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Tideline Aquatics Store Hours

Monday – Friday 11am-7pm
Saturday 10am-6pm
Sunday 1pm-5pm

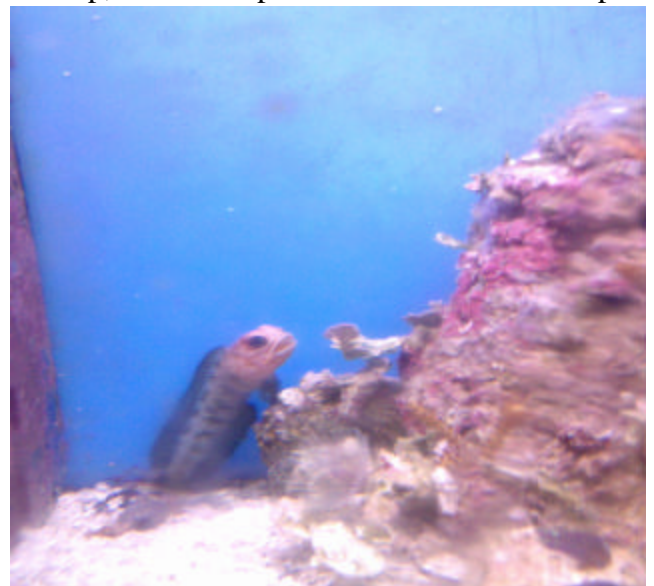
THE RED HEAD JAWFISH!! AN EXCITING NEW MARINE FISH



Since there are little to no photos available on this wonderful new jawfish, we have taken a few albeit not of the best quality. Jawfish are not too fond of a camera in their face! There is also little to nothing written about this new fish so the

information we are providing here is solely based on our observations of the fish at the store. We have now had these three Red Head Jawfish for nearly three weeks. The general body shape is that of other *Opistognathus* species (Blue Spotted Jawfish and others). We have also observed very similar activity of this jawfish compared to the Blue Spotted Jawfish. These are not nervous hiding jawfish! Instead they are bold during the day time hours steadily hovering above their “home” waiting for food.

Feeding: These fish appear to accept just about any frozen prepared foods we are offering from chopped seafoods to basic frozen foods like mysis shrimp, brine shrimp, formula type foods by Ocean Nutrition and San Francisco Bay. They are NOT picky eaters. We have also offered these guys small live ghost shrimp meaning that they likely would swallow very small similar shrimp yet not attack larger shrimp like Cleaner Shrimp, Fire Shrimp and Coral Banded Shrimp.



Care: Like other Opistognathus Jawfish, this species seems to be hardy. We have them a basic reef environment with live rock and pebbles. The pH is 8.1-8.4, no ammonia or nitrite (of course) and a carbonate hardness of 8-12 degrees. We have been keeping these at a water temperature of about 78-80 degrees and they are completely comfortable and healthy. This comical jawfish builds its own home just like similar species. It digs out a cave and then drags small stones and pebbles to the opening creating its own jawfish condo. These fish are extremely powerful jumpers when spooked just like other similar species. They do not appear fond of one another so we have housed them all separately.

Appearance: Our poor photographs do not do the fish justice though we did NOT photoshop our pics to make them more stunning than they are as so many online sites tend to do these days. These fish have a reddish colored head with a mottled pattern that follows the length of the body. Along the length of the body, this jawfish has a metallic green sheen that seems to be enhanced when the fish gets excited (during feeding or when we are working near their dig outs). Though the colors of this fish are not extraordinary we do find them to be quite beautiful and interesting.

This is a fish that will soon be in high demand we believe. With its hardiness, changing color patterns and comical habits, the Red Head Jawfish will be a welcomed addition to the peaceful marine aquarium that contains live rock, larger shrimp, live corals and a covered tank.

KOI, GOLDFISH & PLANTS ARE HERE!!!



NOTE: If you plan on adding new fish to your pond and you have not tested the pond water, **PLEASE** bring in a water sample!! We will test your pond water for free (with a \$5 purchase) to ensure the water parameters are safe for adding new fish. Remember that just because your fish are acting normally does not mean the water is safe for new fish. Established fish can adapt to poor water quality as it degrades over a long period. New fish cannot make that acclimation to adverse conditions so quickly and could be killed. All you need to bring is about a half cup of pond water.... Don't forget your water sample!

WHAT TO LOOK FOR WHEN PURCHASING A NEW FISH FOR YOUR AQUARIUM.....



Anytime you add a new fish to your aquarium, you should ensure it is in good health before you make the purchase. Adding a diseased fish to your existing tank can be disastrous. By taking some simple steps while shopping for a new fish, you can reduce the risk of this happening to you.

First, when you walk into your local aquarium store, look at the overall appearance of the aquariums. Are there numerous dead fish in the aquariums? Dead fish left in selling tanks are a good indicator you are in the wrong store. It may be common to see a dead fish when a store has thousands of fish for sale, but overall the sight of dead fish should be rare! Healthy fish are not dying fish. If a single aquarium has numerous dead fish, is the aquarium labeled as being quarantined? Certainly aquarium stores have fish that may get sick but if those tanks that have sick fish are not quarantined, then this is not the place you should be buying fish! The selling tanks should be clean and well kept and dead fish should be a rare site.

Now that you have found a store with good husbandry, you can browse for a new fish or two. If you find a fish you like, stand slightly away from the aquarium and watch that fish and the other fish housed with your fish. Healthy fish should be actively swimming about the aquarium (of course some species are less active). Are the fish in the tank showing signs of problems (clamped fins, rubbing or scratching on the aquarium ornaments, eroded fins, white spots on fins or skin, open sores, surface gasping)? If you see any of these symptoms, then you should avoid purchasing fish from that aquarium. Fish that hover in the water listlessly are most likely on the verge of breaking out with a disease condition. Fish that scratch or rub on ornaments may be carrying parasites that are causing this abnormal behavior. Clamped fins, cloudy eyes or damaged fins are certain signs of trouble. Even though the fish you like in that aquarium appears fine and healthy, if other fish housed with it are showing any of the symptoms listed above, the fish you like can quickly develop the same problems when moved into your aquarium.

Now that you have found the fish to be in good health and the fish housed with your new choice appear healthy, have the aquarium store salesperson feed the fish. They should actively feed if in good health. Never purchase a fish that will not eat at the store! If it does not eat there, it will likely refuse to eat when you get it home. Remember that it will have to compete for food with your hungry boys at home. Some fish species may require special foods (like many eels, discus, many marine species, rare fish). Purchase the right food for the species you choose.

Finally ask about the care and habits of the fish you want to buy. Is it a peaceful fish or an aggressive species? Does it prefer soft water or hard water? What temperature range can this fish tolerate and remain healthy? Does this fish require hiding places? Is this fish best kept in groups or singly? Is this fish hard to maintain? These are all questions you should ask if you are purchasing a species you are unfamiliar with. Of course if your salesperson has no idea (and if the salesperson does not find the information for you, you may be in the wrong place), then you should do some research on the fish prior to

purchasing it. Once you have solid information on the species you want to buy, you will likely have a good new addition to your aquarium.

If you have a quarantine aquarium, all new fish should be placed there for a minimum of 7 days. If during that period the fish appears healthy, is eating well and show no signs of problems, it can be acclimated to your main aquarium. Quarantine tanks are a huge benefit. If your new fish does develop a problem, it can be treated prior to adding it to your tank. This will protect your healthy fish from developing the same issues. It is also less expensive to treat a small quarantine tank than a larger aquarium.

Take a little extra time when purchasing a new fish. Making a mistake with a new fish can be a costly mistake whether it is from a fish disease or an incompatible addition that grows up and starts killing off your other fish! Stick with a store that takes care of their livestock, maintains a clean store and quarantines fish that are not in good health.

DON'T HAVE TIME OR PAPER TO PRINT YOUR TIDELINE COUPONS?? HERE IS A NEW ALTERNATIVE....

When technology moves forward, so does Tideline Aquatics. If you simply do not have a printer, did not remember your coupons or whatever the reason... now you can use your phone!! Just go to the Tideline Aquatics website using your phone (www.tidelineaquatics.net) when you get to the register and show the cashier the coupon pictured on your phone. This will now be an acceptable "coupon" for being able to get the specials without having to print them off! Now there is simply no excuse for not saving money with us when shopping at the store.

CLEARANCE SAVINGS OF 50% ON MANY ITEMS NOW!!

Our clearance section right by the counter is now loaded with many items priced up to 50% off. Sand, gravels, water conditioners, buffers, uv sterilizers and more are marked down for quick sale. These are products that have been replaced with other lines or products that we just decided

to discontinue for one reason or another. Check out the clearance area beside the front counter!

SIGN UP!!

Go to www.twitter.com and create your own personal account. It's FREE!!!! Then find us by searching for: TidelineAquatic (notice there is no "s" on the end of aquatic. Sign up to "follow" us and even add the option to receive tweets via text messages to your cell phone. With your twitter account you will receive notifications of livestock shipments, product specials and best of all "twitter only" super specials sent out randomly to our twitter followers.

Also, use coupons from our website for even more savings when you shop with us!!



a super deal for quality angelfish
**SMALL GOLD MARBLE,
BLACK & BLACK LACE
ANGELFISH**
\$3.99 4/\$14.00
BEST PRIORITY COUPON FOR DISCOUNT - EXPIRES 04.14.2010

colorful, reef safe and hardy for the marine tank
**FIJI SIXLINE WRASSE
NICE SIZE TOO!**
\$16.99 each
BEST PRIORITY COUPON FOR DISCOUNT - EXPIRES 04.14.2010

*the creature that eats practically all types
of algae in reef aquariums or live rock tanks*
MIXED SEA HARES
\$16.99 each
BEST PRIORITY COUPON FOR DISCOUNT - EXPIRES 04.14.2010

*this quality filter will handle up to a 55
gallon tank! quiet operation too!*
**PENGUIN 350 BIOWHEEL
FILTER SYSTEM**
\$44.99 each 2/\$80.00
BEST PRIORITY COUPON FOR DISCOUNT - EXPIRES 04.14.2010

Just a few examples of the specials available on our website coupons this week!!

Don't forget to show your military ID at the check-out counter! Tideline Aquatics now offers a discount to both active and retired military persons with a military ID!!

WHAT'S NEW AT [tideline aquatics?](#)

ON THE MENU THIS WEEK:

Feeder Guppies, Feeder Ghost Shrimp, Feeder Goldfish, Feeder Rosey Reds, Feeder Black Worms, Feeder Crayfish, Feeder Fiddler Crabs

FRESHWATER:

Assorted Stendker Discus, Red Lyretail Swordtails, Red Tiger Platies, Dalmation Mollies, Silver Mollies, Black Yucatan Mollies, Black Lyretail Mollies, Cremecicle Mollies, Black Orchid Crowntail Bettas, Jumbo Thai Fighter Bettas, Female Bettas, Neon Dwarf Gouramis, Boesemani Rainbowfish, Emerald Green Rainbowfish, Redtail Rainbowfish, Gertrudae Rainbowfish, Turquoise Rainbowfish, Dwarf Kamaka Rainbowfish, Red Cherry Barbs, Longfin Rosey Barbs, Md Firemouth Cichlids, Md Kribensis, German Gold Rams, Md Red Oscars, Borneo Sucker Loaches, L144a Bristlenose Plecostomus, L204 Emperor Plecostomus, Amazon Catfish, Juruense Shovelnose Catfish, Metae Corydoras Catfish, Panda Corydoras Catfish, Orange Stripe Aeneus Corydoras Catfish, Golden Dojo Weather Loaches, Albino Rainbow Sharks, M/L Clown Knifefish, Badis Assamensis Elephantnose, Black Skirt Tetras, Neon Tetras, Harlequin Rasboras, Robertsi Tetras, Bamboo Flower Shrimp, Japonica Shrimp, Checkerboard Filamentosa Dwarf Cichlids, Large German Blue Rams, New Convict Nerite Snails, New Prambanan Snails, New Primitive Snails, Peacock Gudgeon Gobies, Asian Needlefish, Bloodfin Tetras, Dwarf African Frogs, Lg Black Angelfish, Lg Mixed Angelfish, Small Angelfish (Black, Black Lace Veil, Half Black Veil, Zebra Lace Veil), Red Tux Platy, Pearl White Fighter Bettas, Fancy Dwarf Gouramis, Pink Kissers, Flame Paradise Gouramis, Spiketail Gouramis, Platinum Gouramis, Neon Praecox Rainbowfish, Green Platinum Tiger Barbs, Keyhole Cichlids, Super Red Kribensis, Bolivian Rams, Assorted Oscars, Eretmodus Goby Cichlids, Electric Blue Ahli Cichlids, Leleupi, Moorii, Cylindricus,

Tetracanthus, Royal Farlowellas, Red Loricaria Whiptail Cats, Super Red Bristlenose Plecos, Fourline Pictus Catfish, Spotted Pictus Catfish, Striped Rafael Catfish, Butterfly Paleatus Catfish, Synodontis Jaguar Catfish, Chinese Hifin Sharks, Endlicheri Polypterus, Weeksi Polypterus, Black Ghost Knives, Stiphodon Gobies, Halfbeaks, Monos, Green Scats, Matoro Stingray, Redfin Blue Tetras, Glass Bloodfin Tetras, Congo Tetras, Lemon Tetras, Black Phantom Tetras, Red Eye Tetras, Robertsi Tetras, Rummynose Tetras, White Clouds, African Frogs, Lg Jaguar Catfish, Bottlenose Catfish, Punctatus Corydoras Catfish, Red Velvet Swordtails, Assorted Platys, Black Lyretail Mollies, Tiger Barbs, Assorted Mystery Snails, Black Kuhli Loaches, Albino Black Sharks, Medium Fire Eels, Tiretrack Eels, Cardinal Tetras, Japonica Shrimp, Geophagus balzani Earthaters, New Rabbit Snails, New Tiger Nerite Snails, New Zebra Nerite Snails, Common Nerite Snails, Planiceps Shovelnose Catfish, Julli Corydoras Catfish, Albino Corydoras Catfish, Male Bettas, Crowntail Male Bettas, Blue Gouramis, Gold Gouramis, Opaline Gouramis, Giant Danios, XL Threadfin Rainbowfish, Cherry Barbs, Gold Barbs, Red Chromides, Curvicep Dwarf Cichlids, Tinanti Buffalo Head Goby Cichlids, Otocinclus Dwarf Algae Eaters, Albino Bushynose Plecos, Common Plecos, Rubber Plecos, Green Phantom Plecos, Jumbo Daddy Clown Loaches, Golden Dojo Loaches, Elipsifer Eels, Medium Silver Arowanas, African Butterflyfish, South American Dragonfish Gobies, White Cheek Gobies, Figure Eight Puffers, African Ropefish, Red Fantails, Black Moors, Mixed Chinese Goldfish, Tank Bred Neon Tetras, Red Serpae Tetras, Red Cherry Shrimp, Glo-Fish.

These are just the newest arrivals to Tideline. We have so many more species in stock from our previous orders!!

SALTWATER:

NEW Red Head Jawfish, Md Queen Angelfish, XL French Angelfish, Flame Angelfish, Half Black Angelfish, Argi Pygmy Angelfish, Eiblii Angelfish, Rusty Angelfish, Juvenile Fiji Emperor Angelfish, Royal Grammas, Two Spot Maculatus Blennies, Canary Blennies, Starry Algae Blennies, Lg Kauderni Cardinalfish,

Pajama Cardinalfish, Ghost Eel, Bicolor Goatfish, Green Banded Gobies, Yellow Priolepsis Gobies, Golden Head Sifter Gobies, Flame Hawkfish, Red Diana Hogfish, Stars and Stripe Dogface Pufferfish, Blue Dot Pufferfish, Porcupine Pufferfish, Thompsoni Tang, Naso Tangs, Blonde Naso Tangs, Lovely Red Velvet Fairy Wrasses, XL Australian Scotts Fairy Wrasse, Twinspot Wrasses, Sixline Wrasses, Lunare Wrasses, Black & White Heniochus Butterflyfish, Tank Raised Neon Gobies, Tank Raised Sharkhead Neon Gobies, Tank Raised Golden Neon Gobies, Yellow Watchman Gobies, Gold Bar Maroon Clownfish, Ocellaris Clownfish, True Percula Clownfish, Yellow Ember Clarki Clownfish, Eiblii Angelfish, Melas Angelfish, Lemon Peel Angelfish, Adult Fiji Emperor Angelfish, Squareback Anthias, Golden Sailfin Blenny, Bicolor Blennies, Horned Blennies, Algae Blennies, Striped Cardinalfish, Neon Velvet Damsel fish, Scooter Dragonets, Blue Spotted Watchman Gobies, Flagtail Pinkbar Gobies, Guttata Gobies, Bluefin Watchman Gobies, Redhead Gobies, Citron Gobies, Assorted Clown Gobies, Catalina Gobies, Purple Firefish Gobies, Blue Torpedo Gobies, Trimma Gobies, Striped Sifter Gobies, Vtail Groupers, Longnose Hawkfish, Coral Hogfish, Purple Tangs, Desjardinii Sailfin Tangs, Yellow Tangs, Black Indicus Triggerfish, Humu Triggerfish, XL Male Australian Lineatus Fairy Wrasse, Ruby Head Fairy Wrasse, Yellow Flanked Fairy Wrasse, Adult Red Coris Wrasses, Vermiculate Leopard Wrasses, Sea Grass Wrasses, McCoskers Fairy Wrasse, Powder Blue Tangs, Tomato Clownfish, Dogface Pufferfish, Niger Triggerfish, XL Sailfin Tang, Assorted Damsel fish, Candy Cane Gobies, Orangefin Tangs, Tank Bred Kauderni Cardinalfish, Valentini Pufferfish, Flagfin Angelfish, Adult and Juvenile Annularis Angelfish, Asfur Angelfish, Red Lyretail Anthias, Klausewitz's Blenny, Orange Kleini Butterflyfish, Azure Damsel fish, Tassled Filefish, Pinkbar Aurora Gobies, Hectors Gobies, Dragon Sifter Gobies, Black Cap Jawfish, Diamond Sifter Gobies, Clown Tang, Medium and Large Koran Angelfish, Royal Grammas, Mandarin Dragonets, Dragon Wrasses, Black Volitan Lionfish, Fuzzy Dwarf Lionfish, Blue Regal Tangs, Arabian Pseudochromis, Fridmani Pseudochromis, Snowflake Moray Eels, Golden

Heart Triggerfish, XL Rectangulus Triggerfish,
Coral Beauty Angels, Yashia Haze Gobies,
Green Wolf Eel, Bicolor Basslets, Foxface
Rabbitfish, Christmas Wrasses.

INVERTEBRATES:

Turquoise Green Eye Chalice Coral, Green
Bubble Corals, True Pulsing Pom Pom Xenia,
Assorted Frag Corals, Mexican Turbo Snails,
Nassarius Snails, Coral Banded Shrimp, Golden
Banded Shrimp, Red Fromia Reef Starfish,
Scarlet Reef Hermits, Pink & Green Cucumbers,
Banded Serpent Starfish, Chocolate Chip
Starfish, Strawberry Crabs, Peppermint Shrimp,
Red Fire Shrimp, Seahares, Rose Bubble
Anemones, Green Carpet Anemone, Lunar
Eclipse Zoanthids, Pink & Orange Symphyllia
Wilsoni Corals, Ghost Pistol Shrimp, Candy
Cane Pistol Shrimp, Tiger Pistol Shrimp, Indo
Mushroom Rocks, Candy Corals, Cynarina Meat
Corals, Pink Cynarina Meat Corals, Tuxedo
Urchins, Derasa Clams, Squamosa Clams,
Crocea Clams, Orange Montipora Corals, Aqua-
Cultured Live Rock, Cleaner Shrimp, Reef
Hermits, Reef Snails, Bubble Anemones, Carpet
Anemones, Long Tentacle Anemones, Bubble
Corals, Aussie Acan Corals, Blueberry
Gorgonians, Arrow Crabs, Sally Lite Foot Crabs,
Trachyphyllia Corals, Duncans Whisker Corals,
Green Super Star Polyps, Assorted Frag Corals,
Peacock Mantis Shrimp, Fancy Leather Corals,
Reef Starfish, Urchins, Feather Dusters,
Frogspawn Corals, Torch Corals, Hammer
Corals, Christmas Tree Worm Rocks,
Wellsophyllia Corals and more more more!!!

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