What's On The Mind?
Blue/Green Algae- The recent rains, may help eliminate the problem for a while. If you suspect you are having this problem, do the at home jar test. If the results are positive, consider fencing off the scummy part of your pond. I would try and roll a weedy bale of hay into the scummy part of the pond, it can't hurt!

Lily pads in ponds, seem to be more of a problem this year? I know the lily pads at the lake are sure showing up more this year. I'm not sure why one year would be better over another year, since they grow in water. I'm still researching this, stay tuned.

