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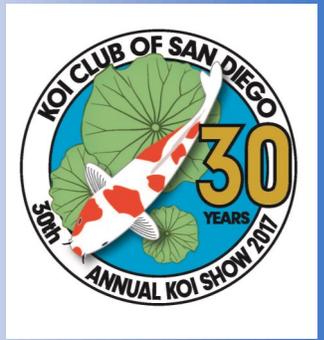
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Sunday October 8th, 2017

Kelly & James Van Jen

1757 Bitter Sweet Hill

Vista, 92084

**Speaker: Jeff Fleischer
DIY Shower Tower**

Gathering time: 12:30 / Meeting start time: 1:30 pm

Pot Luck and Please bring your chair



Kelly & Jason

Photo by
Bill Newell

1757 Bitter Sweet Hill, Vista 92084 (Phone – 760-631-4764) -- Directions: From I-5 or Rt. 15 – take Rt. 78 to Sycamore exit. Turn North to the end. Turn left on Santa Fe Avenue and then right on York. Stay on York and at the fork stay to your right. Turn right on Bitter Sweet Hill to the end. There is some limited parking in their driveway (James' son will be there to guide you) but you can also park in the vacant lot across from Bonnie's house (York View Circle) and walk up to Bitter Sweet Hill.

CALENDAR of EVENTS

Committee Meetings

Steering Committee
October 4th, 2017
Time: 7:00 pm
Place: Sizzler @
I-15 and Aero Drive
Become more involved.
Attend a meeting !

**MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO ALL
ACTIVE MEMBERS.**

Show Committee Meeting

Wednesday
October 18th, 2017
at 6:00 pm
Dr. Bobs Office in Hillcrest
920 Washington St.,
San Diego.
Please R.S.V.P. if attending

Steering Committee
November 1st, 2017
Time: 7:00 pm
Place: Sizzler @
I-15 and Aero Drive
Become more involved.
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Welcome Back Renewing Members

Kurt Bilinski & Kim Nguyen
Dianna & Skip Farnsworth
Sam & Terri Seat
Bill & Lori Thompson
Clark & Kay Corbin

Welcome NEW Members

Michael & Randi Przewoznik
Mike & Pam Brito
Ben & Cheryl Adams
Jim Dorsey

General Meetings

October 8, 2017
Kelly & James Van Jen
1757 Bittersweet Hill
Vista, 92084
Speaker: Jeff Fleischer
DIY Shower Tower
Social Time— 12:30 pm
Meeting Starts—1:30 pm

Pot Luck and Please
Bring Your Chair

November 12, 2017
Vince & Donna Hernandez
13377 Via Mark
Poway, CA 92064
Speaker: Buck Buckles
Building a Koi Pond
Social Time— 12:30 pm
Meeting Starts—1:30 pm

Pot Luck and Please
Bring Your Chair

December 10, 2017
Bonnie McIlvaine
1610 York Drive
Vista, CA 92084
Holiday Meeting
Gift exchange
Social Time— 12:30 pm
Meeting Starts—1:30 pm

Pot Luck and Please
Bring Your Chair

**NEW WEBSITE IS UP AND
RUNNING**
[http://
www.koiclubofsandiego.org/](http://www.koiclubofsandiego.org/)

Upcoming Events 2017

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The Original KCS D Koi Club
Facebook page is up and
running. Just enter
Koi Club of San Diego
in the friend search at the top of
your Facebook page to friend it.

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Koi Person of The Year 2017– Dr. Robert Adler DDS

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Norm Meck Matt Rhoades John Svelan Bill Thompson Tamsie Pierce

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The President's Corner

October 2017

Scotty Yee

Amazing, Amazing, Amazing! When you look out the windows of our September meeting home, I'm sure Amazing is one of the words you used to describe the View. Thank you Augusto & Colleen Angelucci for opening your home up to our members. "Amazing"...Our Guest speaker for the meeting was Michael Hernandez of Tomigai accompanied by his lovely wife Gleci. They are part of the International Koi World and we were lucky to have them speak at our meeting. We were also treated to a "mini" Koi Auction. Gerald Ellison was gracious enough to have some of his prize koi auctioned off to our lucky attendees.

As for our Annual Koi Auction held in Escondido, I would like to thank all involved for putting the event on. It takes numerous volunteer hours to put on this type of event. BIG shout out to everyone who continues to help out. I hope you purchased a Koi at a great price or you got to thin out your crowded pond.

We also had our annual Japanese Friendship Garden Filter cleaning. If you haven't had a chance to visit the Garden, it has a World Class Koi pond that is maintained by a few dedicated Club Members. A few members that need special acknowledgment are our very own Jack Chapman, Greg Ruth and Linda Pluth. Thanks for all you do!

Have you noticed the weather is changing? Please make sure you read Koi Jack's articles regarding Koi Care. As for "learning" here is a bit of advice I gave the members in an article that I wrote last year.

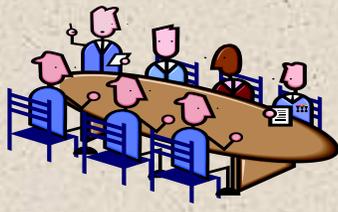
"Have you ever heard the words "Koi Kichi"?" If you have a Koi pond or just love Koi, you might be a Koi Kichi. Koi Kichi basically means KOI CRAZY. Yes, I am Koi Kichi but not a Koi expert. It takes many years of studying the Art of Koi, and many trials and tribulations to develop how to best keep Koi. Even after many years of studying how to raise and how to purchase koi, I will never probably be satisfied that I have this koi passion fully figured out. That is why we have Club meetings, Koi Shows, Steering Committees, Auctions, and once in a while a Koi Seminar (I heard our club might host a seminar in the future). Another good place to do your "Homework" is the Internet. There are so many articles, forums, newsletters that you can find if you have a Koi related question".

Remember we have a Club Facebook page, [Koi Club of San Diego](#). Phyllis Spoor has at least 60 pics of our past September meeting, JFG Cleaning and Koi Auction posted on our page. I encourage you to "like" our page and continue to support our Club

"No Bad Days"
Scotty Yee
President Koi Club of San Diego



**The Koi Club of San Diego presented
the
Friendship Award
to this Ochiba Shigure
Owners: Ron & Malise Unruh
Central California Koi Society
Annual Koi Show**



Notes from the Board

September 2017

Phyllis Spoor

Fun Filled Koiing



MONTHLY MEETINGS: The September 6th meeting will be at Augusto & Colleen Angelucci's in Point Loma.

Michael Hernandez/or Mikki Swanson-- Koi nutrition and Tomigai product line. Gerald Ellison will bring Koi for auction and one for drawing. Auction proceeds will be shared by the Club.

AUCTION: An auction has been approved for Sept 30th with Al and Tamsie as the lead people. The auction will be held at David Curtright's Freshwater Flora and Fauna in Escondido. Still need somebody to fill and bring oxygen tanks and to do Water Quality. Buck will deliver all equipment from storage September 11th. Wednesday, September 13th set up of the framework for the covering. Rest of set up Friday September 29th and John will deliver 10 hard tanks. Classic will deliver by 9am. Greg Ruth will bring membership forms to the auction.

MEMBERSHIP : Greg Ruth: Active - 115 Families – New?- – Renewals ?- - Delinquents – ? – Inactive- .Getting more renewals and new members since renewal payment on online website and by square credit card. Membership renewals are set up on the web so they are paid by credit card and transaction \$'s go directly to the bank account and treasurer.

MEETING/HOSTING OPPORTUNITIES: If you would like to host a meeting please contact Linda Pluth at: venue@koicsd.org. Linda needs a venue for February.

SPEAKING OPPORUNITIES: Suggestions for speakers or topics please contact Jack Chapman at program@koicsd.org. There is a lot to learn about koi keeping and we need to hear what you would like to learn about and/or who you would like to speak/present or can provide the expertise that you need to make your koi experience better! Contact Jack and let him know what you want!! Jack has speakers scheduled thru February 2018 with the show in March and the Grow Out contest in June. Jack is looking for a speaker for April 2018.

TREASURER: For any questions regarding the treasury, contact treasurer@koicsd.org.

VP VENUE: Linda Pluth reported she needs venues for February 2018 and April going forward.

JFG REPORT BY OUR GARDEN LIAISON Linda Pluth: Linda reported that the fall bio filter cleaning at the JFG Koi Pond will take place 9/16 at 8am. Jack reported Buck Buckles will be available with his pipe threading device to assist with some pipe cutting that needs repair.

KOI SHOW 2018 PLANNING-DR. BOB ADLER: The next show meeting is 10/18 from 6pm to 8pm at Dr. Bob Adler's business. The following meetings will be at Dr. Bob Adler's: 12/13, 1/24, and 2/18. A new intern show chairman has to be appointed to follow in Bob's footsteps and be ready to take over the reins of the 2019 show.

Show up and become involved. It's more fun to be an active participant.
Show Committee Meeting – Wednesday OCTOBER 18, 6:00 pm

Dr. Bob's office in Hillcrest
920 Washington St.
San Diego
Please RSVP if attending
KCSD 2018 KOI SHOW MEETINGS BEGIN

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Notes from the Board continued

Everybody is welcome. Come be a part of the exciting process of putting next year's show together. Please RSVP to Bob if attending (show@koicsd.org).

A new intern show chairman has to be appointed to follow in Bob's footsteps and be ready to take over the reins of the 2019 show. Michael Hernandez has volunteered to get wood carvings from his friend in the Philippines for the Grand Champion and Grand Champion B trophies. He will donate them. If over \$400 he will get 1 free banquet ticket. Per club's approval John Svelan will invite a Czech Republic koi enthusiast to attend our show as a VIP Guest. John will host him at his house at no expense to the club. The VIP will be included in show activities and hosted at the banquet.

SHOW COMPUTER PROGRAM UPDATE: We will use our new Ruth Program and not invite the Flowers back. 9/24 there will be a meeting at the Pierces to look at the program's output to make sure it meets all of our needs.

SOCIAL MEDIA-FACEBOOK-TWITTER-YOUTUBE-INSTAGRAM:

The Original KCSD Koi Club Facebook page is up and running. Just enter Koi Club of San Diego in the friend search at the top of your Facebook page to friend it. Getting more hits on the page.

NEWSLETTER: Jerry absent. Newsletter items need to be to Linda by the 10th. Jerry would like somebody else to take over the newsletter. Vagabond Koi Rescue/Rehoming has become a full time job and he has limited time to devote to the newsletter.

WEBMASTER: Gerald was absent: Asked to bring information including pictures from the old web site to the new one so Koi Officers and Members can access them including past koi shows and educational articles by Norm Meck.

PUBLICITY: Mike will work on getting publicity out on the upcoming Auction. He will be talking to a North County editor that publishes a column about North County happenings to see if he will post something about our upcoming Auction.

SHOW T-SHIRT PIN CONTEST: Greg Ruth will discuss minor changes to the pin design with Jamie.

THE PHOTO CONTEST: will be conducted at the November meeting. The winning photo may be used for the cover of the 2018 show booklet.

AKCA: Scotty emailed the minutes to club members. Brenda and Don Chandler are working on the 2018 AKCA Wet Lab and Business Meeting with Tamsie. The 2018 annual meeting will be held in San Diego June 23rd at the Four Points by Sheraton 8110 Aero Drive.

Linda Pluth will work with setting up a JFG tour for them on June 24th. Tamsie will investigate the need/possibility of setting up another tour for Saturday morning.

KHA: Jack reported there were lots of green algae in ponds due to hot weather. Koi not eating. If pond temp is over 85 degrees one should not feed.





KHA KORNER
by
“KOI” Jack Chapman
Growth/Color Decisions

KHA Korner: Growth/Color Decisions

As a pond owner and koi hobbyist you have some growth and color decisions to consider. The general knowledge towards these decisions comes from time and experience as a hobbyist and more importantly some self-education and/or exposure to the principles in play on the subject of growth/color. What do you want your koi to do within the confines of your pond system? I'm going to have to stay with generalities as I introduce you to some points for consideration and while all this stuff has been seen in print or video not all agree with some of the finer points – that's my disclaimer LOL but I believe in what I'm about to pass along in this article.

In the beginning most backyard koi hobbyists want pretty and healthy koi that get bigger with time and are friendly and that can be your continuing goal even after reading this article.

Then all sorts of things start to happen over time and for this subject they may include things like: my koi don't look as nice as they use to; the loss of color; gotten a lot darker; the white is changing (usually not as nice); have a lot of new little spots (mostly black); not grown much; gotten too big for my pond; are skinny or even fat – so what am I doing wrong?

Well we need to become a little more familiar in three areas - while asking yourself what do you want your koi to do? They are the individual koi purchase, your pond and water quality and finally nutrition and feeding schedule.

The koi is a very important part of the puzzle. The more you know the more you can expect certain results. Pick a number say \$10/\$100/\$1000 but on your low end you may not need a host of info to get what you want/expect from the koi. However, with more expensive koi, especially if thinking a show koi - well you need to know a lot more in my opinion – breeder, bloodline, past results of offspring that are now older, etc. This is considered the genetic profile. Folks, there are books covering just this subject and make for some interesting reading. So we now have for your consideration - What are the wants/expectations in visible terms for a successful Return on Investment. (ROI)? Yes, how long do you want/expect to keep your koi, how big do you want/expect it to get, when do you want or expect it to look its best/what do you want to do with the koi once your ROI has been accomplished???? So you say you have never considered these things – well now may be the time to give it some consideration and what are the things you can do to assist your now established ROI as we move on to the next two important areas.

Water quality is a major area and is not without its direct effects on both growth and color in meeting your expectations established at time of koi purchase. In general soft water is advantageous to the development of red color and lengthens the time for complete color development, while hard water is said to advance black color and be to some degree responsible for small black spots (shimi) on your koi and generally reduce the time for finished color development. Koi suffering from stress from a host of water quality issues to include long term low level issues are said to suffer both in growth and color. Studies of higher levels of Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) resulting in increased water hardness have demonstrated to reduce growth potential as has oxygen below saturation levels. Japanese koi breeders have expressed that higher oxygen levels increases koi activity leading to increased food requirements and associated increased growth. Higher Oxidation Reduction Potential (ORP) readings are thought to be too oxidative and present a (possible) negative effect on koi color pigment cells. I often refer to ORP as your pond's pollution index. Finally, studies from the UK have reported higher koi grow rates in soft water conditions. So water conditions should be taken into consideration and maybe modify some of your answers or even koi purchases to the questions presented earlier. Bringing all 3 colors of a show quality Showa to up and finished at the same time should not be left to chance.

KHA KORNER
by
"KOI" Jack Chapman
Growth/Color Decisions
continued

So that leaves us with nutrition and associated feeding schedules, for which there are again books on just this subject, but in general how you have answered the earlier questions should assist you with your feeding plan. Nutrition is obviously directly related to both growth and color but it has been said that when a koi is getting pounded with growth feed components it cannot keep up with color at the same time and that color has to catch up later and sometimes falls short of goal. Your koi goals are of significant importance especially your answer to when you want your koi during their life span to be their best and what you initially purchased. Males are said to finish sooner than females and if your koi purchases are already farther along with color development (very common) then they are going to finish sooner and they may need to be moved along to our club annual auction after just 4 to 6 years. It's been said many a time that no baby champion has ever been a later grand champion. But you decide when your ROI has been accomplished and time to move a koi along. A lot of backyard koi ponds are not large ponds and while koi will still under the right conditions grow large in small ponds it may be desirable to keep growth below the koi's potential and nutrition is a way to do this to some degree. Yes, you need to establish in spring a good estimate of pond total koi mass (weight) and for okay survival feed 1% of total weight; for limited growth and maintain color feed 2% of total weight and for maximum growth and color 3% of total weight as a daily feed requirement. I don't want to complicate this but the aforementioned feeding schedule is for adult koi (say 4/5 years old) and for young koi you double the percentages. When the daily feed amount is divided into several feedings per day growth rates are said to improve. Unfortunately, when you have koi of all sizes in your pond the little ones may not get their fair share of the feed as the big koi quickly scoop up surface food. I think I've observed less of a problem with this when I do my twice a day sinking food feedings. Growth note: when your 9 to 11 inch one year old koi grows to 16 or 18 inches in one summer you have not had an outstanding growth year, but only average at best as koi's largest growth rates are realized in the first 3 to 4 years of life.

So with a koi ROI plan coupled with an ongoing increased attention to koi knowledge, water quality and nutrition your level of hobby satisfaction will be increased and hopefully keep you involved in the hobby, while sharing your gained knowledge with fellow club members.

While growth and color are an impossible subject to cover in this basic introductory article, I hope I've tweaked your interest to further explore the subjects and give some consideration to the info as it affects your next beautiful koi purchase and that it exceeds your established ROI.

r/koi jack

Here is a link to Dr Johnsons article on using salt.

http://www.koicrisis.com/medications/article_salt.html#.WaQtUj6GOU1



JAPANESE FRIENDSHIP GARDEN BIO-FILTER CLEANING

A big “Thank You” to everyone who ventured out early Saturday morning September 16th to help us take apart and clean the bio-filter. We clean one side of the bio each September as well as replace the UV lights. We were looking forward to Scotty’s donuts but had a roadblock to get to them: a Charity Walk which closed President’s Way and part of Park Blvd. We all managed to get around it one way or another and finally met up at the Garden. Then the next stumbling block was that the bio-filter wouldn’t drain. Since we clean out each side of the bio every other year, it had been two years since we drained it. So we drained the pre-filter and when the water level got down to where the 4” pipes are in the bio, the bio started to drain. Yea!!! A big “thank you” to Jack Chapman who replaced the UV lights and a special “thank you” to Buck Buckles who came early the previous Monday morning with his drill to replace and fix a crack in one of the pipes to the UV lights. But a huge, enormous “THANK YOU” to Matt Rhoades who was in the bio chamber the entire time to lift out the eight pieces of heavy foam and bail out as much water as possible that wouldn’t drain. Needless to say he was covered in pond scum when he exited. Thanks again to Scotty Yee, Tamsie Pierce, Al Pierce, Jack Chapman, Linda Pluth, Ben Adams, Scott Garner, Judy Garner and Matt Rhoades for another successful cleaning. I hope we see more new faces next year!!



The “GANG”



Matt *in the hole* Rhoades



Trying to un-plugging the filter

Photos by Scotty Yee

JFG filter stomp continued



Still trying to unplug it!



Finally in Process



“BE GONE OH EVIL GUNK”



Scott & Judy Garner



Ben Adams



The fish

Thank you
Scotty Yee
for the
photos



DONUTS!!!

Koi Club of San Diego Ponder Profile

KoiLand

James, Kelly, Jason & Jesse Van Jen

Vista, California

KoiLand is the perfect name for the home of the Van Jen Family on Bittersweet Hill in Vista. Almost 25 years ago newlyweds James and Kelly Van Jen purchased the hilltop property with the vision of creating a koi paradise and turning it into a business. On a recent visit, photographer Bill Newell and myself discovered that they had surely succeeded. James is a successful pond contractor who also has a medical background so he does not hesitate to pull out the microscope when needed to diagnose koi health issues. Kelly stays quite busy keeping the books and running the retail side of KoiLand that features Hai Feng food, pond equipment, beautiful water plants and of course quality Japanese koi that they sell at very reasonable prices. (By Appointment Only) and please visit their website: <http://www.koilandinc.com/>

Over the years, KoiLand has evolved into a koi paradise and features several beautiful ponds with connecting streams, bridges and waterfalls that are home to more than 1,000 beautiful Japanese koi. The fish have lots of room to swim in the 45,000 gallon crystal clear environment that son Jason personally maintains when he's not helping his dad James with various pond building projects around San Diego county.

KoiLand is a family run business with James and Jason running the pond building that features polyurea bullet proof pond lining. As polyurea is becoming more and more popular, they have had to hire additional manpower just to keep up. In addition to pond building and retail, KoiLand services around 85 koi ponds around San Diego. When I asked Jason what he would like to be doing in 10 years he said... "building quality ponds for clients, supplying them with awesome fish and maintaining their ponds." KoiLand is One Stop Shopping for all this and more!

Kelly & son Jason / Photo by Bill Newell

James and Kelly have been members of the Koi Club of San Diego for many years and are avid supporters of our annual Koi Show where you can find them each year in the same location where they usually have a crowd peering at the fish in the window!

Thank you so much for sharing your home and your Ponder Profile!

John Svelan Member At Large Koi Club of San Diego



Photo by
Bill Newell

KoiLand
James, Kelly, Jason & Jesse Van Jen



Jason
Photo by
Bill Newell



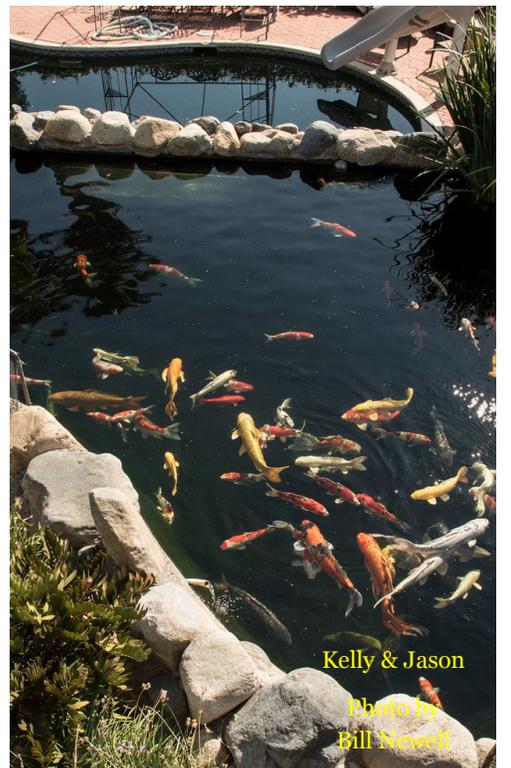
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The Central California held their annual Koi Show in Fresno September 23-25th.

Jefferey Duncan, Gerald Ellison and Scotty Yee aka The San Diego Koi Boyz traveled up North to participate in the show. They met up with other Koi Club of San Diego members Don Chandler, Mitch and Connie Lentz. We all had a great time. Our club members brought back a large haul of trophies. Congrats to all.

Reserve Grand Champion-Scotty Yee

Grand Champion B-Don Chandler

Mature Champion- Scotty Yee

Adult Champion-Mitch and Connie Lentz

Young Champion-Gerald Ellison

Next show is in October, Bakersfield Ca. We hope to see some more of our KCSD members at that show. We know Matt Rhoades will be showing....How about you Dr Bob?



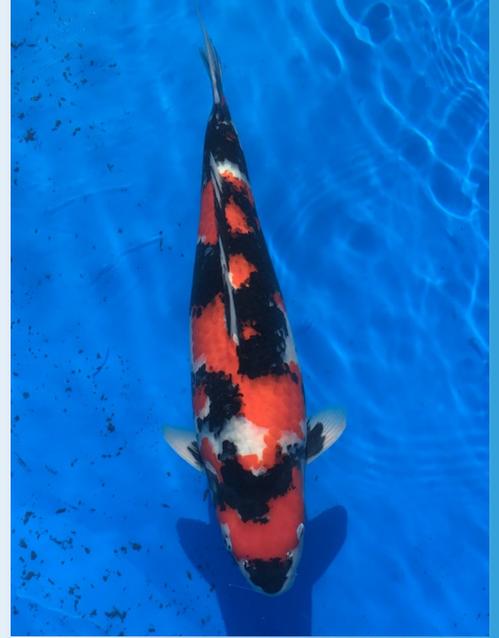
Gerald Ellison
Young Champion



Scotty Yee
Reserve Grand Champion



Scotty Yee
Best in size 6



Scotty Yee
Shiro Utsuri
Best Mature



DA BOYZ



Friends of Koi Auction 2017

Koi Club of San Diego



**Photos by
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A BIG THANK
YOU
to all
the
Volunteers.
Sellers
&
Buyers



Norms Walsh Passing



Norman LeRoy Walsh

Born: July 23, 1963

Died: September 19, 2017

Norman LeRoy Walsh, 54, of Santa Rosa CA, passed away on September 19, 2017, after a courageous twenty month battle with brain cancer.

Norman was born in Milton, FL July 23, 1963 to parents Earl and Sandra Walsh. He attended Coventry Elem. and Lundahl JH schools in Crystal Lake, IL and was involved in Little League and Cub Scouts. Norman graduated from Petaluma High school in CA in 1981 and studied marketing at SR Junior College. Norman was married to Rachelle Kathleen Reyes on September 21, 2002. Norman was self employed, as a general contractor (NLW Builders) for 30 years. He discovered a passion for koi and founded Bridgeway Koi in 2006. Norman enjoyed motorcycles, racing go karts, and stock cars.

Norman is survived by his wife, Rachelle; step-daughter, Karli Haws; mother, Sandra Hathcock of Crystal Lake IL; father and step-mother, Earl and Kathy Walsh of Ft. Myers, FL; siblings, Diana Walsh, Tamara Hathcock; sister-in-law, Robyn Bartholomew; nieces, Krista, Kaitlin, Karlee, Kendall Sprowl, Taylor(Chi) Reyes Sihapanya, Aunna Reyes; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

The help and support of Norman's many friends provided a great deal of comfort during his final months and days.

A celebration of Norman's life will be held on October 14, 2017 from 2:00 to 6:00pm at the Santa Rosa Odd Fellows Hall, 545 Pacific Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95404.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be given to the National Brain Tumor Society at National Brain Tumor Society, Attn: In Memory Of Norman Walsh, 55 Chapel Street, Suite 200, Newton, MA 02458 or by donating to Team Norman at events.braintumor.org.

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Diane Tunnell

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THE PHOTO CONTEST: will be conducted at the November meeting. The winning photo may or may not be used for the cover of the 2018 show booklet.

Guidelines for the Photo Contest

Photo Contest 2018- The winning Photo is considered for the cover of our 2018 Koi Show program.

Each entrant is allowed up to 5 photos. They should be emailed to Jerry at info@koicsd.org. The winning photo will be voted on at the November General Meeting. If you cannot email, bring your photo on an 8 X 10 photo paper early to the November meeting. Technical requirements are listed on our website.

In addition to the two contests, we would also like to solicit your Artistic talents by submitting Koi artwork that could possibly be the Design of the front of our 2018 Koi Show T-shirt. Last year we had three designs that the Koi Show Committee chose and we hope that we can do the same thing for this year's Show T-shirt. If you have a design you would like to submit, please get in touch with Dr. Bob Adler, the 2018 Koi Show Chairman.



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