



Next Meeting - Saturday 11th May 2019

Starting 1pm

Forest Hill Hall

Young Bird Shield Selection

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**YOUNG BIRD SHIELD SELECTION:**

The Selections for the “Frank Gardiner Young Bird Shield” will be held at our club hall starting at 1pm, on Saturday 11th May, if you can **arrive early** so we can make a good start as it will be a busy afternoon with the Beginner and Intermediate birds to be registered as well.

Do not prejudge your birds at home, bring as many Young Birds (2018 red ring) as possible for selection so we can fill all the classes to score points for our club, there is no restriction on how many Intermediate or Beginner birds we can enter at the Shield. This is the best opportunity to see how your Young Birds shape up against the top birds in Victoria

The Best Bird at our Club Selections will receive the “Rob Davis” Perpetual Trophy and \$50 voucher, Reserve \$25 voucher and Best Variety Bird \$25 voucher.

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:**

The elections for committee positions were held at the AGM, Michael Weeding thanked the outgoing committee for their work over the past 12 months, and proceeded to conduct elections for 2019/20

President- Lloyd Richardson

Vice President- Tony Appleton

Secretary – Robert Dagg

Treasurer- Mitchell Parr

General Committee- James Bader (Show Manager), Brian Abbott (Show Entries), Bernard Egan, Neil Hunt, Jamie Macafee, Gerard Moore, Michael Weeding

**RESULTS APRIL MEETING:**

Beginner Any Age- Normal Green by S & N Hunt

Reserve Beginner Any Age- Cinnamon Light Green by N & S Hunt

Beginner UBC- Spangle by Tim Doughty

Reserve Beginner UBC by Tim Doughty

Variety Awards- Best Grey wing by Penny Gillespie

Congratulations to the winners and thank you for those that brought birds on the night.

**CLUB AUCTION:**

The auction was a quite successful with the overall average at \$226 per bird, and ran fairly smoothly on the day in our new venue, although it was a little crowded trying to view the birds at times so this needs to be looked at for next year. A special thanks to all of our members that helped out on the day a great team effort and also special thanks to Tony Appleton for organising all the breeders a very time consuming task.

**GET WELL:** Greg O’Connell has been rushed to hospital with a couple of blockages to his heart, we all wish him a speedy recovery.

## THANK YOU:

To Penny Gillespie for offering to look after the kitchen at our club meetings and for donating mugs so we no longer need those foam cups, also to Gerard Moore for donating a blower to make things a bit easier clean-up after our meetings.

## AGGREGATE POINTS FOR 2019/20:

(a) Shield Class placings, 1<sup>st</sup>- 10 points to 10<sup>th</sup> – 1 point. (Inter. Double Points & Beginner Triple Points)

(b) Interclub Class placings, 1<sup>st</sup> – 5 points to 5<sup>th</sup> – 1 point.(Inter. Double Points & Beginner Triple Points)

(c) Club Annual Show Section Winner – 10 points, Best of Variety -5 points, Class winner – 1 point

No bonus points for Beginner or Intermediate or Class winner.

(d) Club Night Shows:

5 points to section winner and 3 points reserve or opposite sex, if section has more than 20 entries.

3 points to section winner, 1 point reserve or opposite sex, if section has less than 20 entries.

Nominated Variety winner on club nights will receive 2 points

No bonus Points at Club night Shows

(e) The competition will run from April 2017 till March 2018

(f) 1<sup>st</sup>- Trophy and \$130 voucher, 2<sup>nd</sup> – \$90 voucher, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$50 voucher, Best Intermediate (unplaced) \$30 and Best Beginner (unplaced) \$30.

## AGGREGATE POINTS 2019/2020:

Neil & Susan Hunt (beg) 4 points, Tim Doughty (beg) 4 points, Penny Gillespie 2 point.

## CLUB APPARREL:

If you would like a club shirt, Polo or Jacket contact one of our committee members to place your order.

Men's Short Sleeve Shirt \$36, Ladies ¾ Sleeve Shirt \$46, Polo \$26, Ladies & Men's Jacket \$65, Vest \$55 or club cap \$17

## CLUB MEMBERS SALE:

Saturday 8th June we will be holding our club members sale day at the Forest Hill Hall. 9am setup, doors open at 10am, close 12noon and pack up by 1pm, \$20 per table. Table bookings to Mitchell Parr 0411 474563

Our Sponsor "Jumbo Animal Supplies" has maintained their low seed prices and we are pleased to advise that our members are now buying their supplies from Jumbo. We want to keep this valuable sponsor so ask for Nick and let him know you are from Eastern next time you call in.

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