## LIAS FISH SHOW RULES

- 1. The fish show is open to all members in good standing. There is no charge to enter.
- 2. A maximum of (3) entries per member per show; must be single fish per bowl. (No pairs)
- 3. All entries must be in a glass or plastic flat faced clear container provided by entrant. No round bowls or jars such that will distort perception of the size of the entry. A suitable cover and black background is permitted.

  No decorations such as plants, gravel, mirrors, etc. (only fish)
- 4. Fish must have been in possession of entrant for (2) months prior to that fish show. Entrants will be left to their honor on this rule.
- 5. Judging will be done by vote of members. All members will be allowed only (1) vote each.
- 6. Ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> Place only. First place winner may not be entered again until the following season.
- 7. A minimum of (2) entries must participate for the show to be judged. In the event of a single participant, the show will be "uncontested" and a  $1^{st}$  Place ribbon will be awarded however, participant will not receive championship points for entry.
- 8. Points will be awarded for  $1^{st}$ ,  $2^{nd}$  and  $3^{rd}$  place only.

1st - 5 points

2<sup>nd</sup> - 3 points

3rd - 1 point

Bonus - 6 points for participant that wins all 3 places in same show.

- 9. Tiebreakers:
  - 1. Most 1st Place
  - 2. Most 2nd Place
  - 3. Most 3rd Place
  - 4. Most Places
- 10. There must be a minimum of (3) "contested" shows in a season in order for a champion to be declared.
- 11. The person with the most points at the end of the season will be awarded The Margaret Peterson "Fish Show Champion" award.