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GREETINGS FELLOW PONDERS:

OUR MEETING WILL BE AT 7:30 THIS MONTH

Well another Koi Show has past, I would like to thank Mike Masterson and Masterson's Garden Center for their wonderful generosity for hosting this years Koi Show, and for the many donations to the auction. I would also like to thank Ray Lucas of Kingfish Services for his product donations and also as auctioneer, and also Audrey Behlau for her donations and also auctioneer. At this point I would like to thank Co-Chair Phil, for putting up with me and doing a fine set-up job, even if we had to change out all the tanks on Friday. The Koi-Show has been an event that we can interact with the public and for the public to vote for their favorite fish, this year the people's choice was won by Chris Wilkolaski for her Yamabuki (Yellow) Long Fin. The weather was not the greatest, but the skies cleared in time for our Auction, so it was not a bad weekend, please see the next page for more Koi Show Coverage

This Sunday evening July 10th we will be out at the Fair Pond prepping for this years Annual Fair, we will be thinning out plants, weeding and adding mulch, so bring out your gloves and your favorite weed killing tool and join us, who knows you might have fun.

This month we will be selling tickets for this years Pond Tour, five bucks per person, this is to offset the cost of the food, map booklets, etc. it also lets us know how many people we have going. Please see Chris for your Ticket, if you cannot attend this month's meeting please contact Chris at 662-9429 to reserve your place. I would like to thank Ron Baty for putting the tour together.

We are still looking for someone to do the newsletter, I will do the August newsletter then that's it for me, since other Board members think they can do a better job at some things.

The church group has a function early Friday evening so we are moving our meeting to 7:30, hope this doesn't inconvenience anyone.

Thanks, See You Friday

Loren

THE POND SQUAD NEEDS YOU

On Sunday, July 10th at 6pm, the Pond Squad will be at the Fair Pond. We will be working on the garden around the Fair Pond. Many of the plants grown in number and need to be thinned out. Any help would greatly be appreciated. So bring a pair of glove and a garden tool— the more members the faster we can finish this project. Please let Chris Wilkolaski know if you can help 662-9429

POND TOUR 2011

This years pond tour will be Buffalo & Northern suburbs on Saturday July 23rd

We have 8 ponds on this years Pond Tour, we are starting in Buffalo and ending in North Tonawanda

Please see Chris at the meeting for your tickets

Once again we are charging \$5.00 per person

KOI SHOW 2011

I would like to thank the following companies for donations to this years show

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| Masterson's Garden Center | Kingfish Services | Discus Hans USA |
| Aquarium Technology Inc. | EG Danner, Pondmaster | Ken's Fish |
| Eastern Aquatics Blackworms | Mars Fishcare North America Inc | Sounds Fish To Me |
| The Fish Factory | Aquarian Flake Foods, Aquarium | Lavocat's Gardens |
| Cichlid News Magazine | Pharmaceuticals Inc., Rena, | Windy Acres |
| Diskus Brief Magazine | Pond Care Products | Bonita Wulf |
| Swiss Tropicals Inc. | Cichlid Press Books | Niagara Aquarium |
| BlueZooRadio.com | Finley Aquatic Books | The Fish Place |
| Atlantic Watergardens | Tetra Pond | |

As I have mentioned in the past, please look at this list and remember these companies the next time your are ready to make a purchase, support those that support us, once again thanks.

Phil and I would also like to thank all those that helped make this years Koi Show a success , if you helped setup, take down , attended the auction, cleaned tanks, or gave out people's choice voting tickets thank you much, we could not have done it without you, our members.

Next Month I will have pictures from this years show

Sunshine

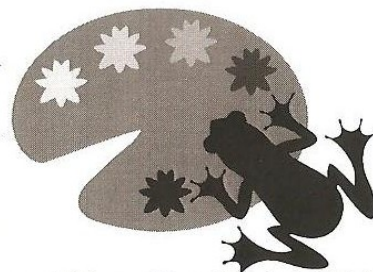
June 8 Joe O'Connor son of Mary O'Connor—attained the rank of Sargent in the National Guard

June 23 William McKee passed away— brother of Ed McKee (Ed honored his commitment to the club and still helped with set-up of Koi Show)

June 24 Nora Cathryn Kaeselau was welcomed into the world by her parents Scott and Jenny Kaeselau – Nora is the granddaughter of Mary O'Connor

If you are aware of a member experiencing a “ Life Event” in their family such as weddings, birth announcements, illness, surgery or death, please contact Lorri Porter at 694-6652

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Next Board of Directors Meeting—Wednesday July 27th at 7:30 PM

At the home of Ann Marshall & Rob Smith

346 Desmond Dr. Tonawanda, NY 14150

All members are welcome to attend

RSVP to Ann at 873-1074

Refreshments for 2011

If you would like to bring refreshments to a meeting, you will be reimbursed for expenses for up to \$45.00 (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 Barbara Weber 688-7924

JULY Bev. Jarmuz

AUG. Jane Dunning

SEPT. Mary O'Connor

OCT. Carol Filipski, Elaine Sitarek
Annette short

NOV. Tracy Prucnal, Sandy Crawford

Dec. Annual Party

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TO:

**THE NIAGARA FRONTIER KOI & POND CLUB MEETS THE SECOND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH AT
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 8TH NFKPC MEETING

JULY 15TH POND TOUR SIGN UP DUE

JULY 23RD NFKPC POND TOUR NORTHTOWNS

JULY 27TH BOARD MEETING

AUGUST 6TH GVPAKC POND TOUR

AUGUST 10TH- 21ST ERIE COUNY FAIR

AUGUST 12TH NFKPC MEETING