

# MISSOURI AQUARIUM SOCIETY

Here's What's Coming Up For the Club in 2025!

## MONTHLY MEETINGS

### JANUARY 16

#### Talking Tanks

Expert lectures and talks held at the monthly meetings.  
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#### Lake Sturgeon w/ Travis Moore

MDC Fisheries Management Biologist Travis Moore will discuss the lake sturgeon (*Acipenser fulvescens*), Missouri's longest-lived fish species and focus of the MASI challenge.



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#### Bowl Show

Sipernatural  
Cyprinids



Video Entries Only -

Max 20 seconds

Provide name, species, tank size

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### Blackwater Aquascapes, with Melanie Holmes

Professional aquacaper Melanie Holmes, the “Blackwater Goddess” herself, returns to MASI to talk about and demonstrate botanical style aquascapes.



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Gorgeous  
Gourami



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### Breeding Cichlids w/ Rick Borstein

Cichlid and livebearer specialist Rick Borstein, of the Greater Chicago Cichlid Association returns to MASI with “Road to Master Breeder, tips for breeding cichlids” .



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Re-cich-ulous  
Cichlids



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## APRIL 17

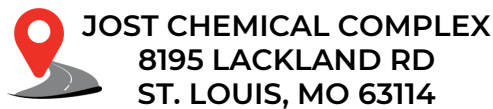
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### Aquascaping demo w/ Jennifer Williams

OASE Brand Representative and aquascaper Jennifer Williams visits MASI to talk about...aquascaping, I assume. We don't have details.



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Lovely  
Loaches



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## MAY 15th

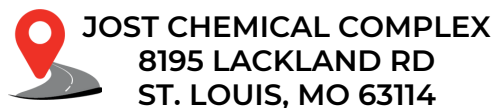
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### Biotope Book Launch w/Tai Streitman

Author and aquascaper Tai Streitman comes back to MASI to talk about his book on building biotope-inspired aquaria.



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Look at my  
Livebearers



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# SPECIAL EVENTS

FEB 1

## Winter Auction

Saturday, February 1, 2025

10 am Auction Preview 11 am - 4 pm Auction\*

Hundreds of fish, plants, and more! Silent and live auction.  
\*Estimated end time

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MAR 8

## Winter Swap

Saturday, March 8, 2025

10 am - 4 pm

Local vendors, and private sellers invited. Over 30 tables of  
plants, fish, invertebrates, and reptiles.

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# SPECIAL EVENTS

ARP 26

## Spring Auction

Saturday, Apr 26, 2025

10 am Auction Preview 11 am - 4 pm Auction\*

Hundreds of fish, plants, and more! Silent and live auction.  
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MAY 24

## Spring Swap

Saturday, May 24, 2025

10 am - 4 pm

Local vendors, and private sellers invited. Over 30 tables of  
plants, fish, invertebrates, and reptiles.

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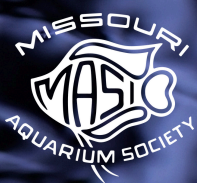
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SEP 13

## Fall Swap Saturday, Sep 13, 2025

10 am - 4 pm

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NOV 8

## Fall Auction Saturday, Nov 8, 2025

10 am Auction Preview    11 am - 4 pm Auction\*

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