

Eastern District Budgerigar Club Newsletter

May 2022



Hello Members

This is an early newsletter this month to remind you of upcoming events. We hope to see a large crowd of members at **next Saturday's SHIELD SELECTION** to enter their birds to the State Young bird Championship, which will be held the following weekend, Sunday 22 May.

Results of April club meeting competition

Due to lack of birds, sections were combined.

Best Albino – Mitch Parr

Best In show – S& N Hunt – Spangle Hen

Best opposite sex – S&N Hunt – Normal Grey Cock

Where are our Open and Champion members? We would love to see you competing at our club nights!

Coming Up

14 May: Selection morning for entries to the young bird State Championship, 9:00 am for hall set up at Forest Hill Hall. Everyone is welcome to contribute and remember that Beginners and Intermediates can enter birds on top of the official club team; but you must be present at the selection.

22 May: Young Bird State Championships, Carwatha College, Noble Park. Come along and have a look at the best birds in Victoria, even if you don't have an entry this year.

28-29 May: National Budgerigar Show, Adelaide

Committee News

Your committee is currently planning the club auction to be held on 13 June (Queens birthday weekend Monday) and the Club Diploma to be held in October. We are looking for helpers who would like to join the committee or volunteer for tasks to ensure that these events are planned to run smoothly on the day.

WE NEED YOUR HELP with catering!



We are having great problems finding a caterer to provide breakfast and morning tea, especially on the auction day which is only 5 weeks away!

If you think you would like to help run our most important yearly fundraiser, maybe you could be part of a small team to help cook hamburgers, egg and bacon roles etc – the usual fare at a Budgie club show. No shopping unless you want to.

Please contact Penny ASAP if you think you could be a part of this group.

Next Club Meeting: 23 June - Artificial Insemination

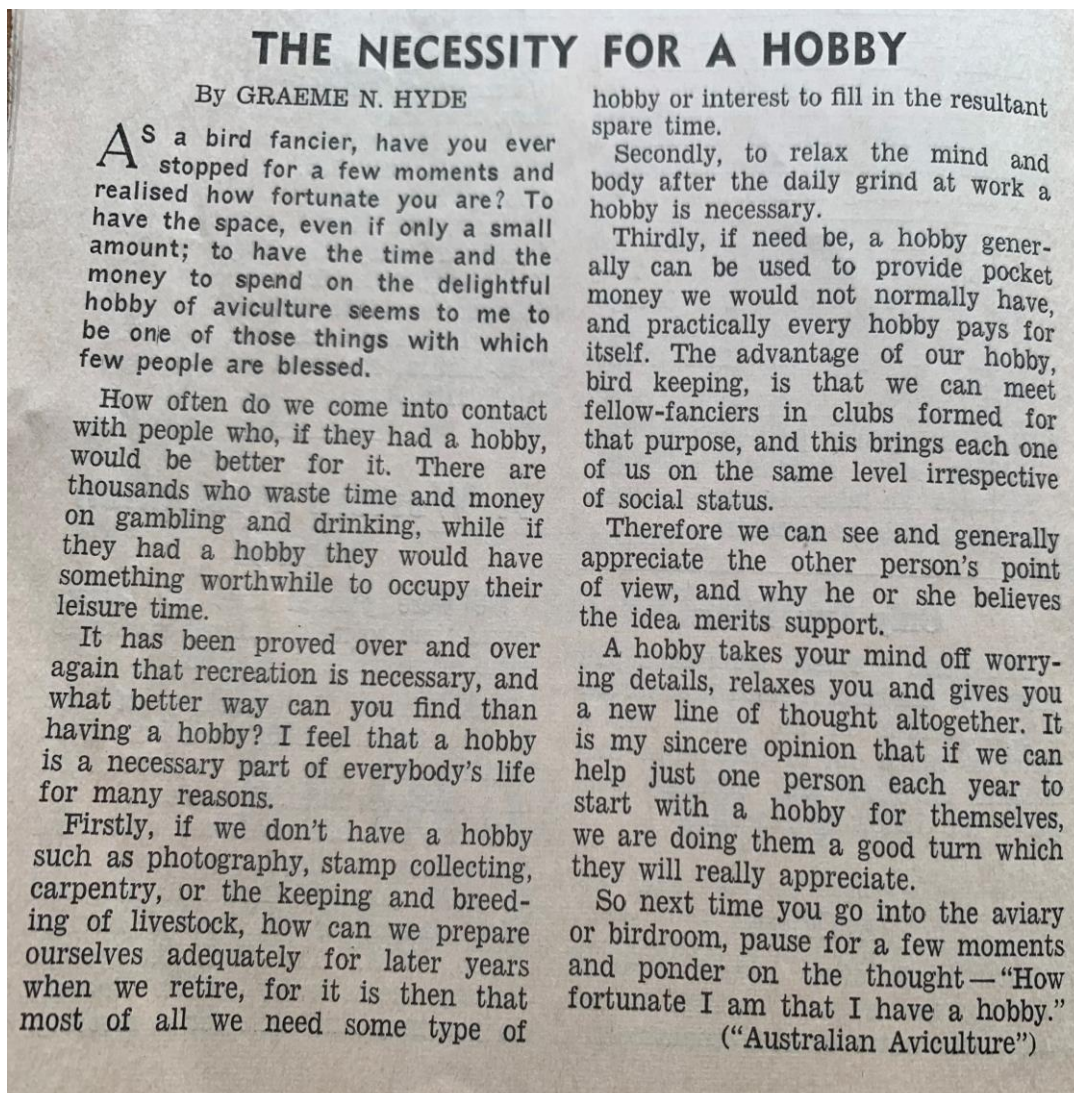
Mitch will present a video and there may be a live demonstration

Variety award on the night will go to Spangles, but all varieties are welcome to bird.

NOTE: NO May club meeting due to other events

The necessity for a Hobby: from Budgie News Feb 1961

Still true today. Do you know someone who would benefit from a hobby?



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