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Ponds RX OK Newsletter "Your Pond's Best Friend"

This is your April-May Newsletter, to help you understand and enjoy your pond!!!!

NOTICE!!!

- **Pond service** ramps up April 1st. All ponds will be serviced by April 15th.
- Invoices will be out at the 1st of each month, please try to send payment by the 15th.

Thank you for your business, as always please contact me at anytime with any thoughts, needs, questions and concerns.

What role does pond dye play in managing a pond?

Good question! The answer is a fairly simple one. The pond dye darkens the water. With darker water, it is believed that the sunlight can't penetrate the water as well. With the reduced sunlight, plant and algae growth should be

Greetings!

You are receiving this newsletter because you have Ponds Rx for pond and lake management services or there has been contact about your body of water!-Thank you!

SeMaps... New Service Reports plus much more!

Ponds RX is proud to announce a purchase that we are excited to inform you about.

SeMaps. SeMaps is a computer program that we will be using to get and provide even more information to you

decreased. But, pond dye is not always the "silver bullet".

Some people love the color. They add the product to get a pretty blue pond or lake.

Pond dyes should be used about every 30-60 days depending on how dark you like your water and how much dilution you have received from rainfalls.

Fish and other facts that won't amaze you

Every single fish is cold-blooded.

Sharks are the only fish capable of blinking both eyes.

A lungfish can enter a state of suspended animation for three years. You could put it in the garage for 2 years, and it would survive.

All fish hatch from eggs.

A particular fish in Florida, the Gurnard, makes grunting noises before thunderstorms and is absolutely accurate. Nobody understands the process.

All fish secrete fluids onto their skins that make it easier to move through water.

Some people think fish are a higher intelligence...

These people are not much smarter than a fish

about your pond.

- 1. We will be able to e-mail you Service Reports right from the ponds.
- 2. Better tools to get measure water surface shorelines.
- 3. The ability to measure the underwater depth and contour of ponds,

and much more..

The program is close to being completed and I hope to be able to being using it by May.

For now look for an excel sheet a bit different from the past for your service reports but look for updates on the new program!



Ponds RX to add staff!

Chris Turner has been hired to service the Northeast part of the state. He has been certified and will spending the 1st weeks of April with me on the ponds to learn the quirks and layout of each one. Chris knowledge and work ethic are outstanding and he is excited to be a part of the team.

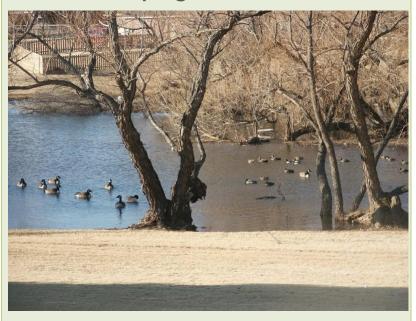


Everybody gets lucky. I pulled this 4.6 pound bass out from right behind my house on March 18th. This fish which was about 4 inches long when I put it in the pond about 3 years ago.



Chris and I getting "PondsRX 2" ready for the 2011 season.

Helping your pond help itself, by keeping a distance.



If you fertilize your yard around your pond or lake, it is a good idea to stay back a good distance from the edge of the pond. If possible, stay 15-20 feet from the water. The nutrient from the fertilizer will cause growth in the pond, just like it does in your yard. By keeping a distance, the grass will act like a buffer and absorb the majority of this material before it makes it into the water.

An improper balance of aquatic vegetation interferes with man's ability to appreciate and enjoy water, as well as nature's ability to support a diversity of wetland habitats. Exotic aquatic weeds are biologically polluting our valuable wetlands. These invasive plants also interfere wildlife nesting, fish populations, and property values. **PondsRX** provides an answer to these problems!!

John Turner Ponds RX OK

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- *Earn \$100 cash for any referral that signs an agreement!
- *It's that easy, all you need to do it get them in touch with me or I will get in touch with them and you will receive a \$100 when a agreement is signed.
- *Just a little "thank you" for your business with PONDS Rx.