**
- **Working Balance $11,357.12**

**Committed Funds**
- Programs $441.28
- Apprentice binders
- Tony Bernard, Bob Wright, Paul McIntosh, Chelsey Smith
  - $80.00
  - Total committed funds $521.28
First in CAOAC Certificates
Based on the latest submissions from the CAOAC clubs, the Breeders Directory Committee has issued certificates to:

Christopher Biggs of ASW for Hypseleotris compressa
Allan Bridges of ASW for Labidochromis pallidus
David Glaister of ASW for Ancistrus sp. (L180)
Shawn Luky of ASW for Hypancistrus sp. (L270)

They are the first in CAOAC member clubs to breed and submit these species and are to be congratulated on their achievements.
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| March 17, 2012        | Hamilton District Aquarium Society  
Annual spring auction. Details on website.                                       |
| March 18, 2012        | CAOAC Meeting  
11:00 AM CAOAC Executive meeting Waterdown, ON  
12:00 PM CAOAC General meeting Waterdown, ON |
| March 18, 2012        | Aquarium Club of Edmonton  
Annual spring auction. Details on website.                                         |
| March 25, 2012        | Brant Aquarium Society  
Spring auction and show. Details on website.                                        |
| March 31 - April 1, 2012 | Calgary Aquarium Society  
Speaker weekend. Details on website.                                              |
| April 6 - 8, 2012     | Aquaria Expo & CAOAC Convention  
Hosted by the Aquarium Society of Winnipeg view the flyer & schedule here  
Further details can also be found at the official EXPO website.                     |
| April 15, 2012        | Regina Aquarium Society  
Giant Spring auction. Details on website.                                            |
| April 15, 2012        | Durham Regional Aquarium Society  
Aquariama - Auction, Vendor EXPO and a Nano Tank Show/Display. Details on website.|
| April 21, 2012        | Sarnia Aquarium Society  
Spring auction. Details on website.                                                 |
| May 6, 2012           | London Aquaria Society  
Spring auction. Details on website.                                                  |
| May 6, 2012           | CAOAC Meeting  
9:00 AM CAOAC Executive meeting London, ON  
10:00 AM CAOAC General meeting London, ON                                              |
| May 27, 2012          | Toronto Reptile & Tropical Fish Expo  
Details on website.                                                                  |
| June 23, 2012         | Sarnia Aquarium Society                                                           |
| June 24, 2012         | CAOAC Meeting & Presidents Barbeque  
11:00 AM CAOAC Executive meeting London, ON  
12:00 PM CAOAC General meeting London, ON                                              |
| September 15, 2012    | Sarnia Aquarium Society  
Fall auction. Details on website.                                                     |
| September 15 - 16, 2012 | Toronto Reptile Breeders Expo  
Details on website.                                                                |
| September 16, 2012    | CAOAC Meeting  
11:00 AM CAOAC Executive meeting Waterdown, ON  
12:00 PM CAOAC General meeting Waterdown, ON                                           |
| September 30, 2012    | London Aquaria Society  
Fall show & auction. Details on website.                                             |
| October 4 - 7, 2012   | Saskatoon Aquarium Society  
Thanksgiving show & auction. Details on website.                                      |
| October 21, 2012      | Regina Aquarium Society  
Giant fall auction. Details on website.                                              |
| October 21, 2012      | CAOAC Meeting  
11:00 AM CAOAC Executive meeting Waterdown, ON  
12:00 PM CAOAC General meeting Waterdown, ON                                           |
| October 28, 2012      | Kitchener Waterloo Aquarium Society presents  
Oktoberfish 2012 Annual Show & Auction Details on website.                          |
| November 4, 2012      | Peel Regional Aquarium Society Fall Auction  
Details on website.                                                                 |
| November 18, 2012     | CAOAC Meeting  
11:00 AM CAOAC Executive meeting Waterdown, ON  
12:00 PM CAOAC General meeting Waterdown, ON                                           |
| December 9, 2012      | CAOAC Meeting & Annual Potluck Lunch  
11:00 AM CAOAC Executive meeting Waterdown, ON  
12:00 PM CAOAC General meeting Waterdown, ON                                           |