



# BRITISH LIVEBEARER ASSOCIATION

## GUPPY SECTION *Newsletter*

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The 2011 European Championship has now begun with the show in Italy for both Pairs and Trios. Our club was represented by 8 entries and congratulations are due to Derrick Clayton for gaining third place in the overall competition for broad tail pairs. Huge thanks and appreciation is also due to Carl Stewart for sending two pairs. Our great friend Hermann Magoschitz was the overall winner of the Trio competition with a trio lovely full red guppies. Steve Elliott attended as one of the 5 judges. As always the Italian show was a great success and most enjoyable with their usual hospitality.

The next European Championship show is on the weekend of 17th of June in Vienna. If anyone is interested in attending please contact Steve Elliott as soon as possible. It is important to have the hotel booked now as they will soon fill up for the tourist season !

Our very own show for the European championship for pairs will be held at the Nottingham Gateway Hotel on October 14th/16th 2011. It is **VERY** important that those who intend going book their hotel accommodation now or as soon as possible. This can be done direct yourself or if you wish, contact Steve Elliott who will make a booking for you.

We have been told that there is another event during that weekend and the rooms are becoming very limited. Book early or be disappointed. If you do book yourself, please also let Steve know so that we know numbers etc.

The next Guppy League show will be this Sunday (15th May, 2011) and is hosted by Corby and District Aquarist Society open show. Please note that there is a new venue in Corby ;

**The Grampion Club,  
Patric Road,  
Corby,  
NN18 9NT.**

The doors will open at about 9.30am and entries must be booked in and benched by 12 noon. There are meals available at the club. This is the third leg of the 2011 competition which is currently a very close run event.

The Bristol Open show has been cancelled and so there will no longer be a leg of the UK Guppy League there this year. We are trying to arrange a new venue in the 'south' and will confirm details when they are known.