



Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

Schedule

Sydney Royal Aviary Bird Show

22 March - 2 April 2024
Sydney Showground
Sydney Olympic Park
www.rasnsw.com.au





Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

Welcome from the President



Welcome to the 2024 Sydney Royal Easter Show competition season and thank you for your interest in entering one of our Sydney Royal competitions.

The Royal Agricultural Society of NSW is proud to host Australia's finest agricultural competitions at the Sydney Royal Easter Show. Encouraging sustainability and innovation, and rewarding excellence in our very diverse range of competitions not only delights Showgoers every year but also drives the progress of Australian agriculture and individual pursuits.

Competitions are central to the mission of the Sydney Royal Easter Show, which is to celebrate Australian culture in agriculture. They not only improve the quality of agricultural produce, animal breeds and arts & crafts, but also, they provide a forum for both city and country people to showcase their varied talents, animals and sporting prowess.

A Sydney Royal award is a recognised mark of distinction. Winners set industry benchmarks and establish market trends. Exhibitors and competitors confirm that this is why Sydney Royal competitions continue to play an important role in Australia's modern culture.

The Sydney Royal Easter Show is an iconic Australian event, attracting over 800,000 people every year. Our competitions are the central part of that draw, and your participation makes you a vital part of our proud history and promising future!

I trust that you will enjoy the experience and benefits of your Sydney Royal experience.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'John C. Bennett'.

John C. Bennett, OAM
President, Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

2024 SYDNEY ROYAL AVIARY BIRD SHOW

The RAS reserves the right to close entries before Closing Day of Entry if in the opinion of the RAS it would be unsafe to attempt to accommodate further Exhibits and to restrict the number of Exhibits in any breed or class of breed. For 2024 total entries will be restricted to 600.

CLOSING DAY OF ENTRY

Wednesday 31 January 2024

Late entries will not be permitted

ENTRIES

Application For Entry

To enter, simply visit www.rasnsw.com.au/aviarybird

If you require any assistance, please contact the Domestic Animals Coordinator.

ENTRY FEE

Members Open Classes Entry Fees – An Entry Fee of \$23.25 per Exhibitor (Incl GST) for one or more entries.

Open Classes Entry Fees - An Entry Fee of \$31 per Exhibitor (incl GST) for one or more entries.

Junior Classes Entry Fees - Free

All fees include GST.

PARKING FEES

Parking is available to Exhibitors each day.

Car:.....\$27

Car with trailer:\$54

Please indicate your parking requirements on the Online Application for Entry. A parking pass for the day(s) required will be mailed to you with your Exhibitor Confirmation Advice and Exhibitor Passes, etc.

CONTACT

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Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

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PAVILION

The Sydney Royal Aviary Bird Show will be located in Hall 3 - Pet Pavilion. Birds will be on Exhibition to the public from 9am until 5pm on Wednesday 27 March to Thursday 28 March 2024.

JUDGES

African Lovebirds Mr Stephen Hornby

Budgerigars Ms Kathy Manton

Canaries Mr Jim Williams

Finches Mr Bruce Hockley

Parrots Mr Peter Naylor

JUDGING

Wednesday 27 March 2024 - All Classes

Judging will commence at 9am.

Thursday 28 March 2024 - Display

A Correction Fee of up to \$20 may be charged by the RAS, at its discretion, for each Application for Entry which is incorrect or incomplete. If an Application for Entry is not rectified in accordance with RAS' requirements, the entry may not be accepted by the RAS.

DOMESTIC ANIMALS COMMITTEE

Committee

J G Bryson (Chair)

S L Hannigan

K Reidy

SJ Walker

R A Zammit

Honorary Members of Committee

W M Burton (Hon. Councillor)

R B Perkins (Hon. Councillor)

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Exhibitors must adhere to the Conditions of Entry to Sydney Showground located at www.rasnsw.com.au, the RAS General Regulations and the Special Sydney Royal Aviary Bird Show Regulations in this Schedule (the "Regulations").

A condition of entering into Competitions is strict adherence to the Regulations. Accordingly, Applications for Entry in the name of deceased Person(s) are not eligible for entry.

The Application for Entry and the Regulations constitute the whole agreement upon which entries are submitted and the Exhibitor agrees that all representations and statements not appearing on the Application for Entry or in the Regulations are excluded.

The Exhibitor certifies that each animal Exhibited by them or by their child/children/guardian is duly registered and either their property absolutely or is under their absolute care and control. The Exhibitor holds the RAS exempt from any liability in the event of any loss or damage from any cause whatsoever.

WITHDRAWALS

A refund of Entry Fees shall not be made unless a notification of withdrawal is received by the RAS before the Closing Day of Entry.

To withdraw an Exhibit in part or in full, Exhibitors must log into their online Competition entry system account and select the Classes they wish to withdraw for each Exhibit and complete the withdrawal process.

The RAS has the power to evict any Exhibitor from the Showground.

PRIZES AND GST

The Australian Taxation Office has deemed that GST is payable on prizes if an Exhibitor is registered for GST and enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise.

The information an Exhibitor provides on the Application for Entry determines whether GST is applicable.

Any prize stated in this Schedule does not include GST.

GST will not apply:

- if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as a hobby or private recreational pursuit; or
- if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor has an ABN, but the Exhibitor is NOT REGISTERED for GST.
- if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise the Exhibitor is not entitled to an ABN as the business or enterprise is not operating in Australia.

GST will apply:

- if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor has an ABN, and the Exhibitor is REGISTERED for GST.

Where GST applies, the RAS will pay the prize money quoted in this Schedule plus 10% GST. The RAS will issue a recipient created tax invoice.

WARNING: *The Exhibitor must complete the **Tax Details** on the Application for Entry. Failure to do so will result in the RAS deducting 47% of the successful Exhibitor's prize money as Pay As You Go Tax (PAYG). The RAS recommends that the Exhibitor seeks professional advice before completing the Tax Details.*

Prize money won during the Sydney Royal Easter Show will be paid by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) to the account details provided at the time of Entry. If the bank details are incomplete or incorrect the RAS will take all reasonable efforts to contact prize winners to confirm payment details.

The RAS seek to finalise all prize money payments by the end of June. Queries regarding unpaid prize money can be addressed to the Service Centre by email at competitions@rasnsw.com.au.

Following all reasonable efforts to contact the prize winner, any prize money not claimed by 1 December, is deemed forfeited by the Exhibitor.

SUPPORTER PRIZES

Prizes are provided by third parties and the RAS advises that any such prizes may be subject to change or amendment occurring at any time, thereby making the original information published incorrect.

MEMBERSHIP

In order for Exhibitors to claim the RAS Member discount on Entry Fees for this Competition, Membership subscriptions must be paid and accepted by the RAS before entering this Competition, and details must be provided on your Application for Entry prior to submitting to the RAS. No adjustments will be provided after the Application for Entry has been submitted. The Membership Name must be: (i) where the Exhibitor is a single Person, the Exhibitor Name; (ii) where the Exhibitor is more than one Person or a partnership, one of the Persons forming that partnership; or (iii) where the Exhibitor is a firm or company, the Authorised Contact Person/Representative of that firm or company. **Members who are not financial at the time of submitting their Entry Fees will not be eligible for the entry discount.**

Visit www.rasnsw.com.au/members for more information on Membership or call 02 9704 1144.

Entry Fee reductions are dependent upon Class(es) being entered. Non-member Entry Fees apply for Exhibitors where they are not financial members of the RAS. Applicants acknowledge that a valid RAS membership number must be provided at the time of submitting their application in order to receive the applicable discount.

DISCLAIMER

The information contained in this publication is for the purpose of providing information to our Exhibitors and Show patrons. The information is correct at the time of printing, however, the information may be subject to change or amendments. Please check our websites for the most recent up to date information.

WORKING WITH CHILDREN

Exhibitors must comply with all applicable Working with Children Legislation.

The Exhibitor agrees to produce on demand, at least 1 month before Competition, evidence of working with children checks for themselves, their employees or volunteers who are involved in a child-related role or have direct unsupervised contact with children.

WORKPLACE SURVEILLANCE ACT

RAS operates surveillance cameras from Sydney Showground Security and these are located in and around facilities requiring security monitoring for the safety or security of individuals or property. RAS also has access to Sydney Olympic Park security cameras and vice versa. Please note that security camera monitoring is continuous and ongoing and it is deemed that a person, by entering the Showground, consents to this photographing, filming or taping. RAS strictly complies with the Workplace Surveillance Act 2005.

SPECIAL AVIARY BIRD REGULATIONS

The RAS General Regulations apply to all Sections of the Show. These Special Aviary Bird Regulations apply to this Section only. Unless expressly stated in the General Regulations, if there is any inconsistency between the General Regulations and these Special Aviary Bird Regulations, the Special Aviary Bird Regulations prevail. Copies of all Regulations are available from the Administration office at the Showground. General Regulations are available at www.rasns.com.au

1. All Exhibits must be under the **Owner's name**. Young birds must have the appropriate year ring.
2. Any protests must be in writing and lodged with the Domestic Animals Coordinator together with \$25 fee, within seven (7) days of the Show. Fee returnable if protest upheld.
3. An open or young bird, other than an Exhibit, shall not be allowed in or within the precincts of a Show during the conduct of the Show, except on Exhibition.
4. All birds must be Exhibited in an approved show cage with standard floor covering, provided with sufficient feed for the duration of the Show and fitted with appropriate drinker (Note: it is the responsibility of Exhibitors to provide sufficient seed. Stewards replenish water as necessary).
5. Exhibits must be delivered to Hall 3 - Pet Pavilion between 7:00pm to 9pm Tuesday 26 March 2024. On Wednesday 27 March 2024 benching will be from 7am to 8am.
6. Show cages will be located inside the main judging arena. Any bird which shows symptoms of any disease, is lice or mite infested and/or dirty must be removed from the Showground at once.
7. Aviary Birds may not be removed from the Pavilion until all of the staging has been removed on Thursday 28 March 2024 unless a veterinary certificate is produced stating that the bird is not fit to remain on the bench or approval has been obtained from the Chief Steward.
8. Prior to judging there shall be no interior or exterior decorations or distinguishing objects in any show cage. The Judges will be instructed to pass any show cage so distinguished.
9. No bird shall be removed from its show cage during the Show, other than for judging, without the authority of the Chief Steward.

10. The RAS will not, under any circumstances, hold itself responsible for any loss or misdelivery of any Exhibit at the RAS' Exhibition, or any damage thereto.

SICK OR DISEASED BIRDS

11. If, in the opinion of a qualified Veterinarian appointed by the RAS, a bird on the Showground shall be so injured or be so affected by sickness, disease or other ailment as to warrant its destruction or its removal from the Showground as the case may be the RAS shall be entitled to have the bird destroyed and/or require that the bird be forthwith removed from the Showground and the Exhibitor, on the receipt of such notice, shall forthwith remove such bird and failing such removal by him within the time prescribed by the RAS, the RAS may remove the bird or cause the bird to be removed and all costs and expenses of removal shall be borne by the Exhibitor and shall be refunded to the RAS.

Each such bird shall be at all times be at the sole risk and responsibility of the Exhibitor, and the Person or Persons removing the bird shall at all times be deemed to be the agents of the Exhibitor and all acts and omissions on the part of such Person or Persons shall be deemed to be the acts and omissions of the Exhibitor who shall indemnify and hold indemnified the RAS its servants and agents from all claims whatsoever in respect of the bird whether by reason of any loss or injury to or caused by the bird or because of transportation, feeding or housing or otherwise whatsoever.

12. The RAS may, in any circumstances which it thinks fit refuse to accept the entry of an Exhibit, or may at any time cancel any entry already accepted and may disqualify the relative Exhibit from competing or Exhibiting in any specific Class(es) or events and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing the RAS shall so act if a report of the Veterinarian upon the relative Exhibit discloses that the Veterinarian considers or finds that the Exhibit:
 - (a) is affected with any contagious or infectious disease. Or is known to have or is suspected of having been brought onto the Showground from a Stud in which a bird is affected by or suffering from a contagious or infectious disease or which a bird was affected by or suffering from a contagious or infectious disease within 30 days or the relevant incubation period whichever is the shorter, prior to the date upon which the relevant Exhibit was brought onto the Showground.
 - (b) shows any signs of any surgical or other artificial interference which is calculated to deceive or is capable of deceiving either Judges or spectators.
13. All Exhibits must be brought into the Pavilion securely contained.
14. Exhibit Unworthy of Award. The Judge may in his/her absolute discretion and without assigning any reason therefore, decline to make an award in respect of any Exhibit.
15. Use of methylated spirits or atomiser sprays in the Pavilion are not allowed, except with the Committee's approval.

16. An Exhibitor or handler of an Exhibit shall not use talcum powder or other like substances on an Exhibit whilst an Exhibit is in a show cage or whilst in the vicinity of the show cages.

17. No bird, which is obviously sick, shall be Exhibited.

EXHIBITOR CONFIRMATION ADVICE & DASHBOARD SLIPS

18. The Exhibit Confirmation Advice, otherwise known as a bench slip, indicates the Class in which your birds have been entered, and is required for access to the Showgrounds. A Dashboard Slip will also be issued to Exhibitors with the Showtime Authorised Contact Person's mobile number printed on the slip. A Dashboard Slip must be displayed on the dashboard of each vehicle at all times while on the Showground.

EXHIBITOR PASSES

19. One, one-day pass for Junior Handlers per Exhibitor.
Two one-day pass for one to eight birds.
Three one-day passes for nine or more birds.
Passes will be valid for one day only.

PENALTY FOR NON-EXHIBITION OF AVIARY BIRDS

20. An Exhibitor making an entry will be subject to a fine of \$50 for each entry not Exhibited, unless notification under the hand of the Exhibitor or his authorised agent, be lodged with the RAS prior to the commencement of judging the Class in which the Exhibit is entered to the effect that such non-Exhibition is caused either by:

- (a) the death of the animal or animals; or
- (b) contagious or infectious disease, confirmed by the explanatory certificate of a veterinarian; or
- (c) any other reasonable cause acceptable to the Domestic Animals Committee of the RAS. An Exhibit that does not parade and has not been withdrawn as required may at the discretion of the Domestic Animals Committee of the RAS be excluded from admission as an Exhibit at any future Sydney Royal Easter Shows.

Non-payment of the fine will prevent the Person making an entry at future Exhibitions of the RAS.

PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES

21. Refer to the General Regulations.

RELEASE AND INDEMNITY

22. Refer to the General Regulations.

PRIZE RIBBONS

23. Subject to the Regulations, ribbons may be awarded throughout the Sydney Royal Aviary Bird Show for 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

JUNIOR COMPETITION

24. A junior is a person over seven (7) and under seventeen (17) years of age on or before Wednesday 27 March 2024. Exhibits entered in the Junior Competition cannot compete in any additional Classes.

SPECIAL PRIZES

The following special prizes will be presented by the Royal Agricultural Society of NSW.

AFRICAN LOVEBIRDS

Ribbon for Best in each Variety Open

Ribbon for Best Pair Open

Ribbon for Best in each Variety Young

Ribbon for Best Pair Young

Ribbon for Champion Open

Ribbon for Reserve Champion Open

Ribbon for Champion Young

Ribbon for Reserve Champion Young

RAS of NSW Award of Excellence Medallion for Grand Champion African Lovebird

Annual Trophy and Rosette for Grand Champion African Lovebird

Annual Trophy and Rosette for Reserve Grand Champion African Lovebird

Rosette for Junior Champion African Lovebird

Trill™ sponsors the following prizes:

\$250 for Grand Champion African Lovebird

\$150 for Reserve Grand Champion African Lovebird

\$100 for Junior Champion African Lovebird

BUDGERIGARS

Ribbon for Best in each Variety

Ribbon for Champion Old Bird

Ribbon for Reserve Champion Old Bird

Ribbon for Champion Young Bird

Ribbon for Reserve Champion Young Bird

RAS of NSW Award of Excellence Medallion for Grand Champion Budgerigar

Annual Trophy and Rosette for Grand Champion Budgerigar

Annually awarded Trophy for Grand Champion Budgerigar, presented by the Budgerigar Society of NSW

Annual Trophy and Rosette for Reserve Grand Champion Budgerigar

Rosette for Junior Champion Budgerigar

Trill™ sponsors the following prizes:

\$250 for Grand Champion Budgerigar

\$150 for Reserve Grand Champion Budgerigar

\$100 for Junior Champion Budgerigar

AUSTRALIAN BUSH BUDGERIGAR

Rosette for Junior Champion Australian Bush Budgerigar

SPECIAL PRIZES (CONT.)

CANARIES

Ribbon for Champion in each Variety
Ribbon for Reserve Champion in each Variety
RAS of NSW Award of Excellence Medallion for Grand Champion Canary
Annual Trophy and Rosette for Grand Champion Canary
Annual Trophy and Rosette for Reserve Grand Champion Canary
Rosette for Junior Champion Canary

Trill™ sponsors the following prizes:

\$250 for Grand Champion Canary
\$150 for Reserve Grand Champion Canary
\$100 for Junior Champion Canary

FINCHES

Ribbon for Champion in each Variety
Ribbon for Reserve Champion in each Variety
RAS of NSW Award of Excellence Medallion for Grand Champion Finch
Annual Trophy and Rosette for Grand Champion Finch
\$250 for Grand Champion Finch supported by Finch Society of Australia Inc
\$50 for Grand Champion Finch supported by Bio Supplies
Voucher for Grand Champion Finch supported by Central Pets. Prize \$50
Annual Trophy and Rosette for Reserve Grand Champion Finch
\$150 for Reserve Grand Champion Finch supported by Finch Society of Australia Inc
Voucher for Reserve Grand Champion Finch supported by Kellyville Pets. Prize \$50
\$50 for Champion Australian Finch supported by Wombaroo
Voucher for Champion Australian Finch supported by Andrews Bird & Pet Palace. Prize \$50
Voucher for Reserve Champion Australian Finch supported by Kellyville Pets. Prize \$50
\$50 for Champion Foreign Finch supported by Finch Society of Australia Inc
Voucher for Champion Foreign Finch supported by Andrews Bird & Pet Palace. Prize \$50
Voucher for Reserve Champion Foreign Finch supported by Kellyville Pets. Prize \$50
\$50 for Champion Gouldian Finch supported by Wombaroo
\$50 for Champion Gouldian Finch supported by Finch Society of Australia Inc
Voucher for Reserve Champion Gouldian Finch supported by Kellyville Pets. Prize \$50
Voucher for Champion Zebra Finch supported by Central Pets. Prize \$50
Voucher for Champion Zebra Finch supported by Andrews Bird & Pet Palace. Prize \$50
Voucher for Reserve Champion Zebra supported by Kellyville Pets. Prize \$50
Rosette for Junior Champion Finch
Voucher for Junior Champion Finch supported by Kellyville Pets. Prize \$100
Voucher for Junior Champion Finch supported by Central Pets. Prize \$50

Trill™ sponsors the following prizes:

\$250 for Grand Champion Finch
\$150 for Reserve Grand Champion Finch
\$100 for Junior Champion Finch

SPECIAL PRIZES (CONT.)

PARROTS

Ribbon for Champion in each Variety

Ribbon for Reserve Champion in each Variety

RAS of NSW Award of Excellence Medallion for Grand Champion Parrot

Annual Trophy and Rosette for Grand Champion Parrot

Annual Trophy and Rosette for Reserve Grand Champion Parrot

Rosette for Junior Champion Parrot

Trill™ sponsors the following prizes:

\$250 for Grand Champion Parrot

\$150 for Reserve Grand Champion Parrot

\$100 for Junior Champion Parrot

AFRICAN LOVEBIRDS**PEACHFACE**

	OPEN	YOUNG
Normal Green	A1	A60
Jade Green or Olive Green	A2	A61
Yellow/Primrose	A3	A62
AC Edged Bird, Orange Faced Edge	A4	A63
Lutino or Creamino	A5	A64
AOC Red Eyed including Whitefaced (not mentioned)	A6	A65
Pastel Blue, Cobalt Blue, Slate Blue or Sea Green	A7	A66
AC Green Pied or AC Blue Pied	A8	A67
AOC Pied	A9	A68
AC Whitefaced Blue incl. Grey (blue series) or Blue Cinnamon	A10	A69
AC Whitefaced Pied, Yellow or Primrose, Red Eyed Whiteface	A11	A70
AOC AOV Peachfaced	A12	A71
AC Opaline	A13	A72
AC Orange Faced, Green	A14	A73
AC Orange Face Pied	A15	A74
AC Violet	A16	A75

AFRICAN LOVEBIRDS (cont.)**MASKED**

	OPEN	YOUNG
Normal Masked	A25	A84
Blue Masked	A26	A85
Dilute Normal Masked (Yellow)	A27	A86
Dilute Blue Masked (White)	A28	A87
AC Violet Factor Green Series	A29	A88
AC Violet Factor Blue Series	A30	A89
AC Violet - Blue Series - Dilute	A32	A91
AOC AOV Masked	A33	A92

FISCHERS

	OPEN	YOUNG
Normal Fischers	A34	A93
Lutino Fischers	A35	A94
Lime, Yellow Lime Fischers	A36	A95
Blue, Albino, Dilute Blue or Dilute Light Blue	A37	A96
AC Green Series - Dark Factor	A38	A97
AC Blue Series - Dark Factor	A39	A98
AC Yellow Faced	A42	A101
AOC AOV Fischers	A43	A102

AFRICAN LOVEBIRDS (cont.)**NYASA**

	OPEN	YOUNG
Normal Nyasa	A44	A103
AOC AOV Nyasa	A45	A104

PAIRS

	OPEN	YOUNG
AC Peachfaced (incl. Whitefaced)	A46	A105
AC Fischers	A47	A106
AOV Lovebird Species (not mentioned)	A48	A107
AOV/AOC Lovebird Species	A49	A108
AC Black Cheeked	A50	A109

BUDGERIGARS

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
Normal Green (except Grey Green)	B1	B2	B3	B4
Normal Grey Green	B5	B6	B7	B8
Normal Blue	B9	B10	B11	B12
Normal Violet	B13	B14	B15	B16
Normal Grey	B17	B18	B19	B20
Normal Yellow Faced Blue ASC	B21	B22	B23	B24
Normal Australian Golden Face Blue	B25	B26	B27	B28
Blackeyed Self Colour Yellow or White	B29	B30	B31	B32
Dilute Yellow or White	B33	B34	B35	B36
Redeyed Self Colour Lutino	B37	B38	B39	B40
Redeyed Self Colour Albino	B41	B42	B43	B44
Dark Eyed Clear - Yellow or White	B45	B46	B47	B48
Clearwing ASC	B49	B50	B51	B52
Greywing ASC	B53	B54	B55	B56
Cinnamonwing ASV / ASC	B57	B58	B59	B60
Spangle Double Factor Yellow or White	B61	B62	B63	B64
Opaline Normal Wing ASC	B65	B66	B67	B68
Opaline AOSV or ASC	B69	B70	B71	B72
Clearbody ASV / ASC	B73	B74	B75	B76
Lacewing ASV Yellow or White	B77	B78	B79	B80
Fallow ASV / ASC	B81	B82	B83	B84
Spangle (Normal) ASC	B85	B86	B87	B88
Spangle AOSV, ASC	B89	B90	B91	B92
Dominant Pied ASV / ASC	B93	B94	B95	B96
Recessive Pied ASV / ASC	B97	B98	B99	B100
AOSV Dark Wing	B101	B102	B103	B104
Australian White Cap ASC/ASV	B109	B110	B111	B112
Crest ASV / ASC	B113	B114	B115	B116
Non-Standard Variety or Colour	B117	B118	B119	B120
Pairs (Cock & Hen) ASV or ASC	B121		B122	
Team or Collection (One sex) ASV or ASC	B123		B124	

CANARIES**YORKSHIRE**

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
AC Yellow	C1	C3	C5	C7
AC Buff	C2	C4	C6	C8

BORDER FANCY

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
AC Yellow	C9	C12	C15	C18
AC Buff	C10	C13	C16	C19
AC White Ground	C11	C14	C17	C20

NEW COLOUR

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
AC Red Orange	C21	C23	C25	C27
AC Apricot	C22	C24	C26	C28

RED FACTOR

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
AC Red/Apricot	C29	C32	C35	C38

GLOSTER FANCY

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
AC Corona	C41	C44	C47	C50
AC Consort	C42	C45	C48	C51

LIZARD

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
White Ground	C55	C58	C61	C64

CANARIES (cont.)**FIFE FANCY**

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
AC Yellow	C65	C68	C71	C74
AC Buff	C66	C69	C72	C75
AC White Ground	C67	C70	C73	C76

NORWICH

	OPEN		YOUNG	
	COCK	HEN	COCK	HEN
AC Yellow	C77	C80	C83	C86
AC Buff	C78	C81	C84	C87
Crest or Crest Bred	C79	C82	C85	C88

FINCHES**HYBRIDS & FINCHES (AUSTRALIAN & FOREIGN)**

	OPEN
AV Hybrid	F1

GOULDIANS

	COCK	HEN
Gouldian Normal	F2	F3
AOC Gouldian	F4	F5

AUSTRALIAN FINCHES

	COCK	HEN	OPEN
Star	F6	F7	N/A
Embla or Blood	F8	F9	N/A
AV Longtail	N/A	N/A	F10
Masked, Diggles or Blackthroat	N/A	N/A	F11
Pictorella, Chestnut or Yellow Rump	N/A	N/A	F12
Redhead or Doublebar	N/A	N/A	F13
Diamond Sparrow or Plumhead	N/A	N/A	F14
AOC AOV Australian Finch	F15	F16	N/A

FOREIGN FINCHES

	COCK	HEN	OPEN
Goldfinch or Greenfinch	N/A	N/A	F17
AC Java	N/A	N/A	F18
Nun, Spice or Silverbill	N/A	N/A	F19
Orange Breast	F20	F21	N/A
Ruddy	F22	F23	N/A
Cuban	F24	F25	N/A
St Helena or Cordon Bleu	F26	F27	N/A
Melba or Aurora	F28	N/A	N/A
Cutthroat or Aberdeen	F29	N/A	N/A
AC AV Bengalese	N/A	N/A	F30
AOC AOV Foreign Finch	F31	F32	N/A

FINCHES (cont.)**ZEBRA FINCHES**

	COCK	HEN
Grey	F33	F34
Fawn	F35	F36
White	F37	F38
Mark White or Chestnut Flanked	F39	F40
Cream or Cream Backed	F41	F42
Blue or Silver	F43	F44
Grey Pied	F45	F46
AOC Pied	F47	F48
AC Grizzle or Grizzle Pied	F49	F50
AC Blackface	F51	F52
AOC	F53	F54
AC Young Bird	F55	F56

PARROTS**COCKATIELS**

	COCK	HEN	OPEN
Normal	P1	P2	N/A
Lutino	N/A	N/A	P3
Pied AC (not Whitefaced)	N/A	N/A	P4
Cinnamon AC (not Whitefaced)	P5	P6	N/A
Pearl AC (not Whitefaced)	N/A	P7	N/A
Whitefaced (Normal)	P8	P9	N/A
Whitefaced Pied AC	N/A	N/A	P10
Whitefaced Pearl AC	N/A	P11	N/A
Whitefaced AOC (not mentioned)	P12	P13	P14
AOV-AOC Cockatiel	P15	P16	P17

NEOPHEMA

	COCK	HEN
Bourke Parrot Normal	P18	P19
Bourke Parrot AOC	P20	P21
Turquoise Parrot Normal	P22	P23
Turquoise Parrot AOC	P24	P25
Scarlet Chested Parrot Normal	P26	P27
Scarlet Chested Parrot AOC	P28	P29
Elegant Parrot AOC	P32	P33

PSEPHOTUS

	COCK	HEN
Red Rumped Parrot Normal	P36	P37
Mulga Parrot	P40	P41
Blue Bonnet	P42	P43

PARROTS (cont.)**LORIKEET**

	OPEN
Rainbow Lorikeet Normal	P46
Rainbow Lorikeet AOC	P47
Red Collared Lorikeet	P48
Lorikeet AOV/AOC	P51

ROSELLA

	COCK	HEN
Eastern Rosella	P52	N/A
Eastern Rosella AOC	P53	N/A
Crimson Rosella	P54	N/A
Yellow or Green Rosella	P55	N/A
Rosella Hen AV/AC	N/A	P57

LONGTAIL

	COCK	HEN
Princess Parrot Normal	P58	P59
Princess Parrot Blue	P60	P61
Princess Parrot AOC	P62	P63
Superb Parrot	P64	P65

BROADTAIL

	COCK	HEN
Red Winged Parrot	P70	P71
Red Capped Parrot	P72	P73
King Parrot	P74	P75
Eclectus AV	P76	P77

PARROTS (cont.)**COCKATOO**

	OPEN
Galah	P80
Corella AV	P81
Major Mitchell	P82
Sulphur Crested	P83
AOV/AOC Cockatoo	P84

FOREIGN

	COCK	HEN	OPEN
Indian Ringneck Normal	P85	P86	N/A
Indian Ringneck AOC	P87	P88	N/A
Alexandrine AC	P89	P90	N/A
Plumheaded Parrot AC	P91	P92	N/A
Conure Small AV AC (smaller than Sun Conure)	N/A	N/A	P93
Amazon Parrot AV AC	N/A	N/A	P95
AOV/AOC Foreign Parrot	P96	P97	P98

HYBRID

	OPEN
Small Hybrid	P99
Large Hybrid	P100

PAIRS

	OPEN
Cockatiel	P101
Neophema	P102
Psephotus	P103
Lorikeet	P104
Rosella	P105
Longtaill	P106
Broadtail	P107
Foreign	P108

JUNIOR CLASSES

Junior African Lovebird	J1
Junior Budgerigar	J2
Junior Canary	J3
Junior Finch	J4
Junior Parrot	J5
Junior Australian Bush Budgerigar	J6

LEGEND USED IN THIS SCHEDULE			
AC	Any Colour	AOSV	Any Other Standard Variety
AOC	Any Other Colour	AV	Any Variety
AOV	Any Other Variety	HV	Heavily Variegated
ASC	Any Standard Colour	LV	Lightly Variegated
ASV	Any Standard Variety	VAR	Variegated

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For enquiries regarding general competition information such as judging details, timetables, Competitor/Exhibitor confirmation packs, please visit www.rasnsw.com.au or contact the Event Manager responsible for your section.

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