



## Helpful Information for You and Your Pool

## From Pool to Pond - Discussion

Are you ready to do something with the pool that you no longer use? Sure, you can rip it out, fill it in or why not create an added feature and make it into a delightful soothing pond.

Yes, it's a great feature, will add value to your home and can be made reversible so the new home owner can turn it back into a pool, something that may turn them for a looker, to the buyer of your home.

We can work with you and your imagination on this project.

A project you can take pride in and enjoy relaxing moments beside your own private water garden. It will offer a temperate relief in the summer heat, and even provide real fresh fish for the table, should you wish.



As each situation is different, we suggest you contact us for personal attention. We can work with you and within the guidelines you set. We offer ideas, support and guidance.

The general process is to:

- 1 Empty all water from pipes and pool.
- 2 Plug any pipes as they enter the pool.
- 3 Remove all filter equipment and seal pipe ends.
- 4 Fill pool with sand bags to create desired depths, shapes etc.
- 5 Line pool with a heavy duty membrane and take beyond coping tiles etc.
- 6 CAREFULLY fill pool with water.
- 7 Plant vegetation in pool in pots etc, add any paving stones and features.
- 8 Create any borders etc, beyond pool edge.
- 10 Plant with vegetation such as grass, rushes, trees etc.
- 11 Connect up water cleaning systems and turn on.
- 12 Take some pictures of what you do and make some sketches and leave in house file for new owners.

The end result will save you money, (no pool chemicals to keep on using), offer a unique, interesting feature to your garden, be almost maintenance free and is reversible should you or your new homeowner's desire.



See the pictures to get some ideas on how you can transform your backyard into an amazing water feature.



For some more ideas have a look here:

http://poolpaint.com.au/projects-gallery/pool-to-pond/

Contact us for more assistance: