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Take Note Of Our New Store Hours Below!!!

Tideline Aquatics Store Hours

Monday	Closed
Tuesday-Friday	11am-7pm
Saturday	10am-6pm
Sunday	12pm-5pm

THE QUEEN TRIGGERFISH



For whatever reason, Queen Triggerfish are finally available again after several years of being scarce. Collected from the waters of the Caribbean, the Queen Triggerfish is both striking in color patterns and fins BUT remember that this fish is a super predator.

Queen triggerfish grow to a large size (about 15” in the average aquarium) and become more and more territorial as they mature. This fish will feed on nearly anything offered to it (including your finger tips) but for best health mix up the diet with a variety of frozen seafood choices combined with some live foods such as fiddler

crabs. In search of prey it is not unusual for this trigger to blow around in the sand bed to stir up bits of missed food items. It is nearly impossible to maintain small fish with a Queen Trigger. Possible long-term tankmates would be dogface pufferfish, large aggressive wrasses (lunare or banana wrasse), groupers and moray eels.

We have 3” specimens in stock now but remember that this is a fast growing fish that will eventually require a large tank. The Queen Triggerfish is a stunning adult fish but it is not the easiest species to keep with other marine fish once it reaches adulthood.

THE VERMICULATE LEOPARD WRASSE



There was a time not long ago when we would have never even stocked a leopard wrasse species as they seemed to always die despite all our attempts at making them happy. But my salesperson at Quality Marine (and Justin during his visit there) told me they have their own

collectors for these fish and to give them another try. Well the results really have been incredible. Now we pay nearly twice the cost from Quality Marine compared to other companies that sell these fish but if they live we consider that priceless! We have had very few losses on the Vermiculate Leopard Wrasses since we started stocking them from Quality Marine.

That said, these are still considered a delicate species meaning you must have good water quality, you must have live rock in the aquarium, you must have a fine substrate (these fish seek refuge under the sand at night), you must offer them a good diet of mixed frozen foods AND you must have peaceful tankmates housed with these fish (gobies, blennies, cardinalfish, etc). From our observations, these fish spend the entire day scouring the live rock for tiny copepods and amphipods though they accept all types of meaty frozen foods we offer them. We believe they just need to forage for food constantly to maintain good body weight and nutritional needs. If you have a reef aquarium with peaceful inhabitants, this really is a fabulous addition for your aquarium.

GERMAN STENDKER DISCUS ARRIVE ON THURSDAY!!



Discus may not be for everyone but for that person that wants to have freshwater fish as stunning in color as most marine fish, then Discus are certainly what you are looking for. The Discus we stock are all German Stendker Discus because of their high quality, strong genetics and hardiness compared to other discus breeders we have tried over the years.



Like marine fish, discus do not tolerate poor water quality or sudden changes in water quality. Therefore, a well balanced aquarium that is tested regularly for water quality is a must. Discus will never survive in hard water thus regular partial water changes are required to keep these fish in optimum health. Discus will also never survive long on eating just standard flake foods either. These fish need a mixture of foods from flake, pellet and frozen food choices (bloodworms, beefheart, mysis, etc). The water should also be warm with a temperature of 84-86 degrees for best results. Discus also enjoy a well planted aquarium. You don't have to have live plants but the aquarium should be planted with plenty of plants whether real or artificial. The addition of branching driftwood pieces is also appreciated. Tank mates should always be peaceful species such as cardinal tetras, rummynose tetras, harlequin rasboras, corydoras catfish and other mellow species. Avoid fast moving tankmates like danios that can make discus nervous and out-compete them for food. Maintain clean well-oxygenated soft warm water that is tested regularly to keep these wonderful jewels of the freshwater aquarium world happy and healthy in your home aquarium.

This new shipment will be quarantined for several days to allow the fish to adjust to their new surroundings and receive prophylactic treatments to prevent disease outbreaks.

NEW ARRIVALS FOR THIS WEEK:

FEEDER ITEMS ON THE MENU:

Feeder Goldfish, Feeder Guppies, Feeder Ghost Shrimp, Feeder Crayfish, Feeder Fiddler Crabs, Live Black Worms

NEW FRESHWATER FISH:

XL Pairs of German Stendker Discus (Green Turquoise x Snakeskin, Red Snakeskin, Marlboro Reds) and (36) Assorted 3"-4" German Stendker Discus – please note that all discus arrive on Thursday and will require several days of quarantine before being released to the public. Candy Platys, Mickey Mouse Sunburst Platys, Red Wag Platys, 24k Tuxedo Platys, Dalmation Mollys, Neon Butterfly Balloon Mollys, Red Cobra Fancy Guppy Pairs, Blue Variegated Fancy Guppy Pairs, Electric Blue Crowntail Male Bettas, Standard Mixed Color Crowntail Male Bettas, Female Crowntail Bettas, Standard Mixed Color Male Show Bettas, Celebes Rainbowfish, Super Red Cherry Barbs, Striped Pentazona Barbs, Large German Blue Rams, Medium German Blue Rams, Small German Gold Rams, M/L German Gold Rams, Tiger Oscars, Assorted Mix of Mbuna African Cichlids, Large Assorted Male Peacock Cichlids, Medium Black Veil Angelfish, L018 Gold Nugget Plecostomus, Mixed Mystery Snails, Zebra Nerite Snails, Banded Kuhli Loaches (good size), Polypterus Retropinnis, Medium Silver Arowanas, Motoro Freshwater Stingray, Black Skirt Tetras, Neon Tetras, Rummynose Tetras, Cardinal Tetras (few), Longfin White Cloud Mountain Minnows, Filter Feeding Vampire Freshwater Shrimp (Africa), Blackberry Japonica Shrimp.

NEW SALTWATER FISH:

Flagfin Angelfish, Coral Beauty Angelfish, Small Flame Angelfish, Half Black Angelfish, Blue Bellus Angelfish, Passer Angelfish, Koran Angelfish, Harem of Lyretail Anthias, Lg Royal Grammas, Klausewitz's Blenny, Midas Blenny, Algae Blennies, Mertensii Butterflyfish, Teardrop Butterflyfish, Clarkii Clownfish, True Percula Clownfish, True Sebae Clownfish, Tank Bred Ocellaris Clownfish, Tank Bred True Black Ocellaris Clownfish, Tomato Clownfish, Caribbean Jewel Damsel fish, Neon Velvet Damsel fish, Lg Green Mandarin Dragonet, Super

Red Mandarin Dragonet, Spotted Mandarin Dragonet, Bicolor Goatfish, Orange Striped Randall Goby, Catalina Gobies, Common Firefish Gobies, Purple Firefish Gobies, Candy Cane Gobies, Yashia Haze Goby, Yellowhead Jawfish, Engineer Gobies, Two Spot Sifter Gobies, Red Striper Goby, Diamond Sifter Gobies, Golden Head Sifter Gobies, Dragon Sifter Goby, Lg Marine Betta, Flame Hawkfish, Longnose Hawkfish, Coral Hogfish, Spanish Hogfish, Small Caribbean Volitan Lionfish, Leopard Sharpnose Pufferfish, Valentini Pufferfish, Porcupine Pufferfish, Blue Dot Sharpnose Pufferfish, Powder Blue Tangs, Blue Regal Tangs, Cultured Baby Blue Regal Tangs, Sailfin Tangs, Yellow Tangs, Niger Triggerfish, Bursa Triggerfish, Queen Triggerfish, Clown Triggerfish, Venusta Coris Wrasse, Juvenile Fiji Red Coris Wrasse, Christmas Wrasse, Vermiculate Leopard Wrasses, Green Dragon Wrasses, Large Sixline Wrasses.

NEW INVERTEBRATES AND CORALS:

Frag: Blasstomussa (green & red, metallic red), Fire and Ice Zoanthids, Duncans Whisker Corals, Metallic Candy Corals, Common Candy Corals, Daisy Polyps, Purple Tip Acroporas, Awesome Acanthastreas, Cinnamon Polyps, Australian Palythoas, Mixed Zoanthids, Red Montipora Capricornis.

Corals: Bubble Gum Chalice, Marbled Super Chalice, Purple Aust. Acropora, Cultured Acropora, Bubble Corals, Lord Howe Acanthastreas, Candy Caulestrea, Green Montipora Danae, Plate Corals, Tubastrea and more (the reefs are stocked full!!)....

Other: Bubble Anemones, Long Tentacle Anemones, Sebae Anemones, Carnation Anemones, Mini Carpet Anemone, Sally Lite Foot Crabs, Scarlet Reef Hermits, Red Tip Reef Hermits, Anemone Shrimp, Coral Banded Shrimp, Golden Banded Shrimp, Caribbean Peppermint Shrimp, Cleaner Shrimp, Red Banded Pistol Shrimp, Tiger Pistol Shrimp, Green Saron Shrimp, Turbo Snails, Trochus Snails, Nassarius Snails, Cerith Snails, Cowrie Snails, Red Fromia Reef Stars (few), Arrow Crabs, Feather Dusters, Burgundy Reef Stars, Marbled Fromia Reef Stars, Orange Reef Stars, Red & Black Reef Stars, Multicolor Linkia Reef

Stars, Green Brittle Starfish, Marbled Seahares,
Pin Cushion Urchins, Sand Sifting Starfish, Red
Collar Snails (cool water), Maxima Clams,
Squamosa Clam, Derasa Clams, Fancy
Mushroom Rocks and more!!

The above livestock items are from our most
recent shipments. We have many other species of
fish and live corals from previous shipment as
well!!