

Wetwork News

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Nancy Wojnowski 675-3017 This Friday's meeting, July 8th, is at

Arbordale Nurseries

480 Dodge Road, Getzville NY 14068

Hello fellow pond people,

I hope you are keeping cool with this hot & humid weather. My 2,000 gallon pond is now in full bloom and it is BEAUTIFUL! I even saw some koi fry. In the eight years I have had a pond, I have never had them survive – so fingers crossed.



Thank you to Chris, Dennis, Nancy & Audrey for cleaning the Erie County Fair Pond in early June. Fair time is August 10th - 21st and we will be looking for volunteers to "work our booth" and tell fair goers about our club. You will get free admission & parking to the fair and a ticket to win a gift card from the club. A list will be passed around at the next meeting to sign up for a 3 hour time slot.

Our next regular club meeting on July 8th, will be at Arbordale Nurseries in Getzville, NY. There will be a presentation by Brenda McCormick of the Western New York Herpetological Society on amphibians that you would see in and around your pond. It is also Christmas in July! Every member in attendance gets a FREE gift!

At Arbordale, we will be all set up for the koi show & auction that weekend! This event is the clubs largest fund raiser of the year. This is what keeps the club going. Volunteers are needed for set up Thursday July 7th mid-morning and for tear-down July 10th after the auction. Please contact me if you can help at 860-6186. If you prefer to donate to the auction and basket raffle, please bring items to the Arbordale meeting July 8th. Your support is greatly appreciated.

The week after the Koi Show is our Pond Tour in the south towns on July 16th. You don't need to be a member to attend, but you do need a ticket for the picnic after. We have 7 stops this year and I can guarantee good weather! Chris Wilkolawski will be selling tickets for \$10 at the meeting & Koi Show. You can also call her to reserve your tickets if you can't make the meeting at 983-1088.

See you at Arbordale on July 8th for our regular monthly meeting. Dawn M. Domagala, Koi Show Chair

Koi of the Month

Taisho Sanke (Tie-show-san-kay)

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These are white koi with a red (hi) and black (kuro) pattern on them. First seen in Japan during the Taisho era. Today, we call them Sanke.

Seven styles that can be seen at Koi Shows would be:

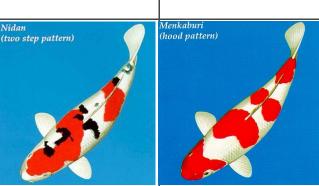
| Kuchibeni (Coo-chee- benny) This koi ap- pears to have a very red mouth. It appears to be wearing lipstick. | Maruten (Mar-oo-ten) This is a koi with red area on the middle of its head . | Tancho Showa (Tancho) This is a Koi with a single red area on its head. | Aka (Acka) This is a Ko that has very large amount of red pattern over the entire koi. |
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| Kuchibeni (lipstick pattern) | Maruten (crown on head) | Tancho Showa (single red crown pattern on head) | Aka Sanke (Beavy red pattern) |

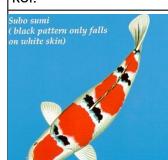
Subo sumi (Sue-bosue-me)This is a Koi has a black pattern that only is seen on the white skin of the koi.

Nidan (Knee-dan) This koi has two red areas with spaced out black shapes.

Menkaburi (Men-caboo-ree)This koi has the red color cover its entire head from the mouth to the crown.

a Koi





Fair Pond Cleaning



At a recent Board of Directors meeting it was decided that they would be offering an incentive for members to get more involved.

So any member that does one of the following will receive a ticket to the gift card drawings that occur during the meetings.

Members that volunteer:

Spend 2 hrs. at a club activity

Donate to the raffle table

Attend a Board meeting (non officer)

Organize a program; i.e. calling tree,

Arrange a speaker for a meeting night

Host a Board meeting (non officers)

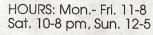
Chair a club event

Sign up for the refreshment table

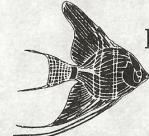
Write an article for the newsletter

***<u>Please note</u>: We still must sell a minimum amount of \$50 in tickets to cover the gift cards prior to drawing.





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Sunshine

Jan Evert broke her leg. She is recovering at Autumn View Health Care facility in Hamburg. 648-2450

Refreshments for 2016

If you would like to bring refreshments to a meeting, you will be reimbursed for expenses for up to \$25.00 (receipts must be turned into Nancy)

General info: 8-9 bottles of pop, some diet

Any refreshments or snacks of your choice: Cheese & Crackers, veggies, fruit, chips, dip, pepperoni, salad, jello, cookies, cake, brownies, etc.

We do not have use of any kitchen supplies, so you may need to bring serving utensils, trays, bowls, baskets, knives, or whatever is needed to serve your type of refreshments

The club will provide: Coffee, hot cups, creamer, sugar, small plates, paper cups, plastic silverware, napkins

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer please contact Bev Jarmuz 833-3889.

Feb.: Dawn Domogala

Mar.:

Apr.: Audry Belau

May: Chris Wilkolaski

June:

July: Ann Marshall & Rob Smith

Aug.:

Sep.: Nancy Wojnowski

Oct.:

Nov.:

Dec.: Christmas Party in the South towns

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THE NIAGARA FRONTIER KOI & POND CLUB MEETS THE SECOND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH @ 7pm

THE ZION UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, 15 KOENIG CIRCLE, TONANANDA, NY 14150

ALSO VISIT US ONLINE AT www.nfkpc.org

NIAGARA FRONTIER KOI & POND CLUB UP-COMING EVENTS IN WESTERN NEW YORK

July 9 & 10 - Koi Show at Arbordale July 16 - Pond tour south towns Aug 10 -21 Erie county fair