



Message from the Editor

Gary Romig

We have had a very successful show season. See pictures and results inside.

I had the privilege of judging the Annual Meet in Des Moines. It was an impressive display of Swallows.

I thought I could get through it in one day but toward the end of the first day it became evident that a big class of Old Cock Silesian Swallows was coming up. So, we ended the first day and finished the judging with the Old Cocks the following morning. Well, this final class was very difficult. 16 birds all of very high quality. I must have spent an hour looking at them before I could pick one to remove from competition. In the end, I finally decided on a beautiful blue checker for best of the Old Cock Silesians.

I had to decide for best Silesian between Bob Benson's Old Cock Blue Check and Perry Mueller's Young Cock Silver Barless. I finally picked Bob's bird. But, I must say that these two birds were very high quality beautiful Swallows.

At the very end I had to pick Champion Swallow. Again, a very difficult decision. Mike Swanson had a very beautiful Blue White Bar Fairy. After spending much time again, I picked Mike's bird for Champion. A very nearly perfect Fairy Swallow.

Secretaries Message

Elliot Yeske

First let me start off by saying we had wonderful show in Des Moines this year. There were 125 swallows entered and the number of quality birds seems to grow every year. Gary Romig did the judging for this National show, he did a fine job and it is always good to see him. Gary brought some of his art work with to the show and many people were able to pick some nice art treasures. Take a look at our new website that Gary has designed, you can look at Gary's work on the website. Bands this year we have metal or plastic bands for the muffed birds size 11 mm. We again offer clean leg bands size 8 mm they are plastic. All bands are still 35 cents each. Also please try to get your dues in, check the membership list to see if your dues are up. We have done a lot of things so far, our ad in the Purebred Pigeon had expired we decided to take out bigger ad. Gary designed this ad we took out a quarter page. If you are not getting the Purebred Pigeon Magazine yet I would highly recommend it. I hope everyone has a great breeding season. Stay well.

I did not rate any birds "Excellent" but rated many birds Highly Superior. The one thing that I did not find—the style of muffs—that I am looking for. Shorter in the front and nicely rounded, full sweeping completely to the rear. There were a few birds with this type of muff but they had other problems.

There were some very nice clean leg Swallows and Wing Pigeons. Perry Mueller had the best Thuringian Wing Pigeon with a nice Yellow barless rated H.S. Elliot Yeske had a wonderful Blue White Barred Fullhead Clean Leg (Thuringian Swallow) also rated H.S.

It had to be a difficult show to judge with so many high quality Swallows. Thanks to all for having me come to judge this very fine show. I must mention the beautiful venue at this fine building on the Iowa State Fair Grounds.



2006 NYBS SHOW RESULTS

30 Swallows Shown out of a total of 5,900 birds shown

Judge: Norm House

Silesian Swallows

Young Hens

Robert Benson	Blue Check	208	S2
Robert Benson	Blue Check	233	G
Robert Benson	Blue Check	220	S4
Robert Benson	Silver Check	212	HS
Robert Benson	Blue Check	224	S1
Robert Benson	Silver Check	229	S3
Perry Mueller	Silver Barless	309	S

Best Silesian & Champion Swallow



Young Cocks

Robert Benson	Silver Check	241	S
Robert Benson	Silver Check	218	S3
Robert Benson	Blue Check	213	S2
Perry Mueller	Silver Barless	312	S1
Perry Mueller	Silver Check	312	S4



Fairy Swallows

Young Cocks

Bob Jakubowski	Black Wh bar	219	S1	Best Fairy
Bob Jakubowski	Blue Spangle	261	G	
Bob Jakubowski	Blue Spangle	483	S2	





Saxon Fullhead

Young Hens

Perry Mueller	Blue Spangle	310	G
Perry Mueller	Blue WB	326	G

Young Cocks

Perry Mueller	Blue Spangle	325	G
Perry Mueller	Blue WB	334	S Best Fullhead

Clean Leg Spot Swallow (Thuringer Wing Pigeon)

Young Hens

Perry Mueller	Red WB	231	S1
Perry Mueller	Yellow barless	205	HS Best Clean Leg
Perry Mueller	Yellow Barless	249	G
Bill Hetzel	Yellow barless	410	bird Lost
Gerald Kress	Yellow barless	726	G
Gerald Kress	Yellow barless	719	G
Gerald Kress	Yellow barless	711	S2
Gerald Kress	Yellow barless	710	G

Young Cocks

Perry Mueller	Red WB	213	G
Perry Mueller	Red Spangle	229	G
Perry Mueller	Red Barless	219	S2
Bill Hetzel	Red Barless	1298	S1



Norm House judging Swallows at the NYBS



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2006 ANNUAL MEET SHOW RESULTS

Des Moines, Iowa Dec. 7,8 &9 – 114 Swallows Shown – Judge: Gary Romig

Thuringer Wing Pigeons

(Clean Leg Spot Swallows)

Old Cocks

Perry Mueller	Red White Bar	229	93
Gerald Kress	Yellow	308	92
Elliot Yeske	Blue Blk Bar	17	95

Old Hens

Perry Mueller	Red White Bar	249	93
Gerald Kress	Red Barless	310	93

Young Cocks

Perry Mueller	Yellow White Bar	241	94
Perry Mueller	Red White Bar	218	94
Perry Mueller	Red Barless	219	93
Bill Hetzel	Red Barless	1298	96
Gerald Kress	Yellow Barless	714	94
Denis Streeter	Yellow Barless	310	94

Young Hens

Perry Mueller	Red Spangle	231	94
Perry Mueller	Red White Bar	290	95
Perry Mueller	Yellow Barless	280	93
Perry Mueller	Yellow Barless	205	96 Best Thuringer Wing
Denis Streeter	Yellow Barless	301	92
Nate Wayne	Red Spangle	56	94
Bill Hetzel	Red Barless	406	93
Gerald Kress	Red Barless	711	93
Gerald Kress	Yellow Barless	704	92
Gerald Kress	Yellow Barless	726	92

Thuringer Swallows

(Clean Leg Fullhead Swallows)

Old Cocks

Elliot Yeske	Blue Barless	34	93
Elliot Yeske	Yellow Barless	23	93
Elliot Yeske	Red Barless	8	93
Elliot Yeske	Black Barless	45	93
Elliot Yeske	Red Barless	16	95

Old Hen

Elliot Yeske	Blue White Bar	9	96 Best Thuringer Swallow
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Young Cocks

Elliot Yeske	Blue Check	8	94
Elliot Yeske	Black	4	95

Young Hens

Elliot Yeske	Red	0	95
Elliot Yeske	Red	1	94

Silesian Swallows

Old Cocks

Alan Smith	Blue Black Bar	18	93
Robert Benson	Blue Check	611	95
Robert Benson	Blue Check	733	92
Robert Benson	Blue Check	732	95
Robert Benson	Blue Check	716	96
Robert Benson	Blue Check	726	96 HS-5
Robert Benson	Blue Check	607	96 HS-1 Best Sil. & Res. Champ
Robert Benson	Blue Check	536	95
Perry Mueller	Silver Barless	224	96 HS-3
Perry Mueller	Blue Barless	584	96 HS-6
Perry Mueller	Blue Barless	34	96 HS-4
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	366	96 HS-8
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	932	95
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	323	96 HS-7
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	931	96 HS-2
Frank Walsh	Black Barless	846	abs

Old Hens

Robert Benson	Blue Check	740	95
Perry Mueller	Silver Barless	1710	95
Perry Mueller	Blue Barless	1600	94
Perry Mueller	Blue Barless	203	96 HS-1
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	827	95
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	910	92
Alan Smith	Blue Check	26	94
Alan Smith	Silver Check	394	abs
Alan Smith	Blue Barless	1113	92

Young Cocks

Robert Benson	Blue Check	270	95
Robert Benson	Silver Check	224	94
Chris Lindbom	Blue Check	1250	95
Perry Mueller	Silver Barless	306	96 HS-1 Best Young
Perry Mueller	Blue Barless	304	93
Perry Mueller	Blue Barless	330	95
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	90	95
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	44	96

Young Hens

Robert Benson	Silver Check	212	96
Robert Benson	Blue Check	208	95
Robert Benson	Blue Check	229	94
Robert Benson	Silver Bar	257	95
Perry Mueller	Silver Check	344	96 HS-1
Perry Mueller	Blue Barless	333	95
Perry Mueller	Blue Barless	358	96
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	41	96
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	18	95
Mike Swanson	Silver Barless	17	95
Chris Lindbom	Blue Check	1251	95

Fairy Swallows

Old Cocks

Bob Jakubowski	Black Spangle	1200	92
John Navant	Blue White Bar	813	94
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	280	94
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	903	94
Nate Wayne	Yellow White Bar	253	92

Old Hens

Norm House	Black White Bar	1225	93
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	908	96 HS-1 Champ. Swallow
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	1517	95
Nate Wayne	Yellow White Bar	244	94
Nate Wayne	Yellow White Bar	44	93

Young Cocks

Bob Jakubowski	Black White Bar	219	94
Bob Jakubowski	Blue Spangle	483	92
John Navant	Blue White Bar	646	93
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	142	94
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	122	95

Young Hens

Chris Lindbom	Black Spangle	1256	94
Perry Mueller	Black White Bar	315	93
Perry Mueller	Silver Barless	300	95
John Navant	Blue White Bar	632	95
John Navant	Blue White Bar	636	92
Ron Smith	Black Barless	927	93
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	49	96 HS-1
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	15	95
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	57	93
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	156	94
Mike Swanson	Blue White Bar	147	93
Nate Wayne	Yellow White Bar	507	95
Nate Wayne	Red Spangle	529	93
Norm House	Black White Bar	345	96



Best Fullhead, Black Barless, Chris Lindbom

*Best Silesian and Reserve Champion, Blue Checker,
Bob Benson*

Saxon Fullhead Swallows

Old Cocks

Elliot Yeske	Yellow Spangle	113	92
Elliot Yeske	Black White Bar	489	92
Elliot Yeske	Black Barless	6	92
Elliot Yeske	Black White Bar	246	92
Elliot Yeske	Black Barless	18	92

Old Hens

Elliot Yeske	Red Barless	159	92
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Young Cocks

Bill Griebel	Black Barless	1821	93
Chris Lindbom	Black Barless	1290	94 Best Fullhead
Perry Mueller	Blue White Bar	325	92
Perry Mueller	Blue Spangle	334	92

Young Hens

Bill Griebel	Black Barless	425	92
Chris Lindbom	Black Barless	1258	92
Chris Lindbom	Black Barless	1276	92
Chris Lindbom	Black Barless	1281	94
Perry Mueller	Blue White Bar	310	92
Perry Mueller	Blue Spangle	326	93



Champion Swallow, Blue White Bar Fairy, Mike Swanson





*Back Row from the left: Nate Wayne, Kerry Hendricks, Chris Lindbom, Mike Swanson, Elliot Yeske, Gary Romig
Front Row: Perry Mueller, Norm House, Bob Jakubowski, Bob Benson*



Best Young Swallow, Perry Mueller



Best Thuringer Wing Pigeon, Perry Mueller



Best Thuringer Swallow, Elliot Yeske

MORE SWALLOW PICTURES FROM AROUND THE WORLD



Merle, Tim Starr and Ron De Clement holding some of Tim's Tiger Swallows in Red, Yellow, Blue & Black



Tim Starr and Cor Van Der Post holding some of Cor's Red Tiger Swallows



Beautiful Black White Barred Fairy Swallow Champion from the Land Down Under. Owner Darin Rafton

PICTURES FROM THE GERMAN NATIONAL SHOW By Frank Bailey





M. Frank Cook Painting. Photo taken by Frank Bailey at Rudi Kreher's in Germany.

Swallow Club Treasure's Report

Quarterly Financial Statement January 25, 2007

Beginning Balance: **\$2,358.66**

Income:

From young bird show, dues, bands,
Judging site award and bird auction 1337.00

Expenses:

Checking service charge for Aug, Sept, Oct,
Nov, Dec, Jan 18.00
Canadian Deposit charge 3.00
Nat young bird ad 50.00
NPA club dues 20.00
Gary Romig plane tckt to Nat. 395.70
Purebred Pigeon Club Ad 350.00
Trophy House (club banner) 80.51
Gary Romig (German award and magazine Ad) 95.00
USPS (band postage) 11.99

Ending Balance **\$2,671.46**



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**Pictures from the Show in Zwönitz
Saxon Color Pigeon Show**

