



# Aquatic Weed Control, Inc.

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Newsletter



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## March Madness — Let the competition begin

March is the time of year when the competition between Aquatic Weed Control and the opposing teams begin.

Our team of all stars are seasoned and will put on a full court press to stop our opponents from scoring points as they try to gain ground in the warmer months.

Our first opponent is the Air Potato team. They can shoot up from anywhere on the court. Their heart-shaped uniforms might make them look gentle, but they quickly rebound and dominate over anything around them.

### Player Stats:

Height: Tall, can reach 70 feet

Position: Invasive Plant

Points: 10 to 200 potatoes per season

Speed: Vines grows up to 8 inches per day

Background: They came to the U.S. in 1905 from Africa and have been a problem ever since. Aerial tubers form in the leaf axils. These potato-looking tubers are smooth and can grow to 4 by 5 inches. When the potatoes get too heavy for the size of the vine, they drop to the ground. A new vine will soon sprout.

The stats say it all. This is not a team you want scoring points on your court. We are warmed up and ready to guard you against this aggressive team.

We can permanently bench them and knock them out of the competition. They may think they have home court advantage—not so. No fouls called, just good teamwork that takes the needed shots to score big for our fans. We know you, our fans, appreciate the fact that you are behind a winning team.

We appreciate our fans and your enthusiastic team support.



## THANK YOU

We wish to thank all our loyal customers for paying on time.

Whether you are a new customer or one that has been with us for many years, our goal is to always deliver superior service, in a timely manner that meets and exceeds your expectations.

We appreciate you!

## Invasive Plants

Invasive plants have grown to be such a problem for the state of Florida that there is an official Invasive Species List. Aquatic plants, vines, shrubs and trees have made the list.

The air potato featured here is one of the worst. Others are torpedo grass, alligator weed, caesar-weed, hydrilla and there are hundreds more.

Plants that make this list have most likely come from other countries where their native climate kept these plants in check. When they are introduced to Florida, natural controls are no longer working so they thrive and choke out the Florida native plants.

Our job is to educate our employees to spot and destroy these plants one waterway and wetland at a time.

We accept our responsibility daily and do it with pride.