

# Wetwork News

A Publication of the Niagara Frontier Koi and Pond Club

#### November 2016

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#### NEWSLETTER

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#### **RAFFLES & PRMOTIONS**

Nancy Wojnowski 675-3017 Hello all,

It seems spring has finally sprung in WNY! Time to start thinking about opening your pond.

Speaking of we have a new member looking for help on rebuilding his pond. If you want to help out contact Chris for info.

February has come and gone and we are looking to close memberships. We only have 24 so far.

This Year's koi show & auction is June 17<sup>th</sup> & 18th at Masterson's. It is being chaired by Ray Lucas. Call Ray if you're interested in helping 941-3701

Bring your money because Lotus tubers are available to order.

Along with the New Year comes election time. Elections are this month. We are looking for people to step up. Unfortunately, Dawn as well as myself will not be running for reelection this year. We are also still looking to fill the Treasurer position. So there are quite a few important spots to be filled.

Thank You

John Kelso

## **2017 Photo Contest Winners**



1st Place Flora Hank & Maryjane Kosowski



1st Place Fauna Dawn Domagala



2nd Place Flora Dawn Domagala



1st Place Pond Ron & Sandy Baty



2nd Place Pond Hank & Maryjane Baty



2nd Place Fauna Ron & Sandy Baty

#### Project Plant 2017

Lotus will be the project plant for 2017! You will be able to purchase as many tubers as you like for \$15 each. There will be several varieties available in April. Pick up of the tubers will be at the May meeting. Lilly will be our guest speaker in May on how to care for our new plants.

You do not need to keep the lotus in your pond. They can be grown on your patio or any place you have space and full sun. They are winter hardy and can be enjoyed every year.



NFKPC Calendars for sale!
Only \$10

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

Attend a Board meeting (non officer)

Arrange a speaker for a meeting night

Chair a club event

Sign up for the refreshment table

Donate to the raffle table

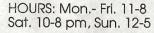
Organize a program; i.e. calling tree, Host a Board meeting (non officers) Sign up for the refreshment table

Write an article for the newsletter

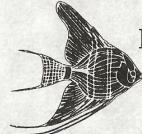
Please renew your membership if you haven't already done so. Please see membership chair, Christine Wilkolaski.

Single membership \$20

Family membership \$25



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Next Board meeting is Wednesday 26th

John Kelso

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#### Sunshine

Looking for someone to act as sunshine chair see John for info

### **Refreshments for 2017**

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.: Mar.:

Apr.:

May:

June:

July:
Aug.:

Sep.:

Oct.:

Nov.:

Dec.: Christmas Party

NIAGARA FRONTIER KOI & POND CLUB 1312 Tanglewood Dr. North Tonawanda, NY 14120

TO:			

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 <a href="https://www.nfkpc.org">www.nfkpc.org</a>

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

May 20th—Hahn's Pond festival

June 3/4 — Bonsai show at the Buffalo Botanical Gardens

June 9 — Mega auction

June 17/18 — Koi Show (See Ray Lucas to share ideas & if you're willing to help)

July 8 — Pond Tour in North Towns

Aug — Erie County Fair Pond

September — Reinstein Fall Festival