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### **MEETING DATES 2024**

General Meetings 1st November 2023 2024:- 1st May, 3rd July, 4th September, 6th November AGM 5th March 2025

Meeting commences at 8:00 pm

NOTE: Meetings at Anzac Room, Ashfield RSL, Liverpool Road, Ashfield Will be confirmed in advance

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## **IMPORTANT NOTICES!**

#### NOTICE TO ALL AFFILIATES

For legal and insurance requirements, affiliates are requested to notify the Federation Secretary of changes in office bearers, public officer and delegates, also changes of the club's meeting location, email and postal address.

Notification should be on club's letterhead or if required a hard copy or electronic copy of the Office Bearer's Information and Privacy Provision Consent Form is available from the Secretary.

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#### **2024 RING ORDERS**

Supplementary orders will be ongoing during 2024, however delivery time frame and cost for trans-shipment will vary.

Clubs requiring an order form to be completed, should contact the Secretary.

### 2024 SHOW & SALE DATES

Clubs are requested to email Matt McKenzie the dates for their 2024 shows, sales, and auctions, including phone number of the contact person and venue details.

It is understood that confirmation of the venue may be in abeyance / pending, however we request the tentative / projected dates be advised to:-. Email clubs@ccbfa.org.au



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#### ORANGE-BELLIED PARROTS RETURN TO TASMANIA'S SOUTH-WEST IN UNEXPECTEDLY HIGH NUMBERS

It is a species so endangered that just five years ago only 20 birds returned from the species' annual migration. But now 81 orange-bellied parrots have returned to Melaleuca

in Tasmania's remote south-west from the mainland to breed, the largest number seen in 15 years.

It is a turning point for critically endangered species, which requires considerable human intervention to avoid extinction.

"It's looking like a healthy season ahead in terms of breeding," program manager Dr Shannon Troy said. "The population does seem to be really growing now."

But, Dr Troy warns, the parrot is still one of the most endangered species in Australia and one of the most endangered birds in the world.

"We need to move from a phase of preventing their extinction into starting to grow the population," she said. "We're probably reaching that turning point now and starting to look ahead to what's next."

Dr Troy said the program's objective was to have a self-sustaining population that required limited management intervention.

"The next phase is to look at how we encourage this population to be more self-sustaining and increase wild behaviours like foraging and nesting in natural hollows."

This year's state budget contained an additional \$1.3 million towards tracking the parrots on their migration and maintaining the Five Mile Beach facility where birds are bred in captivity.

#### A risky flight

The orange-bellied parrot migrates to mainland Australia every autumn and returns to Tasmania to breed over summer however not every bird makes it home.

"A lot of us spend the whole spring holding our breath waiting to see what's going to happen," Dr Troy said.

This year, 139 birds departed Melaleuca, with 58 not making it back but a return rate of more than 50 per cent is considered high.

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The returns include 24 wild born birds and six captive bred juveniles from last season that made the journey for the first time. In the past, the survival rate for first-timers has dropped as low as 15 per cent.

"The releases of juveniles from the captive population at the end of the season seems to be working really well and they are coming back in good numbers," Dr Troy said.

She said a planned Parks and Wildlife Service burn around Melaleuca increased food plants, so the birds were feeding on natural foods which helped survival rates.

#### **Power of volunteers**

Saving the orange-bellied parrot from extinction has required team work from staff with the government-funded orange-bellied parrot program, partnering with institutions for captive breeding as well as volunteers at Melaleuca daily between September and April.

Volunteers count how many birds they see and the identity of the birds over six months, as well as looking for health issues and predators.

"They are absolutely key to the monitoring that we do," Dr Troy said. "That really helps us to understand what we are doing in terms of our management that's working or not working. It's a huge team effort."

#### Parrot migration 'unusual'

Dr Troy said other than the swift parrot, the orange-bellied parrot was the only other parrot that makes a full migration.

"There are other smaller birds all over the world and in Australia that undertake journeys that are even longer, but it's very unusual for a parrot to be doing this."

She said while the birds don't fly together, there is safety in numbers.

"The adult birds act as a beacon to show the juveniles where to go," she said.

The birds move from button grass plains to salt marshes to feed during the non-breeding period.

"If they've never seen that habitat before it would be hard for them to recognise what is and isn't a food plant," she said. "We think they use the other birds that have already migrated as a cue and move to where those birds already are."

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#### **Breeding begins**

The orange-bellied parrot program provides nest boxes at Melaleuca so the birds have somewhere safe to breed and lay eggs.

Dr Troy said there are already some eggs, and nest checks will be done in January with the hope there'll be chicks.

Of the birds that returned, 50 were male, and 31 were female, which Dr Troy said is preferred.



"It's desirable to be that way round, ideally we'd have the females being able to have some mate choice and choosing the male they want," she said.

Captive-bred birds that are released will also be male-heavy.

"The ladies can be courted by a few males and decide in advance who is likely to be the best provisioner and father of their young."

#### The next step

Dr Troy said as the program begins to move from saving the parrots from extinction to growing the population the birds will need to learn to feed independently. The birds are currently given supplementary food.

"We're starting to think about scaling back the food so we're just using the food during monitoring times and the rest of the time they need to forage on their own," she said. "They'd also need to find their own homes and to be breeding in tree hollows instead of nest boxes," she said.

Dr Troy said the birds will also need to be able to withstand some loss to the population, so if a predator or health issue takes out a few birds it wouldn't have a catastrophic effect on the population trend.

At some point the population needs to get large enough that we're not having to manage individual birds and individual nests



#### **AUSTRALIA'S MYSTERIOUS HYBRID BIRD**

DISCOVERED IN 1867 in Brisbane (in Indooroopilly, within walking distance of my house), Rawnsley's bowerbird was shiny blue with golden wings, marking it out as unique. But it fitted what you might get if a satin bowerbird got too chummy with a regent bowerbird. The naturalist who named it, Sylvester Diggles, discounted this by citing a sighting from central Queensland.

Arguments followed about whether the blue regent, as it was also called, was real. The feuding even made the *Sydney Mail* newspaper in the 1870s. However, with no sightings in later decades, the hybrid argument won, and the bird was all but forgotten during the 20<sup>th</sup> century.

Then, in 2003, one was photographed near Lamington National Park in southern Queensland. And another was photographed a decade later near

Coffs Harbour in NSW. The 'species' still counts as a hybrid, but as one to keep an eye out for. More are likely in the future.

Bowerbirds are more apt than most birds to make mistakes, because the genders only come together briefly to mate. Females do all the work of building a nest, incubating eggs and rearing young.

That said, hybrids sometimes arise among birds that spend weeks together. There was surprise when a new species of wader, Cox's sandpiper, was named in South Australia in 1982. All the sandpipers that feed in Australia migrate through Asia to breed in the Arctic, limiting the chances that a species could escape detection for so long. Cox's sandpiper found its way into a leading field guide, but genetic work showed it to be a hybrid between the curlew sandpiper and pectoral sandpiper – two species that look similar.

Hybrid fairy-wrens, with the red of the red-backed fairy-wren and blue of another species, sometimes show up, without inspiring talk of new species. Their origin is easy to explain. Radio telemetry shows that male fairy-wrens often pursue secret dalliances, doing so in thick vegetation shortly before dawn, when it is too dark to see well. Even in good light the females of different species look very similar.

These hybrids count as mistakes, but some mixed matings are beneficial. For eucalypts, hybridisation is thought to serve as an 'insurance policy' that helps them acquire from other species the genes they need to survive a changing climate.

Source: Tim Low, Australian Geographic

#### **BIRD NESTBOX DOUBLES AS A FAKE SPEED CAMERA**

A man who built his own "speed camera" out of a bird box says he is willing to do anything to make the road outside his house safer.

Nick Porter built and put up the device on the A1017 between High Garrett and Gosfield in Essex in December. He said vehicles regularly reached speeds of 80 to 90mph - where the limit is 60mph and reduces to 40mph entering Gosfield and High Garrett.

"We don't feel safe here," Mr Porter told the BBC. There have been several road traffic incidents in the stretch between the two villages in recent years, including one in 2014 when three people were killed.

Mr Porter says he and his neighbours had repeatedly asked for the speed limit to be reduced, including offering to pay for any signage, but had now taken matters into their own hands.



"I saw the bird box 'speed camera' idea online and it has worked," Mr Porter said. "The traffic is noticeably a little bit slower now which is great, but once people realise it's not a proper speed camera, they'll just speed up again - but something needs to be done."

Mr Porter said his neighbours had even explored the possibility of buying a car to park on the road to create a traffic-calming measure

"Obviously we don't want to have to do it because if something happens, it'll then be on our conscience," he said. "But it's getting to the stage where it's either that, or it could be one of our children. We're left with very limited options."

Halstead councillor Chris Siddall, who chairs the local highways panel, says he sympathised with the residents and had recommended that the speed limit should be reduced to 40mph.

"It's really important that speed limits feel right for the motorist," he said, adding that "if people feel the speed limit isn't correct, they'll ignore it.

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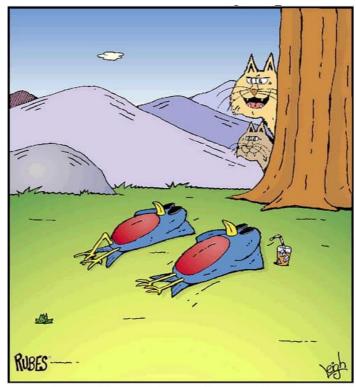
Forty miles an hour does feel a reasonable speed to drive along that section of road."

A spokesperson for the Council says the authority conducts a full investigation following any fatal collision to establish if there were any highway-related contributory factors, as well as reviewing the previous 10 years of collision data.

They said added that any local safety concerns could be raised and brought to the attention of the local highways panel.

Braintree District Council told the BBC it had not received a planning application or any enforcement inquiries in relation to the imitation camera, and was unable to say if the structure required planning permission or not without viewing it first.

Source: www.bbc.com/news/uk-england-essex-67923772



"I'm in the mood for a little treat, son. How'd you like some Baskin" robins?"

#### THREE YEARS UNTIL CARNABY'S COCKATOO STARVATION STARTS

Perth's endangered Carnaby's black cockatoos will begin to starve in three years after the state government logs what remains of their most significant remaining feeding site, BirdLife Australia has warned.

There were once 23,000 hectares of pine plantations across the Gnangara mound near Yanchep, north of Perth. After progressive harvests that's now 6000. The government plans to log the remainder with no large-scale revegetation strategy for the land.

There was a strategy to replace 5000 hectares of pines as a permanent food source: a small sub-section of a major Perth-Peel planning framework. But the government recently shelved this under the guise of COVID, with no announcement or replacement.



During the almost 10 years it took to launch, draft, review and dump the framework, the population of Carnaby's black cockatoo on the Perth-Peel Coastal Plain declined an estimated 35 per cent.

"People see a flock of 10 now, or hundreds, and think it's massive," BirdLife Australia black cockatoo project co-ordinator Adam Peck said. "In the past, 50 years ago, people would have seen flocks of thousands. They would blacken the sky."

On the night of the 2019 Great Cocky Count survey, 70 per cent of the entire count of Carnaby's black cockatoos, a species only found in southwest WA, was recorded in these pine plantations.

This was more than 9300 birds. One single roost in that area, which has over the past few years of the survey come to be known as the 'mega roost', had a count of more than 5000 birds, almost 40 per cent of all the Carnaby's cockatoos counted on the coastal plain.

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Mr Peck said Labor, while in opposition, strongly criticised the Barnett government for doing nothing about black cockatoo habitat decline, but had since done no better.

There have been small revegetation projects: BirdLife Australia has planted 10,000 crowdfunded trees. The Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions has planted 15,000-20,000 seedlings in ex-plantation areas annually for the past five years.

But this represented 20-50 hectares a year, Mr Peck said.

"At the current rate it would take 750 years to revegetate," he said. "The cockatoos will be long gone by then."

The government points to the need to recharge the aquifer beneath, which supplies half of Perth's drinking water, as the reason for the lack of larger-scale revegetation plans.

But Mr Peck says the DBCA models currently in use for smaller scale plantings could work on a larger scale and allow aquifer recharge, while still providing a realistic additional food source within eight years.

"As they mature they will provide more but there will be a lag and that is why we want it to happen quickly," he said. "If we don't do this, the birds will starve and they won't breed."

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Source: Birdlife Australia

DID YOU KNOW....

That the first captive breeding of Tourquisine Parrots was achieved in 1925 by a Mr G.A.Heumann in Sydney, NSW.

Since then they have become a popular aviary bird and the continuing development of new and advanced colours is only serving to increase the demand for these beautiful little neophemas.

#### POLYGAMOUS BIRDS SHOWN TO HAVE FEWER HARMFUL MUTATIONS

Bird species that breed with several sexual partners have fewer harmful mutations, according to a study led by the Milner Centre for Evolution at the University of Bath. The study, published in *Evolution*, shows for the first time how polygamy increases the efficiency of natural selection in wild populations.

Most birds pair up with a single mate each season, with some species like swans or geese mating for life. In contrast, some bird species are polygamous, having several partners per breeding season, however it is unclear why they have evolved a different mating system.

An international team of scientists led by Bath analyzed the genomes of 150 bird species, spanning all the major bird families and from locations across the world, including six species that were sequenced for the first time.

By counting differences between the genes inherited from the individual's mother and father (termed the heterozygosity), they were able to estimate the level of genetic diversity across each species.

They also looked at the frequency of gene mutations in each species and whether they changed the sequence of proteins for which they coded or were "silent." The former, called non-synonymous polymorphisms, are often detrimental to the individual, whereas silent mutations are generally harmless.

Contrary to their expectations, they found that polygamous species on the whole were no more diverse than monogamous ones, although the small number of species with polygamous females did have higher than expected genetic diversity.

They also found that, relative to the number of silent mutations, the polygamous species had significantly fewer potentially damaging mutations that changed the protein sequence.

Kees Wanders, Ph.D. student in the University of Bath's Department of Life Sciences is first author of the paper.

He said, "Species evolve through natural selection, where harmful mutations are removed from the population in the long term because individuals with the mutation don't survive long enough to breed, or individuals with beneficial adaptations survive for longer."

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"However, species also evolve through sexual selection, where evolution is shaped by individuals competing for access to mates, so that only the most desirable characteristics are successfully passed down to offspring."

"This research suggests that sexual selection aligns with natural selection in birds, so that harmful mutations are removed more efficiently in polygamous populations, where sexual selection is particularly strong."

"We still don't know exactly why some bird species are polygamous when most pair up for a breeding season or even for life."



"There are many different theories about why polygamy evolved in these species, but we've found the first evidence that it increases the efficiency of natural selection by rooting out harmful mutations and avoiding the effects of inbreeding."

"It's been previously observed by others in the lab in fruit flies, but this is the first time it's been observed in wild populations of birds."

Dr. Araxi Urrutia, Senior Lecturer at the Milner Centre for Evolution at the University of Bath and last author of the paper, said, "I had a hypothesis that in polygamous species, where individuals can't easily find a mate and have to travel further to find a breeding partner, that this would mean that there would be more genetic diversity in these species.

"However, we were surprised to find there was no evidence for this—instead we found that these species had fewer harmful mutations."

"Despite this apparent evolutionary advantage, most birds tend to stick together to raise their chicks because it gives their offspring a better chance of survival."

The data for this study was collected as part of the B10K Project, with scientists from China, Wales, Denmark, Hungary, Germany, Netherlands and Mexico contributing to the research.



## IN MEMORY OF PEG AND JOHN MROWKA 12 months after their passing

Peg and John passed away in March 2023. Peg passed on 1st March and John on 8th March. A combined funeral service was held on Saturday 11th March 2023 at Wyalong Cemetery. It was a bright, sunny day and many relatives and close friends attended. Some travelled long distances.

Peg and John were married for more than 67 years and had four children - Dianne, Peter, Christine and Marion.



Bird aviaries were established in the backyard in Moorebank and each family member had a specific type of bird that they used to exhibit. Peg and John were made Life Members of Rockdale Avicultural Society. John was Life Member of the Parrot Breeders and Exhibitors Society.

John was instrumental in the design and production of the Gloster Fancy club badge; working with Perfection Plate in Revesby and helped another Auburn Bird Club member to repair the Ring-making machine. He always put his hand up to assist with installing staging. With his multiple judging skills, he judged a variety of species at many different shows.

Peg was secretary and show secretary for several clubs and the children were kept busy with all the activities involved in managing a successful bird show.

Together they often hosted bird club meetings at their home and there were many bird club Christmas barbeques in the backyard.

Both Peg and John were honoured, separately, at the Canary and Cage Bird Federation Annual Dinner. John was honoured in 1981 and Peg several years later.

When the children had married and moved out, Peg and John decided to move to the country and purchased a house in Wyalong in 1990 where there was plenty of room in the backyard for bird aviaries. A local resident assisted with the aviaries and bird room build. They continued to exhibit birds for many years.

More recently, both Peg and John spent time enjoying the company of several small dogs and watching their birds in the backyard.

Vale – Peg and John. Your contributions to the caged bird world will be sadly missed

#### THE CANARY & CAGE BIRD FEDERATION of AUSTRALIA INC.

MINUTES of the A.G.M. Meeting held on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

The Vice President Bob Barnes opened the meeting at 8:05 p.m. welcoming the delegates and thanking them for their attendance,

#### ATTENDANCE:

There were 9 delegates in attendance including, B. Barnes, R Robertson, J Forrest, C. Gruntar, C. Isbister, G. Gingell, A. Christodoulou, B. Wright, J Walsh,

A further 10 delegates were on Zoom, namely M. Cameron, B. Whiting, J. Tadgell, R. Law, B. Kerr, M. McPherson, G. Fitt, N. Love, M McKenzie, S. Lloyd

VISITORS: T. Hartung.

**APOLOGIES:** were received from delegates, W. Wilson, I. Ward, J. Norriss, J Palmano – moved C. Gruntar Seconded G. Gingell apologies be accepted - Carried.

#### MINUTES:

The minutes for the CCBFA AGM held Wednesday 1st March 2023, previously published in Feathered World were displayed on the screen and paper copies distributed to delegates in attendance. As there were no matters arising from these minutes, they were adopted on a motion moved by B. Whiting and seconded by C. Gruntar as a true record of the 2023 AGM – Carried

#### CORRESPONDENCE:

NSW Fair Trading. Lodging Annual Return for 2022.

It was moved by B. Kerr and seconded by N. Love that the correspondence be received, and the secretary's action endorsed - Carried.

#### SECRETARY'S REPORT:

The secretary Ron Robertson gave his report for the 2023 year. He expressed his appreciation to all clubs for their communication throughout the year and all fellow committee members and Delegates for their ongoing support and attendance.

Expressing thanks, and appreciation to the Editor of *Feathered World*, Jamie Norriss and to equipment coordinator John Walsh for the handling of show stationery orders and auditor Greg Davie. Also extending special thanks to past president Sam Davis for his representation when advocating for aviculture over the past 5 / 6 years.

Moved C. Isbister seconded J. Walsh that the Secretary's report be received and endorsed - Carried.

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#### TREASURER'S REPORT:

The financial statements were screened with the treasurer giving an analysis of the income and expenditure. The financial position was sound. Moved G. Gingell seconded,

A Christodoulou that the Treasurer's report be received and endorsed - Carried.

#### **AUDITOR REPORT:**

The secretary referred to the signed auditor statement on the financial statement, stating he had verified the Financial Statements and in his opinion the Financial Statements represented a true and accurate record as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023. It was moved by.

J. Forrest and seconded A Christodoulou that the Audit Report be accepted and endorsed - Carried.

#### FEATHERED WORLD REPORT:

The Secretary expressed our thanks and appreciation to the editor Jamie Norriss for his dedication and presentation of the publication.

#### VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Bob thanked all who had given him their support during the short period since taking on the position. He advised he had communicated with the president of the ACA Michael Donnely who welcomed ongoing open communication.

Moved by C. Isbister and seconded by J. Walsh that the President's Report be accepted and endorsed - Carried.

#### **HONORARIUMS:**

It was moved that the honorariums remain the same as 2023 and be paid-

Moved G. Gingell and seconded J. Forrest - Carried.

This concluded the business of the AGM.

As Bob Barnes was the only nomination received for the position of President he remained in the chair and continued to conduct the election of office bearers.

The election of office bearers being as follows:

President: Bob Barnes.

Vice Presidents: W. Wilson and A Christodoulou.

Secretary / Treasurer / Ring Officer, Public Officer, Minutes Secretary,

Insurance Officers: R. Robertson

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Equipment Officer: John Walsh.

Government Liaison Representatives: Bob Barnes

Auditor: Greg Davie

Management Committee: C. Isbister, J. Forrest, C. Gruntar, G. Gingell.

Web master: The web host Shane Gowland

Web updates administrator Clubs: R. Robertson E. ccbfa@aapt.net.au Web updates administrator Events: M. McKenzie E. clubs@ccbfa.org.au

Face Book Administrators: B. Barnes

**GoH Selection Committee:** President, Secretary, W. Wilson, C. Isbister.

Guest of Honour Dinner coordinators: C. Gruntar and J. Walker

Feathered World Editor: Jamie Norris,

**Feathered World Committee Member:** J. Norris, R. Robertson, B. Barnes.

The Feathered World is to be prepared bi-monthly in February / March, April / May, June / July, August / September and October / November.

This concluded the Annual General Meeting which closed at 8:30 pm. The President declared the AGM closed, commencing the March 2024 General Meeting.

# THE NEXT FEDERATION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held at 8:00 pm on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025



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#### THE CANARY & CAGE BIRD FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA INC.

MINUTES of the GENERAL MEETING held Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

The President opened the meeting at 8:30 pm, following the conclusion of the AGM.

#### ATTENDANCE and APOLOGIES: As per the AGM.

The minutes for the 1<sup>st</sup> November 2023 General Meeting of Federation had been published in Feathered World and were displayed on the screen and paper copies distributed to delegates in attendance It was moved G. Gingell and seconded C. Isbister that the minutes be adopted as a true record of the November General meeting – Carried

**Matters arising out of the minutes**: None other than matters that can be held over for Reports and General Business.

#### In-coming correspondence as follows:

- Affiliated clubs. Notification of 2024 proposed dates for show, sale and auction.
- Affiliated clubs. Notification of office bearers and delegate
- Confirmation of cover and renewal terms for the Public Liability cover for listed affiliates for 2024, together with the invoice.
- Receipt of renewal terms for the Marine insurance for the period from 31 December 2023 to 31 December 2024.
- Notification of club closure, not requiring affiliation and insurance for 2024 from Ryde & District Canary and the Young and District Canary Club.
- Affiliates ordering 2024 rings.
- Affiliated clubs requesting assistance with matters regarding insurance.
- Coditech confirmation of ring orders.
- African Lovebird & Foreign Parrot Society Qld Inc. notification of a change of name to Ipswich & District Bird Club Inc.
- Queensland North And Central Zone Budgerigar Council notification of a change of name to North Queensland Budgerigar Zone.
- Narrogin Poultry Society Inc. advising they would not require insurance for 2024, as the Shire Council requires them to be covered by the Shire's insurance.
- Feathered Clubs Association of Queensland Inc. request for affiliation and insurance for them and their 45 clubs and museum.
- NSW NPWAS: Species List Advisory Committee, notification of appointment of Bob Barnes to the committee and Brian Read as deputy.

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**Newsletters** / **Journals** – Received from various clubs, with notification of club events for insurance:

- Downs Bird Breeders Association Inc. Newsletter Nov'23 & Feb'24
- PET Industry News. Nov, Dec'23 Jan, Feb'24
- Central Coast Avicultural Society. Newsletter Nov'23 & Jan' & Feb24
- Shoalhaven Avicultural Society Inc. Bird Tales Nov & Dec'23 & Jan & Feb'24
- Far North Queensland Bird Breeders Nov / Dec'23
- Gloster Fancy Canary Club of NSW Inc. Feb / March'24
- Bundaberg Canary & Caged Bird Society Inc. Newsletter Jan/Feb/March'24
- Coral Coast Bird Club Inc. Newsletter Chitterings Nov'23 & Jan & Feb'24
- Native Cockatiel Society of Australia Inc Feb/ March'24 NCSA News.
- Thuringowa Bird Club Inc. Newsletter Winglet Nov'23
- The Avicultural Society of NSW Inc Nov/Dec'23 & Jan'24
- FSA The Finch Breeders REVIEW Oct / Nov'23 & Jan / Feb'24
- ANPA Newsletter November 2023 & February 2024
- Colour Canary Breeders Association of Victoria. Newsletter Dec'23
- Ipswich and District Bird Club Inc. Nov Dec'23 News
- Australian Fife Fancy Canary Club of NSW Inc. Gazette March'24

#### Out-going correspondence as follows:

- Change of Office Bearers and Privacy forms sent to various clubs.
- Invoicing all affiliates for affiliation and insurance for 2023, attaching covering letter detailing the policy requirement, together with a separate note requesting notification of their 2023 show, sales, auctions, and convention dates. On receipt of payment forwarding the electronic copy of their CoC.
- Affiliates, numerous emails and phone calls following up the payment for A & I
- Ashfield RSL Requesting continued use of ANZAC Room for 2024 meeting dates.
- · Coditech, placement of new orders for 2024.
- Ring Secretaries of clubs emailing reminder notice for placement of rings for 2024.
- Affiliated clubs' assistance with insurance matters requesting information, forwarding amended certificates to those requesting.
- Feathered Clubs Association of Queensland Inc. forwarding the insurance CoC's and covering letter.
- Notification to the insurance brokers of the cancellation of the following clubs: African Lovebird & Foreign Parrot Society Qld Inc., Narrogin Poultry Society Inc., Ryde & District Canary and the Young and District Canary Club

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#### Matters arising out of correspondence:

It was moved by J. Forrest and seconded by G. Gingell that the correspondence be received, and the secretary's action endorsed - Carried

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

The accounts were submitted for endorsement.

It was moved by A. Christodoulou and seconded by C. Isbister that the payments and the Treasurer's actions be endorsed - Carried

#### **REPORTS:**

President Bob Barnes advised the meeting that the management committee had held a meeting in February, endorsing the appointment of Bob Barnes as our representative on the NPWS Species List Advisory Committee with Brian Read as deputy. Also accepting the affiliation and insurance for the Feathered Clubs Association of Queensland Inc. Including the 45 clubs and museum.

Moved J. Forrest and seconded by G. Gingell that the Reports be accepted, and Reporters thanked – Carried.

#### **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

- RAS Update RAS Greg Davie has advised entries closed 31<sup>st</sup> January, the show dates for the Cage Bird show at the 2024 Royal Easter Show will be Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024. Benching will be Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> from 6pm, Judging 27<sup>th</sup> March. The total number of entries was 424, Parrots 72, Love Birds 100, Budgerigars 92, Canaries 22, Finches 109, Juniors 29.
- **Feathered World** as only two subscribers have paid the renewal invoices sent 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2023, and two others have indicated an interest in subscribing it was agreed by the management committee that we discontinue the printing of the paper copy. It will continue to be uploaded to the web site, E Mag only. A refund to be made to the two paid.
- Ring Orders 2024, Supplementary orders will be ongoing during 2024, however delivery time frame and cost for trans-shipment will vary. Clubs requiring an order form to be completed, should contact the Secretary.
- Show and Sale dates for 2024 Clubs are requested to email Matt McKenzie
  the dates for their 2024 shows, sales, and auctions, including phone number
  of the contact person and venue details. It is understood that confirmation of
  the venue may be in abeyance / pending, however we request the tentative /
  projected dates be advised. Email <a href="mailto:clubs@ccbfa.org.au">clubs@ccbfa.org.au</a>

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- INSURANCE. Requirement for CCBFA and clubs to maintain proof of membership, i.e. membership form and maintaining a membership register. Also, Insurance cover for special events. The Secretary advise that the insurance underwriters have advised that clubs will require an additional CoC to be issued for special events (other than shows, sales and other normal club activities) noting the event name, period / date of the event, address, 'and venue name. The club should also detail to the secretary the club's involvement at the event.
- Guest of Honour Dinner: Consideration to combining with the Wollongong Avicultural Society celebrating their 75<sup>th</sup> year, suggested venue Panorama House, Bulli Tops (possible dates 6<sup>th</sup>,13<sup>th</sup> or 20<sup>th</sup> July) To be discussed further at the May meeting.
- NSW NP&WS, J. Tadgell (Bundaberg) asked the status of the NSW Licensing. The president advised that he had only yesterday received an email advising a date for public exhibition has not yet been set. The intent remains for this draft Code to go on public exhibition to seek the broader views of the public on its content. Once a date is set, it will be placed on public exhibition, and we will notify you as part of "go live" activities. The Code is available at Protected Animal Specimens Code of Practice 2023. For further information on the Code, including authorised activities, please visit Protected Animal Specimens Code of Practice
- Victorian Draft "Animal Care and Protection Act" M. Cameron (Mornington Peninsula) advised that the due date for submissions of a response had been extended to the 24<sup>th</sup> March. Advising the VAC had submitted theirs and was encouraging all other interested parties to send their response by the due date.

The President thanked the delegates for attending, as there was no further business the meeting closed at 9:05 p.m.

#### Notice of the Next General Meeting

Wednesday 1st May 2024
Meeting commences at 8:00 pm

2024 General Meetings, 1<sup>st</sup> May, 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 4<sup>th</sup> September, 6<sup>th</sup> November

#### THE CANARY & CAGE BIRD FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA INC.

## \*Denotes specialist society

ADELAIDE CANARY SOCIETY INC Meets 1st Thursday in month at Magill Senior Citizens Hall, Magill Pres.Laki Papadelos Tel: EMAIL. Ip64xr6@gmail.

\*AFRICAN LOVEBIRD SOCIETY OF AUSTRALIA INC Meets, Thompson Hall Activity Room, Balcombe Estate 92 Seven Hills Rd. Baulkham Hills NSW at 1930hrs Sec. David Horn Tel: 0404 801 047 EMAIL: parraeels18@hotmail.com

AMALGAMATED MELVILLE HOMING CLUB INC. Sec. Peter Dela Cruz Tel.0417 386 6917

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ARMIDALE & DISTRICT BIRD CLUB INC Meets 2nd Thursday in month at 7:00 pm,

Mun Hing restaurant Armidale Sec: Kylie Sykes Tel.0402 269 746

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ARMADALE KELMSCOTT PIGEON RACING CLUB Sec: Kevin Wilson Tel. 0488 921 684

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259 362 EMAIL: peterbbirds@hotmail.com. Geoff Wheeler Tel 0437 501 560

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**AUSTRALIAN BUDERIGAR SOCIETY INC** Meets monthly 3<sup>rd</sup> Thu at ABS Club House, I Plantation Rd., Beenleigh. Sec: Jim Calder Tel 0409 496 390, www.absbudgieclub.org.au

AUSTRALIAN GAME CLUB OF AUSTRALIA INC. Sec. Robyn Bailey Tel. 0422 693 081 EMAIL: robynbailey60@gmail.com

AUSTRALIAN CANARY ASSOCIATION INC Meets monthly 2ND Mon.at Maltese Cultural Centre 27

Talmage St, Sunshine VIC 3020 Sec: Charles Hadeed (03) 9310 4527

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\*AUSTRALIAN FIFE FANCY CANARY CLUB OF NSW INC. Meetings bi-monthly, contact Sec: Peter Hungerford Tel (02) 4991 5351 EMAIL: pkh@outlook.com.au

AUSTRALIAN HERITAGE BUDGERIGAR ASSOCIATION INC. for details contact Pres. Robert

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**AVICULTURAL SOCIETY OF THE CENTRAL COAST INC** Meets 4th Friday in month at 8:00pm at the Wyong RSL. Treas: David Barraclough **Tel** 04107 267 627

**EMAIL**: ccavisoc@gmail.com **Web**: www.centralcoastaviculturalsociety.com

AVICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NSW INC Meets 1st Friday of month at 8:00 pm at the Community Hall, 8 River

Rd. Ermington Sec: Paul Henry Tel 02 9874 2464. EMAIL: paulkate101@gmail.com

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**AVICULTURAL SOCIETYSOCIAL BIRDKEEPERS INC.** Meets 1st Friday of month at 8:00 pm at the Senior Citizens Hall Council Community Centre, Redman Parade Belmore. Sec.Matthew Drossos **Tel.** 0400 992 170 **EMAIL:** irnmd67@gmail,com

BACCHUS MARSH & MELTON POULTRY CLUB INC. Meets 2:00 pm 3rd Sunday in month at Bacchus Marsh Race Course Reserve Sec. Linda Cassar Tel. 0414 675 145 EMAIL: nickcassar@hotmail.com

**BALLARAT CANARY SOCIETY INC** Meets 1st Wed. in each month at Brown Hill Hall Ballarat **Sec:** Stephen McArdle **Tel.** 0499 901 322 **EMAIL:** smcardle@internode.on.net

BATHURST REGIONAL AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC. Meets bimonthly on 2nd Sunday

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BAYSWATER PIGEON RACING CLUB. Sec. Bill da Silva EMAIL: waerata@bigpond.com Tel: 0419 402 172

BEENLEIGH BIRD BREEDERS ASSOCIATION INC. Meets 1st Wednesday in month Treas. Ray Blumsom Tel. 07 3829 9793 EMAIL: rayrobynb@optusnet.com.au

BLACKTOWN EXHIBITION BIRDS SOCIETY INC Meets 2nd Tues. in month at 8pm in Committee Room

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\*BORDER FANCY CANARY CLUB OF AUSTRALIA INC Meets 1st Sunday. in month

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\*BORDER & FIFE CANARY CLUB OF QLD INC Meets 4th Sun contact Pres. Stephen Elliott Tel. 0408 013 895 EMAIL: mast.harley@gmail.com

\*BORDER FANCY CANARY CLUB OF VICTORIA INC Meets monthly 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. at Uniting Church Hall 1 Hyslop Street Burwood at 8pm Sec: Joseph Yardin Tel 0408 342 052 EMAIL: jyardin@bigpond.net.au WEB: www.vicbordercanaryclub.com.au/.

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\*BORDER FANCY CANARY CLUB INC MELBOURNE Meets monthly 1st Tue Uniting Church Hall, Cumberland Rd & Westgate St. Pascoe Vale South. Sec: Don CarboneTel: 0409258 077 EMAIL:doncarbone4@gmail.com

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BRISBANE CANARY ASSOCIATION INC. Pres. Liz Ball. Tel: 07 3399 5964 Email: emball@yahoo.com.au

**BRISBANE AND NORTHERN SUBURBS BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC** Meets monthly 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday at 7:30, at Bracken Ridge Hall, Bracken St Bracken Ridge, **Sec:** Carol Gough **Tel** 0403 084 154

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BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INC. Meets monthly 1st Tue at 171 Sturt St. Adelaide at

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BUNBURY PIGEON RACING CLUB Pres. Keith Huckle T. 0439 957 639

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BUNDABERG BIRD BREEDERS CLUB INC. Meets 3rd Tuesday 7:30 pm at Family Centre Bundaberg.

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BUNDABERG CANARY AND CAGED BIRD SOCIETY INC Meets monthly last Monday

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BURNETT BIRD KEEPERS ASSOCIATION INC. Pres. Barry Green Tel. 0437 751 266

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CABOOLTURE BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC Meets 2nd Tue of month at 7:30 pm Cabooltun

Dining Hall entry via Beerburrum Rd. Sec: Jackalyn Jansen Tel (07) 5497 4426

**EMAIL:** caboolturebudgerigarsociety@hotmail.com

**CANARY AND CAGE BIRD FEDERATION OF AUST INC.** Zoom meeting bi-monthly 1st Wed, Feb, Mar. May, July, Sept ,Nov, also when notified at Ashfield RSL Club 374 Liverpool Road Ashfield at 8pm. **Sec:** Ron

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CANBERRA FINCH CLUB INC. Meets last Tues in month at 7:30pm at Weston Creek Labor Club, Teesdale

St, Weston Pres. Dr Bruce Goleby Tel. 0419 204 178 Email: bruce.goleby@gmail.com

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CAPRICORNIA BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC. Meets 1st Friday of month (Not Dec & Jan)

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CENTRAL COAST POULTRY INC Sec. Chris White Tel: 0481 460 183. EMAIL: chris.skip021@gmail.com

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COLOUR CANARY BREEDERS ASSOC OF VIC Meets 4th. Thursday of Month at

Keon Park Community Hall Cnr Cheddar Rd & Dole Ave Reservoir **Sec:** Wayne Jones **Tel** 0410 303 158 **EMAIL:** wjo48927@bigpond.net.au

COMBINED COUNCIL OF QUEENSLAND AVICULTURAL CLUBS. Sec. Neal Axelby

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CORAL COAST BIRD CLUB INC. Meets 3rd Sunday of month except December

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DANDENONG CANARY SOCIETY INC Meets monthly 4th Tue at Show Ground Poultry Pavilion Dandenong

Pres: John Impey Tel 0457 739 512 EMAIL: birdsandmore@bigpond.com

DANDENONG FANCY PIGEON SOCIETY INC. Meets 4th Friday in month 7:30 pm, Poultry Pavilion Dandenong

Show Grounds, via Bennet St. gate. Contact James Mandilas Tel: 03 9800 5777

EMAIL. enquiries@fancypigeon.org.au Web: www.fancypigeon.org.au

**DOWNS BIRD BREEDERS ASSOCIATION INC.** Meets monthly 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday 7:30pm at Education Centre,

Baker St. Toowoomba . Pres: Richard Waters Tel (07) 4630 4483 EMAIL: birdie is@hotmail.com

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\*FIFE FANCY CANARY CLUB OF VICTORIA INC Meets 3rd Wed in month 8pm at 64 Clyde St. Thornbury

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FINCH SOCIETY OF AUSTRALIA INC. Meets 2nd Wed of month 7:30 pm at Prairiewood Youth

222 Restwell Rd Prairiewood Sec. Brian Read **Tel**. 0408 660 332 **Email:** secretary@finchsociety.org **WEB**. www.finchsociety.org

FSA CANBERRA FINCH CLUB INC Contact. Dr Bruce Goleby Tel. 0419 204 178

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FSA WOLLONGONG FINCH CLUB INC. Pres. Steve Porter Tel. 0423 624 200

FINCH SOCIETY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA INC. Meets 4th Tuesday of month 209 Main St. Osborne Park Agricultural Hall 7:30 pm Sec. Simon Hunter Tel. 0401 754 498 EMAIL: finchsocietywa@gmail.com

FLEURIEU BIRD CLUB INC. Meets 3rd Friday in month at 7:30 pm at Elizabeth House, 112 Elizabeth Road, Christie Downs, except May, Nov & Dec. Sec. Debbie Dart Tel 0439 568 974 EMAIL: pdreefdiver@hotmail.com

FRASER COAST BIRD CLUB INC. Meets 3rd Sun of Mth2:00 pm CWA Hall Torquay Tce, Pialba Contact Paul Lougheed EMAIL. paul.bev@live.com.au

FRASER COAST BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC. Sec: Damon Morris EMAIL: mozza1718@gmail.com



**GEELONG CANARY IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY:** Meets 1st Sun each month 10:00am Geelong Showground 79 Breakwater Rd East Geelong **Sec:** Rod Knight **Tel:** 0408 379 042 **EMAIL thebirdman@hotmail.com.au** 

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GOLD COAST AVIARY BIRD ASSOCIATION INC. Meets 3rd Friday of month Min Carrara Community

Centre, Nielsen's Rd, Carrara. **Pres:** Lyn Carr **Tel** (0411 048 348 **EMAIL:** <a href="mailto:glkcarr@bigpond.com">glkcarr@bigpond.com</a> **Web:** <a href="mailto:www.goldcoastaviarybird.org.au">www.goldcoastaviarybird.org.au</a>

**GOLD COAST & HINTERLAND BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY** Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed of month at Mudgeeraba Show Ground **Sec:** Alan Kent **Tel** 0419 701 342 **EMAIL:** akent@bigpond.net.au

GREAT LAKES MANNING BIRD CLUB INC. Meets at a member's home.
Contact: Marj Squires Tel. 02 6557 5253 EMAIL: marbrisq @bigpond.com

GULGONG AND DISTRICT AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC. Meets monthly last Sunday 2 pm Gulgong

Showground, Sec: Gary Phillips Tel (02) 6374 1348 EMAIL: <a href="wyndot12@gmail.com">wyndot12@gmail.com</a>

**GYMPIE CAGE BIRD CLUB INC** Meets monthly 1<sup>st</sup> Sun 1.30pm at Club House Gympie Show Grounds **Sec**: Jenny Stolberg **Tel** (07) 5482 4545 **EMAIL**: jag@spiderweb.com.au

HAWKESBURY FINCH CLUB - Meets 4th Wed of month at Castlereagh Community Hall Castlereagh Sec: Ron James Tel. 0415 878 162 Email: yarrajames@bigpond.com.au WEB: www.hawkesburyfinchclub.com

**HERVEY BAY BIRD CLUB INC.** Meets last Sat in month at Neighborhood Centre, Charles St. Hervey Bay at 2:00pm **Pres**. Dave Kalbfell **Tel**. 07 4121 4605 M. 0447 231 801

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HUNTER VALLEY FINCH CLUB INC. Meets 1st Frid in month (except January) at 7:30 at Shamrock Hill

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INDIAN GAME CLUB OF VICTORIA INC. Sec. Donna Moloney Tel. 0428 572 007

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INVERELL BIRDKEEPERS CLUB INC. Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed of month 7:00 pm at Club House Inverell Show Ground Sec: Frances Germany Medway Tel 0447 656 027

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IPSWICH & DISTRICT BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC Meets last Friday in month, 7:30 pm Bird Hall Ipswich Show Ground Sec: Brian Bohl Tel. (07) 5426 8760 EMAIL: brianbohl@iinet.net.au

IPSWICH CANARY SOCIETY INC. Pres. Tom Morriss Tel 0408 771 741. EMAIL: tmorriss43@amail.com

**THE IPSWICH & DISTRICT BIRD CLUB INC** Meets last Wednesday of month, Oasis Church of Christ, 25 Burne St., Bundamba, 4304. Sec. Shantel Dora **TEL** 0421 085 650 **EMAIL**: ipswichbirdclub@outlook.com.au

**IPSWICH PIGEON SPECIALIST CLUB INC.** Meets last Sunday in month at One Mile Hotel Ipswich **Sec:** John Wiseman **Tel** 07 5464 3784 **EMAIL**: john224@outlook.com

LAKE MACQUARIE PIGEON CLUB INC. Sec: Anthony Davis Tel. 0438244061

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LAKE MACQUARIE ZEBRA FINCH SOCIETY INC Meets bi-monthly (even) at a member's home Pres: Gilbert Bunn Tel (02) 4953 2482 EMAIL: gilbunn1@bigpond.com

**LAUNCESTON CANARY & CAGE BIRD SOCIETY INC** Meets monthly 2<sup>nd</sup> Tue at Summerdale Community Centre, Prospect . **Pres. Neville McGee Tel. 0407 976 597 EMAIL**: margaretmcgee1951@gmail.com

MACARTHUR AVIARY BIRD CLUB INC Meets 1st Tues. in month at 8:00 pm at the Catholic Church Hall, 58 Edgar Street Macquarie Fields Treas. Ben Doyle Tel (02) 9820 8746 EMAIL: macbirdclub@gmail.com

MACKAY CITY BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC. Sec. Doug Wales Tel 0409 592 742 EMAIL: douglizwales@bigpond.com Pres. Ross Garrett Tel. 0416 785 743

MANDURAH AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month 2:00 pm Lions Hall Park Rd.

Mandurah Pres: Robert Bland Tel 0411 716 600

MANLY WARRINGAH AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC Meets 3rd Thursday in month at 7:00 pm except June/July/Dec/Jan at Corner Allambie Road & Owen Stanley Ave. Allambie Heights

Sec: Susan Heffernan Tel: 02 4973 4944 Email: sueheff@hotmail.com www.mwas.org.au

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MELBOURNE BORDER FANCY CANARY CLUB. Sec. Don Carbone Tel. 0409 258 077

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MELBOURNE CANARY IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY INC Meets monthly 1st Tue Tue at 2nd Scout Hall,

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EMAIL: melbcanary@bigpond.com Web: www.melbournecanary.org.au

MELBOURNE PIGEON SOCIETY Treas: William Vost Tel 0417 990 010

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Clyde St Thornbury at 8:00 pm Sec: Tony Cipriano Tel 03 9853 3428 EMAIL: tony.cip@hotmail.com OR Sam Farrugia Tel. 03 9338 9591

METROPOLITAN BUDGERIGAR CLUB INC Meets 4th Saturday in month at 11:00 am at Bassendean Community Centre Sec: Christine Morgani Tel. 0407 779 503 EMAIL: morganich1@bigpond.com

MIDLAND & NORTHERN DISTRICTS CAGE BIRD SOCIETY Meets 1st Tuesday in month at Fosters Park

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MIDSTATE BUDGERIGAR CLUB INC Sec. Garry Pymont Tel. 0427 401 267

Hall Cnr. Abernethy Rd & Kaene Street Cloverdale 6105 at 8:10 pm Sec: Gail Cruttenden

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MIDWEST POULTRY CLUB INC Sec. Tina Miller Tel 0428 046 075 EMAIL: t miller78@hotmail.com/

MID NORTH COAST AVICULTURAL SOCIETTY INC. Meets 3rd Sunday of month at Kempsey Masonic Hall at 10:00am Sec. Ray Thiele Tel. 0408 626 993 EMAIL: mncavisoc@outlook.com

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MORNINGTON PENINSULA AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC. Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in month at Baptist Church

Hall, Craigie Rd Mt Martha at 8:00 pm. Sec David White Tel: 0428 774 929

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**NEWCASTLE / MAITLAND CANARY & CAGE BIRD CLUB:** 

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NORTH EAST BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INC. Meets 2nd Wednesday of month

at 7:30 pm at Kilburn Hall 49 LeHunte St. Sec: John Mulley Tel. 08 8331 0097

**EMAIL:** jmulley@bigpond.net.au **Web.** www.bcsa.com.au/nebs

NORTH WEST BIRD CLUB TASMANIA INC. Meets biMonthly at 7:30 pm Wynyard Showgrounds Jack-

son St. Wynyard Sec: Lorna Dicker Tel (03) 6442 1820

EMAIL: lornadoone99@hotmail.com Web: www.northwestbirdclubtasmania.org.au

NORTHERN AVICULTURAL SOCIETY (NEWCASTLE) INC Meets 2nd Friday in months of Mar, Apr, Jun.

Sep. & Dec at 7.30pm at Shortland Wetlands Centre Sandgate Rd Shortland

Treas: Garry Hainsworth Tel (02) 4963 3623 EMAIL: garyhainsworth@mmbs.com.au

NORTHERN TASMANIAN BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC. Meets 3rd Monday in month at Windmill Hill Hall

Launceston Contact. Derek Poole Tel: 03 6391 2065 EMAIL: blair\_poole@vision.net.au

NORTHERN NSW BUDGERIGAR BREEDERS ASSOC INC.

Sec: Don Harper Tel (02) 6649 3209 Web: www.northernswbudgerigars.com

NORTHERN RIVERS AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC Contact Terrence Cheney Tel 0403 203 433

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NORTHERN ZEBRA FINCH SOCIETY. Contact: Peter Trow Tel (02) 6732 5400

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NORWICH AND CRESTED CANARY SOCIETY OF AUSTRALIA INC.

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OAKLEIGH DISTRICT POULTRY SOCIETY INC. Contact Angus Macdonald Tel. '0413 660 717

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ORANA AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC at Dubbo RSL Memorial Club, Brisbane St Dubbo

2nd Tue of Feb, May, Aug, Nov. Sec: Ian Todhunter Tel: 0427 430 842 EMAIL: toddy.3@hotmail.com

ORANGE BIRD SOCIETY Meets 3rd Wed. of each month (Jan-Nov) at Orange Senior Citizens Centre

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Lansvale Community Hall Day St Lansvale Sec: Mark Gallagher Tel. 02 9838 1256

**EMAIL:** secretary@parrotbreeders.net

PARROT SOCIETY OF AUSTRALIA (NSW) INC. Meets bi-monthly at 23 Melanie St. Hassle Grove at

8pm in Feb., April, June, Aug., Oct., Nov. Pres. Dean Bakerr Tel. 0411 578 996

EMAIL: waterfallaviaries@bigpond.com.au

PHOENIX INVITATION CLUB Sec. Michael Hooker Tel. 0447 028 004

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Purpose School, 100 Beverley Rd. Campbelltown Sec. Ken Denmeade

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PIGEON RACING FEDERATIONOF WESTERN AUSTRALIA INC. Sec: John Wintle

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PINE RIVERS BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY Meets 4th Mon of each month at 7:30 pm Pine Rivers Showground

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PORT PIRIE BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY OF SA INC. Meeting details contact Sec: Peter Glassenbury Tel. 0409 288 710 EMAIL: pglassen@bigpond.com

QUEENSLAND AVICULTURAL & CANARY IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY INC Meets 1st Sat of alternate month

1:30pm, enquiries with Sec: Neal Axelby Tel (07) 5442 2454 EMAIL: <a href="maxelby3@optusnet.com.au">naxelby3@optusnet.com.au</a>

QUEENSLAND BIRD BREEDERS CLUB INC Meets 3rd Sun – Jan to Nov, Guide Hut Station Rd Longanlea.

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QUEENSLAND COUNCIL OF BIRD SOCIETIES INC. Meets 3rd Mon 7:00pm Loganlea Guide Hall Station

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RED FACTOR & COLOURED CANARY CLUB QLD. INC. Meets 4th Sun in month 10:30 am

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RIVERVALE HOMING CLUB INC. Sec. Charles Ellwood Tel. 0481 350 155 EMAIL: charlespigeon2@gmail.com

ROCKHAMPTON FINCH & PARROT SOCIAL CLUB INC. Meets 3rd Sun in month

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Hall **Tel**: 07 4956 4673 **EMAIL**: Sarinabirdclub@gmail.com

SHEPPARTON & GOULBURN VALLEY POULTRY SOCIETY INC. Meets 3rd Monday each month, Sec.

Filipa Marshall TEL. 0408 550 545 EMAIL: filipa@filoulane.com

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**SOUTH WEST BUDGERIGAR CLUB (MANDURAH) INC** Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun. in month (except Jan., May & Dec.) at 11.30am Coodanup Community Centre Wanjeep Street Coodanup

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**SOUTH WESTERN NSW BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC** Meets bi-monthly 4th Sun at 10:30 am at Bellina Hall Junee **Sec: Wendy McGlynn Tel. 0427 424 374 EMAIL**:wmcqlynn@aussiebb .com.au

SOUTHERN TASMANIA CANARY SOCIETY INC

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SWAN DISTRICT HOMING CLUB INC. Pres. Kevin McDowall Tel: 0418 905 866

TAMWORTH BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed in month 7.30pm Pres. Tom Davisl Tel 0412 336 063 EMAIL: thomasandberyl.davis@gmail.com

TASMANIAN BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC Treas. Peter Howard Tel 0417 313 091

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THURINGOWA BIRD CLUB INC Meets 1st Sunday of month Sec: Jenny van Reyk

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TOOWOOMBA BUDGERIGAR ASSOCIATION INC Sec: June McLeod Tel 0427 040 610

EMAIL: tbabudgie@gmail.com Meets 1st Sat of month at 2 pm at Centenary Heights High School Toowoom-

ba Web: www.toowoombabudgerigarassociation.org

TOOWOOMBA CANARY CLUB INC Meets bi-monthly 2:00pm Sunday Pres: Rod Waddington

EMAIL: trinrod@hotmail.com Sec: Lorelle Chaille, Tel: 0402 865 045

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TUGGERAH LAKES SPECIALIST CANARY SOCIETY: Meets 1st Sun. in month CWA Hall 1 Pacific St Long Jetty 10am Sec. Bede Irvine Tel. 0422 541 470 EMAIL: bedeirvine@bigpond.com

TWIN CITIES FANCY PIGEON CLUB Sec. Michael Clancy Tel 0407 036 605

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VICTORIAN ZEBRA FINCH INC. Meets bi-monthly on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Sec. Jade Seabrook Tel 0408 337 498 EMAIL: jseabro3@yahoo.com.au Web: <a href="www.victorianzebrafinch.com">www.victorianzebrafinch.com</a>

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WIDE BAY AVICULTURE SOCIETY INC. Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat of month, at 2pm, Baddon Scout Hal, Maryborough

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WOLLONGONG & DISTRICT AVICULTURAL SOCIETY INC. Meets 3rd Mon in month at 7:30 pm at

Balgownie Village Community Centre 113 Balgownie Rd Balgownie Sec: Brad Kerr

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WOLLONGONG FINCH CLUB INC. Meets 1st Mon of month 7:30 pm Balgownie Village Community Centre

Pres. Steve Porter Tel. 0423 624 200. EMAIL: sjp981@gmail.com

WYNNUM REDLANDS BUDGERIGAR SOCIETY INC Meets 2nd Wed in month at Assembly Hall Cleveland

Show Grounds Sec: Trevor Broadbent Tel; 0407 323 622. EMAIL: secretary@wrbsinc.com

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