

19th Annual Golden Empire Koi Show

“The Biggest Little Koi Show in the West!”

Held in conjunction with the
Fall Harvest Home and Garden Show
Kern County Fairgrounds
1142 P Street, Bakersfield, CA

October 19th, 20th and 21st, 2018

Each year we are continuing to improve our show for both the koi hobbyist and the public. Please join us for the Biggest Little Koi Show in the West!

We would like to welcome anyone who is interested in being a vendor at our show. Included in the following pages is information that will be helpful to you and an application to fill out and return to us by **September 15th, 2018** or sooner if possible in order for us to make tank and dry booth assignment more easily. If you would like your business card (no extra charge) in our show book, the application and business card must be returned by **October 1st, 2018**. The Bakersfield Fall Harvest Home and Garden Show boasts gate numbers of 15,000+ over the two and a half day event. This is one Koi Show where you will get your money's worth for a booth.

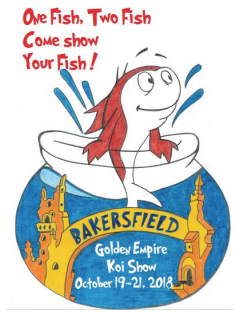
If you need more information please contact BKWGS Golden Empire Koi Show Vendor Coordinator Malise Unruh at (661) 378-6137 or president@bkwgs.com. Be sure to check our website at www.bkwgs.com. Set up will take place on Friday October 20th 8:00 am to 12:00 pm. In order to comply with the Home Show rules there will be NO VENDOR TEARDOWN UNTILL SUNDAY AT 5 PM.

Included in this vendor packet is the application, waiver of liability information and trophy sponsorship. Our club likes to offer the trophy sponsorship to our vendors and if you are interested please indicate which award you would like to sponsor. We would love for you to present it at our awards banquet. We also accept donations for our raffle which takes place at the banquet.

To reserve a vendor space or for more information please call Vendor Chairman:

Malise Unruh at (661) 378-6137
Or email
president@bkwgs.com

[Website](http://www.bkwgs.com)
www.bkwgs.com



Meals

Friday October 19th, 2018

7:30 pm, Judges' Welcome Dinner: Join us for a memorable Basque dinner and evening of food and friendship. This is a no host event and usually runs \$25 per person for dinner/tax/tip. Our club hosts the Show Judges and Special guests. If you are interested in attending this dinner please mark the box on the entry form. We require a head count for the reservation.

Saturday October 20th, 2018

12:00 noon, Koi Show Exhibitor's lunch: Each year our club holds a lunch for the judges, people exhibiting koi, the vendors in the koi show, and the Koi show staff. The lunch is held at the show site. Each vendor will receive one or two tickets for this lunch free of charge.

7:30 pm, Annual Awards Banquet:

Hotel Rosedale
2400 Camino Del Rio Court
Bakersfield, CA 93308

Tickets are \$40.00 each and must be purchased in advance, no later than October 1st, 2018, by contacting:

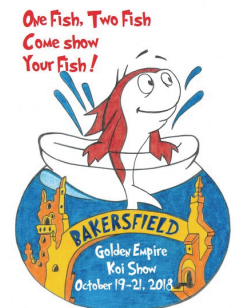
secretary@bkwgs.com

Or sending payment to:

BKWGS
PO Box 13314
Bakersfield, CA 93389

Checks should be made payable to BK&WGS

We cordially invite our friends, former members, current members and koi enthusiasts, to join us for any of these meals. Reconnect with old friends and enjoy good food. You do not have to be a koi exhibitor to attend. However, a ticket/reservation is required for each of the events.



Show Vendor Reservation

Vendor Name: _____

Vendor Address: _____

Contact Name: _____ Contact Phone # _____

Phone #: (_____) _____ - _____ email: _____

What kind of product will be in your booth? _____

Any special needs? _____

Will you need electricity or water? _____

Dry Booth cost: \$ 125.00, approximately 10 ft x 10 ft x _____ # of spaces = \$ _____

Wet Booth cost: \$ 150.00, approximately 10 ft x 10 ft includes one 6 foot tank. You will need to provide your own extension cord and air pump(s). x _____ # of spaces = \$ _____

Additional tanks with wet booth reservation \$40 each x _____ # of tanks = \$ _____

Banquet tickets \$ 40.00 each x _____ # of tickets = \$ _____

Additional Saturday Lunch Tickets \$ 5.00 each x _____ # of tickets = \$ _____

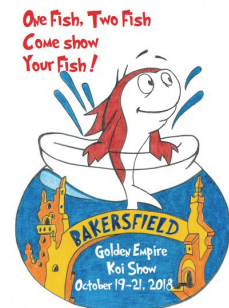
2018 Golden Empire Koi Show T-shirt \$ 20.00 please indicate size _____ = \$ _____

Total enclosed = \$ _____

Please make checks payable to BK&WGS and mail it along with this completed application

BK&WGS
PO BOX 13314
Bakersfield, CA 93389

Note that a Certificate of Insurance must be provided or a Release and Waiver of Liability Agreement signed releasing BKWGS from liability.



Award Sponsorships

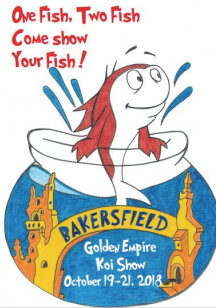
Award	Sponsorship Cost	Award	Sponsorship Cost
Grand Champion	\$150	Best In Variety - Kohaku	\$35
Reserve Grand Champion A	\$125	Best In Variety - Showa	\$35
Grand Champion B	\$125	Best In Variety - Taisho Sanshoku (Sanke)	\$35
Grand Champion Long Fin	\$125	Best In Variety - Utsuri Mono	\$35
Reserve Champion Long Fin	\$125	Best in Size Bekko	\$35
Best In Size 1 Under 9"	\$50	Best In Variety - Asagi / Shusui	\$35
Best In Size 2- 9" up to 12"	\$50	Best In Variety - Koromo / Goshiki	\$35
Best In Size 3- 12" up to 15"	\$50	Best In Variety - Tancho	\$35
Best In Size 4- 15" up to 18"	\$50	Best In Variety - Hikari Moyo	\$35
Best In Size 5- 18" up to 21"	\$50	Best In Variety - Hikari Muji	\$35
Best In Size 6- 21" up to 24"	\$50	Best in Variety – Hikari Utsuri	\$35
Best In Size 7- 24" up to 27"	\$50	Best In Variety - Gin Rin A	\$35
Best In Size 8- 27" and over	\$50	Best In Variety - Gin Rin B	\$35
Baby Champ (Yogygyo)	\$50	Best In Variety - Doitsu	\$35
Young Champ (Wakagoi)	\$50	Best In Variety – Kawarigoi/Kawarimono	\$35
Adult Champ (Seigyo)	\$50	Best In Variety - Long Fin A	\$35
Jumbo Champ (Kyori)	\$50	Best In Variety - Long Fin B	\$35
		Novice Champion	\$35
Tategoi 1st-2nd-3rd	\$50	Most Unique	\$35
		People's Choice	\$35

Business Name _____

Contact Name _____ Contact Phone # _____

Award (s) _____

Raffle Donation (s) _____



AKCA Vendor Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement

In consideration of my application and permission to participate in this event, I (vendor) _____ hereby release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue the Associated Koi Clubs of America (AKCA), its clubs, directors, officers, employees, volunteers, representatives and agents, the activity or event holders, Bakersfield Koi & Water Garden Society, G & G Productions, activity or event sponsors, activity or event volunteers in regards to the 18th Annual Golden Empire Koi Show event being held at the Kern County Fairgrounds 1142 P Street, Bakersfield, CA, from set up through tear down (dates: 10/19/2018 to 10/21/2018), from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions, and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be caused by vendor negligence or resulting from vendor created hazard while participating in this event or upon the premises where the activities (event) are being held regardless of whether such loss is caused by vendor negligence or regardless of whether such liability arises in tort, contract, strict liability, or to the fullest extent allowed by law.

I (vendor) _____ hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the AKCA and/or its club(s) from any loss, liability, damage, or costs, including court costs and attorney's fees that the AKCA and/or its club(s) may incur, due to vendor's participation in said activity.

Vendor is also requested to provide when possible a Certificate of Liability Insurance naming the AKCA and its club(s) as Additional Insured for this event.

In signing this agreement, I (vendor) _____ acknowledge and represent that I have read the forgoing AKCA Vendor Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement, understand it and sign it voluntarily as my own free act and deed and that no oral representations, statements, or inducements, apart from the foregoing written agreement, have been made.

Vendor executes this Agreement for full, adequate and complete consideration fully intending to be bound by same.

Vendor's name _____ Date _____

Vendor's signature _____

(AKCA Clubs to execute and retain on file)

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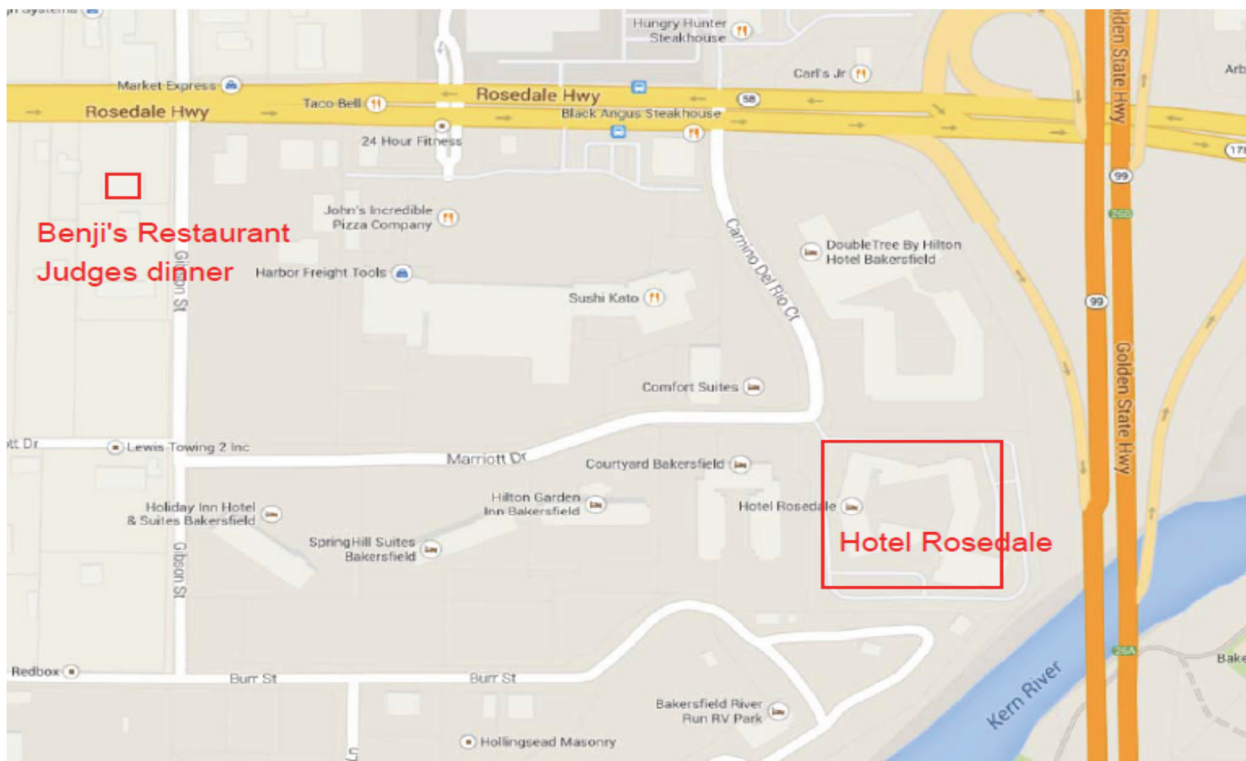
A block of rooms has been set aside for the Golden Empire Koi Show Guests and Exhibitors at the Hotel Rosedale. Cost per room will be \$71 per night based on two night stay, plus applicable taxes. To get the group rate refer to hotel code **Koi18**. There is a great breakfast buffet for those staying at the hotel.

Hotel Rosedale will be the site of our Awards Banquet on Saturday evening.

Hotel Rosedale
2400 Camino Del Rio Court
Bakersfield, CA 93308

Local: 661-327-0681

Fax: 661-637-1822



Right to refuse

We reserve the right to refuse any person or persons who are verbally abusive, disrespectful, make threats, are argumentative, or in general displays an attitude at the time of application process that causes management to believe we would not have a positive business/exhibitor relationship. These person or persons must also be in good standing with the club hosting the event.