Aquaculture is the controlled cultivation and harvest of aquatic plants and animals. Aquaculture is one of the fastest growing forms of agriculture in the United States. The aquaculture industry is well established in Kansas and is important to the state’s economy. It consists of private individuals in the business of producing fishes for food.

This directory was compiled by the Kansas Aquaculture Association. It lists members with fishes for sale to the public and who provide fish production-related services. In Kansas, fishes purchased from a private fish producer and stocked into private ponds or lakes are not subject to state regulations. This gives pond or lake owners freedom to manage and harvest fishes as they see fit.

This directory is organized by county. It lists addresses, phone numbers, email addresses, and websites of fish producers in each county in Kansas, and producers who are members of the association from neighboring states, along with services they provide and fish species for sale.

**KAA MEMBERS IN KANSAS**
(listed by counties)

**CLAY COUNTY**

*Fourth and Pomeroy Assoc. Inc.*  
Key Feeds  
PO Box 516, Clay Center, KS 67432  
Tel: (785) 632-2141 Fax: (785) 632-5565  
E-mail: keyfeedsfp@sbcglobal.net

**Services:**  
- Feed Manufacturer

**COFFEY COUNTY**

*Wes Fleming*  
217 S. 9th St., Burlington, KS 66839  
Tel: 785-614-1472

**Services:**  
- Pond and Watershed Management

**Trophy Fisheries**

**Leonard Jirak**  
540 16th Rd. NW, Hartford, KS 66854  
Tel: (620) 364-5552 Cell: (620) 203-8081

**Services:**  
- Consulting / Fish Management  
- Pond & Lake Construction

**Trophy Fisheries—continued**

- Prescribed Burning  
- Specialty Fish Food  
- Sweeney & Custom-Built Fish Feeders  
- Aeration units

**Fish:**  
- All sizes feed-trained largemouth, smallmouth, & wipers  
- Bluegill - st  
- Grass Carp  
- Blue Catfish - st  
- Channel Catfish - fr, st, br  
- Fathead Minnows - st  
- Goldfish  
- Hybrid Sunfish  
- Koi  
- Yellow Perch - st  
- Redear Sunfish- st  
- Walleye - st

**DOUGLAS COUNTY**

*Water’s Edge*  
Deb Spencer and Susan Davis  
847 Indiana Street, Lawrence, KS 66044  
Tel: (785) 841-6777 or (800) 841-6797  
Fax: (785) 841-6771  
Website: watersedge.com

**Email:** we@watersedge.com

**Services:**  
- Water Gardening Specialists  
- Pond Materials, Pumps, Skimmers, Aeration, Filters and Supplies  
- Aquatic and Wetland Plants  
- Workshops and Seminars  
- Design Services  
- Retail and Wholesale to the Trade

**DICKINSON COUNTY**

*Banner Farm & Home Fencing*  
2023 1200 Avenue, Hope, KS 67451  
Tel: (785) 479-1261

**Services:**  
- Fences of All Types  
- Supplies  
- Installation

**HARPER COUNTY**

*Harbin Fish and Bait Farm*  
Mark Harbin  
1001 N. Anthony, Anthony, KS 67003  
Tel: (620) 842-3874 or (620) 968-7368  
Email: mharbin63@sbcglobal.net  
Website: www.harbinfishfarm.com

**Services:**  
- Wholesale Bait Dealer  
- Fish Hauling  
- Feed and Equipment

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The codes for the fish sizes are:  
- fr = fry or fingerling  
- st = pond and lake stockers  
- fd = food size  
- br = breeder stock

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Harbin Fish and Bait Farm—continued


JOHNSON COUNTY
Heartland Lake Management, LLC
Arnold Eccles
PO Box 181, Gardner, KS 66030
Tel: (913) 645-4655
Website: heartlandlake.com

Services:
▪ Lake Management and Consultation
▪ Algae and Pondweed Control
▪ Aquatic Pesticide Applicator
▪ Aerators and Fountains
▪ Lake Evaluation

KINGMAN COUNTY
Hartley Fish Farms
Bill Hartley and Jerry Hartley
PO Box 1, Kingman, KS 67068
Tel: (620) 532-3093 or (877) 591-8238 or (620) 532-1348 - evening

Services:
▪ Pond Stocking
▪ Wholesale Bait Dealer
▪ Pond Consulting

Fish:
▪ Largemouth Bass - fr, st, br
▪ Smallmouth Bass – fr, st, br
▪ Bluegill - st, fd, br
▪ Hybrid Bluegill - st, fd, br
▪ Grass Carp/White Amur - st, fd, br
▪ Channel Catfish – fr, st, fd, br
▪ Crapppie - st, fd, br
▪ Crayfish
▪ Drum - st, br
▪ Fathead Minnows
▪ Gambusia (Mosquito Fish)
▪ Redear Sunfish - st, fd, br
▪ Walleye - st, fd, br
▪ Trout - st, br, fd, br

LYON COUNTY
Wallace Fish Farms and Lake Management
Charles W. Wallace
3351 Road K
PO Box 56
Allen, KS 66833-9307
Tel: (620) 344-3679 or (620) 528-3603
E-mail: wallacec@satellitephone.com
Website: www.wallacefishfarmsk.com

Services:
▪ Consulting
▪ Fish Hauling
▪ Pond and Lake Management

Fish:
▪ Largemouth Bass - fr, st
▪ Smallmouth Bass - fr, st
▪ Hybrid Striped Bass - fr, st
▪ Bluegill - fr, st
▪ Hybrid Bluegill - fr, st
▪ Grass Carp - st
▪ Channel Catfish - fr, st, fd
▪ Crapppie – fr, st
▪ Crayfish - bait
▪ Fathead Minnows - bait, st
▪ Rainbow Trout
▪ Redear Sunfish
▪ Tilapia - st
▪ Walleye - fr, st

SALINE COUNTY
Haney’s, Inc.
George Plante
524 Queena Rd., Salina, KS 67401
Tel: (785) 819-1185 Fax: (785) 823-7666
Email: mruney57@hotmail.com

Services:
▪ Tanks
▪ Plumbing
▪ Filters
▪ Pumps
▪ Liners

Fish:  ▪ Work in progress

WHO WE ARE

The Kansas Aquaculture Association had its beginning in 1964 when a group of interested fish farmers got together and formed the Kansas Commercial Fish Growers Association. Their primary concerns were to encourage development of the aquaculture industry in Kansas and to eliminate unnecessary restrictions regarding private fish culture in the state.

Our organization plan revolves around a Board of Directors elected by the membership. We are incorporated in the State of Kansas and are affiliated with the North Central Regional Aquaculture Center.

Officers
President - Dr. Jim Triplett
Vice President - C. Wallace
Secretary/Treasurer - Bart Hettenbach

Board Members
James Carr
Arnold Eccles
Mark Harbin

Technical and Research Information
Charles Lee, Wildlife Specialist
Kansas State University Research and Extension
131 Call Hall, 1530 Mid-Campus Drive
Manhattan, KS 66506 785-532-5734

OUR MISSION
▪ Promote, encourage, and facilitate the growing, sales, and consumption of fishes and other aquaculture commodities.
▪ Improve the quality and efficiency of producing and marketing of fishes and other aquaculture commodities.
▪ Encourage the elimination of controls and requirements that are unnecessary and wasteful to industry.
▪ Promote integrity and ethical dealings in the promotion and sales of high quality products and services.
▪ Promote interaction among members through mutual support and discussion of ideas.
▪ Transfer information through annual meetings and occasional newsletters.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
If you have any interest in fish culture an would like to interact with other who share this interest, you are invited to join the Kansas Aquaculture Association for $25/year.

Name ____________________________
Address ___________________________________________
Phone ____________________________
Email ____________________________________________

What is your interest in fish culture? ____________________________________________

Send to: Bart Hettenbach
2023 1200 Ave.
Hope, KS 67451

KAA MEMBERS IN OTHER STATES

MISSOURI
Crystal Lake Fisheries, Inc.
Marvin Emerson
RR2 Box 528, Ava, MO 65608
Tel: (417) 683-2301 Fax: (417) 683-6565

Services:
▪ Live Stocking of our Trout

Levassy Lake Pond Stocking Service
Bill McKinney or Gary Stringer
3608 N. Buckner Tarsey Rd.
Buckner, MO 64016
Tel: (816) 796-9663 or (816) 650-9313

Services:
▪ Fee Fishing (Groups Only)
▪ Pond Management
▪ Delivery Available

Fish:
▪ Largemouth Bass
▪ Smallmouth Bass
▪ Bluegill
▪ Hybrid Bluegill
▪ Grass Carp
▪ Channel Catfish
▪ Crappie
▪ Black Crappie
▪ Fathead Minnows
▪ Koi
▪ Redear Sunfish
▪ Walleye

Ozark Fisheries
1100 Ozark Fisheries Road
Stoutland, MO 65676
Tel: 573-765-3227
Fax: 573-765-3166

Fish:
▪ Goldfish
▪ Koi

NEBRASKA
Willow Lake Fish Hatchery - since 1956
Jamesy Jameson
7580 N. Highland Road, Hastings, NE 68901
Tel: (402) 463-8022 or Cell (402) 705-2246
Email: willowlakefish@gmail.com

Services:
▪ Pond Consulting
▪ Pond Aerators
▪ Delivery Available

Fish:
▪ Largemouth Bass
▪ Bluegill
▪ Hybrid Bluegill
▪ Bullhead
▪ Grass Carp
▪ Catfish
▪ Crappie
▪ Crayfish
▪ Goldfish
▪ Koi
▪ Minnows
▪ Perch
▪ Trout
▪ Walleyes
▪ Wiper

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