

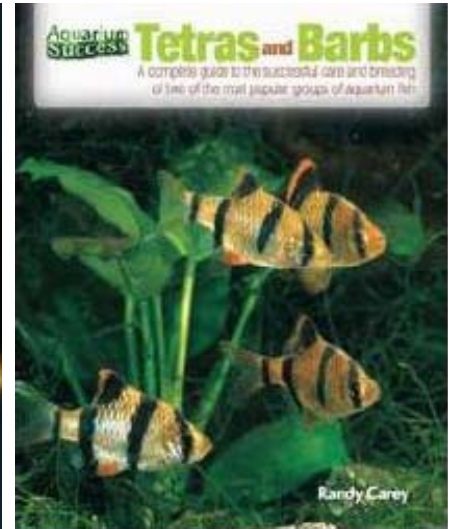
Milwaukee Aquarium Society

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Feb. 26, 2010
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Speaker Presentation:
Randy Carey
Spawning the Scatterers

The scatterers refer to the fish groups that practice the reproductive strategy of scattering their eggs: tetras/characins and barbs/danionins/rasboras. In the opening part Randy discusses this strategy and illustrates why it is a very successful reproductive strategy. But this success depends upon nature, its annual cycles, and its massive streams and floodplains. Keeping these thoughts in mind, the remainder of the talk focuses on the challenges of successfully rearing scatterers within the "glass box" confines of the aquarium. Stage-by-stage Randy discusses the challenges and suggests actions that the aquarist should try to increase the likely hood of success. In his new book, Randy discusses six approaches to spawning the scatterers, and this talk now includes an overview of each.

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