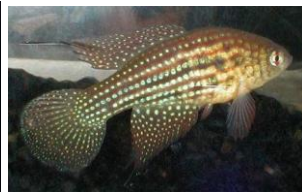




# 2010 Annual Killifish Show



CHICAGO KILLIFISH ASSOCIATION ANNUAL KILLIFISH SHOW March 12-March 14, 2010

The First and Oldest Killifish Club in the United States, formed in 1958, in its' **52<sup>nd</sup> Year**

### NEW LOCATION

Holiday Inn Select Naperville  
1801 N Naper Blvd, Naperville, IL 60563-1554  
1-888-HOLIDAY – Front Desk 630-505-4900 – Fax 630-505-1984  
Single & Double rooms are just \$89 plus tax if you **Mention the CKA**  
**You MUST register by Mar 1st and Mention CKA to get this rate**

### FEATURED SPEAKER:

**John Boylan** with the **Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute**  
*Our guest speaker, John Boylan, has made 4 trips to Panama studying for the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute. He has discovered several new species and uncovered and explored new areas. John will be bringing some N&R from his last trip for the auction!*

**Additional Information and PRE-REGISTRATION forms available on the website.** Check out the show web page for updated information as show dates draw near: <http://chika.aka.org/>

### ENTRY FEE:

There is a \$1 per pair entry fee, waived if the fish are put in the auction.  
**Entries are open to anyone keeping killies.**  
**Early registration: Email or call John Metzger by 8:00pm Thursday, Mar 9<sup>th</sup> [jwmetzger@juno.com](mailto:jwmetzger@juno.com) or phone 1-815-699-2350**

### RULES & POLICIES

1. All mail-in entries will be auctioned. Others may be retrieved during the show tear-down.
2. Please ship mail-in entries to arrive no later than Wed Mar 10<sup>th</sup> to:

**Gerhard Kallus**

**135 North Center St, Bensenville, IL 60106**

**630-595-0620**

3. Sunday's Auction split is 60% Seller-40% Club
4. Box sales from 9AM to 2:45PM on Saturday only, please.
5. \$1.00 contribution per bags up to \$11 will be requested.
6. \$2.00 contribution per bags \$12 to \$24 will be requested
7. \$4.00 contribution per bags over \$24 will be requested
8. Contributions for unsold bags will be refunded.

**Proxy Bidding will again be available. Visit our Website for detailed information: <http://chika.aka.org/>**  
**The list of available fish will be listed and updated frequently on the website.**

### Questions? Contact:

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### SHOW CLASSES

1. New World non-annuals (except Rivulus)
2. Rivulus
3. New World Annuals
4. Nothobranchius
5. Fundulopanchax (except Paraphyosemion) and Callopanchax & Fundulopanchax sjoestedti (Blue Gularis)
6. Fundulopanchax Paraphyosemion (gardneri & allied species)
7. Aphyosemion (STR, CAL groups)
8. Aphyosemion (except calliurum types)
9. Chromaphyosemion (formerly Aphyosemion bivittatum group)
10. All other Aphyosemion
11. Archiaphyosemion and Scriptaphyosemion (former small Roloffia)
12. Epiplatys
13. Other African & Eurasian
14. Matched Breeding Pairs
15. Single Males - a.k.a. Stud Male Class (Ineligible for KHY/BOS)
16. Original Photography – Prints

### SPECIAL AWARDS

*George Maier Award – BOS*

*Nancy Garcia Award – Best Native*

*Reserve Best Of Show*

**1<sup>st</sup> and Special Awards will be original killifish paintings, acrylic on black canvas, by Noted Artist Ken McKeighen.**

**2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place Awards will be original killifish watercolor paintings.**

**All paintings will be new and different from those presented at the 2007 AKA National, 2008 or 2009 ChiKA Shows!**

**Ken McKeighen has contributed over 1500 of his paintings to the AKA and local killifish clubs over the past 30 years.**

### SHOW SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, March 12, 2010

09:00 am set up	Setup & palavering. Volunteers Needed
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SATURDAY, March 13, 2010

8:30 am - 1:00 pm	Registration/ Benching
9:00 am - 2:45 pm	Box Sales
1:00 pm - 3:00pm	Judging – Room closed for viewing
3:00 pm till done	John Boylan - Covering his January 2009 trip to Panama studying the distribution of Brachyrhphis and Rivulus species. The highlight of this trip being the discovery of what they believe to be several new species of Rivulus and Brachyrhaphis.
3:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Fish Room open for viewing
7:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Hospitality Room – Awards at 9:00 pm
10:00 pm till done	Show Tear Down

SUNDAY, March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2010

8:30 am – 9:30 am	Auction Setup
8:30 am – 10:30 am	Auction Registration
9:00 am – 11:00 am	View Auction Items
11:00 am	Auction – Promptly at 11AM

# Chicago Killifish Association Annual Show



**March 12-March 14, 2010**

**Talk** by John Boylan, presented at 1:00PM Sat, & Repeated at 3:20PM Sat

Holiday Inn Select Naperville 1-888-HOLIDAY Front Desk 1-630-505-4900

1801 N Naper Blvd, Naperville, IL 60563-1554

Take I-88 & Exit onto Naperville Road Exit, Turn Left onto Freedom Commons Drive, Turn Left at Independence Ave.  
- Hotel is ahead 1/4 mile



## **John Boylan** with the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute

John has been involved in the aquarium hobby for over 40 years. While he maintains, and breeds, a variety of species. His main focus over the past twenty years has been in the keeping of livebearers, killifish, and rainbowfish, and when possible going into the field and collecting. He is currently involved in a study with the Smithsonian Tropical research Institute in Panama on the distribution of *Brachyrhaphis* and *Rivulus* species in Panama.

The talk will cover his January 2009 trip to Panama. This was the fourth trip in conjunction with a study he has been conducting as to the distribution of *Brachyrhaphis* and *Rivulus* species. During this trip they were able to cover some previous collecting sites as well as explore new areas. The highlight of this trip being the discovery of what they believe to be several new species of *Rivulus* and *Brachyrhaphis*.

