

Tranquil Waterscape Designs

2010 Water Garden Tour
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1. **Kantanie Residence** **NOTE: The Saucie Sisters will host a wine tasting here on Sunday from 1-5 p.m. – all ticket holders invited (even if you tour on Saturday)**
1427 Richland Woods Drive
Brentwood, Tennessee 37027
Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in September 2007. The home is nestled into the wooded hillside and the terrain was offering some challenges as to what to do with the backyard. What was once a drainage area running behind the house on the hillside is now a multi-level water feature with waterfalls, stream, and a bridge. Whether you are walking down the stair case by the waterfall/bog filter area or coming up from the lower level, the site and sound of water surrounds you. The surrounding landscape blends in with the natural woodland setting. The homeowner's call their feature "the eighth wonder of the world".

2. **Johnson Residence**
480 Westcrest Drive
Nashville, Tennessee
The pond was built in 2002 by the homeowners and is approx 12' x 18'. It is 33 inches deep in the center. The back 2 feet is a vegetation filter filled with 12 - 15 inches of rocks. It has a ledge around 3 sides for plants and a small water fall. The pump is inside our skimmer box and pumps approx. 3000 gal per hr. The bio filter is at the back edge under a table buried in the ground.

3. **Sullivan Residence**
9288 Wardley Park Lane
Brentwood, Tennessee
Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in August of 2008. The homeowner had a water feature at his prior home that was installed by another contractor. After going on the tour in May of 2008, they knew they wanted Tranquil Waterscape to install the feature at the new home. A large 16' x 21' feature is centered on the outdoor patio that provides site and sound for the patio area, screened in porch, as well as the interior viewing area. The large bog filter above the pond supplies 3 waterfalls/streams that enter the pond. Underwater caves provide the fish a place to entertain themselves. If you are lucky, you will see Tank, the family Pomeranian playing fetch in the stream. The feature is surrounded by lush landscaping with several specimen plants.

4. **Morrow Residence**
5053 Marc Drive
Nashville, Tennessee 37221
Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in April 2002. Always a favorite on the tour, a 50' stream leading to 16' x 21' pond provided the canvas for these homeowners to really get creative with their garden. The private gazebo, tropical banana tree area, cactus garden, and various garden art provide plenty to see and talk about.

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5. Ooi Residence

632 Firefox Drive
Brentwood, Tennessee 37027

Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in December 2007. Ever seen a sandy beach next to a water feature? You will here! Part of the homeowner's desires was to have a "beach" area to entertain the children. The "beach" is next to a 16 x 21 feature that has large river boulders and a stone bridge going across the pond. Additional landscaping complete by the family includes a dry creek bed and various plants to complete the garden area.

6. Hubbard Residence

9548 Hampton Reserve Drive
Brentwood, Tennessee 32027

Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in December 2006. The family had a small, traditional koi pond at the prior residence that they really enjoyed. When they moved to their new home in 2006, they wanted to create their ultimate "dream pond". Considering a water feature and a swimming pool, they decided to go with a large, low maintenance water feature. The result is a 25' x 35' x 5' deep feature with a natural bog filter. Whether it is wading in the bog area to discover frog eggs and tadpoles or swimming underneath the bridge with the fish, the children at the Hubbard home are learning about nature while having fun! The homeowner comments, "...the pond is the end of the day refuge for my wife and I where we hand feed the koi and the sound of the waterfall drowns out the rest of the world".

7. Seeley Residence

2112 Holly View Court (enter at the stone entry and go up the hill to the last (3rd) house)
Brentwood, Tennessee 37027

Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in March of 2009. This home is nestled into the hill side with a walk out basement on the lower level. The design called for providing access completely around the home. The end result is a natural boulder walkway leading from the driveway to the backyard. As you start to descend the boulder steps, the waterfalls invite you into the area. A covered porch with a fireplace and flagstone surface set next to the pond area provides shelter from the elements. An additional large paver patio with a wall to sit next to the pond is located immediately off the porch. Stone steps lead down the hillside to the walkout basement. The installation is a hit with the 3 children and their friends.

8. Washburn Residence

1070 Lewisburg Pike
Franklin, Tennessee 37064

Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in February 2008. If you are looking for a backyard retreat with all of the elements, this is the stop for you. The back yard features a swimming pool with waterfall, a pergola to provide shade, outdoor fireplace, built in grill, covered porch, and of course, a natural water feature. The installation is a hit with the family and especially the grandsons...they would rather put on their snorkel mask and swim with the fish than swim in the pool!

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9. Ikemoto Residence

1108 Warrior Drive
Franklin, Tennessee

Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in November of 2007. Do you love the site and sound of water but not really sure you want a pond? This home feature 2 large streams located on the hillside behind the wooden deck. The water flows down the streams and “disappears” into a gravel covered basin. The basin holds approximately 2,000 gallons of water. This type of installation is referred to as “pondless waterfall”. The homeowner has been adding to the landscaping each year since the installation and is now ready to share their private retreat with you.

10. Cobern Residence

2802 Cale Court
Franklin, Tennessee

Installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in November of 2009. The homeowner had the vision and the design ideas and teamed up with TWD to complete the installation. A segmented retaining wall provided the frame for the installation of this patio, fire pit, and pondless waterfall. The patio surface is a large, 60 pound paver made to look like flagstone. The landscape lighting located under the cap of the wall and in the water feature provides an intimate atmosphere for relaxing in the evening.

11. Melendez Residence

1015 Sattui Court
Franklin, Tennessee

Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in October of 2009. The homeowner had a water feature at their prior residence that they had constructed. Natural, chemical free, biological filtration was on the top of their list. After interviewing 4 contractors to complete the installation, they decide to use TWD. The result is a 16 x 21 beautifully landscaped pond with an upper bog and three cascading waterfalls. The pond is centered in a brand new yard with 20' river birch trees, outdoor fireplace, and hot springs hot tub - the perfect get away oasis

12. Page Residence

5651 Pinewood Road
Leipers Fork, Tennessee (Franklin mailing address)

Designed and installed by Tranquil Waterscape Designs in October of 2008. The home owner had constructed their own water feature at their prior residence. They met some challenges with this installation and TWD assisted them in addressing the issues. Once they decided to construct their new residence on 15 secluded acres, they selected TWD to do the design and installation. The result is a beautiful 16' x 21' feature with a raised seating wall adjacent to the patio. **An 8' by 8' rock-filled bog filter next to the house feeds two large waterfalls that cascade into the pond below.** The installation is “tucked” into an L- shaped area on the exterior of the home which allows the homeowner to enjoy the installation from their screened in porch **and dining room/kitchen.** The large patio adjacent to the pond also features a fire pit that is enjoyed on cool evenings. **This home is for sale, so if you've ever wanted to live in the woods with a private pond paradise in your back yard, this is your chance!**

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13. Weston Residence

7110 Cooper Lane
Fairview, Tennessee

The homeowners built their first water feature at their prior residence so they had experience when it came time to build one at their new home. The new pond was completed in the summer of 2008 with the help of their grandchildren. Much larger than the first, it is 26' x 30' and ranges in depth from a few inches to just over three feet in the center. It has two skimmers, two biological filters, and a 5' wide waterfall. Surrounded by large trees, it is the focal point of the backyard and provides a quiet place to relax and watch the fish as well as all the birds attracted by the pond and nearby woods.

The homeowners wish to thank Larry Morrow (stop #4) for inspiring them to build the first pond and for advising them to "go see Randy Young at TWD", and of course Randy for his advice and guidance on both projects.