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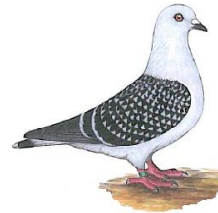
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**Redakteur/Editor
Christo Munnik**

Ek weet partymaal nie hoekom ek die redaksionele kolom skryf nie. Regtig, help my asseblief, lees enige van ons lede die bietjie snert wat ek hier skryf. Ek noem dit snert want dit wil voorkom of dit nie gelees word nie omdat lede dink dis onbelangrik. Ek weet ek skryf partymaal somer wat in my gedagtes opkom maar ek lig ook redelik gereeld belangrike punte uit wat ek dink lede behoort te weet en dat almal nie internet het om

dit op die "duiwehoekie" en "SASV" blad te lees nie.

'n Baie goeie voorbeeld is die aankondiging dat die Sierduif van nou af beskikbaar sal wees op die SASV se webblad en nie meer gepos sal word nie. Ek verwys na die eerste paragraaf van my redaksionele kolom in die Januarie/Februarie Sierduif wat soos volg geskryf was:

"Die begin van 'n nuwe era met "Die Sierduif" het aangebreek. Die boekie sal van die maand af slegs op die SASV webblad beskikbaar wees. Die oorskakeling sal hopelik goed afloop sodat die lede almal die boekie in volkleur kan lees en nie net die buiteblad nie."

Nou vra ek hoe is dit moontlik dat daar lede is wat sê hulle het nie geweet van die reëling nie

omdat hulle maar min na die webblad op internet kyk. Om die saak nog erger maak is dat die Nasionale President ook in die laaste 2017 boekie in sy skrywe die volgende sê: Ek haal aan.

"Die Sierduif in elektroniese formaat Die Sierduif gaan vanaf Januarie 2018 elektronies verskyn met 'n saamgestelde jaar uitgawe aan die einde van elke jaar vir die lede wat daarin sou belangstel."

Al wat ek vra is dat lede asseblief vir my moet help om die nuusbrieff vir almal aanvaarbaar te maak. Daar word nou wel allerhande voorstelle gemaak en daar word verseker daarna gekyk.

Hoop die komende skouerseisoen sal vir almal net wenners oplewer. Lekker skou.

TE KOOP

American Show Racers: 2 x 2017 @ R750 elk. 2 x 2018 @ R750 elk. 1 x 2015 mannetjie @ R750. Brooks en Whitson lyne. Blou swart gebalk en check. Koper moet self afhaal of reël vir vervoer vanaf Stellenbosch.

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Skouseisoen 2018!!

Benard van Zyl

Met die 2017 Skouseisoen wat kort geknip was is daar 'n tasbare energie tussen lede vir die skoue wat amper ophande is!! Daar is egter 'n paar ver-

anderings wat asseblief na opgelet moet word nadat veranderings aangevra is deur verskeie partye en ek versoek streke om op Jongduif-, Streek-, en die Kampioenskapskou asseblief op die volgende te let:

1. In die volgende rasse gaan daar slegs een duif na die Hoofbeoordelings area vir oorweging in die Top 7:
 - a) Modena - Gazzi/Schietti,
 - b). Dutch Highflyer/Chimney Sweeper,
 - c) Alle English Longfaced Tumblers,
 - d) Gimpel/Archangel,
 - e) Satinette/Blondinette.
2. Gewaste riviersand

word slegs in die hokke van Chinese Owls, Frillbacks, African Toys en English Trumpeters gebruik.

3. Waar streke onseker is oor watter hok groottes vir watter rasse gebruik moet word, kontak my asseblief ek sal die nodige deurgee!!

Ek gee dan ook hier die lys van beoordelaars en watter rasse deur hulle beoordeel gaan word.

NEEM ASSEBLIEF KENNIS DAT DIE LYS OP KORT KENNISGEWING KAN VERANDER!!

Geniet die skoue!!! En laat die beste duif wen!!

Ras	Aantal	Beoordelaar	Totaal
American Giant Runt	10	Benard van Zyl	10
Stargard Shaker	5	At van Jaarsveld	
SA Distance Roller	2	At van Jaarsveld	
Birmingham Roller	12	At van Jaarsveld	19
English L/F Muffed Tumbler	1	Felice Esposito	
English C/L L/F Tumbler	18	Felice Esposito	
Marked English C/L L/F Tumbler	1	Felice Esposito	
Marked English C/L Muffed Tumbler	1+1	Felice Esposito	22
Dutch Highflyer	14	Christo Britz	14
Nun	31+2	Brat Turner	
Medium Faced Plain Head Helmet		Brat Turner	
Medium Faced Crested Helmet	10	Brat Turner	
Domestic Show Flight	8	Brat Turner	51
Fantail		Chris de Bruin	
Taganroger Tumbler	2	Chris de Bruin	
Danish Tumbler	1	Chris de Bruin	

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Rostower Tumbler	2	Chris de Bruin	
English Show Homer	1	Chris de Bruin	
Syrian Dewlap	2	Chris de Bruin	
Fairy Swallow	5	Chris de Bruin	
Coburg Lark	2+1	Chris de Bruin	
Saxon Cropper	1	Chris de Bruin	Junior
Bernhardine Cleanleg Magpie	2+1	Chris de Bruin	
Starling	1	Chris de Bruin	Junior
Berne Lark	1	Chris de Bruin	Junior
Pomeranian Pouter	2	Chris de Bruin	
King	20	Chris de Bruin	
Jacobin	11+6	Chris de Bruin	
Schmalkaldener Moorhead	1	Chris de Bruin	
Scandaroon	8	Chris de Bruin	
Danzig Highflyer		Chris de Bruin	70
Vienna Longfaced Tumbler	9+1	Chris v d Walt	
Vienna Longfaced Muffed Tumbler	5+6	Chris v d Walt	
Vienna Shortfaced Tumbler	4	Chris v d Walt	
Silician Swallow	6	Chris v d Walt	
Old Dutch Tumbler	6	Chris v d Walt	
Memeler Highflyer		Chris v d Walt	
Krasnodarer Tumbler		Chris v d Walt	
Parlour Tumbler - Distance	2	Chris v d Walt	
Parlour Tumbler - Single performer	11	Chris v d Walt	
Egyptian Swift	6+1	Chris v d Walt	
Berlin Shortfaced Tumbler	4	Chris v d Walt	
S.A. Botternek Tumbler	9	Chris v d Walt	69
Mookee	87+5	Barnard Steyn	92
German Beauty Homer	24+7	Christo Nel	
Norwich Cropper	44+14	Christo Nel	93
Swiss Mondain	14	Ds. Hennie Hattingh	14
Strasser	11+3	Gert Venter	
African Toy	11	Gert Venter	25
Chinese Owl	84+10	Attie van Aswegen	94
Modena - Schietti	31	JAS van Niekerk	
Modena - Gazzini	5+2	JAS van Niekerk	38
Old German Owl	36	Raymond Hohls	36
Pigmy Pouter	8	Jannis Esterhuizen	
Magpie	10	Jannis Esterhuizen	18
Brunner	57+5	Koot Serfontein	62
Indianer		Lourens Muller	
Dragoon	44+2	Lourens Muller	

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Carrier	7	Lourens Muller	
Barb	13+4	Lourens Muller	
Indian Fantail	26+2	Lourens Muller	98
Frillback	18	Marleen Esterhuizen	
Arabian Trumpeter	12+1	Marleen Esterhuizen	31
Modeneser	24+4	Christo Munnik	
Old Dutch Capuchine	19	Christo Munnik	
Blondinette	17	Christo Munnik	
Satinette	19	Christo Munnik	83
Polish Lynx	6+1	Peet Botha	
Maltese	1	Peet Botha	
English Trumpeter	16+4	Peet Botha	
Danish Suabian	9+1	Peet Botha	38
West of England Tumbler	5+1	Ken Garrod	
Thuringian Spot	2+1	Ken Garrod	
Syrian Swift	6+1	Ken Garrod	
Portuguese Tumbler	6+1	Ken Garrod	
Gimpel	16	Ken Garrod	
Oriental Roller	12+1	Ken Garrod	
Italian Owl	13	Ken Garrod	
Hamburg Schimmel	5	Ken Garrod	
Crested Soultz	5	Ken Garrod	
Budapester Shortfaced Tumbler	1	Ken Garrod	
A.O. Fancy Pigeon not Mentioned	10	Ken Garrod	76
African Owl	4	Pieter Neetling	
English Shortfaced Tumbler	4	Pieter Neetling	
American Giant Homer	2	Pieter Neetling	
Damascene	6	Pieter Neetling	44
American Show Racer	134+2	Bertie Wessels	136
Voorburg Shield Cropper	30	Awie Esterhuizen	30
Working Homer	3	Renier Lee	
Polish Helmet	8	Renier Lee	
Show Racer		Renier Lee	
Reversewing Cropper		Renier Lee	
Marchenero Pouter	3	Renier Lee	
Felegyhazaer Tumbler	10	Renier Lee	
Ice Pigeon Muffed	12	Renier Lee	
Gorguero Pouter		Renier Lee	
Ghent Cropper		Renier Lee	
English Giant Pouter	1	Renier Lee	
Canaria Cropper	3	Renier Lee	40
Holle Cropper	73+2	Rob Lombaard	

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Gros Mondain	23	Rob Lombaard	98
Lahore	22+2	Wikus v Niekerk	
Komorner Tumbler	5	Wikus v Niekerk	
Dutch Cropper	28+2	Wikus v Niekerk	
Cauchois	5	Wikus v Niekerk	64
Runt	7	Junior v d Walt	7



Noord-Vrystaat
Attie van Aswegen

Noord-Vrystaat Sierduifstreek het Saterdag 4 November 2017 ons Algemene Jaarvergadering gehou by Christo Nel en gesin. Ons het die oggend begin met 'n lekker koppie koffie.

Daar was elf senior lede en een junior lid teenwoordig. 'n Baie mooi getal lede wat lekker saam kon gesels. Die vergadering het vlot verloop en daar was heelwat besprekings-

punte wat goed deurtrap is.

Kroonstad Hoërskool wat lid is van die SASV het nou vier junior lede wat daar betrokke is met die Jeugskoue, Ju-Marie Swanepoel, Suné Grobler, Eben Bezuidenhout en Ruané Cilliers. Baie welkom Ruané.

Bertie Wessels het uitgetree as President en Tesourier van die streek na baie jare se goeie en



Noord Vrystaat lede van Links Oom Fourie Cronje, Jurie Bezuidenhout, Bertie Wessels, Hendri Botha, Attie van Aswegen, Matt Willemse, Christo Nel met Joke op die arm, Hennie Huyser, Johnny Müller, Frik Schoeman en Gert Venter en voor Josef Nel.

harde werk. As tesourier vanaf 1999 en President vanaf 2007. Ek het as

Na die vergadering is daar duiwe gekyk en duiwe gesels. Christo het baie

en Gert Venter met julle verkiesing. Ek vertrou dat dit goed sal gaan en Matt



Noord Vrystaat bestuur vir 2018 van links Frik Schoeman, Henri Botha, Attie van Aswegen, Matt Willemse, Christo Nel en Gert Venter.

sekretaris saam met Bertie in 2007 begin. Ek kon vir Bertie enige tyd kontak oor iets in die streek of SASV. Baie dankie Bertie vir die tyd wat ons lekker saam kon werk.

goeie duiwe en dit was 'n plesier om na hulle te kyk.

Daar is later gebraai met lekker bykosse en lekker gekuier. Baie dankie Christo en Petro vir julle gasvryheid en moeite.

Baie geluk Matt Willemse

het 'n sterk span agter hom. Baie geluk aan Frik Schoeman wat herkies is as Skou-Bestuurder.

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Is dit nie vreemd dat mense tyd vind om te haat, terwyl die lewe eintlik te kort is om voldoende liefde te gee.



What is a fancy pigeon?
From Internet
submitted by Simon Jordaan

The association between pigeons and humans date back as early as 3000 to 5000 BC (Hooimeijer 1997). Humans eat pigeons. We use them in laboratory animal medicine. We care for them as cherished pets or aviary birds. We use their athleticism in competitions and for entertainment, and in the past we have even flown them for important communications.

Pigeons are among the most ancient domesticated animals in the world. They were originally used as utility birds [for] meat, fertilizer, and feather products... - Hooimeijer 1997



Figure 1. Pigeons were frequently used for communication in wartime before invention of the WIRELESS. Shown here, GI Joe or Pigeon USA4-3SC6390 brought a message that arrived just in time to save the lives of over 100 Allied soldiers.

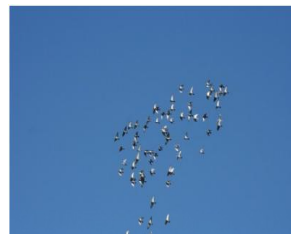
There are various classifications of fancy pigeon, which are all descendants of the rock pigeon or rock dove (*Columba livia*):

- Racing or homing pigeons, also known as "homers", are the "mara-thon athletes" of the pigeon world, capable of long distance flight.



The first racing pigeon that passes the red buoy is the winner. Photo credit: J

Ken Crozier via Flickr Creative Commons.



Racing pigeons. Photo credit: Richard Elzey via Flickr Creative Commons.

- Ornamental pigeons are another type of fancy pigeon that were developed for their beauty. They may be pastel colors of soft blues, grays, striking black and white, or a variety of colors, patterns, and/or conformations .
- Flying and performance pigeons, such as tippers, high flyers, and rollers, were bred for their aerial acrobatic abilities. A kit is a group of up to 30 performing pigeons.
- Utility pigeons are raised for meat or squab. These large breeds are also popular as laboratory animals.

Shown here, Satinette Oriental frills. Pigeon fancy vocabulary terms

This practice of pigeon fancy is generally called



"pigeon racing" in North America and "pigeon play" in Europe. The principles of pigeon fancy are intricate and there are a variety of vocabulary terms that can seem quite mysterious (Table 1). There is also a history of resistance to veterinary involvement among many pigeon breeders so it can be intimidating for even experienced avian veterinarians to interact with the pigeon fancier.

Pigeon fancy vocabulary terms.

Term: Billing.

Definition: Exchange of crop contents between adults during courtship, also known as "kissing"

Term: Bull or polygamous system.

Definition: System of polygamous breeding often used to breed numerous hens to a prepotent cock.

Term: Cock.

Definition: Male bird

Term: Crest.

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Definition: Reversed swirl of feathers on back of head.

Term: Darkening.

Definition: Short day photoperiod system that forces molt.

Term: Dovecote.

Definition: Facility where pigeons are housed, also known as a "coop" or "loft"

Term: Flights.

Definition: Flight pens attached to loft for captivity, outdoor exercise.

Term: Homer.

Definition: Short for a homing or racing pigeon

Term: Frill.

Definition: Tuft of feathers that swirl on breast, also a breed of pigeon.

Term: Kissing.

Definition: Exchange of crop contents between adults during courtship, also known as "billing".

Term: Kit.

Definition: Group of 20 or fewer performing flying pigeons.

Term: Loft.

Definition: Facility where pigeons are housed, also known as a "coop" or "dovecote".

Term: Lost pigeon.

Definition: Birds that do not return home.

Term: Muffs.

Definition: Feathers on legs and feet, see "slipped".

Term: Nestplay.

Definition: A classic method of racing pigeons, also known as the natural system in the United States, that uses the pigeon's natural desire to return to its nests. Birds are allowed to have a nestbox. When the hen lays eggs, the male bird is inspired to return home faster. When females are raced they will want to return to the nest faster to lay their next clutch.

Term: Slipped.

Definition: Light feathering on legs and feet, see "muffs".

Term; Squab.

Definition: Unfledged baby pigeon OR pigeon meat.

Term: Squeaker.

Definition: Weaned or weaning fledgling with an immature squeaking voice.

Term: Widowhood.

Definition: A breeding system popular with many

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fanciers. Pairs are allowed to raise their chicks, but male birds are separated from females for the entire week during the racing season. This form of "pigeon play" or racing is most commonly used with cocks but is also possible with hens. In "double widowhood" females are flown as well as males.

A lesbian hen system is also very successful in which there are no males to be seen or heard, as they are not kept in the same loft. Hens are housed in pairs and allowed to lay four eggs. Some fanciers prefer this system as more pigeons can be housed in a given space without the danger of fighting.

Term: Young bird.

Definition: A first year pigeon between weaning and maturity.

Training birds in pigeon sport.

Homing or racing pigeon play is based on the bird's inherent homing instinct. Birds will fly hundreds of miles under any conditions to return "home". By definition, birds that are maintained for show or

racing purposes are kept in open flocks as these birds have frequent, usually weekly, contact with pigeons from other lofts or pigeon coops.

During the racing season, birds from different lofts are confined together in baskets, driven a distance away, and released to return home. Young birds or poorly trained individuals may also come into contact with wild pigeons during races or training sessions. Therefore when pigeons from different lofts are placed together and then released, not all birds return home. Lost pigeons frequently enter strange lofts.

Pigeons confined to boxes prior to release for a race. Photo credit: James Brunskill via Flickr Creative Commons.



Close-up of a pigeon in a box. Photo credit: James Brunskill. Click image to enlarge.



In Europe, the racing season is from April to September. There are three basic systems for racing pigeons. All systems are related to the breeding season, which occurs during fall/winter in the Northern Hemisphere. These systems also require strict scheduling, discipline, and a substantial time commitment. For optimal condition, pigeons are trained daily.

In North America it is generally too hot for birds to fly in August. The breeding season generally extends from January to May. Young birds hatched that spring will race in October and November, or sometimes a bit later. Birds typically begin racing at approximately 9-10 months of age. For adult or "old" birds, the racing season is in April and May.

- Nestplay or the natural system is the classic method for racing pigeons, which is based on the

adult bird's natural desire to return to the nest. Pairs stay together during the week, then either hens or cocks are raced depending on the status of the nest.

- Widowhood is another popular method of pigeon racing. Adult birds are separated by gender for the entire week during the racing season. Widowhood is played mostly with cocks, but is also possible with hens.

- Young pigeon play or young pigeon racing was traditionally designed to train young pigeons but this system has become an important part of racing sport. Young birds are taught to "**perch**" or return to the security of shelter and food.

Racing pigeons perform best when they have full plumage and minimal molting or new feather growth. Young pigeons normally molt at the end of the summer, which can put birds at a disadvantage during the racing season. The darkening system is used to manipulate molting by darkening lofts for 10 to 12 hours each day.

Maintaining young pigeons on short days tricks pigeon physiology causing birds to rapidly molt body or covert feathers but not flight feathers. Darkening is best started after weaning or before the racing season begins in the fall. Darkened young pigeons can generally not be used after racing for winter breeding or for shows in the fall. These birds will enter a molting cycle once they are exposed to regular photoperiod. Some fanciers also believe darkened pigeons do not perform optimally in future years and are more sensitive to illness.

A more common option to manipulate molt occurs during July, approximately 1.5 to 2 months before the racing season begins. Some pigeon fanciers will pull out the tenth and sometimes the ninth, primaries, so that these important flight feathers have molted.

Breeding fancy pigeons

Because pigeon racing is closely associated with breeding, many pigeon fanciers keep detailed records of their birds and

their pedigrees. Individual pigeons are usually identified by leg bands. In Europe, the last two digits on the band is typically the year the bird was hatched. While American bands also list the year of hatch, they often include a number and something to indicate the club or association that has issued the band.

For instance, the leg band of one of Dr. X's birds read "14 PRO". PRO indicating the Pigeon Racers of state "Y" and 14 is the identifying number for this individual bird.

There are three main breeding systems that are employed:

- In classic breeding, preparation for breeding begins in early February in the Northern Hemisphere. In the United States, pairs are put together during the last week of November. Eggs are laid during the second or third week of December and chicks are hatched by January, February, or March at the latest.

Chicks hatch early in the year. Photo credit: Philippa Willitts via Flickr Creative Commons.



- Winter breeding is another popular system that starts in November or December in Europe.
- The bull system is a polygamous breeding program in which numerous hens are bred to one dominant cock. This system is often used for a valuable male bird, from which a large number of chicks are desired.

Unfledged baby pigeons

are called squabs. Squabs are generally able to fly by 5 weeks of age. These fledglings, with their immature squeaking voices, are called squeakers once they are weaned or weaning. A juvenile pigeon is defined as a young bird during its first year between weaning and maturity.

A juvenile rock dove. Photo credit: John Liu via Flickr Creative Commons



Successful flock maintenance

Success in pigeon fancy requires optimal environmental conditions including proper nutrition, husbandry, and preventive care.

Housing

Normal pigeon housing, also called a loft or dovecote, is derived from a time when fanciers kept birds in the attics of their homes. Lofts often face south or southeast. The ideal loft should be:

- Draft-free but well-ventilated
- Warm and dry with a



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temperature at the beginning of the racing season that is 12-13°C (53-55°F) minimum. In cooler climates, loft temperature should not exceed 28°C (82°F) and relative humidity does not exceed 70%. Nevertheless pigeons are housed in a variety of climates and are exposed to a range of environmental temperature and humidity levels.

- Wire flooring is frequently preferred to prevent contact with feces.

The loft can also include attached flight pen(s) or flights for outdoor exercise of confined birds. Although housing density recommendations vary, there should generally be no more than 2 or 2.5 birds per cubic meter (or 20 birds per 2 m x 2 m x 2m).

The loft ideally houses young birds separately from breeding birds to minimize the risk of disease transmission, however it is most important to avoid overcrowding. If ages are mixed, each loft should contain no more than two young

pigeons, two adult females, and one adult male per cubic meter. Therefore one loft of 2 x 2 x 2 m (8 cubic meters) could hold 16 young pigeons, 16 adult females, and eight adult males, assuming individual bird personalities are compatible.

Nutrition

Feeding regimens vary among pigeon fanciers. Pigeons are often fed free choice, however during the training season racing pigeons may be fed once daily given only what they can eat in 20 to 30 minutes. Regardless of the feeding regimen used, pigeons must be monitored closely as breeding and racing increase the bird's need for nutrients and calories. Pigeon fanciers routinely pick up their birds to keep track of body weight.

Preventive medicine

Pigeon fancy medicine focuses on management of a healthy flock composed of viable individuals. It is not uncommon for a minimum of 20% to 30% of young pigeons to be culled on an annual basis by the fancier.

Preventive health mea-

sures are critical to ensure the health of the flock:

- Quarantine birds for at least 30 days.
- Perform regular physical examinations.
- Monitor for parasites and provide year-round control as needed.
- Regular vaccination is also needed to protect birds from infectious disease. Depending on the geographic region and the incidence of the disease in that region, birds may be vaccinated with vaccines against paramyxovirus-1, poxvirus, and paratyphoid. There is also a salmonellabacterin available, although results are typically not very good.

Vaccines are administered to adult pigeons at least annually at the beginning of the year or up to 8 weeks before the racing or breeding season. Vaccines can be given to birds as young as 4 weeks of age or when transferred from breeding pen to race pen.

Beware of unique vaccine administration routes in pigeon fancy. In fact at

this time, there are no intramuscular vaccine injections. The poxvirus vaccine is administered into an epilated feather follicle on the lateral thigh or in another region that can be visually monitored. Birds cannot bathe after poxvirus vaccination.

Therapeutics

Since injections into the pectoral muscle mass might affect race perfor-



Nico vd Westhuizen skryf...

Ek het met groot aandag ons president se artikel gelees na 'n jaar in die tuig. Daar was baie insigewende inligting van aantal lede, aantal rasse, aantal duiwe geskou en nog meer. Dit alles dui op 'n baie negatiewe prentjie van ons stokperdjie. In die

mance, intramuscular injections are made in the thigh. Subcutaneous injections are historically given into the base of the neck to avoid the extensive plexus venous intracutaneouscollaris. An alternate subcutaneous injection site is the loose skin anterior to the thigh.

Conclusion

The veterinarian's interaction with the pigeon fancier

vroeë tagtigs was ons by die 500 lede. Op die SA's in Welkom is tot 4000 duiwe vertoon. Area skoue daar het amper 2000 duiwe vertoon. Die Waaierstertklub het in daardie tyd omtrent 30 aktiewe lede gehad nou haal ons moeilik 10.

Verder in die president se artikel was daar 'n aantying wat hy gemaak het teenoor lede van die Waaierstertklub wat nie meer lojaal teenoor die SA's is nie en net op hul klubskou wil vertoon. Aangesien ek nie daarmee saamstem nie het ek nie 'n keuse as om daarop te reageer nie. Ek het hom persoonlik ook geskakel en ons het die saak bespreek. Ons het hierdie gesprek verder gevoer op

can range from superficial and brief to deep and varied. Any interaction with this complex and interesting pastime carries special challenges for the avian veterinarian, however a basic understanding of the sport and vocabulary can serve to make this process run much more smoothly for all concerned.



'n Waaierstert byeenkoms wat vroeg in Desember 2017 in Pretoria gehou is.

Hy het my daarop gewys dat daar baie min inskrywings van Waaiersterte in Upington was asook geen inskrywings in Pietermaritzburg nie. Soos die president aangedui het, het SASV lede nou verminder tot net meer as 200. Soos gesê geld dieselfde tendens ook by die Waaierstertklub. Hierdie genoemde 10 aktiewe lede is hoofsaaklik in 2 areas gekonsentreer naamlik die Pretoria area en die Kaapstad area. Daar is ook enkelinge in Potchefstroom en in Nelspruit en ander areas. Skoue soos Upington en Pietermaritzburg is vêr van

hierdie areas. Brandstof-koste het 'n groot koste geword vir alle lede. Die SA's neem plaas oor 5 dae wat verblyf en ete kostes baie duur maak. In die huidige ekonomie is dit 'n baie belangrike faktor. Dit is natuurlik so vir alle lede. Sekerlik ook 'n bydraende faktor waarom die inskrywings oor die jare so afgeneem het. Dit is en bly egter elke lid se eie keuse van watter skoue hul kan en gaan bywoon. Die Waaierstertklub bly verbind tot die SA's. Om op die SA's die beste Waaier te vertoon bly die ideal van elke lid van die Waaierstertklub.

Laat ons asseblief nie groeperings in ons boekie kritiseer nie. Dit dien nie tot die uitbou van die SASV in die geheel en enige groepering daar-

binne nie. Dit bevorder ook nie die liefde en versorging van sierduiwe nie. As daar probleme is bespreek dit met die groeperings en los die saak individueel op. In hierdie tyd wat ons advertensie veldtogte loods om ons ledetal uit te brei, is dit nie 'n tyd om lede van die klub van die vereniging te vervreem nie.

Huidiglik is daar individue in ons klub wat die aansluiting en wegbreek na die NFPA propageer en ander ook die totale afstigting en aan te sluit by 'n oorsese verenigings. As lid van die SASV vir meer as 40 jaar is ek absoluut teen hierdie rigtings gekant. Onnodige openbare kritiek vuur egter net hierdie aksies nog verder aan.

Wat my aanbetref is en bly die SASV die voedingsbron en basis van enige spesklub of area. Laat ons almal saamwerk in 'n positiewe gesindheid om ons stokperdjie verder uit te bou.

Baie dankie aan Chris en Benard wat bereid was om van hul tyd af te staan om saam met die "weird Waaiermanne" te kuier en te luister na ons probleme. Ons maak staat op jul voortgesette goeie gesindheid.

Wat die skou skedule betref wil ek net sê dat die fout nie aan ons kant was nie. In samewerking met Christo Munnik het ons egter die beste daarvan gemaak wat ons kon. Weer dankie Christo.



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Ek, as 'n teler en ook beoordelaar van waaierstert duive, is eerstens 'n teler wat teel volgens 'n standaard waardeur ek my laat voorskryf om te teel tot die vervolmaking van my duif en om by my ideaal uit te kom, is daar geen grys areas nie en volg ek die voorskrif van die standaard slaafs na en omdat ek ook as sulks beoordeel, verwag ek dat die beoordelaar wie my duive

beoordeel ook die standaard sal respekteer en onder geen omstandigheid sal afwyk van die voorskrifte van die standaard nie.

'Fantail are to be judge by comparison to assist judges in assigning proportionate values to the various describable qualities'

Waaiersterte word beoordeel deur vergelyking, om die beoordelaar te help om proporsioneel die waardes van die verskillende wenslik kwaliteite te bepaal ten einde punte daarvolgens toe te ken.

a.Waaiersterte word beoordeel deur vergelyking;

Met ander woorde duif A word vergelyk met al die ander duive in die klas so ook al die andere teenoor mekaar ten opsigte van alle aspekte soos voorgeskrif deur die standaard.

b. Om beoordelaar te help om proporsioneel;

In verhouding tot die duive tot mekaar en ook tot die punt toekenning ten opsigte van elke afdeling van die standaard.

c. Die waardes van die verskillende wenslik kwaliteite;

Kwaliteite sluit ook kleur in en die voldoening daaraan.

d.Ten einde punte daarvolgens toe te ken;

Waar twee rooi duive kompeteer en een is sonder wit vlekke of wit vere in die stert en die ander sonder enige ander kleurige vere verder is hulle gelyk aan mekaar wat alle ander eienskappe betref dan het ek al so baie gehoor die suiwer rooi wen omdat hy vol punte vir sy kleur verdien terwyl die standaard nie eers voorsiening maak vir kleur punte nie.

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Die Sierduif

The Fancy Pigeon

So wat is die kleur vereiste van rooi;

'n Eenvornige skakering van die ryk, helder, kastaiingbruin versprei oor die hele duif. Ook sy stert tot op die punt. Vry van 'sootiness' of enige neiging tot blou of 'plum' skynsel.

(Ek persoonlik voel dat die woord 'kastaiing' bruin moet vervang word met 'terracotta')

'An even shade throughout of clear, rich, bright, chestnut, free from sootiness or any tendency toward bluish or plum tints. The feathers on the neck and throat shall be covered with an iridescent metallic sheen.'

Die standaard spreek sleg 'plum', 'bluish tints' aan wat hy duidelik sê moenie daar wees nie maar my interpretasie is dat dit 'n allie van rooi is naamlik 'incomplete resessive red' wat nog steeds resessiewe rooi is en hier kom die kleur punt toekenning in by die beoordeling van "resessiewe rooi" Nêrens praat die standaard van "wit" stork" "bronze" of enige ander kleur of faktor wat dalk teenwoordig mag/kan wees maar nie wenslik is nie.

Die Sierduif

Die Suid-Afrikaanse rooi duiwe van vroeëre jare het nie die 'stork' faktor gehad nie maar wel die 'plum'. Hierdie 'stork' verskynsel het ontstaan destyds toe daar rooi ingevoer is van Kanada deur Otto Holm, in die begin was dit effens en hier kom wat ek beskou as die euwel van die 'stork' in rooi duiwe. Op 'n sekere skou in Welkom het my pa se rooi duif verloor teen duiwe met die 'stork', ek het beswaar gemaak maar dieselfde wat van dag gesê word is toe vir my gesê, ja dit is verkeerd maar dit is ingevoerde duiwe en gaan die teler se gees gedemp word. My redenasie van destyds is die selfde as nou dit moes nooit deur 'n beoordelaar toegelaat geword het nie, as daar daardie tyd breek aan gedraai was dan het ons dit nie meer gehad nie.

My verkorte vertolking van al die geskifte deur kundiges wat ek gelees het is dat;

1. Dit is 'n genetiese verskynsel.
2. Dit is 'n fout in resessiewe rooi faktor.
3. Dit is afkomstig van 'n dominante faktor soos 'grizzle'. (daar is net te

veel variasies om hier te bespreek)

4. Dit is dominant en word nie deur rooi verberg nie.
5. Ons werk hier met twee faktore een resessief en een dominant.

Die eienskap van die sogenaamde 'stork' is dat die skag van 'n rooi duif (ook swart en blou) se veer ligter tot wit maak en is dit interessant dat as die veer verveer (en nie beskadig word in die bloed pen stadium wat die veer dan wit word soos enige ander veer van 'n rooi in die stadium wit uit verveer as dit beskadig raak) dit uit verveer tot 'n 'incomplete' rooi pen veer baie maal 'plum' 'bluish' of lig van kleur.

Stelling wat gemaak word wat 'n antwoord of teen stelling verdien is die volgende;

a. Duif bly rooi nie ander kleur nie;

Ek het sekerlik tot dus vêr bewys dat dit 'n ander faktor {kleur} is en derhalwe kan ons dit as 'pied' skou om rede die SA standaard nie 'n klas "mismerk" het nie of ons kan dit as 'n nuwe kleur faktor behandel naamlik 'stork' en dit dan onder ncc skou.

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b. Verskeie menings oor die verloor van punte:

Ons moet die standaard baie mooi lees en verstaan, nêrens in die standaard verdien 'n duif punte vir kleur nie, daar is slegs 'n voorskrif van wat die kleur moet wees. So 'n duif kan nie kleur punte verloor nie. Die standaard sê 'n duif met 'n uitsonderlike kleur mag 'n VOORSPRONG VAN 5 PUNTE verdien indien sy kleur uit sonderlik is byvoorbeeld as 'n poeier blou swart balke in plaas van dun of grys het of 'n swart duif blink swart soos 'n gimpel is. Met ander woorde tradisioneel is ons resesiewe rooi geneig tot 'plum' en gaan die een wat nou nie 'plum' is nie maar die regte rooi reg deur vertoon 5 punte as voor sprong verdien. Dit is hier waar die beginsel van twee duiwe gelyk in alle opsigte die duif met die kleur voorsprong dan sal wen.

c. Wat is belangrikste tipe of kleur;

Ai ai, geen een van al die komponente van 'n fantail kan uitgesonder word as een belangriker as die ander nie, 'n fantail moet in proporsie (balans) aan

al die vereistes kleur ingesluit voldoen om te skou en beoordeel te word

d. Vermindering van lede (telers) en verdwyning van kleur sou strenger beoordeling plaas vind:

Het Swart, 'Saddle', 'Tailmark' en so meer verminder omdat hulle strenger beoordeel is? Nee dit het nie eerder kan strenger toepassing van die standaard 'n groter uidaging skep in die strewe na perfeksie en erkenning wat getalle sal verhoog

e. As hy nie onder rooi skou maar 'pied' verminder die kans op beste waaier;

'n Goeie beoordelaar sal hom nie mis nie en as hy soveel beter as sy kompetiese is sal hy raak gesien word in die regte klas want as hy in die rooi klas uitval oor sy kleur is hy weg. Skou hom onder 'pied' waar hy hoort en hy word gesien. Onthou hy verloor NIE 5 punte vir kleur nie hy kan net nie 5 punte voorsprong kry nie.

f. Kleur fout moet reg gestel word;

Almal sê dit nou al vir twintig jaar en hulle bly wen en word mee geteel en dit word nie reg gestel

en almal wil net rooi en geel verbeter maar gebruik die fout weer en weer en voer dit selfs in.

g. Ja, maar swart en blou het ook 'n probleem naamlik 'sooty' 'rusty' en so voorts:

Is so, daar gaan die selfde beginsels geld, teel hulle reg en moet nie net aanvaar nie en omdat ek dit het, daarom veg ek daarvoor, nonsens as jy die fout ook in jou hok het maak hom reg.

h. Ja maar dit is stork veer en nie wit nie:

'Pied' of dan mismerk se standaard sê 'n 'pied' duif is een wie se vreemde vere te veel is om te pluk, met ander woorde 'n 'pied' hoef nie wit en ander kleur te wees nie hy kan enige kombinasie van verskillende kleur vere wees, normaalweg wit met iets daarom kan 'stork' onder 'pied' sorteer.

i. Sal hom nie diskwalifiseer nie;

Hy kan nie gediskwalifiseer word nie want dit is nie een van vereistes vir diskwalifikasie nie. DUS My voorstel is, ons pas die volgende toe in die teel program en ook in die beoordeellaarshok;

'n Rooi duif met stork merke is nie rooi nie en word nie daar geskou nie,

om redes soos hierbo genoem en dat ons as teler ons daartoe verbind

en ons as beoordeelaar daar volgens sal beoordeel.



**The Magnum
A true South
African Breed
Rodney Stevens**

to say that the Magnum was established mainly for it's feeding ability, but! they also took off in the show arena. It has the unique ability to feed it's young for a longer period as it waits for the young to stand up to it's height. (Perfect for the Croppers). The parental qualities are good and they feed exceptionally well with a good feed to weight ratio. (Cheap to maintain).

Magnums were bred from the following pigeons: 50% Magpie (eats less food), 25% German Beauty Homer (where it gets it's station from), 18.75% English Show Homer (it's feet) and 6.25% Working Homer (parental instincts).

General Size
Approximately the size of

a Magpie. Cocks stand between 25-30cm high when erect. Hens 22-26cm high. However, these measurements are a guideline not a hard and fast rule. The overall type and balance is to take preference.

General Type
The Magnum should be calm in the walking pen showing power and strenght with plenty of alertness like all Homer breeds. The picture should be a slick tight feathered bird with good balance, demonstrating power, balance and grace with the way it moves when showing.

The head
Unlike the Magpie's straight head from the side profile, the Magnums head should show a gentle

Brief history

The main person behind breeding this breed was the Reverend Renier Lee. He was an avid Norwich Cropper breeder at the time looking for good foster parents for his Norwich's. So, it is safe

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curve from the tip of the beak to the top of the head with no excessive backskull. A relatively easy curve at the back of the head joining neatly and gracefully into the back of the neck.

The top view of the head should see a wedge shape develop from the tip of the beak gradually and equally getting wider until it is at its widest point at the back of the head. No great width should develop though) The head is not to be massive and aggressive rather on the feminine side and must not pinch behind the wattle. The bird is not to be excessively down-faced from the side view. However the bird does not carry its beak horizontal with the ground.

Eye cere

Should show no prominent cere but rather be fine in texture and evenly developed. Eye cere colour to match the bird's colour.

Eye

The colour of the eye is unimportant as long as it is of the same colour.

Beak

The beak is long and medium in thickness but top and bottom mandibles

are to be of equal substance. the top mandible is slightly curved at the tip of the beak to meet the bottom mandible which should be straight. Beak colour is unimportant but you should not see light between the mandibles they must be tight fitting. From the top and side view the the beak should always form part of the wedge of the overall head picture.

Wattle

The wattle should be fine in texture and white in colour and even on both lobes. No roughness or coarseness to be shown. Should match in with the profiles of the head.

Neck

The neck is to be as long as possible, with the narrowest point at the base of the head and should gradually widen down to the shoulders (slenderness required) must not show coarseness and sudden widening or thickness. The neck should show a gentle curve into the shoulders from the front view. The neck must be held erect with no Adams apple or gullet being shown.

Body

The body should be carried as horizontal as possible and the bird must not have a massive body, but it should show a definite wedge from the top view and in the hand. The chest should be 6-8cm wide between the wingbutts.

The body should have a medium depth to it with a slight curve in the breastbone to where it meets the vent bones. No looseness in the ventbones and a strong back required. The breastbone should show no visible defects. The back should show strength and should be slightly hollow. No hunchback or rounded shoulders. The body size to match the overall picture regarding its height.

Chest

The chest must be full and well rounded but not to protrude past the wingbutts.

Length of body

Similarly to the German Beauty Homer. The length and height should be in proportion to each other, however the body length should always be shorter than the height of the bird.

Tail

The tail should be one and half feathers wide and no fishtail is allowed.

Wings

The wingshield depth should not be so deep that the undercarriage of the bird is not visible. Wing-butts should be prominent and protude out in front of the chest. The shoulder points to be carried high. The wings should lie flat on the back giving a good back covering and not showing sables. The flights should not cross but rather meet where resting on the back. Flight feathers should be 1-1.5cm shorter than the tail.

Legs

When seen from the front the legs should be long and straight with good width between the legs where

they meet the body. From the side view the legs should be slightly bend at the knee giving the impression the bird is ready to take off. There should be no feathers below the knee. Feet are to be as large as possible. Toe nail colour not important.

Carriage

The bird should be upright and proud carrying it's body as horizontal as possible. The bird should show good balance when gracefully walking around in the showpen not leaning forward or falling backwards in its stance. The horizontal stance is not quite that of the German Beauty Homer but not as erect as the Magpie.

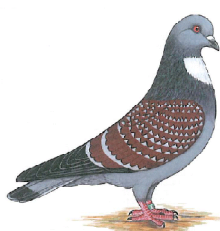
Colours

The birds come in all self colours, barred, checked,

pied and any other colours including any rare colours.

Faults

1. Too coarse in Body.
2. Too large head.
3. Too short in height.
4. Wild birds in showpen.
5. Looseness in feather.
6. Broken feathers.
7. Pinholes and lice.
8. Unequal beak substance.
9. Adams apple or gullet.
10. Coarseness in neck.
11. Short or bent legs from front view.
12. Wing tips crossing.
13. Birds standing too erect not horizontal.
14. Scew tail.
15. Crooked breast bone.
16. Any other physical deformity.



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1. The duration of the competitions will be from 1st July to 30th June.
2. An informative/factual article written and researched by a member will earn 300 points. An informative article from another source send in by a member will earn 150 points.
3. A letter from a member will receive 150 points.
4. Regional news will be awarded 200 points.
5. A report about a match meeting will earn 200 points.
6. A Regional, Young bird, Agricultural, District or Speciality Club show and the Championship show will earn 1 point per 1 bird, exhibited plus 200 points if areport is send with.
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8. A region which **increases** its membership as explained in 1 above will receive 100 points for every additional member.
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1. Die tydperk van die Kompetisies strek van 1ste Julie tot 30ste Junie.
2. 'n Leersame/feitelike artikel deur 'n lid self geskryf en nagevors verdien 300 punte. 'n leersame artikel vanaf 'n ander bron wat net deur 'n lid ingestuur is verdien 150 punte.
3. 'n Brief van 'n lid verdien 150 punte.
4. Streeknuus verdien 200 punte.
5. 'n Verslag oor 'n Duiwedag verdien 200 punte.
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9. Advertensiegeld wat 'n streek vir "Die Sierduif" insamel, sal 'n punt ontvang vir elke rand ingesamel ten opsigte van die Bertie Wessels trofee.

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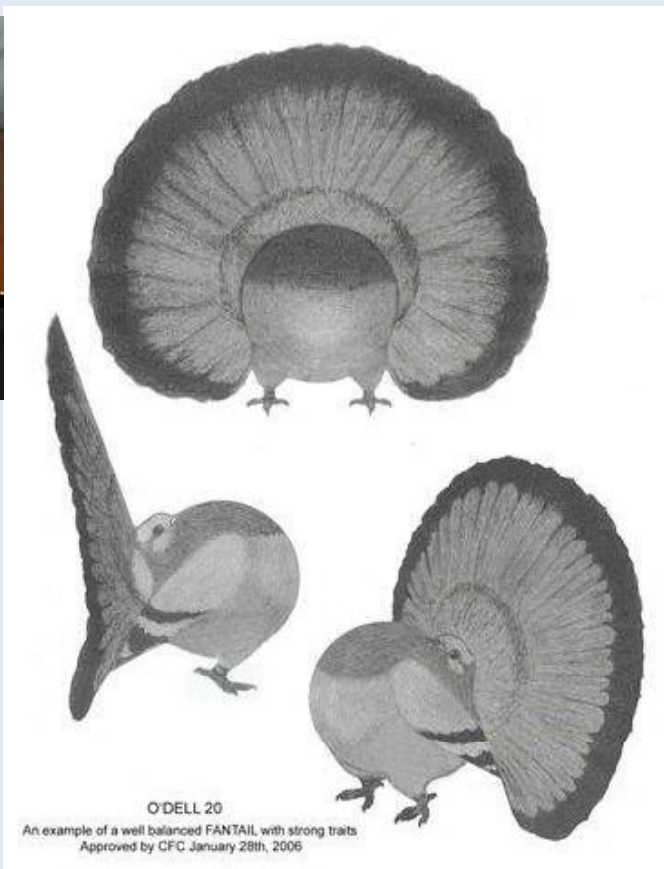
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