

REPORT ON NTSS-2008 IN PORTLAND, OREGON

The show was most enjoyable, with the usual array of meetings for various study groups and you will find the Secretary’s report on page . The exhibits were very good and I list those with a ‘Biology’ connection below.

<i>The Royal Palm</i>	Phil Stager (Florida)	One-frame Grand award
<i>The Donkey in Man’s World</i>	Bob Mather (Wisconsin)	Multi-frame gold award
<i>Microcosmos</i>	Alan Hanks (Ontario)	Multi-frame gold award
<i>The Olive –Olea europaea</i>	Vincent de Luca (California)	Multi-frame vermeil award
<i>Penguin Paradigms</i>	Terri Edwards (Nevada)	Multi-frame vermeil award
<i>Big Cats & Humans</i>	Greg Balagian (RhodeIsland)	Multi-frame vermeil award
<i>Evolution of Horse Breeds</i>	Donna Trathen (Alberta)	Multi-frame silver award
<i>Beavers: Nature’s Engineers</i>	Larry Davidson (Ontario)	Display gold award
<i>Bamboo</i>	Phil Stager (Florida)	Display gold award
<i>The Rainbow Trout</i>	Tim Bartshe (Colorado)	One-frame vermeil award

The Biology Unit award (a book) went to *Microcosmos*. All in all, a very good show, and I managed to find some nice items for my British Africa collections!
