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Editor Report

Wow the June July issue is here already, Can you believe we are halfway through the year.

Congratulations to all of the competitors in the State Team Challenge and the Nationals There is a comprehensive coverage of the show in this issue and I will be trying to add more in the following issues.

My Spotlight on Juniors doesn't look like it is going to see the year out as there is still no interest in the youth in our hobby. I have had one or two older members that have contacted me congratulating me in trying to get this up and running however without any input from the members it can not continue..

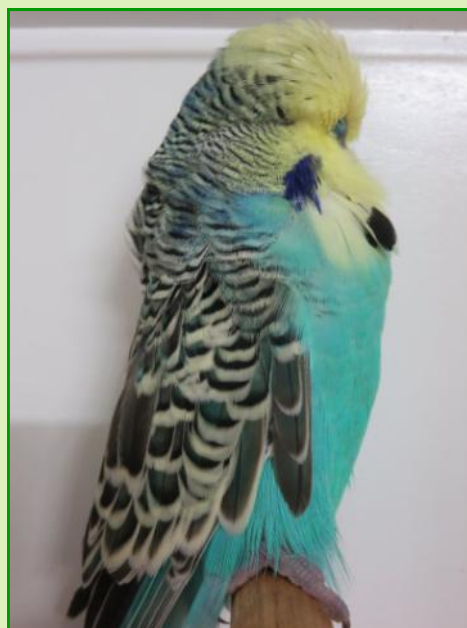
July is AGM time so good luck to all of the branches, time to thank all past position holders and welcome new or existing committee members to your branch.

Please don't forget the BSNSW AGM on the 12th September starting at 10.30am at Blacktown RSL this is the time that you the members can make a difference it is your club so whether it is to congratulate and thank the exiting committee or to voice concerns, this is the time to do it, come to your AGM everyone is encouraged and welcome to attend.

That's all from me hope to see you all at the AGM and thank you to all that have supported this publication over the last 12 months

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A & C Drury Logie winning Y/F

Presidents Report



Welcome to the latest edition of the Budgerigar Magazine of NSW. I am writing this report whilst in Western Australia for the 2015 ANBC Nationals. It has been a very busy couple of months for us all with the show season coming to an end and the breeding season well under way for most. As many of you are aware Ted Wallis who has been a huge part of the BSNSW for many years has not been well for some time and as I write this Ted is in hospital and our thoughts are with Ted and Barbara and we wish Ted a speedy recovery.

Over the course of the last two months we have continued to work on the website with many improvements taking place and more to come. We welcome Fehmeed Bilgrami to the Team as Webmaster. Fehmeed, under the guidance of Andrew Bourne has updated the What's On format, posted the Membership List online and continues to suggest new ways to improve the website and have it become a conduit for communication between the Society and its members.

The STCC was held on Saturday 13th June with congratulations going to Midstate Budgerigar Club who were convincing winners on the day followed by the Pied Society who were gallant in their attempt to retain the trophy they won last year. A big congratulations and vote of thanks to the Show Committee headed up by James Matthews and very well supported by the rest of the committee for all the time and effort that went into the day and which was very evident by how smoothly the day ran. Thank you to everyone that helped set up, clean up and do all the tasks that go into the day such as clerical, stewarding and of course judging. Thanks also to the branches that supported by bringing their staging along for use on the day and to everybody that helped to set up and pack up the staging which is a big task to undertake with limited time available to ensure the judging starts on time. Congratulations to everyone that had birds at the STCC and well done to those got a bird or birds into the NSW Team.

During the course of the day the Working Group had a PowerPoint presentation running and received some great feedback on the concept of the Combined Budgerigar Societies of NSW which it continues to develop in consultation with the membership. We have had requests for more information from some of the breeders that saw the presentation and our intention is to seek feedback from all members and associates to assist in developing a format that works for all. We certainly appear to have a renewed interest in the hobby with an expression of interest having been received from a group of breeders to join the Society as a new Branch, more on that in the coming months. With the decision being made by the delegates at the ANBC AGM that the application by the ACTBA not be approved we look forward to having the NSW breeders aligned and heading in the same direction which can only be a good thing for the individuals and the hobby as a whole.

By now your ring order for 2016 should be with Barbara Wallis so that the order can be placed with the new supplier which is Coditech who supply many different bird rings throughout Australia. I now have a sample of what we can expect to receive which certainly appears to be a step up from what we received this year and at the same price. We are pleased to offer the opportunity to receive coded rings again too.

Presidents report continued

The final day of the National judging has just concluded with congratulations going to Victoria for a very convincing win. We acknowledge A & C Druery and John Barden for winning the Yellow Faced Blue and Double Factor Spangle classes respectively, well done to you both. An amazing success story during the Nationals was the feat by Henry George to achieve the status of Hall of Fame (again) by winning seven Logies over the course of the weekend. This is something that has never been done before and unlikely to be achieved again in the near future. Congratulations Henry. A big thank you goes to our Team Carers under the guidance of Ian Hanington who once again have done a sterling job of preparing the Team. The time and care put in to look after the birds was the envy of the other States and Zones.

Finally and most importantly nominations are now closed for all positions on the BSNSW Management Team. If you would still like to be involved you can be nominated from the floor during the AGM. I look forward to connecting with you at the July Management Meeting to be held on Monday 13th July at Blacktown RSL at 7.30pm – 11.00pm.

I look forward to seeing you then.

Harry Charalambous

Important Notice to Members

Please be advised that Ted Wallis is currently quite sick in hospital, and neither he or Barbara will be in a position to respond to any emails to their woodland22 email address. We would ask that you do not trouble Barbara Wallis with any membership or ring enquiries at this time.

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From the Secretary.

Well the STCC show has been held & won. Congratulations to Mid State on their win. To all the Branches & Societies/Clubs who participated in this very competitive event thank you for making it so. To all those who are representing NSW at the ANBC show in Perth you have a few nail biting days ahead. I am sure your birds will do us proud.

July is the BSNSW Branches AGM month, please give the election of your office bearers a lot of thought. If you feel you can assist in the day to day running of your branch then I am sure your participation will be welcomed. To all the hard working Branch Office bearers thank you for your efforts over the past 12 months.

Arr! now I come the forthcoming BSNSW AGM (**SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER 2015**) to be held at **Blacktown RSL Club 2nd Avenue Blacktown start time 10-30 am**. At the completion of the AGM there will be a lunch break then the **September BSNSW Management meeting will take place**.

There were very few nominations for Office Bearer & other positions & as result the Society is seeking your help in fulfilling some of these very important positions. Some vacant positions to be filled are

1 Vice president, Treasurer, Show manager, Public officer & 2 Trustees. Nominations received are as follows.

President: Harry Charalambous, **Vice Presidents(2)** Andre Ozoux & Ian Manton (Ian has Declined) **Secretary:** Mark Wilton **Editor:** Anna Shaw **Membership Registrar:** Keith Nicholls. **Note:** Should Ted change his mind & wishes to continue as BSNSW membership registrar I will decline. There was 1 other nomination which was received a few days late & that nomination was declined

In conclusion I would like to thank Ian Hanington & his very capable crew Andre & Craig in their efforts in preparing & caring for our NSW team.

Happy breeding
Keith Nicholls
Secretary.

What's on

WHAT'S ON 2015/16

July

- 4th Hills District Branch Auction
- 13th BSNSW Management meeting
- 19th BRASEA Auction Brisbane

August

- 8th Newcastle Auction
- 9th Newcastle Young Bird Show
- 16th South West Society Auction Junee Ex Servicemans Club
- 21st St George Branch Annual Auction
- 23rd New England Branch Young Bird Show

September

- 13th Northside Annual Show
- 20th Pied Society Annual Show

October

- 11th Shoalhaven Branch Young bird classic
- 18th BRASEA Bexley
- 20th deadline for Budgerigar magazine articles
- 25th St George/Illawarra combined annual Young stock Show

November

- 1st Penrith Valley Annual Show
- 21st Midstate Budgerigar show

February 2016

- 20th Northern NSW Annual Shaw

March

- 13th New England Branch Annual Show



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STRESS

Its effect on Budgerigars, their Life Span and Breeding Performance

GLORIA V. E. HAVENHAND M.Sc., Ph.D



Don't we, humans expect so much from other species?

Why it was only yesterday evolutionary speaking (alright then, it was about 125 years ago) that budgerigars were first caged and carted from their motherland, Australia. There they lived in large flocks, enjoying endless space, indulging in the seeds of innumerable grasses and breeding effortlessly in the protection of the Eucalyptus and gum trees, producing entire colonies of nestlings — don't be soothed by the word of some 'old salt' that budgies prefer dead trees in which to breed, think again, for they alone, are prepared to believe this white lie when they furnish a breeding cage with a nest box made of D.I.Y. plyboard.

Does the natural habitat sound like Paradise?

What you offer !

So what might you offer these totally dependent little creatures?

At best, they will enjoy a flight that might allow 3 second high continuous flying in one direction. At worst, they will be confined to a cage twice their own length. Depending on health and season, your budgerigars may be confined and isolated for long periods, or alternatively might agonise over grossly overcrowded conditions. Then to boost your ego even more, they are washed, groomed and further confined to show cages, when they are hawked to and from shows — and do you know what? You then moan and groan when they hyper ventilate, become prone to disease, refuse to breed normally, and then the end ! — these cared-for creatures have the nerve to die prematurely !

Not dissimilar to Man himself really?

Stress and the environment

Our total evolution from the African plains might be traced back 1½ million years ago. Is that too long to imagine? The just look at the difference of your own lifestyle today in 1987 and compare it against that of your great, great grand-parents just 120 years ago. Today, you accept the hustle and bustle of a hurried, complex and demanding lifestyle, but you recognise the stressful reactions that you must face as a consequence. Could it be then, that budgerigars and ourselves are prime victims of stress caused by the false and artificial environment that we have created?

Now, in order to understand your stock and improve on it, you must be precise in your questions:

EXACTLY,

i) *how can you identify stress in your aviary?*

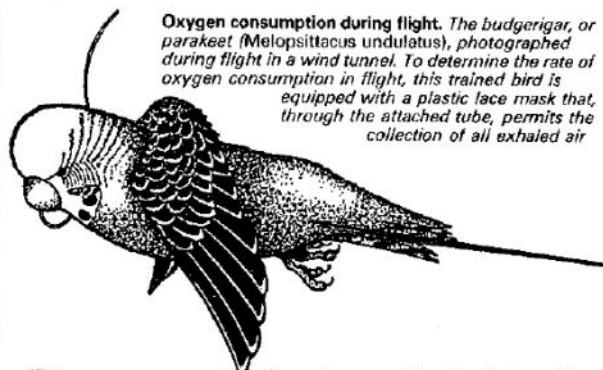
ii) *what are the effects of stress?*

iii) *How can YOU help overcome stress?*

It might be some help first of all, to explain the meaning of Three Little Words, and your measurements of stress will become clearer: **BASAL METABOLIC RATE**

Oxygen measured

The B.M.R. is the rate at which animals and plants consume oxygen from the air, and the rate at which they give out heat produced in their bodies as a result of energy production. So, to make matters simple, we are going to measure the B.M.R. of budgerigars by measuring the oxygen breathed in (you might not believe the photo showing a breathing mask attached to a budgerigar — but it happened, and it produced information about oxygen breathed in under different conditions e.g. at rest, walking, flying at different speeds etc.)



Oxygen consumption during flight. The budgerigar, or parakeet (*Melopsittacus undulatus*), photographed during flight in a wind tunnel. To determine the rate of oxygen consumption in flight, this trained bird is equipped with a plastic face mask that, through the attached tube, permits the collection of all exhaled air

This measurement will produce a direct relationship from which the BMR is taken. Hence, when a bird breathes fast, as in flight, the more oxygen is consumed and its BMR shoots up commensurately. What is more, other bodily functions speed up in harmony. The heart beats faster (it must pump oxygen to the tissues more quickly) and in order to fulfil the demands of the wing muscles during full flight, for example, the bird will start to hyperventilate (breathing exceptionally fast) — resulting in a high BMR.

QUESTION. Have you ever hyperventilated in either YOUR OWN or OTHER peoples Aviaries?

OBSERVATION. Next time you plod down the garden path to your own or a friend's aviary, count the number of breaths/minute that you take in just ONE minute. (Note — 'IN and OUT' constitutes one breath).

Breathing rates

On average, and in a well ventilated aviary, you might count 18-20 breaths/minute. In a poorly ventilated birdroom, this rate will increase in 25 or 30 breaths/minute. poor ventilation causes you and your birds to hyperventilate. Now and again, might be acceptable — but if your bird room is plagued with static, moisture laden air — you and your birds are subjected to metabolic stress.

Just think —

the heart beat of a budgerigar (relaxed) is 250 beats/minute.

the heart beat of a budgerigar under stress can be 600 beats/minute.

YOUR breathing rate is approximately 18 breaths/min., whilst a budgerigar's could be between 70-100 breaths/min.

You should take note of those higher figures above and you should be prepared to scrutinise the breathing rates of your flocks with almost the detail that a woman might self examine herself for breast cancer!

Stress

If you find their breathing rates are abnormally high, then they are showing signs of STRESS with a Capital S. This result will also give you a good idea of your bird's life expectancy (or longevity). So my advice is twofold:

- find the cause of hyperventilation e.g. overcrowding, disease or poor aviary ventilation?*
- if no reason is apparent — pair up that bird as soon as possible in order to reap from its offspring — dare I say that its days may be numbered?*

NOW PROVE TO YOURSELF that respiratory rates do differ in humans and budgerigars alike.

When I am invited to Societies to lecture on 'Stress', the first demand I make from the audience is to take their own breathing rates/minute.

e.g.

Name	Rate (at 10a.m.)	Rate (at 11a.m.)
A. Fancier	12/min	25/min

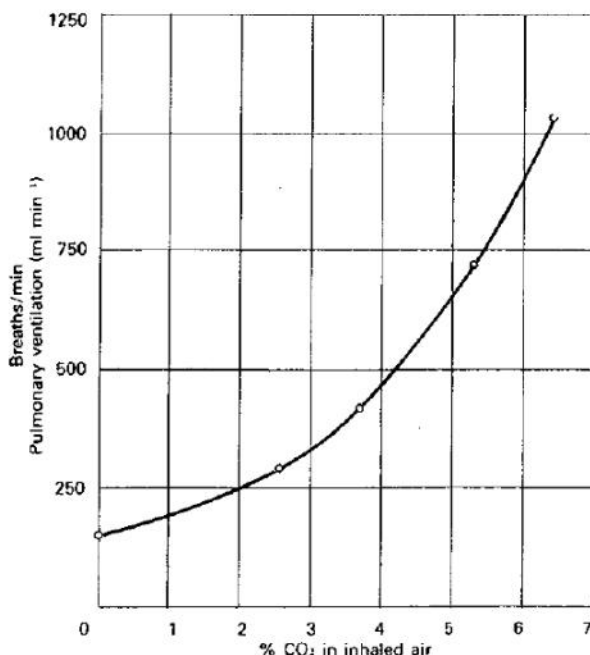
After an hour, each member takes their breathing rate again. Guess what? Without exercise, without emotional stress, the respiratory stress has increased. The reason? In a crowded room (likewise in an overcrowded birdroom), the oxygen content decreases whilst the carbon dioxide increases correspondingly. Take this as a biological fact that if the carbon dioxide increases in the air that we breathe, then the breathing rate — hence hyperventilation — hence stress!

Laboured breathing

I have personally experienced laboured breathing after standing only minutes in some fanciers aviary — so you can envisage the continual effect on your birds. Continual metabolic stress will result in a shorter life (dare you blame your birds ever again when so many die so young?)

For proof, cast your eyes over the graph below.

The effect on pulmonary ventilation volume of increased carbon dioxide content of the inhaled air in chickens. (Johnson and Jukes 1966)



Fresh air contains only 0.03% of carbon dioxide (CO₂). On the graph, you will see that when the air contains just 2.5% CO₂ (a common occurrence in battery hens), then the breathing rate has doubled.

Let us hope that conditions are significantly better in your birdroom, or you are asking a lot from highly stressed feathered friends.

Size of budgerigars

The 'B.W.' Editor asked me to comment on the effect of increased size in budgerigars. My answer is twofold.

Genetically, the birds are getting bigger as are their internal organs in proportions. Increased size strangely enough, should equip the bird to be better able to cope with stresscausing factors. For the rule that applies is "The larger the animal mass (for those non-cathol-

ics, mass — weight), the slower the respiratory rate/unit mass". Hence, an elephant has a lower BMR than a shrew's BMR.

Again, substantiate these facts by studying the graph for a few seconds.

No, the fanciers problem of increased size, lies not with size alone — but in the genes carried and their consequent effect.

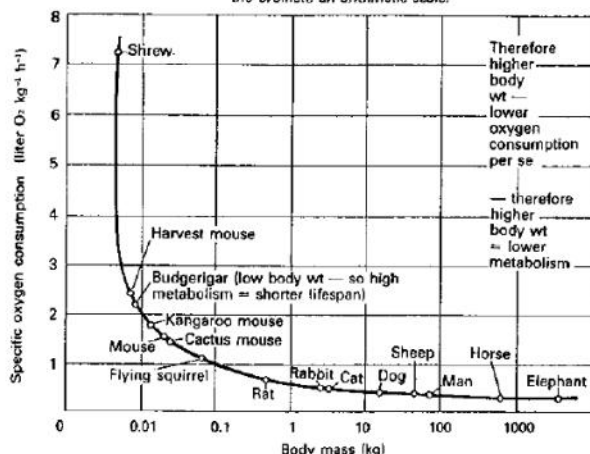
The reason why so many "Butch-Budgies" become Megastars in their own right at shows, is more often than not through INBREEDING.

Inbreeding is like an African watering hole in the dry season — every day the water level is visibly less. So, with a gene pool when birds are inbred (that is, closely related birds bearing genes common to both partners)

— the gene pool gets less and less with each inbred mating.

Now if those concentrated genes are worthwhile e.g. shape, size and colour of spot, then you shout 'hooray'. But if, as so often happens the smaller gene pool exhibits in the external appearance of the offspring, a

Observed rates of specific oxygen consumption of various mammals. The oxygen consumption per unit body mass increases rapidly with decreasing body size. Note that the abscissa has a logarithmic scale and the ordinate an arithmetic scale.



bad or detrimental fault, then that gene pool must be altered, or not used again!

Hybrid Vigour

Some fanciers have thrived on careful inbreeding however, and their own gene pool has spawned certain recognisable characteristics which win favour on the show bench and the trained eye.

Yes, the top breeders may have their gene pool right for winning certificates, but they often admit, that they have not got it right for winning through during the breeding season. *Constant inbreeding leads to loss of fertility, lowered desire to mate and an inconsistent metabolism which balances between, unfit and off-colour for most of the time.* This phenomenon is known as loss of **HYBRID VIGOUR**.

This is why pedigree dogs often lack the high survival and adaptive qualities of the mongrel. So it is back to our watering hole again (or your gene pool) which at some point must be replenished with "rainwater". The gene pool must be topped up with genes from other noble lines. Result, a fitter more vigorous strain which is quicker to adapt to new conditions — hence a higher *resistance* to factors causing stress.

So, I hear you below — 'O.K., O.K., I've got the ventilation right and I am trying to understand inbreeding and undertake it sensibly — so now what? Now you start to think on behalf of your birds by first of all identifying what symptoms are apparent when your own body is affected by stress.

Might you include some of the following items?

Emotional problems, physical injury, isolation, lack of privacy, fear, competition (at work or socially), aggression etc., etc., not to mention the struggle for the material necessities of life.

Budgerigar World . December 1987

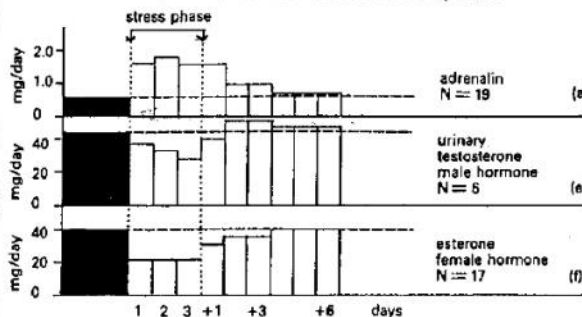
Adrenalin

Is there any wonder then that your body is flicked into "superdrive"? — this is done automatically by substances released directly into the bloodstream from a pair of glands that nestle near to the kidneys. These glands are only the size of a pea in humans, but their effect is such that you are equipped to move mountains as a result of their hormone production. They are called the **ADRENAL GLANDS** and produce (yes you've guessed it) **ADRENALIN** as one of many hormones. When you blush with embarrassment or have 'a near miss' crossing a road, adrenalin is the substance to blame. Adrenalin is hailed as the **FRIGHT, FIGHT or FLIGHT** hormone. In other words, as a result of being scared out of your wits, adrenalin increases the heart rate almost to throbbing audibly, increases the blood supply to active muscles and the brain, whilst dilating the pupils of the eyes at the same time. Adrenalin is a powerful hormone to prepare you physically to either face the problem (**FIGHT**) or run away from the problem like a bat out of hell (**FLIGHT**).

So, you ask, what relevance is this information for my birds? If your birds are panic-stricken when cats claw at your outside flight, flap about at certain types of noises, are distressed by overcrowding or frustrated by inadequate nesting provisions, then your birds are in 'supercharge' and responding naturally to adrenalin. Continual stress or even spasmodic stress takes its toll on these birds to such an extent that other bodily functions are thrown out of balance and this will soon be apparent at the breeding season (if the victims do not die beforehand that is).

Stress and sex

Let's face it, if YOU were in the middle of fighting a war, your mind would hardly dote on sex, mating, copulation and courtship displays! For it is a fact that as the adrenalin increases in the body, the corresponding proportion of sex hormones drops during the period of stress and may take a number of days to return to normal. With ensuing stress, lowered amounts of the male hormone testosterone (produced by the testes) will show itself in the behaviour of the male's mating performance — he will be less assertive towards his mate. Courtship could also be incomplete and to cap it all sperm production will be reduced. Similarly, the female hormone oestrogen (produced by the ovaries) will drop dramatically, which will affect the receptivity of the hen towards the cock when he is trying to copulate with her. This directly affects the consequent release of eggs and influences her maternal 'broody hen' nature on which the survival of her chicks will depend.



Mean hormone levels, during pre-avoidance testing (C) 3 days of avoidance conditioning sessions, and 6 recovery days, in the rhesus monkey.

Egg release is almost switched on by oestrogen and there are related hormones that help to orchestrate the sensitive symphony of the female's hormonal system. I ask YOU — could it be that hens subjected to cool, but nevertheless constant stress, over-produce adrenalin and as a consequence, under-produce oestrogen? Hence low (if any) egg production.

My ears are suddenly deafened, for I hear you all cry.

Making your birds buzz

It's light that stimulates egg release. So another thousand extra light fittings are purchased and fitted, even though those aviaries were already fitted with daytime lights, night time lights and in an emergency — even battery operated lights. Oh yes, light helps, but it is not perfection for promoting normal active sexual behaviour! Those chemical messengers oestrogen and testosterone really make your birds buzz — but remember how they are severely off-balanced by STRESS, STRESS, STRESS!

Should the first mating fail — never despair.

Budgerigar are hardly paragons of virtue, and when one mating is unsuccessful, than a mating with a different hen should be undertaken at lightning speed. Hens can, and do fret at the loss of their partner — cocks seem to look to the future more positively.

Indeed President Coolidge of the United States almost admitted that he would like to swap places with a farmyard cockerel — for in poultry, as in many animals, it is unbelievable how a new partner on the scene, can and does stimulate the male to mate vigorously yet again.

The Coolidge Effect

This happens even when the male has been successfully copulating with the first female and as a result of 'exhaustion' has lost interest in her. No doubt many male readers of 'B.W.' are themselves licking their lips with deep understanding of this phenomenon, which is called 'The Coolidge Effect' — after ex-president Calvin Coolidge. The tale tells that the President and his wife were opening a farming exhibition and Mrs. Coolidge noticed with deep interest, that the cockerels were very active, to which an official commented, "Madam, they sure are — they probably mate several times per day".

"Wow", she replied excitedly, "go tell the President immediately." This he did.

With thought the President enquired "Tell me, does each cockerel mate with the same hen or a different hen every time?"

The aide quickly replied "Oh, with a different hen every time sir".

"Well", grinned the President, "what are you waiting for? Go tell that to Mrs. Coolidge right away!"

Natural behaviour

Natural behaviour, however is ignored and averted by so many fanciers. Just think how negative it is of some fanciers to purposefully separate cocks and hens in different bird rooms — where they cannot hear each other. It is well known that this stress factor particularly applies to males, when the testes become smaller. This is not so when the cocks and hens are in earshot of each other chirping even though they are yards apart. Some researchers however, are firmly convinced that wooing words of song from the cock actually 'flicks the switch'

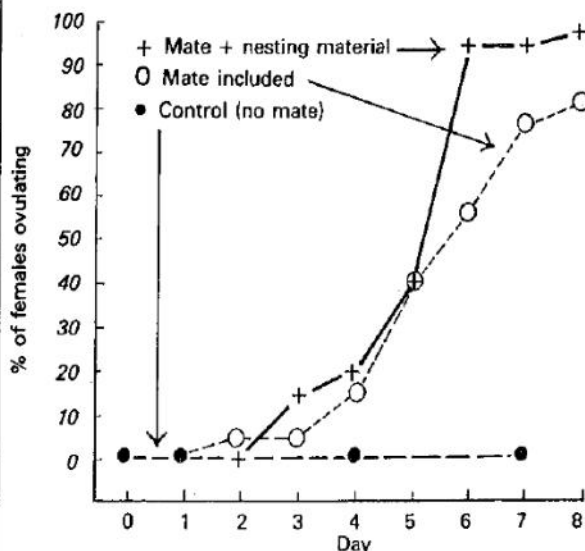
in the hen, resulting in egg production and high female hormone release.

Chirping and birdsong have long been underestimated in the stimulation of both sexes and before pairing — for although, we cannot identify "words" as such from budgerigars, the tone and delivery of the song engenders a "feeling" towards him from the hen. She demands a commitment from the cock that he will contribute not just his sperm, but will help in incubation of the eggs and feeding of the young. You know very well that females of most species of birds and mammals need a feeling of trust and well being from their partner, since the rearing of their offspring has a better chance of survival this way.

Behaviour patterns

So, I hear you lament again, 'my birds have light; have a well balanced diet, have ventilation, enjoy the right temperature and are deafened by each others noise, but still, the hen will not settle and appears somewhat distressed and is therefore under STRESS.'

I am far from this year's 'Mastermind on Budgerigars', but I am always prepared to look at behaviour patterns in other birds and experiment with my observations. Cast your eyes over the graph below:



Effect of association with a mate or with a mate and nest material on the occurrence of ovulation in female ring doves. The pairs were set up on day 0 and the plots show the percentage of females which had ovulated with the passage of time thereafter. The control females, none of which ovulated, were left in isolation.

Note: Budgies do not depend on day-length or temperature to ovulate — Fitness and Nesting Material are paramount factors.

Look carefully at the three different lines.

A) with no mate — no ovulation.

B) with her mate alone — 75% ovulation

C) with her mate PLUS nesting material — 98% ovulation.

A nest box stimulates

It would seem that the presence of a nest box in breeding cages a couple of days before the cock is introduced to the hen, works wonders for the hens. The sight and presence of the nest box reinforces on the hen that the environmental factors are right — she settles in

the cage quickly, and some observers have noted with this technique that, when the cock is introduced, her sexual receptivity is explosive! That is when the formula is right, and ovulation is natural.

The last thing you need now is a cock who is unfit and listless and is either unaware or unwilling to court his partner. For now you witness a frustrated hen (what greater stress can a female suffer?) — she will rub his neck and beak, chatter endlessly to him and generally try to awaken the sleeping beauty. She becomes restless and anxious and adrenalin is produced as a result of STRESS — this means that she will 'go off the boil' in her receptivity to the cock (female readers of 'B.W.' will share her despair at this stage).

Conclusion

So, to conclude. Never be afraid to place yourself in the position and environment of your birds. Never be

afraid to imagine yourself on a perch, and take a good look at the conditions inside and outside the cage.

Never be afraid to experiment.

Never ever neglect your reading about budgerigars in the wild, their habits and their behaviour patterns. Read about other psittacines — even other species, — it will surprise you how similar their basic patterns of behaviour are.

Never overlook the changing appearance of show budgerigars — and how this contributes to stress.

Never underestimate nature herself. Even slight stress will eventually lead to an imbalance of body chemicals and hormones.

Never get into the moaning and groaning habit when things don't happen as you would wish. Keen observation has won many a war — why not this one?

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Yass Annual Show 2015

Inclement weather but we were blessed with sunshine in patches for this, the 24th annual show on Sunday the 26th of April.

I had the pleasure of judging this show, and I must say I have always been disappointed at the lack of support from the Sydney exhibitors. The prizes and trophies always put the BSNSW trophy lists as second best. The budgerigars have always been supported by the Victorians and ACT. The reason why the standard of exhibits has always been high. Next year is their 25th show so come on Sydney get off the lounge and show some support for our country fanciers.

This years show was won by Ewing Cooke (Cookie to his friends) who usually has birds in the Victorian team, with a very nice Cinnamon Grey hen. This bird had excellent shape and substance and was also very strong in variety points. Best young hen was also this birds award. Best old cock was a spangle grey green also benched by cookie, a bit down on colour and substance but otherwise a very good bird. Best old hen a Dominant Grey Pied owned by Kevin Johnson (a Yass member) staged very well., a bit down on substance but very strong in variety points. Best young cock, a normal sky blue from the stud of Jim Baker, a little out of condition but never the less of good type and will no doubt do well in future Sydney shows.

Some other birds, worthy of mention were the following: a Green Spangle that had the markings once seen on all spangles with deep yellow background for the wings, also of good type but a little small. A Yellow Face Blue that looked like the words in the standard was written for this bird. A Fallow green series also very strong in colour and markings and of good size as fallows go. The Clearwings were in the main very clear but as always rather small accept for the best Clearwing in the show, this bird was long enough but lacked width of shoulder and depth of chest but for a long Clearwing it was excellent in variety.

C'mon Sydney out of your back yard and challenge the southerners next year.

Ron Hunt
A.N.B.C Judge

Cont



Yass results



Best yellow faced blue
Reserve champion young cock
DF Spangle
Champion young cock normal
blue
Grand champion cinnamon
Grey hen
Reserve champion young hen
green normal Spangle
Head shot grand champion
Head shot res champ young
cock
Champion old bird Spangle
Grey green cock



SHOW RESULTS

ORANA AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC.

Annual Show Held 31st May 2015

Grand Champion - Mark Hawke - \$100 Open Order Donated by Bird Boxes Galore

Champ. Opp. Sex - Wayne Cusack – 3 Bay Training cage Donated by Frank Duff

Champ. Open Old	-	Mark Hawke
Champ. Opp. Sex Open Old	-	Mark Hawke
Champ. Open Young	-	Wayne Cusack
Champ. Opp. Sex Open Young	-	John Barden
Champ. Intermediate	-	Terry O'Brien
Champ. Intermediate Opp. Sex	-	Paul Bayliss
Champ. Novice	-	Craig Barber
Champ. Novice Opp. Sex	-	Brian Edgecock

Variety Awards

Normal	-	Wayne Cusack
Yellow Face Blue	-	Mark Hawke
Aust. Yellow Face Blue	-	John Boss
B.E. Yellow or White	-	Wayne Cusack
Suffused Yellow or White	-	Wayne Cusack
Lutino	-	Mark Hawke
Albino	-	Mark Hawke
Greywing	-	Barry & Maree Wise
Cinnamonwing	-	Wayne Cusack
Double Factor Spangle	-	Terry O'Brien
Opaline	-	John Barden
Opaline AOSV	-	John Barden
Clearbody	-	Bob Cosgrove
Lacewing	-	Peter Baker
Fallow	-	Mark Hawke
Spangle	-	Mark Hawke
Spangle AOSV	-	Barry & Maree Wise
Dominant Pied	-	Barry & Maree Wise
Recessive Pied	-	Anelzark & Bohringer
Dark Eyed Clear	-	Jamie Perry
Crested	-	Bob Cosgrove
Non Standard	-	Mark Hawke
Best Pair	-	Mark Hawke

Orana Show Continued

Due to another booking of our venue on the Saturday we were not able to start the setup of benching until after 3pm. This proved to be a small blessing, (in some respects) thus giving the budgie boys time to have a Mid-State meeting and to cage their birds. Although the weather was far from pleasant on the day this year's show saw a rise in budgerigar entries from last year to just 2 short of 200. They were ably adjudicated by Allen McCauley who we must thank for his time and expertise. By all accounts, the get together on Saturday night at 'Sporties' club was well attended and quite 'sufficient'

Grand Champion & Champ Open Old was awarded to Mark Hawke for his spangle grey hen collecting the \$100 Open Order from Bird Boxes Galore & Painting from Wayne Altman by Camelle Lamb. Champion Opp. Sex & Champ. Open Young went to Wayne Cusack with a young Greygreen cock and received a 3 Bay Training cage made & kindly donated by Frank Duff.

Opposite sex Open Young went to John Barden's Normal Greygreen Hen. Champion Intermediate was Terry O'Brien's DF Spangle & Paul Bayliss taking out the Opp. Sex Intermediate. Champion Novice was Craig Barber's Normal Grey Hen & Brian Edgecock winning Champion Opp. Sex Novice with his Skyblue Cock.

A huge thankyou must go to all those who helped with the staging setup & dismantling, thus easing the workload all round.

Our thanks to our Major Sponsor this year 'Donut King' and the continued support and donations of 'Bird Boxes Galore' & Frank Duff's expertly crafted cages.

Hopefully we can attract more exhibitors in future that are willing to travel a little to enjoy the country air, hospitality & friendly competition.



2015 B.S.N.S.W. Carers Report

This years STCC was once again held at the Dural Sports and Leisure Centre, on Saturday 13th June, in conjunction with the BSNSW State Team Selection.

As has been the case for the last few years, numbers of entries, as well as Teams on the day, were down again for 2015. A total of 15 teams took part on the day. Mid State were back to their best and turned the tables on the Pied Society, after running second to them last year. Mid State 707, Pied Society 640, NNSW 597, were the first 3 placings for this year.

Once again there were a number of prominent breeders that did not enter on the day, which seems to be becoming a bit of an unfortunate trend. I guess those of us that wish to have our birds shown at the National, will just have to pick up our act and try to breed a better quality of bird. If we are not able to achieve this we are going to fall too far behind the other States!

Some very nice birds were once again benched in the hope of selection. A number of classes presented the Judges with a real challenge to find 3 birds which it was felt were going to hopefully be towards the top end of the points.

With the usual people James, Maureen, Bruce and their helpers in charge along with the 17 judges and stewards the event proceeded as usual. All birds were photographed and rings checked by Nola, Steve and others prior to the lunch break.

Following the presentation of the State Shield to the Mid State President Reg Bohringer by the BSNSW President Harry Charalambous, the owners of the winning birds were acknowledged and presented with their medals.

Thank you very much to the people from Northern NSW who stayed back and helped out with securing the team, which then headed off to the holding cages. We did have a problem with a bird which wasn't happy right from Sunday morning but after a quick phone call to the owner, who had gone to Singapore for a holiday it was decided to replace the bird with another one.

With the first spray of water on Sunday morning it was very easy to note which birds had been receiving regular spraying prior to the event.

To get the best possible presentation it is imperative to spray the birds for a couple of weeks prior to the show, even if it is only with a very fine mist. It all helps the birds in the long run.

The next few days of weather were anything but conducive to spraying the birds

but with 3 different fans/heaters going for about 6.5 hours per day as well as a trip to Sydney and used again before the birds were loaded into the freight boxes, all went to plan. We left Sydney Thursday morning at 10.10am.

The birds landed at Perth Airport at 1.30pm local time. The expected delays at the Airport didn't eventuate and we were allowed to take the team away immediately. The team was loaded into the hire car and we reached the venue at Mandurah about 3.15pm.

Once again this year we were very lucky and the damage done in the freight boxes, through birds fighting was minimal. We did what we thought was necessary at the time then left the birds to their own devices to settle into their new environment for the night.

Friday morning we went through them with a fine tooth comb. At least we thought we did but we were questioned by the judges for leaving an extra spot in our Violet. As good as it looked it was never going to beat the winner, which was outstanding.

On entering the holding room at 6am on Saturday the first thing we noticed was that our first placed hen was not 100%, so she was given some Quick Gel and hand rearing food and placed in the hospital cage in our room. All up she was fed 3 times so when it was time for the Hens class we felt she was doing much better. She was benched but a small yellow stain was obvious on her bib and sadly the Judges asked that she be removed from the staging. The hen was worth the work and all efforts were made to present her because she was a lovely hen. By the next day she was fine again. One other bird appeared to be not quite 100% but it was fine again the next day after a bit of treatment.

Day 1- Morning Session, 10 classes to be benched.

“Judges Comments”

Class-1 Normal Green Series.

There was a lot of discussion regarding the first 2 placed birds, with the Judges saying that the second bird staged very well but fanned his flights while being judged.

2nd, 3rd and 6th.

Class-3 Normal Blue Series

The only comment made was that the first 3 birds picked themselves, and were the best 3 in the class by far. 4th, 7th and 11th.

Class-5 Normal Grey

The first bird was in excellent condition and feather, the next 2 were flecked which put them behind the first bird, but feather condition beat most of the next 6 or 7 birds. 5th, 8th and 9th.

Class-7 Australian Golden Faced Blue ASC

The first placed bird was an excellent specimen of the variety, while the second placed bird was the best budgie, but it had too much suffusion. The next 6 birds were all very even in quality, but placed as they were, in order of the amount of suffusion. Single factor birds were again evident in the class. 6th, 7th, 8th.

Class-9 Dilute ASC

There were some very good birds for variety and condition. The first placed bird was a hen which showed herself of very well and had excellent width of shoulder. The rest were placed in order of quality. 10th, 11th and 13th.

Class-11 Red Eyed Self Albino

The comment from the Judges was that this was the best overall class of Albino's that had been seen at any ANBC Show.

First placed bird was a hen, which was presented in excellent condition. The bird in second place was very nice also, but was beaten on the day by condition.

(This bird was sprayed no fewer than 4 times every day but had a lot of pin feathers and that preparation comment mentioned earlier may well have got this bird over the line) 2nd, 9th, 10th.

Class-13 Greywing ASC

The first placed bird was a hen in beautiful condition, followed by a cock, which was also in top feather. The third placed bird was also very nice, but not up to the standard of the first two. 3rd, 6th and 11th.

Class-15 Spangle Double Factor ASC

Our first winner. The winning bird showed very well, with excellent width of head and shoulder. The second and third placed birds were in very good condition, but not up to the standard of the first bird. 1st, 8th and 12th.

Class-17 Opaline ASC,AOSV

First placed bird had excellent markings for the variety, and had performed very well while being judged. The second placed bird did not show himself off to his best advantage at all and laid across the perch. The heavier flecked birds were penalised, depending on the amount. 2nd, 5th and 9th.

Class-27 Hens.

Following the removal of our number one hen from the bench, we didn't have either of the remaining two anywhere near the front end. Although she was removed she was not disqualified from the class. The first placed hen was a powerful bird which was described as stronger than the second and third birds

14th, 16th and 21st.

Day-1 Afternoon Session

Class-2 Grey Green

A Quality class of birds, First placed bird stood out from the rest, with the next 2 birds not far behind, the quality dropped away as they went down the line. 7th, 8th and 14th.

Class-4 Normal Violet

First placed bird was a standout and did not move at all during the judging of the class although it was slightly flecked. Judges said the second placed bird had an extra spot but was never going to push the first placed bird aside. 2nd, 11th and 16th.

Class-6 Yellow Faced Blue ASC

This was our second win for the day, described as being a very good bird which stood well. Second placed bird was also a strong budgie. One of our three birds, for some unknown reason plucked it's chest on Saturday night. 1st, 13th and 21st.

Class-19 Lacewing ASC, ASV.

The winner of this class was described as a massive hen, with second placed bird also being an excellent bird. All up, a very strong class of birds. 4th, 8th and 17th.

Class-21 Spangle ASC.

The English Judge said that the winner was an outstanding bird which has everything. He felt that this bird would push birds in the UK for the top awards in the shows over there. Second placed bird was another excellent bird, and there was not a bad bird in entire class. 7th, 14th and 16th.

Class-23 Dominant Pied ASC, ASV

First bird was described as an excellent hen with top quality head features. The second placed bird was a Grey Green Cock that was unlucky to come up against the winning hen. Third placed bird was a very showy type of bird. A lot of good birds in the class overall. 8th, 10th and 16th.

Class-25 Crest ASC, ASV.

This class also had a lot of good birds in it overall. The first 4 birds all had perfect crests with the winning bird being the strongest by far. 5th, 12th and 14th.

Class-26 Dark Eyed Clear (Demo class only – points did not count)

The first placed hen was a definite winner, showing a bit of head feather with the second placed bird being a longer bird. After the winner the next three birds could have been put in any order as they were that close in quality. 3rd, 5th and 18th.

Day 2 Single Morning Session

Class-8 Black Eyed Self Colour ASC.

The first bird was a standout while the second placed bird was also a very good variety. Third and fourth were very even with the quality falling away after that. 5th, 6th and 19th.

Class-10 Lutino.

First placed bird was a very powerful cock bird with excellent colour, condition and width of head was good. Second placed bird was very nice but did not have the width of head of the first bird. The birds from third to eleventh place were all very close in quality. 4th, 6th and 9th.

Class-12 Clearwing ASC.

The first placed bird was an excellent bird with good depth of mask and skull, while still retaining the clarity in the wings. Second bird was also a strong bird, with good traits of the variety. 7th, 10th and 14th.

Class-14 Cinnamonwing ASC.

First placed bird was a lovely cock bird with excellent head features. Second place was also big and strong. The third bird was also a very good bird, as were the first eleven birds in the class. 5th, 6th and 7th.

Class-16 Opaline ASC

The bird in first place sat very well during the judging while the second bird was described as having good potential. A lot of the latter placed birds were showing flecking and nowhere near as clean as they should be in the mantle for birds at the National. 2nd, 5th and 11th.

Class-18 Clearbody ASC ASV.

The winner was super and an outstanding variety bird. Second Placed bird was a hen but she was not as powerful as the winner. Third and fourth placed birds didn't have the clearbody definition that is required for this class. After fourth

Class-20 Fallow ASC, ASV.

First placed bird was outstanding, big and strong, in excellent feather with good facial feather and depth of mask. Second and third placed birds were very even birds and both hens. 2nd, 6th and 15th.

Class-22 Spangle ASC, ASV.

First four birds in the class were all described as very powerful birds. First bird was of excellent quality. Second bird was not as wide as the first while the third bird was penalised for flecking. The fifth placed bird was the best variety bird in the class. 3rd, 9th and 20th.

Class-24 Recessive Pied ASC, ASV.

The English Judge classified this bird as the best Recessive Pied he has ever seen and he felt that this bird would push many birds in the U.K. for best in show, regardless of the variety. It really was an outstanding Budgerigar. Second placed bird was a good variety but had no chance against the winner. Third bird was flecked, while fourth and fifth were both good variety birds of equal quality. 9th, 12th and 18th.

SUMMARY

We only won 2 Logies on the weekend and for the first time in many years we fell below second place at the show. This was in no uncertain terms due to the absolutely outstanding performance from Henry George. Personally I do not believe that anyone else in Australia would have the depth of quality in every variety that Henry exhibits. It's just a hell of a pity that he doesn't live in NSW.

Henry won 7 Logies on his own with South Queensland and the zone collected 10 all up. This gave them a pretty fair jump on us. Victoria won 7, South Australia 3, North and Central Queensland and Western Australia were with us on 2 and Tasmania 1.

Once again the Winners were Victoria, with a total of 538 points, followed by South Queensland on 472, NSW 457, South Australia 374, Tasmania 315, WA 314 and Queensland North and Central with 257.

The Victorian team overall, was a very high quality group of young birds and will certainly hold them in good stead for many years to come as breeders.

It's going to take “all of us” a lot of serious work to try and close the gap which, as seen by our individual class placements, has really widened in the last twelve months.

The workers from the Western Australian Budgerigar Council Inc, (as few as they were) in our opinion did an absolutely outstanding job.

Everything which was printed on the Official Program ran exactly to time.

All team carers were informed well in advance of what time we had to have the birds boxed and ready for benching, and the same went for de-benching times.

Every State had their own room in which to prepare their birds for benching, and every conceivable item, deemed necessary to carry out that task, was at hand.

The rooms we were in, were glass fronted commentary boxes, which looked out over the Bendigo Bank Oval, which was the home ground for Mandurah AFL Club.

After each group of birds were prepared, we even get to watch one of the games of AFL which were going on at the ground on Sunday, if we only knew the rules!!

The two main people who we were dealing with as State carers, were Jan McMahon and Gina House, these two ladies showed all and sundry, how to run a National Show, with minimal help, and did an absolutely outstanding job of it.

Hopefully, by this time next year, when the next National Show is on in Hobart, we all, in NSW, will be back to a being a collection of breeders, that are willing to represent our State, as one, and past differences of opinion will be behind us all permanently.

If by chance, Henry George is asked to Judge next year, that will certainly make our job of trying to catch those bloody Mexicans, somewhat easier.

It's been a pleasure to do the job.

The 2015 Team Carers.



Allan and Nikki Michael
(the UK judge and his wife)



Left to right National Judges Gary Armstrong WA, Neil Love S/QLD, Gary Gazzard NSW & Allan Michael UK



Left to right Harry Charalambous, James Matthews,
Craig Buckingham, Ian Hanington and Andre Ozoux



The extra large screen to help the audience view the judging

Our State Representatives

Nola Bradford photos



Ken Seagrott New England



David Christie Nth NSW



Anlezark & Bohringer Mid State



Rob Turner, Mid State



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Craig Buckingham Hills



John Barden Hills



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Ian Hanington Nth NSW



Chris Rogers Pied Society



B & N Bradford St George



Craig Buckingham Hills



Ian Hanington Nth NSW



Mark Hawke Mid State



McCauley & O'Regan St George



Andrew McFarland Pied Society



Anlezark & Bohringer Mid State



Craig Buckingham Hills



B & M Wise Hunter



Anlezark & Bohringer Mid State



Ron Roarty Hills



Anlezark & Bohringer Mid State



D & G Pymont Mid State



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Our annual general meeting was held in conjunction with the team selection for the inter club challenge on June the 6th at the Macksville show ground. It was very disappointing to only have seven exhibitors' but on a brighter note it was a great effort to finish third in the state. We had twelve birds selected for the state team. No luck in WA with the best a 2nd with one of Brians birds.

Once again the ever green Ian Hanington was elected President, Brian Walters Vice– President, Don Harper Secretary and Dave Christie Treasurer John Richardson. Publicity Officer



Penrith Valley Branch of BSNSW

We at Penrith Valley meet on the first Friday of each month at Llandilo Hall at 7.30pm we welcome visitors come along and have a cup of coffee and a cake meet people that have a love for the Budgerigar

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Championship Awards



Above: Alan Dalrymple Winner of the Championship Award Novice section
Receiving his award from James Matthews



James Matthews Winner of the championship Award Open section receiving his award from Kathy Mantan
Winner of the Intermediate award was Terry and Yvette Smith



BSNSW Inc
2015 State Team
Challenge Competition
Dural Sports & Leisure Centre



Overall Points
Team points

MID STATE	707
PIED SOCIETY	640
NORTHERN NSW	597
ST GEORGE	533
HILLS	509
NEW ENGLAND	490
HUNTER	413
PENRITH VALLEY	411
MACARTHUR	370
NEWCASTLE	318
CANBERRA	286
BIS	236
CENTRAL COAST	126
TAMWORTH	87
WEST SYDNEY	75

Our Judges

Jim Baker, Terry Bevan, Reg Bohringer, Andrew Bourne, Richard Bucior,
Craig Buckingham, Mario Capasso, John Carter, Wayne Doull, Kathy Manton,
Allen McCauley, Keith Nicholls, Andre Ozoux, Jean Painter, Allan Reid,
Warren Wilson and Geoff Wood

2015 State Team Challenge Competition

Show Venue: Dural Sports & Leisure Centre

Show Date: Saturday, 13 June 2015

Class Winners

Class	Cage		Exhibitor and team	Ring number
1	7	NORMAL GREEN Except Grey Green	K Seagrott, NEW ENGLAND	NSW-KS-359
2	28	NORMAL GREY GREEN	Rob Turner, MID STATE	MBC-197
3	4	NORMAL BLUE Except Grey or Violet	Mark Hawke, MID STATE	OAS-MH-016
4	28	NORMAL VIOLET	Andrew McFarland, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-EUG-266
5	15	NORMAL GREY	Matthew Hollyoak, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-1542
6	29	NORMAL YELLOW FACED ASC	A & C Druery, NEWCASTLE	NBC-ACD-081
7	4	NORMAL AUST. GOLDEN FACED ASC	B O Turner, HUNTER	NBC-BT-107
8	13	BLACK EYED SELF COLOUR ASC	P H Dodd, HILLS	NSW-1D-023
9	6	DILUTE ASC	John Carter, MACARTHUR	PBS-JC-627
10	37	RED EYED SELF LUTINO	T & Y Smith, NEW ENGLAND	NSW-TYS-111
11	8	RED EYED SELF ALBINO	Andrew McFarland, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-EUG-019
12	9	CLEARWING ASC	Brian Walters, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-BMW-078
13	27	GREYWING ASC	Geoff Wood, BIS	BIS-4W-010
14	27	CINNAMONWING ASC	Brian Walters, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-BMW-021
15	29	SPANGLE DOUBLE FACTOR ASC	Bendall & Perkiss, MACARTHUR	NSW-BP1-018
16	23	OPALINE ASC	Ian Hanington, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-IH-051
17	14	OPALINE ASC, AOSV	Brian Walters, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-BMW-020
18	21	CLEARBODY ASC, ASV	John Richardson, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-3R-175
19	9	LACEWING ASC, ASV	Ian Hanington, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-IH-169
20	5	FALLOW ASC, ASV	Mark Hawke, MID STATE	OAS-MH-064
21	28	SPANGLE ASC	McCauley & O'Regan, ST GEORGE	NSW-MO-002
22	13	SPANGLE ASC, AOSV	C Buckingham, HILLS	NSW-CB-009
23	10	DOMINANT PIED ASC, ASV	R Roarty, HILLS	NSW-2R-012
24	10	RECESSIVE PIED ASC, ASV	Mark Perez, BIS	BIS-PRZ-017
25	1	CREST ASC, ASV	D & G Pymont, MID STATE	MBC-DP1-128
26	8	HEN	W Capper, HUNTER	CBC-WAL-053
27	25	DARK EYED CLEAR ASC	John Smith, ST GEORGE	NSW-2577
28	15	SADDLEBACK or DARKWING	Ray & Sue Condon, CENTRAL COAST	NSW-7018

2015 State Team Challenge Competition

Show Venue: Dural Sports & Leisure Centre

Show Date: Saturday, 13 June 2015

Top 3 Places

Place	Cage	Class	Exhibitor and team	Ring number
1st	7	1	NORMAL GREEN Except Grey Green K Seagrott, NEW ENGLAND	NSW-KS-359
2nd	34		T & Y Smith, NEW ENGLAND	NSW-TYS-112
3rd	5		John Carter, MACARTHUR	PBS-JC-803
1st	28	2	NORMAL GREY GREEN Rob Turner, MID STATE	MBC-197
2nd	34		Anlezark & Bohringer, MID STATE	MBC-AB-039
3rd	19		T & Y Smith, NEW ENGLAND	NSW-TYS-023
1st	4	3	NORMAL BLUE Except Grey or Violet Mark Hawke, MID STATE	OAS-MH-016
2nd	44		Geoff Wood, BIS	BIS-4W-113
3rd	26		C Barnett, HUNTER	NBC-BAR-060
1st	28	4	NORMAL VIOLET Andrew McFarland, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-EUG-266
2nd	13		Mario Capasso, CANBERRA	NSW-MC1-113
3rd	40		Peters Family, NEWCASTLE	NBC-942
1st	15	5	NORMAL GREY Matthew Hollyoak, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-1542
2nd	20		A & C Druery, NEWCASTLE	NBC-ACD-016
3rd	8		A & C Druery, NEWCASTLE	NBC-ACD-052
1st	29	6	NORMAL YELLOW FACED ASC A & C Druery, NEWCASTLE	NBC-ACD-081
2nd	12		A & C Druery, NEWCASTLE	NBC-ACD-039
3rd	43		Peters Family, NEWCASTLE	NBC-DKP-060
1st	4	7	NORMAL AUST. GOLDEN FACED ASC B O Turner, HUNTER	NBC-BT-107
2nd	11		Chris Rogers, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-1546
3rd	22		Robert Pitt, MACARTHUR	PBS-22P-061
1st	13	8	BLACK EYED SELF COLOUR ASC P H Dodd, HILLS	NSW-1D-023
2nd	43		Ray & Sue Condon, CENTRAL COAST	NSW-11339
3rd	23		P H Dodd, HILLS	NSW-1D-026
1st	6	9	DILUTE ASC John Carter, MACARTHUR	PBS-JC-827
2nd	15		E & D Wise, NEW ENGLAND	NSW-20W-037
3rd	12		Mark Hawke, MID STATE	OAS-MH-170
1st	37	10	RED EYED SELF LUTINO T & Y Smith, NEW ENGLAND	NSW-TYS-111
2nd	42		T & C Hancock, PENRITH VALLEY	NSW-31H-024
3rd	9		John Boss, MID STATE	MBC-BOS-047
1st	8	11	RED EYED SELF ALBINO Andrew McFarland, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-EUG-019
2nd	39		A & C Druery, NEWCASTLE	NBC-ACD-099
3rd	5		Brian Thompson, PENRITH VALLEY	NSW-15056
1st	9	12	CLEARWING ASC Brian Walters, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-BMW-078
2nd	15		Matthew Hollyoak, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-MH-067
3rd	36		B & N Bradford, ST GEORGE	NSW-BNB-196
1st	27	13	GREYWING ASC Geoff Wood, BIS	BIS-4W-010
2nd	4		Geoff Wood, BIS	BIS-4W-005
3rd	7		Terry Bevan, MID STATE	MBC-TB-012

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Top 3 Places

Place	Cage	Class	Exhibitor and team	Ring number
1st	27	14 CINNAMONWING ASC	Brian Walters, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-BMW-021
2nd	6		Brian Walters, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-BMW-049
3rd	21		Rob Turner, MID STATE	MBC-276
1st	29	15 SPANGLE DOUBLE FACTOR ASC	Bendall & Perkiss, MACARTHUR	NSW-BP1-018
2nd	3		C Buckingham, HILLS	NSW-CB-047
3rd	35		John Barden, HILLS	OAS-066
1st	23	16 OPALINE ASC	Ian Hanington, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-IH-051
2nd	28		Andrew McFarland, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-EUG-436
3rd	10		John Richardson, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-3R-027
1st	14	17 OPALINE ASC, AOSV	Brian Walters, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-BMW-020
2nd	22		McCauley & O'Regan, ST GEORGE	NSW-MO-047
3rd	29		James Matthews, PENRITH VALLEY	NSW-17M-344
1st	21	18 CLEARBODY ASC, ASV	John Richardson, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-3R-175
2nd	32		John Richardson, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-3R-178
3rd	3		John Richardson, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-3R-005
1st	9	19 LACEWING ASC, ASV	Ian Hanington, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-IH-169
2nd	30		Peter Baker, MID STATE	MBC-PJB-847
3rd	14		Jim Baker, ST GEORGE	NSW-JB4-148
1st	5	20 FALLOW ASC, ASV	Mark Hawke, MID STATE	OAS-MH-064
2nd	8		Ian Hanington, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-IH-262
3rd	7		C Buckingham, HILLS	NSW-CB-021
1st	28	21 SPANGLE ASC	McCauley & O'Regan, ST GEORGE	NSW-MO-002
2nd	11		Andrew McFarland, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-EUG-475
3rd	13		C Barnett, HUNTER	NBC-BAR-101
1st	13	22 SPANGLE ASC, AOSV	C Buckingham, HILLS	NSW-CB-009
2nd	4		James Matthews, PENRITH VALLEY	NSW-17M-039
3rd	3		B & M Wise, HUNTER	NSW-BMW-064
1st	10	23 DOMINANT PIED ASC, ASV	R Roarty, HILLS	NSW-2R-012
2nd	8		Ingham & Langdon, NEWCASTLE	NBC-PIL-1565
3rd	11		D & G Pymont, MID STATE	MBC-DP1-230
1st	10	24 RECESSIVE PIED ASC, ASV	Mark Perez, BIS	BIS-PRZ-017
2nd	34		Mario Capasso, CANBERRA	NSW-MC1-097
3rd	4		M Banister, HUNTER	NSW-MAD-015
1st	1	25 CREST ASC, ASV	D & G Pymont, MID STATE	MBC-DP1-128
2nd	9		Ian Hanington, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-IH-158
3rd	2		Craig Geering, ST GEORGE	NSW-CJG-062
1st	8	26 HEN	W Capper, HUNTER	CBC-WAL-053
2nd	6		Andrew McFarland, PIED SOCIETY	PBS-EUG-098
3rd	1		Brian Walters, NORTHERN NSW	NBA-BMW-023
1st	25	27 DARK EYED CLEAR ASC	John Smith, ST GEORGE	NSW-2577
2nd	43		Jim Smith, ST GEORGE	NSW-18598
3rd	9		V Hudson, ST GEORGE	NSW-VJH-135
1st	15	28 SADDLEBACK or DARKWING	Ray & Sue Condon, CENTRAL COAST	NSW-7018
2nd	29		Ray & Sue Condon, CENTRAL COAST	NSW-7017
3rd	37		Ray & Sue Condon, CENTRAL COAST	NSW-11374

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State Team Challenge clerical team



L-R Craig Buckingham, Allen McCauley Jeff Mansfield



L-R Mario Capasso, Allen Reid, & Reg Bohringer



L-R Keith Nichols and Andrew Bourne



Mark Hawke Winners are Grinners
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Class Score Card by Team

Class Score Card by Team	TEAM TOTALS																												
	28: SADDLEBACK / DARKWING	27: DARK EYED CLEAR	26: HEN	25: CREST	24: RECESSIVE PIED	23: DOMINANT PIED	22: SPANGLE AOSV	21: SPANGLE	20: FALLOW	19: LACEWING	18: CLEARBODY	17: OPALINE AOSV	16: OPALINE	15: SPANGLE DOUBLE FACTOR	14: CINNAMONWING	13: GREYWING	12: CLEARWING	11: ALBINO	10: LUTINO	9: DILUTE	8: BLACK EYED SELF	07: AUST_ GOLDEN FACED	06: YELLOW FACED BLUE	5: NORMAL GREY	4: NORMAL VIOLET	3: NORMAL BLUE	2: NORMAL GREY GREEN	1: NORMAL GREEN	
MID STATE	707	0	0	40	38	24	35	6	22	53	19	33	18	7	28	31	18	0	30	44	18	12	45	20	34	25	44	56	7
PIED SOCIETY	640	0	39	19	31	15	26	23	47	5	31	7	25	47	12	5	14	33	37	17	0	31	14	29	35	28	8	29	
NORTHERN NSW	597	0	13	26	37	28	2	9	6	19	20	57	25	38	16	56	7	5	17	41	30	17	18	18	26	0	13	33	
ST GEORGE	533	0	57	18	38	1	9	0	41	34	43	11	29	7	9	18	10	40	2	30	12	15	27	12	14	14	13	0	
HILLS	509	40	0	32	0	0	31	14	18	9	24	15	11	28	48	4	14	0	5	26	49	0	7	23	6	17	43	14	
NEW ENGLAND	490	0	32	6	30	29	21	16	11	0	14	10	4	30	2	1	4	20	39	37	0	0	19	19	35	25	33	52	
HUNTER	413	0	0	23	0	22	24	39	18	0	29	0	17	14	0	15	16	2	0	2	0	44	26	10	16	38	20	25	
PENRITH VALLEY	411	16	5	0	4	0	14	43	19	9	0	17	43	2	44	37	26	14	28	35	8	13	11	0	0	0	20	3	
MACARTHUR	370	0	17	7	0	15	10	13	4	27	24	3	4	32	36	0	19	29	5	3	25	35	0	0	0	13	0	20	
NEWCASTLE	318	14	0	17	2	0	19	0	0	0	2	13	16	0	0	0	29	24	47	6	0	0	57	53	18	0	0	1	
CANBERRA	286	0	41	1	0	46	5	28	0	0	0	14	22	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	11	19	8	4	22	
BIS	236	0	0	21	25	27	13	23	0	0	0	4	0	0	15	0	55	0	7	0	22	0	0	1	0	19	0	4	
CENTRAL COAST	126	57	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
TAMWORTH	87	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	35	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	3	0	6	4	0	0	0	
WEST SYDNEY	75	17	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	6	1	0	22	10	0	0	0	0	
Total Class Points	5798	144	204	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	



BSNSW President Harry Charalambus presenting
Mid State President Reg Bohringer
with the winning shield

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1 NORMAL GREEN Except Grey Green

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
2	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
3	MACARTHUR	John Carter
4	NORTHERN NSW	David Christie
5	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
6	HUNTER	C Barnett
7	HILLS	John Barden
8	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
9	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
10	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
11	HUNTER	C Barnett
12	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
13	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
14	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
15	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
16	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
17	BIS	Wayne Doull
18	PENRITH VALLEY	Spiteri & Kanaan
19	MACARTHUR	John Carter
20	NEWCASTLE	Peters Family

Judges: Andrew Bourne and Keith Nicholls

3 NORMAL BLUE Except Grey or Violet

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
2	BIS	Geoff Wood
3	HUNTER	C Barnett
4	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
5	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
6	HUNTER	B & M Wise
7	HILLS	R & R Selig
8	MACARTHUR	Tony Butt
9	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
10	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
11	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
12	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Punton
13	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
14	MID STATE	D & G Pymont
15	NEW ENGLAND	F Duff
16	HUNTER	C Barnett
17	TAMWORTH	Brain Edgecock
18	ST GEORGE	V Kocoski
19	HILLS	Andre Ozoux
20	HILLS	A Haider

Judges: Terry Bevan and Wayne Doull

2 NORMAL GREY GREEN

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	MID STATE	Rob Turner
2	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
3	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
4	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
5	HILLS	John Barden
6	HILLS	John Barden
7	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Punton
8	HUNTER	B & M Wise
9	HILLS	John Barden
10	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
11	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
12	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
13	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
14	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington
15	NORTHERN NSW	Larry Williams
16	HUNTER	W Capper
17	CANBERRA	Bob Cowburn
18	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
19	HUNTER	T & R Mills
20	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith

Judges: Jim Baker and Kathy Manton

4 NORMAL VIOLET

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
2	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
3	NEWCASTLE	Peters Family
4	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Punton
5	MID STATE	D & G Pymont
6	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
7	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
8	HUNTER	B & T Jones
9	ST GEORGE	Jim Baker
10	NEW ENGLAND	J & N Burgess
11	WEST SYDNEY	Mark Wilton
12	MID STATE	D & G Pymont
13	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
14	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Punton
15	HILLS	R Galbraith
16	TAMWORTH	Tom Davis
17	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
18	HUNTER	B & T Jones
19	ST GEORGE	P House
20	TAMWORTH	Ken McLean

Judges: Craig Buckingham and Allen McCauley

5 NORMAL GREY

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
2	NEWCASTLE	A & C Druery
3	NEWCASTLE	A & C Druery
4	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
5	NEWCASTLE	Cliff Cameron
6	HILLS	John Barden
7	MID STATE	Rob Turner
8	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
9	ST GEORGE	Yannakis & Lawless-Pyne
10	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
11	HUNTER	M Banister
12	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
13	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
14	MID STATE	Rob Turner
15	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
16	HILLS	John Barden
17	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
18	HILLS	C Buckingham
19	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
20	BIS	Bob Winnard

Judges: Richard Bucior and Andre Ozoux**7 NORMAL AUST. GOLDEN FACED ASC**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	HUNTER	B O Turner
2	PIED SOCIETY	Chris Rogers
3	MACARTHUR	Robert Pitt
4	NORTHERN NSW	David Christie
5	MID STATE	D & G Pymont
6	MID STATE	John Boss
7	MID STATE	John Boss
8	HUNTER	B & M Wise
9	PIED SOCIETY	Chris Rogers
10	HUNTER	B & M Wise
11	PENRITH VALLEY	Pam Hewitt
12	MACARTHUR	Robert Pitt
13	CANBERRA	Bourne & Hand
14	CANBERRA	Bourne & Hand
15	ST GEORGE	P House
16	ST GEORGE	P House
17	ST GEORGE	P House
18	TAMWORTH	Tom Davis
19	MACARTHUR	David Butters
20	PENRITH VALLEY	Pam Hewitt

Judges: Reg Bohringer and John Carter**6 NORMAL YELLOW FACED ASC**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NEWCASTLE	A & C Druery
2	NEWCASTLE	A & C Druery
3	NEWCASTLE	Peters Family
4	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
5	NORTHERN NSW	David Christie
6	HUNTER	W Capper
7	ST GEORGE	V Hudson
8	ST GEORGE	V Hudson
9	WEST SYDNEY	George Caryofyllis
10	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
11	WEST SYDNEY	George Caryofyllis
12	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
13	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
14	HUNTER	M Banister
15	HILLS	John Barden
16	PIED SOCIETY	Chris Rogers
17	HUNTER	T & R Mills
18	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
19	NORTHERN NSW	Brian Walters
20	HILLS	A Haider

Judges: John Carter and Geoff Wood**8 BLACK EYED SELF COLOUR ASC**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	HILLS	P H Dodd
2	CENTRAL COAST	Ray & Sue Condon
3	HILLS	P H Dodd
4	CENTRAL COAST	Ray & Sue Condon
5	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
6	MACARTHUR	John Carter
7	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
8	MACARTHUR	John Carter
9	ST GEORGE	S & D Wackwitz
10	HILLS	P H Dodd
11	BIS	Ely Family
12	BIS	Ely Family
13	MID STATE	Wayne Cusack
14	MACARTHUR	John Carter
15	PENRITH VALLEY	G & W Dunn
16	PENRITH VALLEY	G & W Dunn
17	MID STATE	Wayne Cusack
18	BIS	Ely Family
19	PENRITH VALLEY	G & W Dunn
20	WEST SYDNEY	Carlo Arfi

Judges: Jim Baker and Warren Wilson

9 DILUTE ASC

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	MACARTHUR	John Carter
2	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
3	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
4	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
5	ST GEORGE	C & M Morgan
6	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
7	ST GEORGE	C & M Morgan
8	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
9	HILLS	P H Dodd
10	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
11	HILLS	I & K Manton
12	PIED SOCIETY	Ken Denmeade
13	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
14	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
15	WEST SYDNEY	Carlo Arfi
16	MACARTHUR	John Carter
17	HILLS	R Galbraith
18	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
19	HUNTER	W Capper
20	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews

Judges: Mario Capasso and Keith Nicholls**11 RED EYED SELF ALBINO**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
2	NEWCASTLE	A & C Druery
3	PENRITH VALLEY	Brian Thompson
4	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
5	NEWCASTLE	Cliff Cameron
6	ST GEORGE	Jim Baker
7	ST GEORGE	G Gregoriou
8	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
9	NEWCASTLE	Cliff Cameron
10	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
11	PENRITH VALLEY	T & C Hancock
12	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
13	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
14	HUNTER	B & T Jones
15	HUNTER	B & T Jones
16	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
17	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
18	MACARTHUR	John Carter
19	MACARTHUR	John Carter
20	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper

Judges: Jean Painter and Warren Wilson**10 RED EYED SELF LUTINO**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
2	PENRITH VALLEY	T & C Hancock
3	MID STATE	John Boss
4	NORTHERN NSW	Steve Kilduff
5	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
6	PENRITH VALLEY	Brian Thompson
7	MID STATE	John Boss
8	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
9	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
10	TAMWORTH	R & A Smith
11	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
12	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
13	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
14	BIS	Bob Winnard
15	NEWCASTLE	Ingham & Langdon
16	HILLS	R Galbraith
17	TAMWORTH	R & A Smith
18	MACARTHUR	John Carter
19	ST GEORGE	Jim Baker
20	PENRITH VALLEY	T & C Hancock

Judges: Reg Bohringer, Mario Capasso and Allan Reid**12 CLEARWING ASC**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NORTHERN NSW	Brian Walters
2	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
3	ST GEORGE	B & N Bradford
4	NEWCASTLE	Mick Auckett
5	CENTRAL COAST	Ray & Sue Condon
6	MACARTHUR	John Carter
7	PENRITH VALLEY	Brian Thompson
8	MACARTHUR	Robert Pitt
9	ST GEORGE	S & D Wackwitz
10	CENTRAL COAST	Ray & Sue Condon
11	ST GEORGE	S & D Wackwitz
12	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
13	HILLS	P H Dodd
14	NEWCASTLE	Mick Auckett
15	HILLS	I & K Manton
16	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
17	NEW ENGLAND	T Smart
18	CENTRAL COAST	Ray & Sue Condon
19	HUNTER	T & R Mills
20	MACARTHUR	Robert Pitt

Judges: Jim Baker, Richard Bucior and Warren Wilson

13 GREYWING ASC

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	BIS	Geoff Wood
2	BIS	Geoff Wood
3	MID STATE	Terry Bevan
4	MACARTHUR	John Carter
5	BIS	Geoff Wood
6	NEWCASTLE	Ingham & Langdon
7	NEWCASTLE	Ingham & Langdon
8	HUNTER	B & M Wise
9	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
10	WEST SYDNEY	Carlo Arfi
11	ST GEORGE	V Hudson
12	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
13	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
14	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
15	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
16	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
17	HILLS	R Roarty
18	HUNTER	B & M Wise
19	MACARTHUR	John Carter
20	NEW ENGLAND	Cooper & Family

Judges: Andrew Bourne and Allan Reid**15 SPANGLE DOUBLE FACTOR ASC**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	MACARTHUR	Bendall & Perkiss
2	HILLS	C Buckingham
3	HILLS	John Barden
4	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
5	MID STATE	John Boss
6	NORTHERN NSW	Brian Walters
7	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
8	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
9	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
10	HILLS	C Buckingham
11	MACARTHUR	Bendall & Perkiss
12	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
13	BIS	Bob Winnard
14	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
15	MACARTHUR	Paul Anderson
16	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
17	BIS	Geoff Wood
18	BIS	Geoff Wood
19	NEW ENGLAND	Cooper & Family
20	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington

Judges: Terry Bevan and Wayne Doull**14 CINNAMONWING ASC**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NORTHERN NSW	Brian Walters
2	NORTHERN NSW	Brian Walters
3	MID STATE	Rob Turner
4	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
5	HILLS	C Sutherland
6	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
7	ST GEORGE	P House
8	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
9	HILLS	I & K Manton
10	CANBERRA	Bob Cowburn
11	HUNTER	W Capper
12	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
13	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
14	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
15	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
16	HUNTER	C Barnett
17	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
18	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
19	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
20	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Puntun

Judges: John Carter and Geoff Wood**16 OPALINE ASC**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington
2	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
3	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
4	MACARTHUR	Sullivan Family
5	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Puntun
6	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
7	HUNTER	W Capper
8	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
9	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
10	MACARTHUR	Robert Pitt
11	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
12	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Puntun
13	HILLS	A Haider
14	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
15	ST GEORGE	G Gregoriou
16	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
17	MACARTHUR	Sullivan Family
18	HILLS	R & R Selig
19	PENRITH VALLEY	N & J Cox
20	ST GEORGE	P House

Judges: John Carter and Warren Wilson

17 OPALINE ASC, AOSV

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NORTHERN NSW	Brian Walters
2	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
3	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
4	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
5	NEWCASTLE	Alan & Chris Druery
6	HUNTER	C Barnett
7	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
8	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
9	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
10	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
11	ST GEORGE	G Gregoriou
12	HILLS	John Barden
13	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
14	MID STATE	John Boss
15	HILLS	I & K Manton
16	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
17	MACARTHUR	Bendall & Perkiss
18	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Punton
19	HUNTER	T & R Mills
20	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott

Judges: Andrew Bourne and Keith Nicholls**19 LACEWING ASC, ASV**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington
2	MID STATE	Peter Baker
3	ST GEORGE	Jim Baker
4	PIED SOCIETY	Chris Rogers
5	MACARTHUR	Bendall & Perkiss
6	ST GEORGE	B & N Bradford
7	HUNTER	G Grant
8	NEW ENGLAND	F Duff
9	TAMWORTH	R & A Smith
10	HUNTER	C Barnett
11	ST GEORGE	Yannakis & Lawless-Pyne
12	PIED SOCIETY	Chris Rogers
13	MACARTHUR	Bendall & Perkiss
14	TAMWORTH	R & A Smith
15	HILLS	K & D Mitchell
16	PIED SOCIETY	Chris Rogers
17	HUNTER	W Capper
18	HILLS	K & D Mitchell
19	NEWCASTLE	Cliff Cameron
20	NEW ENGLAND	F Duff

Judges: Reg Bohringer, Mario Capasso and Allan Reid**18 CLEARBODY ASC, ASV**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
2	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
3	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
4	PENRITH VALLEY	R & A Rogers
5	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
6	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
7	MID STATE	Tim Gleeson
8	NEWCASTLE	Peters Family
9	HILLS	Andre Ozoux
10	HILLS	C Sutherland
11	MID STATE	Tim Gleeson
12	MID STATE	Tim Gleeson
13	NEW ENGLAND	D Rawson
14	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew Clifton
15	ST GEORGE	Jim Baker
16	ST GEORGE	Thorsby Family
17	BIS	Wayne Doull
18	MACARTHUR	Sullivan Family
19	NEW ENGLAND	T Smart
20	HILLS	A Haider

Judges: Andrew Bourne and Allan Reid**20 FALLOW ASC, ASV**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
2	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington
3	HILLS	C Buckingham
4	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
5	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
6	TAMWORTH	John Smith
7	ST GEORGE	B & N Bradford
8	ST GEORGE	B & N Bradford
9	TAMWORTH	John Smith
10	MACARTHUR	David Butters
11	MACARTHUR	David Butters
12	PENRITH VALLEY	J S Bell
13	TAMWORTH	John Smith
14	ST GEORGE	B & N Bradford
15	MACARTHUR	David Butters
16	PIED SOCIETY	Mario Agius
17	NO ENTRY	No Entry
18	NO ENTRY	No Entry
19	NO ENTRY	No Entry
20	NO ENTRY	No Entry

Judges: Wayne Doull and Allen McCauley

21 SPANGLE ASC

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
2	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
3	HUNTER	C Barnett
4	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
5	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
6	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
7	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
8	ST GEORGE	G Gregoriou
9	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
10	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
11	HILLS	John Barden
12	NEW ENGLAND	D & V Punton
13	ST GEORGE	Thorsby Family
14	MID STATE	D & G Pymont
15	NORTHERN NSW	John Richardson
16	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
17	HILLS	Andre Ozoux
18	MACARTHUR	David Butters
19	NEW ENGLAND	T & Y Smith
20	MACARTHUR	Paul Anderson

Judges: Jean Painter and Warren Wilson**23 DOMINANT PIED ASC, ASV**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	HILLS	R Roarty
2	NEWCASTLE	Ingham & Langdon
3	MID STATE	D & G Pymont
4	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
5	HUNTER	B & M Wise
6	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
7	PENRITH VALLEY	N & J Cox
8	BIS	Geoff Wood
9	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
10	HILLS	R Roarty
11	MACARTHUR	Tony Butt
12	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
13	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
14	PIED SOCIETY	Chris Rogers
15	WEST SYDNEY	Mark Wilton
16	HUNTER	W Capper
17	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
18	HUNTER	W Capper
19	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
20	ST GEORGE	Jim Baker

Judges: Richard Bucior and Wayne Doull**22 SPANGLE ASC, AOSV**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	HILLS	C Buckingham
2	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
3	HUNTER	B & M Wise
4	HUNTER	W Capper
5	BIS	Mark Perez
6	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
7	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
8	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
9	MACARTHUR	Paul Anderson
10	HILLS	R & R Selig
11	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
12	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington
13	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
14	BIS	Bob Winnard
15	MID STATE	John Boss
16	CANBERRA	Bourne & Hand
17	HUNTER	B & M Wise
18	NEW ENGLAND	E & D Wise
19	WEST SYDNEY	Mark Wilton
20	MACARTHUR	John Carter

Judges: Richard Bucior and Andre Ozoux**24 RECESSIVE PIED ASC, ASV**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	BIS	Mark Perez
2	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
3	HUNTER	M Banister
4	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
5	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
6	MACARTHUR	Tony Butt
7	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
8	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
9	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
10	MID STATE	Anlezark & Bohringer
11	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
12	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
13	PIED SOCIETY	Chris Rogers
14	BIS	Geoff Wood
15	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
16	PIED SOCIETY	Ken Denmeade
17	HUNTER	M Banister
18	CENTRAL COAST	Ian Pitts
19	PIED SOCIETY	Ian Mulholland
20	ST GEORGE	Jim Baker

Judges: Craig Buckingham and Allen McCauley

25 CREST ASC, ASV

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	MID STATE	D & G Pymont
2	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington
3	ST GEORGE	Craig Geering
4	MID STATE	D & G Pymont
5	BIS	Mark Perez
6	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
7	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
8	ST GEORGE	Thanh Vu
9	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
10	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
11	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington
12	BIS	Mark Perez
13	NORTHERN NSW	David Christie
14	ST GEORGE	Thanh Vu
15	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
16	TAMWORTH	John Smith
17	PENRITH VALLEY	R & A Rogers
18	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
19	NEWCASTLE	Ken Yorke
20	MID STATE	D & G Pymont

Judges: Mario Capasso and Keith Nicholls**27 DARK EYED CLEAR ASC**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	ST GEORGE	John Smith
2	ST GEORGE	Jim Smith
3	ST GEORGE	V Hudson
4	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
5	PIED SOCIETY	Matthew Hollyoak
6	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
7	CANBERRA	Bob Cowburn
8	MACARTHUR	Robert Pitt
9	PIED SOCIETY	Ian Mulholland
10	PIED SOCIETY	Ian Mulholland
11	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso
12	NEW ENGLAND	K & D Burgess
13	NEW ENGLAND	K & D Burgess
14	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
15	NORTHERN NSW	Don Harper
16	PENRITH VALLEY	James Matthews
17	MACARTHUR	Robert Pitt
18	NO ENTRY	No Entry
19	NO ENTRY	No Entry
20	NO ENTRY	No Entry

Judges: Richard Bucior and Andre Ozoux**26 HEN**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	HUNTER	W Capper
2	PIED SOCIETY	Andrew McFarland
3	NORTHERN NSW	Brian Walters
4	HILLS	John Barden
5	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
6	NEWCASTLE	A & C Drury
7	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
8	MID STATE	Mark Hawke
9	BIS	Geoff Wood
10	MID STATE	John Boss
11	HILLS	A Haider
12	BIS	Geoff Wood
13	NORTHERN NSW	Ian Hanington
14	MACARTHUR	John Carter
15	NEW ENGLAND	K Seagrott
16	HILLS	John Barden
17	ST GEORGE	McCauley & O'Regan
18	HUNTER	C Barnett
19	NEWCASTLE	Cliff Cameron
20	CANBERRA	Mario Capasso

Judges: Jim Baker and Kathy Manton**28 SADDLEBACK or DARKWING**

Place	Team	Exhibitor
1	CENTRAL COAST	Ray & Sue Condon
2	CENTRAL COAST	Ray & Sue Condon
3	CENTRAL COAST	Ray & Sue Condon
4	WEST SYDNEY	Carlo Arfi
5	PENRITH VALLEY	J S Bell
6	HILLS	P H Dodd
7	NEWCASTLE	Ken Yorke
8	HILLS	P H Dodd
9	HILLS	P H Dodd

Judges: Richard Bucior and John Carter

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Thank you to all members and visitors who supported and attended our 20th Annual Show. There were 307 birds exhibited by 30 exhibitors. A good number attended the Saturday night dinner with the judges Steve Grech and Ian Hunter followed by a product demonstration by Terese & Barry Ryan. Also a big thank you to the guys from Sydney who stayed after the show to help clean up.

Wendy McGlynn
Publicity Officer



South Western NSW Budgerigar Soc

20th Annual Show – 29th March 2015

Judges: Steve Gretch, Ian Hunter, Brett Martin

307 Exhibits, 30 Exhibitors

Grand Champion – Bruce Corcoran

Champion Pied in Show	Tony Butt
Champion Young Bird in Show	Bruce Corcoran
Best Crested in Show	S & R Foster
Best Clearwing in Show	Bob Pitt
Roy McDermott Memorial Trophy	Tony Butt
BSNSW Patronage Award	Tony Butt
SWNSW Special Award – The Best Greygreen in Show	David Kelleher

Ch. Open Any Age	Anlezark & Bohringer
Ch. Open Any Age Opp Sex	Anlezark & Bohringer
Res Ch. Open Any Age Cock	G & M Chandler
Res Ch. Open Any Age Hen	Bruce Corcoran

Ch. Open Young	Bruce Corcoran
Ch. Open Young Opp Sex	David Kelleher
Res Ch. Open Young Cock	G & M Chandler
Res Ch. Open Young Hen	Anlezark & Bohringer

Ch. Intermediate	H & E French
Ch Intermediate Opp Sex	John Way
Res Ch. Intermediate Cock	H & E French
Res Ch. Intermediate Hen	John Way

Ch. Novice	Shane Maurer
Ch. Novice Opp Sex	Shane Maurer
Res Ch. Novice Cock	Terry Hammerton
Res Ch. Novice Hen	Geoff Hill

Champion Unbroken Cap	Wendy McGlynn
Reserve Champion Unbroken Cap	Tony Butt



Best of Variety

Normal Green	Anlezark & Bohringer	Normal Grey Green	David Kelleher
Normal Blue	Anlezark & Bohringer	Normal Violet	G & D Pymont
Normal Grey	E Cooke	Normal Yellow Blue	H & E French
Yellow Face Op, CinWg	Geoff Hill	Normal Aust Golden Face	John Carter
Black Eyed Self	John Carter	Suffused Yellow/White	Bruce Corcoran
Lutino	Bruce Corcoran	Albino	Geoff Hill
Clearwing	Bob Pitt	Greywing	John Carter
Cinnamonwing	G & M Chandler	Spangle DF	John Carter
Opaline	Anlezark & Bohringer	Opaline A.O.S.V	Bruce Corcoran
Clearbody	Harro	Lacewing	Bendall & Perkiss
Fallow	Harro	Spangle Non Compound	E Cooke
Spangle AOSV/ASC	G & M Chandler	Aust Banded Dom Pied	Gordon Stewart
Dutch Dom Pied ASV/ASC	Bob Pitt	Dom Clear Flighted Pied	Tony Butt
Variegated Dom Pied	Tony Butt	Recessive Pied ASV/ASC	Tony Butt
Dark Eyed Clear	Jim Smith	Crested	S & R Foster
Non Standard Variety or Colour	John Carter	Best Pair in Show	John Carter

HUNTER BRANCH UPDATE

The Hunter Branch has run another well supported Annual Show with Jeff O'Connor winning grand champion in show with a Cinnamon Spangle Hen. Hunter member Merv Thompson won opposite sex in show with an Opaline Spangle blue well done to both exhibitors. Champion intermediate went to Craig Barnett and opposite sex to T & R Mills. Champion Novice went to Tony Sketchly and opposite sex to Warren McKinlay. Restricted old bird went to Tony Goodman and opposite sex to Greg Parker. Other major awards appear elsewhere in the magazine.

Hunter held its yearly table show awards recently with T & R Mills with the most points in open and Gary Grant in restricted well done to both members.

June monthly table show results, best bird of the night and best restricted was Reg & April Fielding with a nice Cinnamonwing Grey Green, best open was T & R Mills with an Opaline Dark Green.

Hunter members have pencilled in the 27th March 2016 for their next Annual Show.

HUNTER BRANCH- 2015 ANNUAL SHOW – 8TH MARCH 2015

MAJOR AWARDS RESULTS			
GRAND CHAMPION		GEOFF O'CONNOR	
CHAMPION OPP/ SEX IN SHOW	MERV. THOMPSON	CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE	CRAIG BARNETT
CHAMPION ANY AGE	G.O'CONNOR	CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE OPP SEX	T&R. MILLS
CHAMPION ANY AGE OPP SEX	G.THOMAS	CHAMPION NOVICE	TONY SKETCHLEY
CHAMPION OPEN YOUNG	MERV. THOMPSON	CHAMPION NOVICE OPP SEX	WARREN McKINLAY
CHAMPION OPEN YOUNG OPP SEX	A/C. DRUERY	CHAMPION RESTRICTED OLD BIRD	TONY GOODMAN
CHAMPION YOUNG BIRD IN SHOW. MERV.THOMPSON		CHAMPION RESTRICTED OPP SEX OLD	GREG PARKER
BREEDERS TROPHY - BEST OF VARIETY AWARDS			
NORMAL GREEN	CRAIG BARNETT	SPANGLE DOUBLE FACTOR	WARREN McKINLAY
NORMAL GREY GREEN	B&M WISE	NORMAL OPALINE ASC	A/C DRUERY
NORMAL BLUE	CRAIG BARNETT	OPALINE A.O.S.V/ASC	CRAIG BARNETT
NORMAL VIOLET	JUPP & SCHEERER	TEXAS CLEARBODY ASV/ASC	JUPP & SCHEERER
NORMAL GREY	MERV THOMPSON	LACEWING ASV- YELLOW/WHITE	CRAIG BARNETT
NORMAL YELLOW FACED ASC	A/C DRUERY	FALLOW ASV/ASC	T & R MILLS
NORMAL AUSTRALIAN GOLDEN FACE ASC	BRIAN TURNER	NORMAL SPANGLE ASC	GEOFF THOMAS
BLACK EYED SELF- YELLOW/WHITE	R&S CONDON	SPANGLE A.O.S.V./ ASC	GEOFF O'CONNOR
DILUTE - YELLOW/WHITE	MERV THOMPSON	DOMINANT PIED ASV/ASC	INGHAM & LANGDON
LUTINO	GEOFF THOMAS	RECESSIVE PIED ASV/ASC	BANISTER & CHICK
ALBINO	B & T JONES	ASC/ASV SADDLEBACK	R & S CONDON
CLEARWING ASC	GEOFF O'CONNOR	DARK EYED CLEAR or DARKWING	
GREYWING ASC	INGHAM & LANGDON	CRESTED ASV/ASC	TIM CORLISS
CINNAMON WING ASC	GEOFF THOMAS	BUSH BUDGERIGAR	NIL

Entries-300

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BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY OF NSW INC.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION OR RENEWAL FORM

NOTES: Members join either through a Branch (where some funds go to the Branch), or as a non-Branch member. Clubs or Societies join as Associates. If you want to be a Branch Member send this form to the Branch Secretary. Branch Secretaries: this form is to be forwarded to the Membership Registrar as soon as possible after having taken a copy for your records. Non-Branch members and Associates should send this form to the BS NSW Inc. Membership Registrar.

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Email: memberships@budgerigar.com.au

ANNUAL FEES: 1st July 2015 – 30th June 2016

General (Senior) Membership \$40.00 **

Concessional (Pensioner & Junior) Junior must be 16 yrs or under \$30.00 **

**** Includes E-Magazine**

To obtain a printed (Black & White) magazine ADD \$25.00

Association Fee (for a Society/or Club \$100.00

Extras Late Renewal fee \$ 5.00

TOTAL ENCLOSED:

\$

MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO THE BS NSW INC.

OR PAY BY DIRECT DEPOSIT TO BSNSW A/c - BSB: 082-133 A/C: 50790 3428

(Please ensure you provide your Surname or Membership Number as payment reference)

Branch Member Yes/No* or Branch Name.....

Associate Society or Club.....

Surname.....Membership Number.....

Given Names (or Secretary Name)

(Names of all members of a Family must be given to vote at General Meetings)

Address:..... PostCode.....

Exhibition Name:.....Junior Date of Birth:.....Pensioner No:.....

Email Address:

TEL:

Circle One: New Member* Renewal* Late Renewal (Including Late Renewal Fee)*

New Member Background: Breeding Budgerigars forYears Showing for.....Years

Have you been a member of the BSNSW before.....? Approx When



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