

# BSSA/NEBS Interclub Challenge 2015

## Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October

Major Award Judge: Ian Marshall

Colour & Variety Judges: John Mulley, Ian McEwan, Kerry Murphy

Jim Butterworth

Birds Entered: 251

Birds Benched: 215

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### RESULTS

#### **BEST UNBROKEN CAP BIRD**

M & K Murphy      Normal Blue (Skyblue)

#### BEST OPEN UBC BIRD

M & K Murphy      Normal Blue (Skyblue)

#### RESERVE OPEN UBC BIRD

J & W Weidenhofer      AOV (White Cap Opaline Grey)

#### THIRD OPEN UBC BIRD

J & W Weidenhofer      Dominant Pied (Opaline Grey Green)

#### BEST NOVICE UBC BIRD

Wayne Bandt      Spangle AOSV (Opaline Grey)

#### RESERVE NOVICE UBC BIRD

Wayne Bandt      Normal Grey Green

#### THIRD NOVICE UBC BIRD

George England  
& Sons      Dominant Pied (Opaline Lt Green)

### YOUNG BIRDS

#### BEST OPEN YOUNG BIRD

Dennis Lomman

#### RESERVE OPEN YOUNG BIRD

M & K Murphy

#### BEST NOVICE YOUNG BIRD

George England & Sons

#### RESERVE NOVICE YOUNG BIRD

Paul Soul

## BEST OF VARIETY

Best Normal Green	Wayne Bandt
Best Normal Grey Green	L & H Edwards
Best Normal Blue	M & K Murphy
Best Normal Violet	S & C Norris
Best Normal Grey	Dennis Lomman
Best Normal English Y/F Blue	Diana Trevarthen
Best Normal Aust Y/F Blue	Diana Trevarthen
Best Black Eye Self	Nil entries
Best Dilute	J & W Weidenhofer
Best Lutino	J & W Weidenhofer
Best Albino	M & K Murphy
Best Clearwing	M & K Murphy
Best Greywing	J & W Weidenhofer
Best Cinnamonwing	S & C Norris
Best Spangle D/F	J & W Weidenhofer
Best Opaline	Dennis Lomman
Best Opaline AOSV	Michael Crossley
Best Clearbody	Glenn Stearnes
Best Lacewing	Nil entries
Best Fallow	Ian McEwan
Best Normal Spangle	Dennis Lomman
Best Spangle AOSV	M & K Murphy
Best Dominant Pied	J & W Weidenhofer
Best Danish Recessive Pied	S & C Norris
Best Crested	Nil entries
Best AOV	J & W Weidenhofer

## SHOW MANAGER'S REPORT – INTER CLUB CHALLENGE

Having heard rumours of poor breeding seasons and late starts I wasn't expecting huge numbers of entries for the BSSA/NEBS Interclub challenge and was pleasantly surprised by the support and numbers of nest feather birds entered. Congratulations must be given to all who entered birds in what turned out to be a great day.

Thank you to all judges, those behind the scenes and to Marie and the staff for a magnificent spread.

251 entries with 192 of them unbroken cap birds was a fantastic result. The larger classes on the day were the Grey Greens, Opalines Spangles and Dominant Pieds. Both clubs continue to struggle with Greywings, Fallows, Crests and Dark eyed clears so there is scope for a breeder or two to specialise in these varieties. There were no Lacewings, Blackeyes or Crests exhibited on the day. A Quarter sider (Violet/Mauve) exhibited by George England and a feather duster brought a few laughs.

Congratulations to Kerry Murphy who had a strong Sky Blue as best Unbroken Cap in Show. Congratulations to all the other Young bird and Variety winners on the day. I also noticed the Novice breeders presenting some handy UBC and Young birds and I hope they continue to develop for the Novice Championship Show next year.

Entries were in favour of the BSSA with the points being 275 to 126 with the BSSA winning but the overall winner was the feeling of good fellowship and sportsmanship in the Budgerigar fancy.

Wayne Weidenhofer  
BSSA Show Manager