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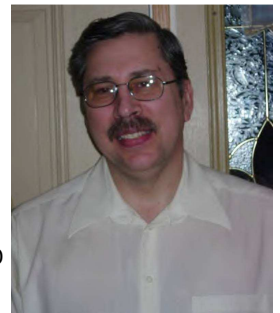
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President's Report, John Blehm

The 2009 Ameraucana Life Time Achievement award went to Jeanne Trent, of Central Lake, Michigan. She is laid-off from work and couldn't make it to the show. Jeanne joined the ABC back in 1983. She has not only been a breeder and exhibitor, but also our club Secretary and Treasurer. Congratulations Jeanne!



Another ABC National meet is history. We enjoyed fantastic weather, fellowship with great friends and checking out a couple hundred of the best breed of chickens at the show...A-m-e-r-a-u-c-a-n-a. That is the way it is spelled in the APA Standard, but not on one coop card at the show! I understand the time many donate to put on a show and appreciate it. Mistakes happen. But, Americana, Americauna and Americand are not breeds of chickens. 'Nuff said.



Back in the old days, before internet, getting a quarterly club bulletin was the main connection a member had to a club like this one. Now days we can keep up-to-date with club news, 24/7, via the ABC Forum. Your dues pay for our ABC website and forum for all to see and benefit from. We want to continue to promote Ameraucanas and our club thru these means, but the Board of Directors has decided to limit membership on the ABC Forum to club members. This gives added value to your membership. Starting in 2010 ABC members will have full access to the ABC Forum while non-members will only be allowed to read the posts. This change only affects the forum, not the website (Ameraucana.org). The two are linked together and you can go from one to the other easily by clicking on the ABC logo on the pages.

There are several generic poultry forums that are great for most areas related to poultry in general, like incubating, health, housing, exhibiting, etc. When it comes down to the real nitty gritty regarding specifics about any breed I would invite fanciers to go to the breed club forums for specific questions about specific breeds. In our case that would be our ABC Forum. I often receive emails asking questions about Ameraucana. I try to be diplomatic about it and ask that they post their questions on the forum. There they will get the most input from the most experienced breeders and exhibitors. If you see a topic on another forum about Ameraucanas feel free to post a link to it on our forum so our members are aware of it and can contribute to the discussion. Also, if the other forum allows I would suggest you post a comment and invite them to join the ABC, so they can have full access to our forum and the knowledge and experience that comes with it. If not a personal email will do the trick.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

North Central District, Jerry De Smidt, Director

Hello from the Midwest! I would like to Thank Harold, Michael, and the Ohio Poultry Breeders Association for putting together a great National show for the Ameraucanas. I would also like to thank all the families and individuals who donated cash for the prizes and those who donated their time. It was great to see old friends and meet new ones.

The weather is getting colder and no snow on the ground yet, the temps have been relatively nice for this time of the year and I am waiting for the barn to freeze a couple of times before I keep the doors closed and turn on the heat for the winter. After the National show I got home and started to put my breeding pens together and can not wait to start the incubator and get some chicks hatched for the first of the year.

I would like to wish every one a wonderful holiday season.

South Central District, Paul Smith, Director

Greetings from the South-Central District!

The show season is almost over for the winter season. We have let most of it pass us by this year. We only kept a very few of the early hatched chicks last spring so we didn't have much to show. We are planning on offering day olds again in the spring of 2010, but will definitely keep some to show as we are planning on going to the 2010 national.

2011 will be the South-Central District's turn to host the national meet again. I've tried to get shows to bid for our national, but none have. Presently, I'm considering going back to Sedalia, MO. It's a totally different poultry club from the one that hosted our national in 2005. Unfortunately the Southern Missouri Club disbanded according to the Poultry Press. There are excellent facilities at the Sedalia, Missouri fairgrounds. I have also kept in mind to be as far East and North as possible to accommodate our Northern ABC membership. If anyone has some suggestions for our national-I would appreciate receiving them.

Let's enjoy our Ameraucana! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! Jesus is the reason for the season!

Western District, Connie "Jean" Ribbeck, Director

Another season has come and gone. Now is the time to thin the flocks just a little more to only the best to winter over. This is a good time to review the article written by Don Cable on the Marginal Bird, last printed in the 2008 fall issue.

Several meets for the Western District have been placed with our Secretary. If anyone would like to place a meet that is not listed, please contact either one of us to get it placed. I would love to see more meets in different States within the District.

The ABC National is over now and I was thrilled to be able to attend. Congratulations to all the winners. I thoroughly enjoyed meeting everyone that was there. The day seemed to fly by; club duties had me busy most of the day. I staffed the Club table, judged eggs with Michael, attended the yearly meeting and took pictures of all the Best Variety and Reserve Variety large fowl. I was also appointed to a committee and it was all over before I knew it.

Happy Holidays and May all your eggs be blue!

Southeast District, Barbara Campbell, Director

Our district meet is now behind us and I'm looking forward to planning for the National meet next October. The 2010 national will be my first as a director responsible for "getting it all together" and I will appreciate any suggestions and help from those more experienced at these things.

I enjoyed meeting and chatting fellow members Craig McDonald and Dennis Robinson at the district meet and applaud the Bluegrass Poultry Club for putting on a great show and for going the extra mile in giving beautiful ribbons and breed specific plates for awards.

I'm pleased to say that a wheaten pullet from Randy and Anthony Garner breeding that I hatched and raised, took Champion AOSB! The competition wasn't huge but she did win over a couple of other breeds, with a black Sumatra pullet (?) taking Reserve AOSB.

I got a late start with my hatching last year with the first chicks coming in late April. The pullets looked pretty good for the show but the cockerels weren't quite finished out. I plan to get lights on the breeders by mid December and hopefully have chicks on the ground late February – early March.

Wishing a wonderful holiday season to all!

Northeast District, Harold Knapp, Director

The ABC national meet at Columbus, Ohio, was a tremendous success, With 118 large fowl, and 133 bantams. There were a few empty cages, but I didn't take a bird count. Neil didn't want me to mention the weather, but he will have skip that part or let Donna Read this article. I do not remember such bright, warm days in the middle of November. We all enjoyed it, and it will not last much longer!

I didn't think I could have this much fun legally. I met many members, a great bunch. I was not sure what to do for a national meet, or how things would turn out. I tell people that worrying is like a rocking chair, it gives you something to do without getting anywhere, and I should take my own advice. Michael Muenks was everywhere making things go smooth, and I had so much help at the club table, all I had to do, was stand around and look cute, well I tried.

We did a silent auction, and raised a little money to help the 2010 national hosted by the southeast district. Lets all try to support Barbara and the southeast district, and have another great show next year.

Thank you to all of the ladies & gents that attended, you are a great group.

Ameraucana Meet Placement

Thanks to everyone who requested meets for the spring and summer for this issue of the bulletin. I have found over the last year that if we expect a meet to be in a club's show catalog we need to get them placed with the show club about six months in advance! I realize it is hard to think that far in advance, but we need to. Keep showing those Ameraucana!



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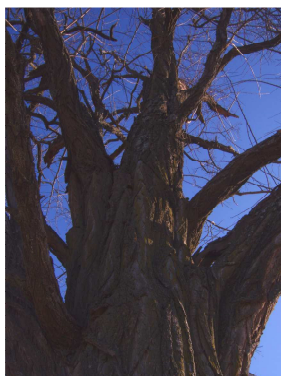
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Treasurer's Report

ABC Checking Account, Central Trust Bank, Jefferson City, MO	
Opening Balance January 1, 2009	\$ 852.47
Income – January Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	328.00
Income – February Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	527.00
Income – March Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	307.50
Income – April Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	147.00
Income – May Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	0.00
Income – June Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	92.00
Income – July Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	0.00
Income – August Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	0.00
Income – September Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	0.00
Income – October Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	388.00
Income – November Dues, Directories, Donations, etc	0.00
Income – December Dues, Club Items, Donations, etc	0.00
Income Subtotal (opening balance + months)	\$ 2641.97
Expense - Postage	502.22
Expense – Office Supplies	187.77
Expense – Other: Memorials	0.00
Expense – Memberships, Advertisements	148.40
Expense – Bank Charges (return item fees)	144.50
Expense – National Meet Awards/Awards	442.82
Expense - Refunds	23.00
Expense Subtotal	\$ 1448.71
Ending Balance as of October 31, 2009	\$ 1193.26
PayPal Account November 11, 2009	\$ 395.00
Total	\$ 1588.26

Respectfully Submitted, Michael J. Muenks, Secretary/Treasurer

2009 National Meet Donations

\$150.00 – Ohio National

\$275.00 – Members for Open Show

Patty and Jeff Pickard took care of all the Junior Show Awards

From Under the Black Locust, Michael Muenks

My head is still spinning from the 2009 National Meet in Columbus, Ohio. We made good time getting to the meet and returning home. I didn't even have any opportunities to go deer hunting with the van, which was a blessing!

I was really pleased to meet and visit with the members at the meet. We had three long distance members at the meet this year; Robert Rennolet from South Dakota, Kim Bebb from Arizona, and our Western District Director, Jean Ribbeck from Washington. I hadn't visited with Robert since the 2006 National Meet in Frankenmuth, MI and I really enjoyed our time Saturday night at the club dinner. Kim is really interested in wheaten and blue wheaten large fowl. We

From Under the Black Locust, Continued

had a nice visit and I hope to see her at future meets. I could tell she was disappointed that there were not more Ameraucana available for purchase, but I hope she made some good contacts and was able to get some leads on some additional sources of stock. Kim has requested a meet in Arizona, so hopefully an expanded Ameraucana presence will develop Arizona. Jean was a great help when we judged the egg contest and it was fun to joke around in person with. This was the first time we have seen each other in person since the 2007 National Meet in Great Falls, Montana and it was a lot of fun. I cannot describe fully in words what a great group of people we have in the club and I will not try to share all the conversations I was able to have with other club members other than to say, thank you to all the members who were able to attend the 2009 National Meet and to publicly state that you are a great group of people.

Based on the emails I am getting and the interest level at the National Meet, I suspect that spring 2010 is going to be a repeat of the last several springs when it comes to demand for Ameraucana. Be prepared for a lot of interest and many calls/emails asking if you have anything available. I have already received emails inquiring about Ameraucana for next summer. This demand leads me to my final thoughts for this ABC Bulletin entry: egg shell color testing.

One of the most frequent calls/emails I receive is from people seeking Ameraucana that lay a sky blue/blue egg. We have all probably dealt with the task of explaining that a robin blue egg simply may not be possible, but the people I am hearing from are simply disappointed that the Ameraucana they have a green shaded egg shell or in most cases an olive shaded egg shell color. Using the color chart as a reference point the egg shell color is in the D8 range in most cases. The people I hear from are almost always looking for large fowl Ameraucana. I also find that most people do not pay attention to the egg shell color genetics of their cocks and cockerels. The uninitiated are usually stunned when I bring up the point that the male provides half the genetic material for the offspring and that egg shell color is a part of that genetic contribution. By now you are probably wondering where I am going with all of this since I have basically stated the obvious in regards to egg shell genetics! In past issues I have continued to raise the point that we need to pay attention to egg shell color and work to improve it. I believe that a lot of improvements have been made in the last few years in egg shell color using simple strategies. I would like to suggest we begin to genetic test our male birds for brown egg shell color genes. A simple strategy can be used to determine the consideration of brown egg shell color genes . . . cross to a white egg layer. Since blue dominates white completely, if one were to keep a few white egg production layer hens around, every cock and cockerel with potential as a Ameraucana flock sire should be tested for brown egg shell color genes so that male Ameraucana that may potentially harm efforts in egg shell color improvement is caught and removed from the breeding pen. Production crossed birds mature quickly, so the visual proof will be known relatively quickly. I personally believe there is a market waiting for proven Ameraucana pullets, hens, and cocks. Will they cost more? They should! Based on the calls/emails I receive, I believe it may be worth your time to consider producing and selling proven birds as more suburban and urban people begin to look for a few hens to keep for eggs. I actually saw this at the National Meet in action. Price wasn't the issue for most people interested in Ameraucana; egg shell color was the main selling factor for people looking for Ameraucana hens and pullets.

I hope the early winter hatching season is a success for all of you!

Club Notes

The deadline to submit articles, ads, reports, meet requests, etc. for the next bulletin is February 15, 2010 and need to be sent to the club secretary.

Bulletin advertisements are free to all members!

We now take PayPal!

To send payments use purchases@ameraucana.org

Club Merchandise

1982 Club Handbook - \$5
2005 Club Handbook - \$5

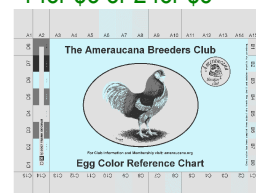
ABC 4" Patch 1 for \$3 or 2 for \$5.50.



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Blast from the Past . . . Natural Light, Don Cable

I had a difficult time settling on a Blast from the Past for this bulletin until I discovered this gem from the Spring 1983 Bulletin, written by Honorary Vice-President's Don Cable. Enjoy!

It has long been established that light is the factor which triggers laying and approximately fourteen hours of light seems to be optimal amount necessary for egg production in chickens. Moreover, light is necessary also for sperm production, therefore unless your males are receiving sufficient light, they may be "shooting blanks" until such light is available. The use of artificial light will enable you to stimulate egg production in order to get early chicks hatched or even produce them in the "off season" of fall and winter, but each of us must decide which method best suits our needs.

My own needs seem to be more than met by the use of natural light and over the years I have come to rely more and more upon a seasonal approach in breeding bantams. My bantams do not generally come into lay in any great numbers until about the time the almond trees come into blossom here in the Sacramento Valley, which is usually about mid-February, so that I seldom have more than a handful of chicks hatched until mid-March, which is early enough for me. The vast majority of my chicks are hatched during the months of April and May, which naturally coincides with the lengthening hours of daylight and my hatching season nearly always ends in early June, when the hot, dry, summer days begin to take their toll on egg production.

Most of us who exhibit our bantams in the fall or winter shows would like to have our birds in peak condition at this time, which is at or near the point of lay, when pullets are in full "bloom" and are seldom, if ever in better feather and fettle. While there is a decided advantage in getting large birds out early which require a greater amount of time to develop and finish, bantams are more often quite another thing. Unless you desire to hatch from two generations each year, there is seldom any great advantage to getting large numbers of early hatched bantams out if there are to be shown as cockerels and pullet, but then each person must decide for himself. Since every pullet chick has all of the egg cells in her tiny body the day she is hatched that she will ever lay, I feel no compulsion to hurry the process by the use of artificial light since old Sol does it best anyway.

The amount of natural light we receive depends of course upon the tilt of the earth on its axis as we move around the sun and our relative position of latitude. Local conditions will vary of course, as will weather patterns, but generally speaking, we get just about as much natural light here in Northern California in any given month as does New Jersey, Ohio, Illinois, and Colorado. People often confuse the amount of light with temperature and climate and while the latter will certainly affect the number of bright, sunny days, the total amount of LIGHT, will probably not vary a great deal along a certain degree of North Latitude.

Forty-five degrees of North latitude for instance, can be imagined if we were to tack a rather limp clothesline coast to coast, from Bangor, Maine to Salem, Oregon. Such a line would sag, to accommodate the curvature of the earth and would pass near or through the states of New York, Wisconsin, and Wyoming. A second line, forty degrees North latitude, would stretch from mid-New Jersey to Northern California as described in the paragraph above. Another line, thirty-five degrees North latitude, would begin in mid-North Carolina and end in Southern California, skirting Southern Tennessee and slicing through the panhandle of Texas as it dangles across the nation. By orienting yourself to the nearest of these three degrees of latitude, you can then determine the approximate hours of daylight in your area of the country from this table:

Blast from the Past . . . Natural Light, continued

	Hours of Daylight		
	45° North Latitude	40° North Latitude	35° North Latitude
February	10:36	10:41	10:56
March	11:53	11:54	11:57
April	13:29	13:15	13:04
May	14:51	14:23	13:59
June	15:35	15:00	14:30

As you can determine from the table above, fanciers in Tennessee and others along the thirty-five degrees of North latitude are getting about a half hour more daylight than those up in Wisconsin in February, but as the moths roll by, Wisconsin soon catches up and by June, has more than an hour more of daylight than their Tennessee colleagues. For a more precise account of your latitude consult any good map.

The table above has meaning of course, only in a general way and I find that as I get older precise times and dates become meaningless in breeding bantams. They are in tune with the seasons and they are ready to lay when they are ready to lay. It is we who are so often out of sync, and it is not matter of great importance if my bantams begin to lay in February or March in earnest, or if they take a prolonged holiday in June, natural light is all the stimulus they need, and if I am doing my job properly and they are getting the care and attention the deserve, let nature take its course.

2010 Membership Renewal

It is hard to believe, but it is that time again . . . time to renew memberships to the Ameraucana Breeders Club. About half of the membership is renewed for 2010 at this time. If you have not renewed your membership yet a brightly colored membership renewal form is included with this bulletin. The membership renewal form looks much like it has in the past. Please note the addition of a space for your ABC forum username. If you are a member of the ABC forum please include your username on your membership renewal and I will forward one file to our forum administrator Susie Winder. For those members who have already renewed their membership I have included a reminder notice regarding the forum and your username.

Over the last couple of years I have had requests for a membership roster. On the following pages you will find the current membership for the Ameraucana Breeders Club. This information is provided to allow for members to better network on the local level and to coordinate meetings and meets at local shows. Please respect members' privacy and do not share the roster information without the express permission of the individual member. The roster is arranged by district, state, and last name.

Members who are interested in selling Ameraucana are listed in the Breeders Directory which is a different publication.

I apologize for the small print!



Jenson Pierson's Buff LF cockerel from the Junior Show



Jim Fegan's Silver bantam cockerel from the Open Show



Jim Fegan's Silver bantam pullet from the Open Show



Michael Gilbert's Wheaten bantam pullet from the Open Show

2009 ABC Membership Roster

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A Note from a Member, Koralyn Kibbee, Manhattan, MT

Hi ABC Members!

I wanted to let you all know that I'm still around! When health issues hit a person things sure change! Our extreme weather conditions haven't helped. I kept very busy with a large flower garden this year. Larry did the veggies. I also completely cleaned and painted an old coop. Now it is all nice for Polish. My large fowl buff are moved "in" for the winter where they will be warm, dry, and have lights. Hoping the old ladies will lay. I got these from Jerry De Smidt and they are very nice birds. My blue wheaten are nearly a thing of the past. I need new stock and to start with a new line again. I've had Ameraucana for so long it is hard to let go!



Good luck to everyone and I hope to meet up again down the road!

Upcoming Ameraucana Breeders Club Meets

December 5-6, 2009

Special Meet, requested by Lori Waters
Indiana Poultry Breeders Association
Connersville, IN
Contact:
David Wulff, 765-825-0621
943 North My Lane
Connersville, IN 47331

December 12-13, 2009

South Central District Meet, placed by Paul Smith
Oklahoma State Poultry Show, Shawnee, OK
Contact:
Steve Jones, ghia4me@sprynet.com, (972)636-9093

January 16-17, 2010

Massachusetts State Meet, requested by Ann Horsman
Northeastern Poultry Congress
West Springfield, MA
Contact:
Edie Rochette, Tallchicken@yahoo.com, (860) 345-2048
PO BOX 178
Haddam, CT. 06438-1248
<http://www.poultrycongress.com/>

January 30-31, 2010

Western District Meet, placed by Connie "Jean" Ribbeck
Pacific Poultry Breeders Association Winter Show
Stockton, CA
Contact:
Chris Tamy, csbantams@gmail.com, (916) 508-5550

February 27, 2010

Arizona State Meet, requested by Kim Bebb
Arizona Poultry Organization
Casa Grande, AZ
Contact:
Lacy Greer, LVGREER@AZPoultry.com
<http://azpoultryorg.webs.com/clubnews.htm>, (602)809-0255

March 20, 2010

Special Meet, requested by Connie "Jean" Ribbeck
Cascade Spring Show, Evergreen State Fairgrounds,
Monroe, WA
Contact:
Pam Lyng
PO Box 1044
Lynden, WA 98264

March 27, 2010

Special Meet, requested by Patty Pickard
Southeast Ohio Poultry Breeders Association Show, Marietta, OH
Contact:
Jeff Oxley, (740) 593-6537
9670 Oxley Road
Athens, OH 45701
<http://seohiopoultrybreeders.org>

April 17, 2010

Washington State Meet, requested by Connie "Jean" Ribbeck
Pacific Northwest Poultry Association, Stevenson, WA
Contact:
Kathy Giberson
pnpa2005@msn.com, (360)687-4532

April 17, 2010

Special Meet, requested by Michael Muenks
Missouri State Poultry Association Spring Double Show,
Meet 1
Sedalia, MO
Contact:
Bernita Miller, bmiller@iland.net

April 17, 2010

Special Meet, requested by Michael Muenks
Missouri State Poultry Association Spring Double Show,
Meet 2
Sedalia, MO
Contact:
Bernita Miller, bmiller@iland.net

May 1, 2010

Montana State Meet, requested by Connie "Jean" Ribbeck
Rocky Mountain Poultry Association, Hamilton, MT
Fairgrounds, Meet 1
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3785 Traufer Ave
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May 1, 2010

Special Meet, requested by Connie "Jean" Ribbeck
Rocky Mountain Poultry Association, Hamilton, MT
Fairgrounds, Meet 2
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Upcoming Ameraucana Breeders Club Meets

June 5, 2010

Special Meet, requested by Mike Gilbert
Badger Poultry Show, Richland Center, WI
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June 12, 2010

Special Meet, requested by Patty Pickard
Buckeye Fancy Feathers, Canfield, OH
Contact:
Rhonda Simmons, rjos@comcast.net, (330)426-6870

September 2010

Special Meet, requested by Connie Jean Ribbeck
Spokane County Fair, Spokane, WA
Contact:
Tony Albritton, (509)465-9405

September 11-12, 2009

Illinois State Meet, requested by Jerry De Smidt
Illini Poultry Show, Belvidere, IL
Contact:
Ruth Van Fleet
18763 Grade School Rd
Caldonia IL 61011
815-765-2952

September 25-26, 2010

Wisconsin State Meet, Requested by Michael Gilbert
Wisconsin International, Portage, WI
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1608-727-2720
ridge@merr.com

October 2-3

Ohio State Meet, requested by Patty Pickard
Southern Ohio Poultry Association Fall Show, Scioto County
Fairgrounds, Lucasville, OH
Contact:
David Adkins, (740)259-2852
1988 Cook Road
Lucasville, OH, 45648-9006

October 9-10, 2010

North Central District Meet, placed by Jerry De Smidt
Michigan Poultry Fanciers – Frankenmuth Fowl Fest,
Frankenmuth, MI
Contact:
John W. Blehm, John@FowlFest.org, (989)777-1234

October 2010

Special Meet, requested by Connie Jean Ribbeck
Big Sky Poultry Expo, Great Falls, MT
Contact:
Sharon Eliasson, eliasson@midrivers.com, (406)323-1655

October 16, 2010

Missouri State Meet, requested by Michael Muenks
Missouri State Poultry Association Fall Double Show, Meet 1
Sedalia, MO
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October 16, 2010

Special Meet, requested by Michael Muenks
Missouri State Poultry Association Fall Double Show, Meet 2
Sedalia, MO
Contact:
Bernita Miller, bmiller@iland.net

October 23, 2010

National Meet, placed by Barbara Campbell
Bluegrass Poultry Association, Lakeview Park, Frankfort, KY
Contact:
www.bluegrasspoultry.com

November 27-28, 2010

Iowa State Meet, requested by Jerry DeSmidt
Eastern Iowa Poultry Show
Iowa City, IA
Contact:
Phil Shank, 319-646-2011, pbshank@netins.net



Caleb Pickard and Michael Muenks

2009 National Meet, Michael Muenks



Bob Walchak's BV white Bantam Pullet



Caleb and Nicole Pickard's RV black bantam cockerel



Michael Gilbert's BV brown red bantam hen

Black, Blue and Splash day old chicks March 1-May 24, 2010.

Wheaten, Blue Wheaten and Splash Wheaten pairs and trios in the fall.

Paul & Angela Smith
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I would like to express deep gratitude to all the generous members who made donations toward the awards for the 2009 National Meet: Generous donations for awards from: John Blehm, Barbara Campbell, Jerry De Smidt, John and Ann Foley, Michael Gilbert, Harold Knapp, Michael Muenks, Jeff and Patty Pickard, Jean Ribbeck, Paul Smith, and Lori Waters.

The silent auction to support awards for the 2010 National meet was a success netting \$129.00. Thank you to Harold Knapp, Neil and Donna Townsend, and Jeff and Patty Pickard for their donations toward the silent auction. Hopefully, I haven't missed anyone! If I did, please let me know so that I can amend my notes from the meet.

The following are the results of the 2009 National Meet:

88 large fowl were shown, Judged by Matt Lahmon

- BB, BV black H by Anne Foley – out of 43, **Reserve Champion Ameraucana**
- RV black K by Rick Straight
- RV, BV blue C by Jerry De Smidt – out of 10
- RV blue H by Jerry De Smidt
- BV blue wheaten P by Robert Sando – out of 1
- BV brown red P by Michael Gilbert – out of 2
- RV brown red P by Michael Gilbert
- BV buff H by Jenson Pierson – out of 4
- RV buff C by Jerry De Smidt
- BV silver C by Jim Fegan – out of 8
- RV silver H by Jim Fegan
- BV wheaten P by John Blehm – out of 3
- RV wheaten K by Larry Clionsky
- BV white P by Jerry De Smidt – out of 11
- RV white K by Jerry De Smidt
- BV AOV splash H by Jerry De Smidt – out of 6
- RV AOV lavender K by John Blehm



Large Fowl

114 bantams were shown, Judged by Matt Lahmon

- BV black P by Jim Fegan – out of 20
- RV black K by Caleb and Nicole Pickard
- BV blue H by Jerry De Smidt – out of 8
- RV blue H by Michael Muenks
- BB, BV blue wheaten H by Jerry De Smidt – out of 7, **Champion Ameraucana**
- RV blue wheaten P by Robert Sando
- BV brown red H by Michael Gilbert – out of 11
- RV brown red P by Michael Gilbert
- BV buff H by Michael Gilbert – out of 4
- RV buff K by Michael Gilbert
- BV silver K by Jim Fegan – out of 12
- RV silver P by Jim Fegan
- RB, BV wheaten K by Michael Gilbert – out of 18
- RV wheaten P by Michael Gilbert
- BV white P by Robert Walchak – out of 17
- RV white K by Robert Walchak
- BV AOV lavender – Robert Rennolet – out of 17
- RV AOV splash – by Michael Muenks



Bantam

Arne Schmidt Memorial Traveling Plaque – Anne and John Foley, BV LF black
 Best Display LF or Bantam – Jerry De Smidt
 Best Trio LF or Bantam – Jerry De Smidt's LF white
 Best Trio Bantam – Jim Fegan's silver

17 large fowl were shown in the Junior Show
 RB, BV black H by James Kataro, II – out of 8
 RV black H by George and Anthony Heitger
 BV blue H by James Kataro, II – out of 1
 BB, BV buff K by Jenson Pierson – out of 4
 RV buff C by Jenson Pierson

6 bantam were shown in the Junior Show
 BV black P by Becca, Caleb, and Nicole Pickard – out of 1
 RB, BV buff C by Becca, Caleb, and Nicole Pickard – out of 1
 BB, BV wheaten H by Becca, Caleb, and Nicole Pickard – out of 2
 RV wheaten C by Becca, Caleb, and Nicole Pickard
 BV AOV lavender P by Becca, Caleb, and Nicole Pickard – out of 2
 RV AOV lavender P by Becca, Caleb, and Nicole Pickard

Best Bantam Hen Eggs – Nicole Pickard
 Reserve Bantam Hen Eggs – Bob Walchak
 Best Bantam Pullet Eggs – Bob Walchak
 Reserve Bantam Pullet Eggs – Jerry De Smidt
 Best Large Fowl Hen Eggs – Jenson Pierson
 Reserve Large Fowl Hen Eggs – Jerry De Smidt
 Best Large Fowl Pullet Eggs – Jerry De Smidt
 Reserve Large Fowl Pullet Eggs – Larry Clionsky



Jean Ribbeck and Michael Muenks Judging Eggs

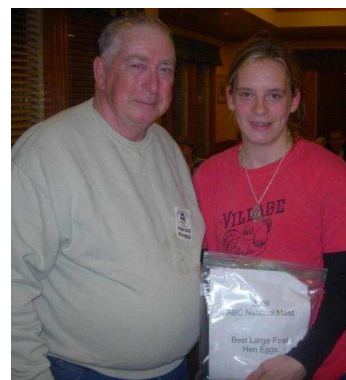


James Kataro II receiving his awards

2009 National Meet Group Picture



Back Row: Robert Martell, Neil Townsend, Rob Sando, John Blehm, Harold Knapp, Dick Wigfield, Rick Straight
 Second Row: Jean Ribbeck, Anne Foley, Donna Townsend, Larry Clionsky, Robert Rennolet Patty Pickard, Jim Fegan, Dennis Robinson
 Front Row: John Foley, Kim Bebb, Michael Gilbert, Jerry De Smidt, Jenson Pierson, Caleb Pickard, David Blehm, Michael Muenks



Harold Knapp and Jenson Pierson



Harold Knapp and Jim Fegan



**Welcome to our
New Members!**

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- Bradley Fox, NC
- Ann Horsman, VT
- Tom Kernan, NJ
- Bob Lyons, MA
- Robert Martell, PA
- Debbie Mock, PA
- Juanita Owens, FL
- Don Putvin, WA
- April Shaw, AZ



Champion Ameraucana by Jerry De Smidt



Harold Knapp and Jerry De Smidt



Harold Knapp and Anne Foley



Harold Knapp and Rick Straight



Harold Knapp and Rob Sando



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