

WORLD GUPPY CONTEST 2020
A Virtual Show - Connecting guppy breeders all around the world



**Hosted by the Brazilian
Guppy Association**

**Sanction by the World
Guppy Association**

The world has changed due to Covid 19, the pandemic has forced the cancellation of guppy shows around the world.

The Brazilian Guppy Association decided to bring together all the guppy enthusiasts around the world for first of it's kind a global VIRTUAL GUPPY COMPETITION.

This year's **WORLD GUPPY CONTEST** in August 2020 was supposed to be held in Tianjin, China but was canceled.

The **World Guppy Association** and the **Brazilian Guppy Association** realized that even without the cancellation of this year's world guppy contest that many guppy breeders around the world would find it difficult to send show entries or attend the **WORLD GUPPY CONTEST** in person therefore a virtual competition formation was decided upon so everyone from the World could participate.

The virtual competition will feature judges from around the world, including World Guppy Contest judges, **INTERNATIONAL FANCY GUPPY ASSOCIATION** (USA) judges, **IKGH** judges (Europe) , **CIPS** (China International Pet Show) judges, **ASIAN GUPPY SHOW** judges, and other who are new to guppy judging. (some judges are judges for more one venue).

The idea is to open up the judging so more guppy breeders from around the world could participate.

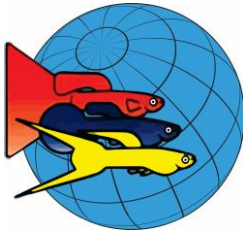
SHOW RULES:

Video show entries need to be sent in a format mp4. Each show entry video, 20 to 30 second duration for all show.

Show rules in general will be based on the **WORLD GUPPY CONTEST** rules subject to review by a judging panel.

VIDEO PARAMETERS AND RULES:

- 1) it is prohibited to change or enhance the color of the video or show entry.
- 2) The light should be white or natural and the aquarium with a black background.
- 3) The aquarium and water should be clean without colored water.



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- 4) When registering, the candidate will be able to send 05 videos by selecting "the name of the class" in which the fish will enter. Fish entered in the wrong classes will be disqualified;
- 5) a measuring device like a ruler in metric or in inches must be included in the tank with the show entry so to measure the size of the fish.
- 6) The scale or ruler must be in the background of the tank with the fish in front of the scale or ruler.
- 7) Video with personal or company or corporate names or advertisements is prohibited
- 8) In the top corner of the aquarium there should be the breeder's ID which is in the personal registration of the registration platform;
- 9) Videos should be sent between September 1 to September 30. (possible extension if decided by the Brazilian Guppy Association).
- 10) It is advised that all video show entries be sent as soon as possible to avoid being late and your videos not being judged.
- 11) All videos can be deleted by the participants up to September 30.
- 12) The video should show the fish from above(5s) and from the front very close to the front of the ruler, so that the judge can see the size and characteristics of the entry.

NOTE:

There will be an explanatory video on how to shoot on our official website that will be released on 09/01/2020.

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REGISTRATIONS:

Will be made on the site:

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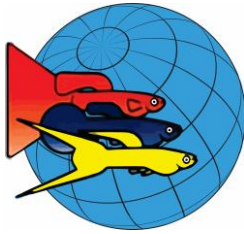
SHOW ENTRIES:

Show entries should be pairs, the female should be from the same strain as the male show entry.

Female will not be pointed

Males in wrong color class will be automatically disqualified.

The swallow long fin and ribbon long fin (class 29 and 30) should have three fish, a male with a normal gonopodium, a swallow or ribbon female, and swallow or ribbon male with an elongated gonopodium.



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Class 33 young breeder class (novice class) to include a pair male and female not exceed 5 months old

CLASSES:

1 delta tail- red

2 delta tail- blue

3 delta tail- green

4 delta tail- purple

5 delta Tail- half black pastel, half black white and half black yellows

6 delta tail-half black blue

7 delta tail- half black red

8 delta tail- half black green, half black purple

9 delta tail- black (both traditional black and Moscow black)

10 delta tail- Moscow class includes Moscow green, Moscow purple, and Moscow blue.

11 delta tail- snakeskin body pattern both variegated and solid snakeskin

12 delta tail- multicolored

13 delta tail- half black AOC (any other color not cover in other half black color classes)

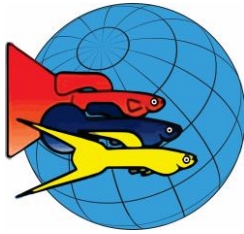
14 delta tail- grass body and causal

15 delta tail- AOC (any other color not covered in the above solid color classes)

16 delta tail- red albino

17 delta tail- AOC albino (every other causal color except red albino which has it's own class)

20 veil tail



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21 double sword tail

22 top swordtail

23 bottom swordtail

European classes:

18 fan tail

19 flag tail

24 lyre tail

25 spade tail

26 spear tail

27 pin tail

28 round tail

Asian classes:

29 ribbon long fin

30 swallow long fin

31 half moon tail

32 crown tail

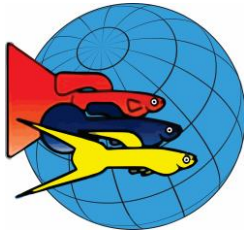
33 young guppy breeder (novice class)

CLASSIFICATION INFORMATION:

1 delta tail red includes all body colors such as gold bodied red, gray bodied red, bronze bodied red. The delta tail red does not include albino delta red or snakeskin body with red delta tail

2 delta tail AOC, includes any other color delta tail not included in show classes.

3 delta tail AOC class includes all tail color except albino tail red which has it's class, the delta tail albino red class



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JUDGING WILL IN OCTOBER :

Two rounds of judging, in the first round of judging, the entries will be given a point score from 1 to 5 points

The top three or the three highest pointed will be first place, second place and third place for each class.

In case of ties or errors the head judge and his panel of judges will make the decision.

The second round of judging will be for Best of Show. Ten top class winners will compete for best of show.

These 10 class winner will be pointed out using the world guppy contest judging criteria for allotments of points.

Please note the future breeder's class (novice class) will not be considered for best of show.

JUDGING:

Judging will be on a virtual platform with each judge having access to his own log in and will be able to see all show classes and will be able to see his progress until the end of each round.

Judges can request help, this includes discussions and clarification of rules and standards.

If the judges have questions or other issues then the judging dates and show result date may also change.

SHOW RESULTS:

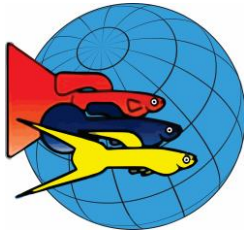
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AWARDS:

All participants will receive a certificate of participation. The top 3 in each class and the top 10 in the exhibition will receive an electronic DIPLOMA HOMOLOGATED BY WGA - BRAZILIAN GUPPY ASSOCIATION, by email.

WORLD EXHIBITION VIDEOS:

All videos will be edited and available weekly on the UNAQUA YouTube channel, starting October 30th, 2020 in the "FISH TOUR - WGC" project

https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=UNAQUA