

# *The Show Budgie*

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**Best Bird 2003 Gauteng Championship Show**  
*Molkentin Stud*

## Challenge Certificates

By John Nel

### JSBS and the Challenge Certificates

The Jacaranda Show Budgie Society captured 61,5% of the Challenge Certificates on offer at the Gauteng Championship Show. This equates to 16 of the 26 Challenge Certificates up for grabs. PBC was second with a total of 23% of the Challenge Certificates. This equates to 6 of the 26 Challenge Certificates.

### Challenge Certificate winners

- Light Geen – Pieter van der Linde
- Dark and Olive Green – Nel Brothers Stud
- Grey Green – Thistle Aviaries
- Skyblue – Molkentin Stud
- Cobolt and Mauve – Molkentin Stud
- Violet – Nel Brothers Stud
- Grey – Molkentin Stud
- Cin Green Series – Nagel Aviaries.
- Cin Blue Series – Molkentin Stud
- Spangle Green Series – Thistle Aviaries
- Spangle Blue Series – Molkentin Stud
- Double Factor Spangle – Molkentin Stud
- Lutino – Molkentin Stud
- Albino – Vermaas Stoet
- Lacewing – Molkentin Stud
- Opaline Green Series – TP Dreyer
- Opaline Grey Green – W&T Stoet
- Opaline Blue Series – Thistle Aviaries
- Opaline Grey – CJ Oberholzer
- Opaline Cin Green Series – Molkentin Stud
- Opaline Cin Blue Series – Kobus Hechter
- Yellowface – Molkentin Stud
- Dominant Pied – JW O'Kelly
- Recessive Pied – RDM Aviaries
- Grywng, Clrwng, Yell & White – Deon Davie
- Any Other Color or Variety – Molkentin Stud

## Gauteng Championship Show

By John Nel

The Jacaranda Show Budgie Society held a very successful championship show in March 2003. A total of 823 birds were entered. These were made up of 197 Champion, 55 Intermediate, 375 Novice, and 196 Beginner birds. On the day 788 were benched. This equates to a 4,25% not benched. There were 10 Champion, 5 Intermediate, 14 Novice, and 13 Beginner exhibitors on the day. The judges on the day were Hino Artus, Bob Hirst, Albert Olivier, Chris Smit, and Pierre Swart. The major awards on the day were:

- Best Bird on Show – Molkentin Stud
- Best Opposite Sex – Molkentin Stud
- Best Any Age – Molkentin Stud
- Best Young Bird – Molkentin Stud
- Best Champion on Show – Molkentin Stud
- Best Champion Any Age – Molkentin Stud
- Best Champion Young Bird – Molkentin Stud
- Best Intermediate on Show – RDM Aviaries
- Best Intermediate Any Age – Pieter vd Linde
- Best Inter Young Bird – RDM Aviaries
- Best Novice on Show – Karyma Telers
- Best Novice Any Age – Karyma Telers
- Best Novice Young Bird – Karyma Telers
- Best Beginner on Show – TP Dreyer
- Best Beginner Any Age – TP Dreyer
- Best Beginner Young Bird – Kobus Hechter ♦

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**Next Month**

Report on JSBS Mini Show.

## Gauteng Championship Show - Picture Report *By John Nel*



Top Left: Best Opposite Sex on Show – Molkenntin Stud. Top Right: Best Intermediate on Show –RDM Aviaries



Top Left: Best Intermediate Any Age – Pieter vd Linde. Top Right: Best Beginner on Show – TP Dreyer.

# Gauteng Championship Show - Picture Report *By John Nel*



Top: Reinhard (Molkentin Stud) receives his awards at the function from Japie Smit.



Top: Pieter vd Linde receives his awards from John Nel (left) while Japie Smit looks on.



Top: Ralph Morgan Receives the award for Best Intermediate on Show.



Top: Kobus Hechter (right) receives his award for Best Beginner Young Bird on Show from Japie Smit and John Nel (left)



Left: The stewards in action. From left to right are Johan Jooste, Jan O'Kelly, David Jooste and Willem van Tonder.

## The Budgie that never got away *By John Nel*

There we were congratulating ourselves on a job well done when I started hearing about a missing bird. As the birds became less and less, without the missing bird being found, one show cage started sticking out like a sore thumb. We took the show cage number and checked it against the entries....Nagel Aviaries it said. But the Nagel's have left I heard someone say. Well it looks like they left with the wrong bird? Who's got a contact number someone said. To the entries we went to find a contact number. Here it is. Ian calls, "Hello Tanie Val, your bird is here and you have someone else's bird....". They are turning around Ian reports. Every one waits and waits and waits. Where were they? "Just going past Centurion" Ian says. Here they are someone shouts. Everyone rushes out to meet the Budgie that never got away. ♦



Val Nagel telling Ian the whole story.



Lets strip and unpack the show cages.



Neville "Maybe this one...No"  
Oom Nagel "It's got to be somewhere"

PS. No prizes for guessing but Yes the missing Budgie was found right at the back at the bottom in the very last cage unpacked.

## Show Planning

Good planning is essential to a successful show season; pick the shows that suit you, and then your team about 12 weeks ahead. If you are going to cut or pull tail feathers, do them one at a time 12 weeks ahead of your first show, spaced so that a new tail feather has appeared before the second one is touched. Spots can be left until 7 weeks prior to the first show, when I remove them all, and let new ones re-grow. Flights should be checked for damage well ahead, and removed if in very poor condition, do this with a very steady pull on the flight, holding the wing firmly, and the offending flight between thumb and forefinger ♦



Above: The decanters, which were up for grabs at the show.

## JSBS Mini Show Sneek Preview

**Pieter** – Check this out guys. Look at these points

**Bill** – Let me see.

**Gert** – This is war...just you wait for the next show!

Full report in next months issue.



## JSBS Mini Show Points

### Champion

Deon Davie – 11

Nel Brothers Stud – 17

Sam Rosslee – 16

### Intermediate

Corrie van Staden - 13

Pieter van der Linde– 24

### Beginner

Charl Muller - 4

Kobus Hechter - 3

Neville Greyling – 17

Gert Pieters - 14



## *Birthday Wishes*

Deon Davie – 28 June

## Breeders Directory

The last page of the Show Budgie will be dedicated to subscriber's adverts. Currently these are basic adds but these can be enhanced by emailing me detail you would like to include. This means that this will be your area to advertise anything you would like. To do this just contact me and I will update your information. Any additional adverts will be charged as follows:

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