

KSWA Annual Show VARIETIES Guide

No	Show Variety	Also known as	Includes these varieties ...
1	KOHAKU		Kohaku, Doitsu Kohaku
2	TAISHO SANKE	Sanke	Taisho Sanshoku, Doitsu Sanke
3	SHOWA SANSHOKU	Showa	Showa Sanshuku, Doistu Showa
4	BEKKO		Shiro Bekko, Aka Bekko, Ki Bekko, Doitsu Bekko
5	UTSURIMONO	Utsuri	Shiro Utsuri, Hi Utsuri, Ki Utsuri, Doitsu Utsuri
6	ASAGI *		Asagi, Asagi Sanke
7	SHUSUI *		Shusui, Hi Shusui, Hana Shusui, Ki Shusui
8	KOROMO *		Koromo, Ai Goromo, Sumi Goromo, Budo Goromo, Koromo Sanke, Koromo Showa
9	KAWARIMONO *		Karasugoi, Hajiro, Hage Shiro, Yotsu Jiro, Sumi Nagashi, Matsukawabake, Kumonryu, Beni Kumonryu, Kigo, Ki Kokuryu, Ochiba, Kage Utsuri, Kanoko, etc
10	GOSHIKI *		Goshiki, Goshiki Sanki, Goshiki Showa
11	MUJIMONO *	Muji	Saragoi, Chargoi, Benigo, Kigo, Midorigoi, Karashigo, Aka Matsuba, Ki Matsuba, etc including Doitsu, Matsuba, Ginrin Mujimono
12	HIKARI MUJIMONO	Ogon	Ogon, Platinum Ogon, Orange Ogon, Doitsu Ogon, Platinum Doitsu, Kin Matsuba, Gin Matsuba, Mizuho Ogon, Ginrin Hikari-muji
13	HIKARI MOYOMONO		Hariwake, Doitsu Hariwake, Kikusui, Platinum Kohaku, Yamato Nishiki, Kinsui Ginsui, Kijaku, Kijaku Ogon, Kijaku Doitsu, etc.
14	HIKARI UTSURIMONO		Kin Showa, Gin Showa, Gin Shiro, Kin Kiutsuri, Doitsu Kin Showa
15	KINGINRIN 'A'	Ginrin A	Ginrin Gosanke (Ginrin Kohaku, Ginrin Sanke, Ginrin Showa) & Ginrin Utsuri
16	KINGINRIN 'B'	Ginrin B	All other Ginrins that aren't Kinginrin 'A' or Ginrin Muji or Ginrin Hikari-muji or Ginrin Tancho
17	TANCHO		Tancho, Tancho Sanke, Tancho Showa, Tancho Goshiki, Ginrin Tancho

* Due to low fish numbers in these varieties, we usually combine the following varieties for their Classes, but award separate Variety Champions:
 Asagi & Shusui
 Koromo & Goshiki
 Kawarimono & Mujimono

* You are still able to enter 3 of each variety in each Class, ie 3 x Asagi and 3 x Shusui.

* After entries close, if there are enough fish entered in these varieties, we will split them up to be judged individually.

KSWA Annual Show CLASSES & PRIZES



CLASS ENTERED	Fish is then able to win...	Number of prizes
CLASS 2 (20cm – 29.9cm)	1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd place for each variety. May win "Variety Champion" (<i>1st place getter in each variety automatically entered</i>)	3 places x 14 varieties + Best in Size 1 - 1 st place only = 42 prizes
CLASS 3 (30cm – 39.9cm)	1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd place for each variety. May win "Variety Champion" (<i>1st place getter in each variety automatically entered</i>)	3 places x 14 varieties + Best in Size 2 - 1 st place only = 42 prizes
CLASS 4 (40cm – 49.9cm)	1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd place for each variety. May win "Variety Champion" (<i>1st place getter in each variety automatically entered</i>)	3 places x 14 varieties + Best in Size 3 - 1 st place only = 42 prizes
CLASS 5 (50cm - 59.9cm)	1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd place for each variety. May win "Variety Champion" (<i>1st place getter in each variety automatically entered</i>)	3 places x 14 varieties + Best in Size 4 - 1 st place only = 42 prizes
CLASS 6 MATURE (60cm – 69.9cm)	1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd place for each variety. May win "Mature Champion" (<i>all Jumbo fish automatically entered</i>) May win "Variety Champion" (<i>1st place getter in each variety automatically entered</i>)	3 places x 14 varieties = 42 + Mature Champion 1 st place only = 43 prizes
CLASS 7 JUMBO (over 70cm)	1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd place in A and B May win "Jumbo Champion" (<i>all Jumbo fish automatically entered</i>) May also win "Variety Champion" (<i>all Jumbo fish automatically entered</i>)	3 places x 2 categories = 6 + Jumbo Champion 1 st place only = 7 prizes
YOUNG CHAMPION CLASS (TABLE SHOW QUALIFIED)	Also see Table Show Rules (separate document) 1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd in either Table Show A, Table Show B, Table Show Ginrin or Table Show Doitsu May win "Young Champion" (<i>4 x 1st place getters automatically entered</i>)	3 places x 4 categories = 12 + Young Champion 1 st place only = 13 places
JUNIOR EXHIBITOR CLASS	1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd – fish belonging to our under 16 year old members	3 places

All fish are also automatically entered (at no cost):

- **Judges Prize**
- **President/Show Chairman's Prize**
- **ZNA PRIZE** – exhibitor must be a member of the ZNA to be eligible
- **GRAND CHAMPION** – 1st only
- **Supreme A Champion, Supreme B Champion**

See Rules (pages 4 – 5) for full details on each Class and how many fish per Class you are allowed to enter!

Note: Winning Grand Champion or Young Champion means the fish is NOT ABLE TO WIN ANY OTHER PRIZES.

What does 'A' and 'B' mean?

A also called **GOSANKE**

- Kohaku
- Taisho Sanke (also called Sanke)
- Showa Sanshoku (also called Showa)
- Utsurimono (also called Utsuri)

B also called **NON-GOSANKE**

- all other varieties

This means the 4 GOSANKE varieties (A) are often judged all together, and the NON GOSANKE varieties (B) are judged all together.

For example "Jumbo A" and "Jumbo B"

You don't need to specify A or B when entering fish, you enter the fish in whichever variety the fish is, and our database will automatically split the entries in A and B.

Kohaku	A
Taisho Sanke	A
Showa Sanshoku	A
Bekko	B
Utsurimono	A
Asagi / Shusui	B
Kawarimono / Mujimono	B
Koromo / Goshiki	B
Hikari Mujimono	B
Hikari Moyomono	B
Hikari Utsurimono	B
Kinginrin A	B
Kinginrin B	B
Tancho	B

TRANSPORTING KOI

Every koi keeper will, at one time or another, need to transport their koi. Whether it is to bring a new fish home, take a fish to a show, or take them to a vet or new pond.

As transportation is stressful on fish we need to minimise that stress as much as possible - stress can lead to unhappy and even sick koi.

The main things to keep in mind when transporting koi are to keep the journey as short as possible, provide enough water to cover the fish, provide enough oxygen, and minimise movement as much as possible.

Poly Bag Method

- Poly (plastic) bags are available from our Sales Table or koi-related retailers.
- Buy the larger sized bags as they have more space for oxygen.
- Use the same water to fill the bag as where the fish is being taken from so that they don't have to adjust to different water parameters.
- Fill the bag with just enough water to cover the fish - this leaves more room for oxygen in the top of the bag.
- It is advisable to add compressed oxygen to the top portion of the bag before sealing. Remember you wish your fish to reach the Show in top condition.
- Seal the top with an elastic band
- Place the bag in a box (cardboard box, esky or plastic storage crate are all good) to minimise movement during the trip.

Solid Container Method

- Plastic storage crates or fibreglass boxes are great - preferably with a watertight lid.
- Fill the container all the way to the top to minimise water movement during the trip (a half full container will slop around)
- As a full container has no room for air at the top, use a battery-powered air pump and run an airline into the water (with airstone (s) on the end)

Please remember you wish your fish to arrive and return from the Show in top condition. Air is absolutely essential to fishes well being. The key is good organisation well in advance of Show day.

Other tips:

- Some members suggest laying the bag or container so that the koi sits parallel with the axles of the car - so when you brake and accelerate the koi won't bump it's nose and tail into the bag/container.
- Plan your route before you leave so you're on the road for as little time as possible, and avoid speedbumps and roundabouts if possible
- Have enough petrol to make the return journey, so you don't need to stop to refuel
- Drive as slowly and smoothly as practical
- If using a battery powered airpump, have spare batteries on hand. Koi can become stressed very quickly without adequate oxygen in their water