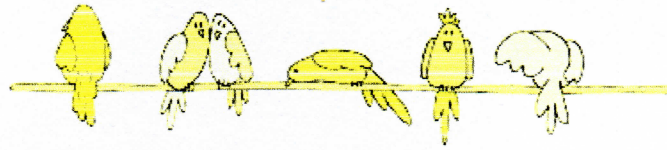


"BIRD TWITTER"

WAIRARAPA BIRD CLUB INC.

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Welcome everyone I hope 2013 treats us all well

christmas meeting 9th December 2012

this was a convivial end of the year function with the usual regulars in attendance
thank you trish and john for making your home available for this it was much appreciated
thank also to bruce and enid kirk for opening their aviaries for us

Fund raising bbq and raffle

unfortunately did not receive the same support from members and the public as previously.
henk made and donated a dolls house and a garage as raffle prizes, but ticket sales were slow
thank you henk again for your generosity

THE YEAR AHEAD 2013

bird club members around the country we have contact with I m told their clubs are having similar problems to ours with only the hard core coming out to meetings we would love to see bottoms on those empty seats, come along please and enjoy the company of your fellow members and bird fanciars. If you cannot get along ,would you phone henk or myself with your ideas and suggestion of what you would like the club to be offering that would interest our members

at the AGM on September 11th it was suggested and adopted that we change our meeting night to the 2nd Wednesday of the month with a 7pm start so far this has not increased the numbers attending we hope this will change for the better this year

FEBRUARY MEETING WEDNESDAY 13 FEBRUARY

time 7 pm venue club rooms

discussion-table show, annual show ,club meetings

SPEAKER bruce kirk subjects alpacas and hook beaks a successful breeder of both
then on to other general business if any

SUBSCRIPTIONS

our rules state that subscription are due on 1st October . We still have some unpaid if they are not paid by 13th February the member will be classed as unfinancial and will receive no further

SPONSORSHIP

we have been fortunate considering the tight economic times to have trust house once again sponsor a major part of our annual show cost ,we are most appreciative of their continued support

DAIRY DATES

wed 13 feb club night

16 march hutt valley table

30 march wiararapa table show

7 April taraua table show

10 April club meeting club rooms

18-19 may wairarapa annual show

let us support these shows in a big way if we want their members support our show we have to do the same for them

GREETINGS

we send our greetings to dawn and alex wheatherall dawn is still not well and finding recovery very slow. alex send greetings to club members and thanks us for keeping in touch

BREEDING RESULTS

variable!! Share yours with fellow club members at the meeting

SEED ORDERS

henk is doing our first order of the year orders in by 7th February

topflite quality seeds

MEDICATION TIPS !!!

After weaning your chicks and about once a month add 5 mil of cider vinegar to 1 litre of drinking water for 2-3 days. this will clear the gut of bad bacteria and replace with good

BUY AND SELL /SWAP/OR DONATIONS

this service has not been used recently if you have items for this section please phone or send them to tom by the end of the month for publication in the next issue of bird twitter

jean has donated various utensils we will have them at the meeting

henk is still looking for a barraband hen

nola and I take this opportunity to wish you all good health and a very happy and productive year ahead

hope to see a good turnout for the first meeting of 2013

regards tom