



# Charleston Showa Koi Club

## Last meeting plus... Linda Lewis



I hope everyone had a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I hope that one of your goals for the new year is to come to more of the Koi club meetings. We have missed some of your smiling faces lately. I hope to see more of you taking an active role in activities the club is involved in.



Thanks to Mary Ball for hosting the Christmas meeting. The food was fabulous as always. We also have several new officers for the new year.

Please check out the dates of the meetings at the end of the newsletter and let us know if you can host a meeting sometime during the year. Rod, our new Vice-President, will be scheduling where the meetings will be held each month.

Our next meeting will be at Marty Berry's home. I have seen one of his ponds and it is beautiful.



He has since put in another pond and I am very excited to see what his imagination produced for his lovely Koi. Come one and all to the meeting and enjoy two beautiful ponds. Don't forget to bring a dish!!

## Minutes from 12/9/12 Susan Markham

Robert called the meeting to order. There were 15 people present. He thanked Mary Ball for letting us use her club house for our Christmas party. No minutes were read and no treasury

report was given. We immediately went on to the elections for the vacant vice-presidency and the treasurer as Ralph was stepping down after many years of holding this position. Robert nominated Rod McNeal to be our new vice-president. Robert said that Rod was our vice-president in the past but has been in Iraq for the last two years. He would be returning to the Charleston area at the end of the month. Linda Lewis seconds the motion and everyone was in favor. It was also agreed by all that Mary Ball would take over as the new treasurer. The meeting was then adjourned.

### **A note from the President**

There will be a pond tour meeting at 1:00 before the regular monthly club meeting at Marty Berry's residence.



Rod and Marilyn MacNeil

Rod is our new Vice-President. Let's all welcome him back.

### **Calendar of events...2012**

#### **Koi Club meetings start at 2:00**

Meeting locations are in black;  
Other events are in red.

**January 13th:** Marty Berry  
Open forum for  
discussion

**February 10:**

**March: Orlando Koi Show**

**April 14:**

**May 11: Pond Tour**

**June 9:**

**July 14:**

**August 11:**

**September 8:**

**October 13:**

**November 10:**

**December 8:**

Meeting times, places and topic may be subject to change.