



## CCCBC September 2005 NEWSLETTER

### MEETING SCHEDULE

DATE	PLACE	EVENT
Sep 18	Mancini Hall	Ella Galik
Oct	SOS Hall	Annual Show

Please bring a snack or dessert to the meeting hall to share with your friends.

**Mancini Hall is located at 718 Tuolumne Blvd., Modesto.**

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Temperatures have begun to cool down some, kids are back in school, the sun comes up later each morning and goes down a little earlier each day. September is here and in one more month we will be having our annual bird show in Modesto on October 29<sup>th</sup>.

**Bennie Jones** is the Show Manager again this year and you know he will be putting on the best show in this part of California. **As you know, one person can't do it alone and we would like as many of our members to volunteer as they can.** Either call **Bennie Jones** at 209-531-0597 or **Naomi Cisper** at 209-957-3117. We would appreciate hearing from you prior to September 18<sup>th</sup> so that we can include your name in the show catalog.

**Jeanne Fairman** is donating the rosettes for the color bred canaries and has volunteered to manage this section for our show. Our thanks to **Jeanne** for her generosity.

I hope to see a good turnout for the September meeting. We have some show business to discuss and we have an excellent educational program. Be there and participate for the benefit of the club and for your own benefit.

### CLUB FINANCES

Our Treasurer, **Bob Gomes** reports a balance in the bank of \$3554.45 as of the 7<sup>th</sup> of September

### JULY MEETING

This meeting was our annual picnic and auction. We raised \$182 at the auction. Colonel John Astorino was the auctioneer and kept the bidding lively. We only had eight members at the meeting and for that low a turnout it was an excellent performance. We hope future events have better attendance.

### SEPTEMBER PROGRAM

We are having a return visit by **Ella Galick** to make another interesting presentation. Show up, bring a friend or relative and learn something you didn't know from one of the best breeders in California. You will also benefit from seeing some of your other friends and renewing your ties to your hobby of raising birds.

Ella has been breeding canaries for over 25 years and raises the following type canaries: Fife, Hartz and Glosters. Her song canaries include American Singers, Belgian, Waterslagers and German Rollers. For the past ten years, Ella has hosted canary breeding workshops every January to encourage interest in canary aviculture. Many new hobbyists owe much of their success to her classes.

She is an active member in a number of clubs including Capitol City Bird Society where she served as President and Junior Club Director. She was also their 2001 show chairperson and speaker chairperson as well as other activities.

Our club is honored to have her return and share her knowledge with us. Be there, bring a friend and enjoy her presentation. We would love to see a good turnout for this program.

### ADVERTISING WANTED

We will accept commercial advertising for inclusion in the newsletter. The price is \$5.00 per issue for a business card size ad. Contact Naomi Cisper at 209-957-3117 if you have an ad you want to place. Try to use the products or services of any of our advertisers. We welcome their support.

## ANNUAL SHOW CATALOG

This is the time of year when we ask everyone to support us with his or her ad in the catalog and any other way to help make our show a success. The cost of an ad is as follows:

Business Card	\$15.00`
¼ Page	\$20.00
½ Page	\$30.00
Full Page	\$40.00

Please send your check and ad copy to **Bob Gomes**, 1653 Ohio Ave., Modesto, CA 95358 or **Naomi Cisper**, 4218 Lorenzo Lane, Stockton, CA 95207. The deadline is September 18.

### SHOW MANAGER'S MESSAGE

Big Western Howdy! I've been meaning to drop you a line and give you an update on what's happening. First: Are we still having a show? Bet your hind booties! **Al Silva** will be judging the Colorbred, **Romeo Simonetto** will be the Type Judge and **Darrell Horst** will be doing the American Singers.

When? The last weekend of October, just like we've done for the last thirty years. Are we ticking yet? Yes! That's what I'm talking about! It's definitely happening here in Modesto. Same location: SOS Club, 818 Sunset Ave, Modesto, Ca.

Kudos! I am so impressed with the EXTRA EFFORT that **Naomi Cisper** has invested to still make this show possible. I understand that there are already many different pairs of birds donated for our auction, thanks to her for her ambassadorship in arranging this.

I also need to thank **Steve Howarth** for sponsoring second best Type, **Charles Long** for sponsoring 3rd Best and Judges Special. **Bob & Virginia King** for sponsoring Best Type II and **Darrell Brewer** for Judges Special. (We still need a 2nd & 3rd Best sponsor) Best Red Lipochrome, **Val Garcia**, and Judges Award **Joe Gill**. (We still need 2nd & 3rd Best sponsors). So far we have NO SPONSORS for the Red Factor Melanin or the American Singers.....1st, 2nd, 3rd, and Judges Special. Please help us!

The Ramada Inn is still giving us their Show Special rate: 209 521-9000 and you already know that our banquet food buffet is second to none!

So, we're already getting excited to see our old friends again. Please plan on being here the last Saturday of October.

Your Show Manager, **Bennie Jones**

## IN FOND MEMORY

We were notified this week that one of our friends, **Dare Cagle** has died recently. **Dare** and her husband were very active with their finches and helped to standardize their show cages. They were very active with the Sacramento club for years until they relocated to Arizona in recent years. Remember her in your prayers.

### SHOW BANQUET

If you have never attended our show banquet you not only have missed out on a good meal but you have also missed a lively auction. These provide us the opportunity to bid on some excellent items and buy them at very reasonable prices. It also helps to defray some of the costs of putting on the show each year. The items auctioned are donated by members of our club as well as some of the exhibitors. So far we have the following donations:

ITEM	DONOR
Pair of Lady Gouldians	<b>Steve &amp; Jeanne Fairman</b>
Pair of Owl Finches	<b>Ella Galik</b>
Pair of Opal Canaries	<b>Naomi Cisper</b>
Pair of Canaries	<b>John Astorino</b>
Pair of Gloster Canaries	<b>Sharon Bowers</b>
Bird seed	<b>Silver Song West</b>

You can add to the fun of this auction by donating any item, it doesn't have to be a "bird" item. We'd like to add your name to this list.

### CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

October 16	California Bird Mart, Cow Palace, San Francisco
October 22	Bird Mart & educational day. Placer County Fairgrounds. Speaker: Barbara Heiden-Reich, Professional bird trainer. Contact John DelRio 916-688-9446 for more info.
October 29	CCCBC Bird show
December 3	Santa Clara Bird Show 408-739-3995

### A MESSAGE FROM THE NATIONAL CAGE BIRD SOCIETY

Today Clarence Culwell contacted Dickie Richardson who is the Director of the Texas Animal Health Commission. He was assured that they will not require health certificates for cage birds attending the National in Dallas this fall.

However, it is always a good idea to have a health certificate when traveling with birds. Usually this consists of a certificate that covers the entire flock that is traveling and includes the band number. Many of you have found that when airline travel is involved a health certificate may facilitate the processing of the birds at the airport.

All fifty states and the Federal government require that all birds entering from out of state must have a veterinary issued health certificate. While this has been in effect for some time people have continued to attend bird shows without a problem. We expect that those attending the National in Dallas this fall have no difficulty.

Confusion may arise because rules covering cage birds are vastly different than those which apply to poultry. Texas does not require registration of out of state birds unless the birds are poultry. Texas does not require registration for birds from out of state that are being sold. Texas does not require health certificates for birds coming to the show within the state whether they are being exhibited or sold unless they are poultry.

If you have concerns beyond the facts covered above please contact me directly by e-mail: [bonniecain@ameritech.net](mailto:bonniecain@ameritech.net)

**Bonnie Cain**  
President, NCBS

**CENTRAL CALIFORNIA CAGE BIRD CLUB**

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