



NEWSLETTER SAKKS KZN April 2020



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Dear Members

I'm sure you will all know by now that the KZN Koi Show 2020 which was to be held in August has been cancelled. All Koi Shows in South Africa have also been cancelled for this year. However, we do have some exciting news in that we will be holding a 'Virtual Koi Show'- details of which are enclosed in this Newsletter and which will also be sent to all members.

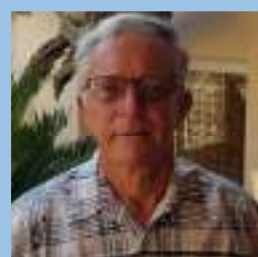
In light of the Lockdown we are unable to hold any Pond Safaris, so we would like to invite Members to Photograph their ponds and email the photos to Les Ferreira with a short 'write up' about their Koi Pond and we will feature those in the next Newsletter/s.

Wishing all our members and their families safety in these challenging times.

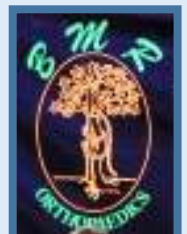
With recent news that the Lockdown has been extended to the end of April we hope that it will not have too much of a bad affect on us all.

Regards,

Gerard



Gerrard Loumeau
Chairman



Virtual Koi Show 2020

The KwaZulu Natal Chapter Koi Competition 2020

With our KwaZulu Natal Koi Show 2020 which was scheduled for 1-2 August 2020 having been cancelled the Chapter is organizing a “virtual” show in its place. This is in essence a show where members can take a photograph of each koi they wish to enter on the show, measure it, put their name, koi size in cm’s, and variety on the back of the photograph and drop off their photographs at various drop off points in KwaZulu Natal. These photographs will then be brought to a central place where they will be filed according to the sizes and show classifications established for this competition. The ZNA Judges based in KZN, along with the KZN based trainees, will judge these koi (as in the photographs) and first select a Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion. Thereafter they will award the places (1st, 2nd and 3rd) in each Size and Show Class. Nominations for Supreme Champions for each Size will be made and from these a Supreme Champion for each size will be selected. Finally a Baby Champion, Junior Champion, Mature Champion, Superior Champion, Jumbo A and Jumbo B will be selected as well as the Best Non Gosanke overall. So just like at our normal show – but based upon the photographs submitted.

Below are the Sizes and Show Classes that will apply to this virtual show:

Show Classes:

KOHAKU

SANKE

SHOWA

UTSURIMONO

TANCHO (including Kinginrin Tancho, Tancho Goshiki)

KOROMO

GOSHIKI

KINGINRIN A (Kinginrin Kohaku, Sanke, Showa and Shiro Utsuri)

KINGINRIN B (All remaining Kinginrin varieties not judged in another variety).

SHUSUI AND ASAGI (including Asagi with Kado Ginrin)

BEKKO

HIKARI MUJIMONO (including Kinginrin Hikarimujimono, Gin Matsuba, Kin Matsuba)

HIKARI MOYOMONO (excluding non- stabilised varieties included in Kawarimoyo)

HIKARI UTSURIMONO

KAWARIMUJI (including **Goi** : Chagoi, Karashigo, Kigo, Benigo, Karasugoi, Sora-goi, Midorigoi, Magoi, Shiromuji, Akamuji AND all **Matsuba**: Aka Matsuba, Ki Matsuba, Orenji Matsuba, Shiro Matsuba AND all **Doitsu** of these AND all **Kinginrin** of these)

KAWARIMOYO (including **Karasu-goi**: Hajiro, HageShiro, YotsuJiro, Matsukawabake/ Ginga, Ayawakabe, Beni / Kumonryu, SumiNagashi, Kikokuryu, Beni Kikokuryu AND **Kage Utsuri**: Shiro Kage Utsuri, Hi Kage Utsuri, Ki Kage Utsuri, Kage Showa AND **Kanoko**: Kanoko Kohaku, Kanoko Sanke, Kanoko Showa, Kanoko Asagi, etc AND **Ochiba**: Ochiba Shigure, Koyo, Kogane Ochiba-Shigure AND **Shusui Hybrids**: Sanke - Shusui, Showa - Shusui, Goshiki – Shusui AND other **Non-metallic** or **Metallic** two or more coloured patterned koi that do not fit into any other show classification AND **Doitsu** of these.

DOITSU GOSANKE (including Doitsu Shiro Utsuri)

SPECIAL VARIETY- YAMABUKI OGON.



Show Sizes:

Size 1	20 Bu	10 cm to under 20 cm
Size 2	30 Bu	20 cm to under 30 cm
Size 3	37 Bu	30 cm to under 37 cm
Size 4	45 Bu	37 cm to under 45 cm
Size 5	52 Bu	45 cm to under 52 cm
Size 6	60 Bu	52 cm to under 60 cm
Size 7	67 Bu	60 cm to under 67 cm
Size 8	75 Bu	67 cm to under 75 cm
Size 9	Over 75 Bu	75 cm and over

So as you will see from the above we are following exactly what we normally have for our shows, save for the awards for Best Potential Sizes 1-5.

THE RULES

1. Only paid up members of the SAKKS KwaZulu Natal Chapter may enter this competition.
2. Members must submit a clear, high quality photograph, which must not have been enhanced using any form of photo editing other than cropping which has been taken not more than two months prior to submission. Each photograph must be normal Jumbo print size (this is approximately 4x 6 inches or 102 X 152 mm) either gloss or matt finish on proper photo print paper – not normal everyday paper please. We recommend that all koi are photographed in a blue bowl.
3. An entrant may not enter more than 3 koi in the same size and show class.
4. The name of each member must be clearly printed on the back of each photograph, and below that clearly write the exact size of that koi in cm as measured at the time the photo is taken. Then below that size write the Show Class that koi is entered in. (This will be checked by the judges and re-benched as they may determine when viewing the photograph).
5. Once you have all the photographs ready as required above, place them in an envelope marked “KWAZULU NATAL CHAPTER KOI COMPETITION”, and deliver the envelope to one of the following drop off points – **BUT ONLY ONCE LOCKDOWN IS OVER**. Also, please call before dropping off to ensure someone is at the address: (See next page)



Drop off and Closing Date

DURBAN AREA:

Alan and Les Ferreira - 7 Monteith Place, Durban North. 0836816606 and 0828870222

Koi @ Jungle – 829 King Cetshwayo Highway, Sherwood, Durban. (Currently whilst Lock-down is in place, only open on weekdays between 9.00 am and 1 pm. Tel: 0312098781)

UPPER HIGHWAY AREA

Hillcrest Pets and Aquarium – Shop 11, Junction on Inanda, 9 Inanda Road, Hillcrest, Tel: 0317652464. (Currently whilst Lockdown is in place, only open between 9.00 am and 11.00 am).

PIETERMARITZBURG AREA

Dean Britz – BBFS, Block D, Hilltops Office Park, 73 Villiers Drive, Clarendon, Pietermaritzburg
Tel. :Work -:0333454804 Cell:0832422765:Deliver between 7.30am to 4pm

Chris Jankovich– 27 Flamingo drive, Hilton 0824573824

NORTH COAST AREA

Mike Harvey – 27 Hilary Drive, Ballito. Tel 0824493280

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES

All Completed Entries must be dropped off at one of the drop off points by no later than 18h00 on Tuesday 30 June 2020. NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCPETED.

Judging of the entries will be arranged amongst the judges during July 2020 and results will be announced via email once judging has been completed. Please write your email address on the envelope containing your photographs so that you receive these results.

ENTRY FEES

There is no charge for entry save that entrants must be paid up members of SAKKS Kwa-Zulu Natal Chapter.



Pond Safari, Saturday 29 February 2020

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Held at the home of Karl Engelbrecht

Karl's home is in Summerfeld and he held an open day in which members of the Koi Society as well as members of the public where invited to view and have the opportunity to purchase some of the 800 Koi that he has. Here are a few photos of the impressive set up that Karl has



Karl's Pond continued



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Koi Society members discussing the Koi



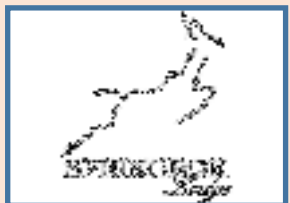
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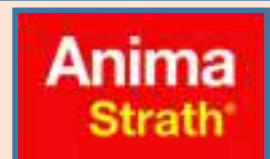
Koi Society members browsing around the many ponds.



The Dealers, Sponsors & individual members that were involved in making the 2019 Koi Show a huge success!



Abraham Wiggill
 Absolute Asphalt
 Alan Nementzik
 Aqua Master SA
 Bev Letard
 Britannia Hotel
 Bruce White
 Clint Chen
 Dean Britz
 For the love of Fish
 Harry Beckx
 House of Kata
 KN Freight & Transport
 Koi and Pond Services
 Krian Pillay
 Larry Hubbard
 LDN Concrete
 Lions Durban North
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 New Horizons
 Queensburgh Animal Clinic
 Rocky's Armature Winders
 Roy Pillay Insurance
 SAKKS Eastern Cape Chapter
 Shogun - Chris Neaves
 SMG Ballito
 South East Koi Club
 Toen Feyen
 Transport.com
 Ultra Zap



Don't forget to send any photos of your Koi Ponds to me if you would like for them to feature in our next Newsletter, we would love to see them! Thanks, Les



If anyone has any suggestions regarding articles or information that they would like to see appear in the Newsletter, please email Les Ferreira and we will look into it. Any Questions with regards to Koi related issues that we can try our best to answer too!

Don't forget to look out for our Koi KZN Chapter page on FaceBook

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