

DAGENHAM & DISTRICT CAGE BIRD SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

November 2018



NEXT MEETING

Saturday, 17th November 2018

10.00am to 2.00pm

YOUNG STOCK SHOW

**BEST BIRD IN SHOW £50.00 + MEMORIAL SHIELD
ENTRY 50p PER BIRD**

**THIS SHOW STARTS AT 10AM AND FINISHES AT 2PM
WE HAVE THE HALL FOR FOUR HOURS
You must be a Member to enter**

SALES TABLE AT EVERY MEETING

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Committee:

Dick Lathleif, Mick Pegram and Ted Papandreas

Meetings are held on the third Saturday of the month at 10am to 12pm at Wantz Hall – Rainham Road North – Dagenham – Essex RM10 7DX

Committee Members' meetings

Would officers and committee members please attend these monthly meetings starting from 10am on every meeting day.

2018 MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subscription rates for the calendar year 2018

Single	£15.00
Partnerships:	£20.00
Juniors (to 16):	FREE

Forthcoming Meetings

SAT 17 th Nov 2018	Young Stock Show
FRI 14 th Dec 2018	Staging for Open Show followed by Christmas Raffle Draw and Buffet
SAT 15 th Dec 2018	Open Show
SAT 19 th Jan 2019	AGM

October 2018 Meeting

Our last Meeting was the third and final round of our Club League Shows.

The Dagenham CBS Show League has 3 rounds.

March	1 st Show	Cock Bird Show	(Cock birds only any species)
September	2 nd Show	Any Bird Show	(Cock or Hen any species)
October	3 rd Show	Pairs Show	(Cock and Hen same species)

There was plenty of interest with 34 birds being entered by 7 Members.

Again the quality of the birds was very good and our Judge for the day put forward a beautiful pair of Fifes which were owned by Nigel Breese so WELL DONE Nigel.



Nigel with his pair of winning Fifes

All Members' points from each of the Shows have been used to create a League Table and the points from the 3rd Show have now been added to it to create.....

THE DAGENHAM CBS SHOW LEAGUE CHAMPION 2018

Prizes for the League Winner £100.00 + Cup + Trophy
 Second £50.00 + Trophy
 Third £25.00 + plus Trophy

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The Final League Table is therefore.....,

Dagenham Show League 2018 (after all three Rounds)							
	Name	Birds Shown	Cock Show	Any Bird Show	Pairs Show	Total Points	Average per bird
1	Steve Wallis	18	153	183	82	418	23.2
2	Richard Wilson	18	111	173	42	326	18.11
3	Dick Lathleif	12	0	205	44	249	20.75
4	Fred Thorn	18	71	119	58	248	13.77
5	Nigel Breese	12	0	130	58	188	15.66
6	George Philpot	12	55	131	0	186	15.5
7	Roger Mack	8	45	111	0	156	19.5
8	John Chapman	4	0	120	0	120	30
9	Mark Logan	4	0	82	10	92	23
10	Les Rix	3	0	73	0	73	24.3
11	Davy & Tommy Hays	4	30	0	12	42	10.5

As you will see, the winner of the 2018 Dagenham CBS Show League was Steve Wallis, 2nd was Richard Wilson and 3rd was Dick Lathleif. So WELL DONE to the winners and all who took part and supported the Club.

This year's League was again dominated by the British Bird Keepers for the third year running.



From left to right Dick, Steve and Richard with their winners' trophies

Once again I have to apologise for not being at the Meeting. Again I was away on holiday but on speaking to Barry and Val they said that it was a very good Meeting with over 40 Members and Guests and I would like to take this opportunity to say "Well Done and Thank You" to all who took the time to show their birds in the Club's Show League and congratulations to all the winners.

Talking about Shows, many years ago we had a marquee at The Dagenham Town Show. We shared this with a Fife Club. Although it was a lot of hard work it was worth it. We started to get the marquee ready on the Thursday afternoon by moving all our staging from our Hall to Central Park. We then had to erect all the staging and a central flight which had all different types of birds in it. We also had a sales section with many types of birds.

We used to book birds in on the Friday night and Saturday morning so on the Friday night two of us stayed in the marquee (all night!!)

When someone arrived on the Saturday morning we were served with a full English breakfast in the Town Hall.

Once all the birds were booked in the judging would begin. Although this Show did not open till 2 o'clock on Saturday we still had plenty of people come into the marquee.

Once the Show opened we got packed with people talking about the birds and asking questions. This went on till quite late. Once everyone had gone it was left to me and Sid Lumb to feed and water all the birds. Sometimes this went on until early morning and we could not get any sleep so we drank tea all night and watched a little old TV.

In the morning Sid and I used to go to the Town Hall for breakfast then back to the marquee for the afternoon crowds.

The Show closed on Sunday and we then had to take down all the staging and return it to the Hall.

The next week-end we had a Nest Feather Show back at the Hall.

It was two weeks of hard work but Sid and I enjoyed every minute of it.

This went on for many years.

Pete

My Birds

After the end of the breeding season I decided to do away with cages and have a flight. This would not be a normal flight.

Once I had cleared everything I started to paint and build the flight. It is 15' long, 4' high and 2' 6" wide.

I put in a new ceiling and sealed any gaps. After this I painted the ceiling and part of the back wall and sides in sky blue. I then painted the bottom section of wall with hills, fields and green and brown furrows. I painted flowers on the fields with bushes and trees. I painted clouds on the ceiling and wall and also added the sun. On the floor I put in ornamental lawns and areas of shavings.

I then built the frame for the front and made that like sky and fields. I covered it in 1/2" wire which I painted black. Doors were put in at each end and I put in three branches which I set in cement. Finally I put in some birds. Barry has taken some photos from which I hope you can make out what I have done.

That's all from me for now. Hope to see you all in November.

Pete



Pete's newly designed and painted aviary awaiting his new occupants

For Sale

Thanks go to Mark Smithson. The items he donated to the Club raised £25.00.

4 Border Show Cages at £10.00 each or buy the four and get a box free. Phone Pete on 01708 750036

If you have any birds or equipment for sale either bring them to the Club or let Pete or Barry know and we will put them in the next Newsletter.

Items wanted

A Goldfinch Cock)	If you have any of these for sale please ring Pete on 01708 750036
A Greenfinch Cock)	
A Siskin Cock)	

If there are any birds or equipment you want please let Barry know what you are looking for so that it can be added to the next Newsletter.

Treasurer's Monthly Report for October 2018

Raffle made:	£98.00	Members present:	36
Tea Bar made:	£32.60	New Members:	1

Raffle

Fred Thorn won the First Prize of £50.00 from this month's Raffle

**Our thanks to Vista Workspace Solutions
for their continued sponsorship and the raffle prizes**

Football Card

Winning Team – Southampton – £20.00 was won by Val – with £20.00 going to the Club. Thanks to Fergus for organising this at each meeting.

New Members

Welcome to
Roger Mignot who keeps all kinds of birds

The Club's Website

www.dagenhamcbs.com you can find out all about our club right back to 1935, Newsletters, Shows, our history and much more.

The Club can also be contacted by e-mail - info@dagenhamcbs.com

November 2018 Meeting

This is our Young stock Show for Members only. Below is the Show Schedule and Specials List. Entries will be 50p per cage. Normal Show Rules apply.

Please book your entries in on the day, at 10 am SHARP, using the entry form which is enclosed with this Newsletter.

The meeting date is Saturday 17th November 2018 at the usual venue from 10am to 2pm

PLEASE NOTE LONGER TIME FOR THIS MEETING.

Our Judges for the Young Stock Show are:-

Glen Lewington – British, Mules & Hybrids
 Peter Decort – Foreign
 Fred Riches - Canaries

Young Stock Show Schedule

Dagenham CBS Brett Mason & Phil Heath Memorial Young Stock Show 2018			
CYB BIRDS ONLY AT THIS SHOW		50p per entry	
CHAMPION		NOVICE	
Class No.	BRITISH BIRDS	Class No.	
1	HARDBILL COCK	11	
2	HARDBILL HEN	12	
3	SOFTBILL COCK	13	
4	SOFTBILL HEN	14	
5	MULE COCK	15	
6	MULE HEN	16	
7	HYBRID COCK	17	
8	HYBRID HEN	18	
9	SIBERIAN COCK	19	
10	SIBERIAN HEN	20	
	CANARIES		
21	NORWICH COCK	35	
22	NORWICH HEN	36	
23	YORKSHIRE COCK	37	
24	YORKSHIRE HEN	38	
25	GLOSTER COCK	39	

26	GLOSTER HEN	40	
27	AOV/LIZARD COCK	41	
28	AOV/LIZARD HEN	42	
29	BORDER COCK	43	
30	BORDER HEN	44	
31	FIFE COCK	45	
32	FIFE HEN	46	
33	NEW COLOUR COCK	47	
34	NEW COLOUR HEN	48	
	FOREIGN BIRDS		
49	HARDBILL COCK	57	
50	HARDBILL HEN	58	
51	SOFTBILL COCK	59	
52	SOFTBILL HEN	60	
53	PARROTLIKE COCK	61	
54	PARROTLIKE HEN	62	
55	BUDGIE COCK	63	
56	BUDGIE HEN	64	
	JUVENILE BIRDS		
65	ANY JUVENILE BIRD		
	SPECIALS LIST		
No.	CATEGORY	PRIZE	DONATED
1	BEST BIRD IN SHOW	Shield	Steve Wallis
2	BEST BIRD IN SHOW	Rosette, £50.00	Vista
3	BEST BRITISH MULE, HYBRID	Rosette, £10.00	Vista
4	BEST CANARY	Rosette, £10.00	Vista
5	BEST FOREIGN, P/LIKE, BUDGIE	Rosette, £10.00	Vista
6	BEST BRITISH HARDBILL	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
7	BEST BRITISH SOFTBILL	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
8	BEST MULE	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
9	BEST HYBRID	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
10	BEST SIBERIAN	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS

11	BEST NORWICH	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
12	BEST YORKSHIRE	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
13	BEST GLOSTER	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
14	BEST AOV/LIZARD	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
15	BEST BORDER	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
16	BEST FIFE	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
17	BEST NEW COLOUR	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
18	BEST FOREIGN HARDBILL	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
19	BEST FOREIGN SOFTBILL	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
20	BEST PARROTLIKE	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
21	BEST BUDGIE	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS
22	BEST JUVENILE BIRD	Rosette, £5.00	Dag CBS

December's Open Show

Additional copies of the Schedule will be available at the November Meeting or you can contact Richard.

Don't forget Entries must be in by the 10th December.

Dates for your Diary

Walthamstow & Chingford CBS

Open Show 25th November

Please call George Philpot for schedules 07958 729 066

Mick Pegram's "Spot the Member" give-away

Mick is donating £10.00 to the Member who is circled in one of the photos below and hopes to do this each month. The winner will be circled at random by a non-member who does not know anyone at the club. The prize must be claimed at the next Meeting otherwise the £10.00 will be donated to the Club.



If you are at the next meeting don't forget to claim your £10



More pictures from Rogues Gallery