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## Ameraucana Breeders Club

# Its' Summertime!

# Summer Bulletin

#### Welcome to All the New Members!

The New Member packets are still flying out of here to points North, South, East, and West. Say Hi to all our new members:

$\Diamond$	Gregory Anderson, Haslet, TX	$\Diamond$	Duane Kary, Sturgeon County, AB
$\Diamond$	Laurie Ashley, Arnaudville, LA	$\Diamond$	MariLee Laeder, Ann Arbor, MI
$\Diamond$	Kristi Banks, Old Lyme, CT	$\Diamond$	Sarah Meaders, Springville, PA
<b>♦</b>	Alex Berryer, Lake Orion, MI	$\Diamond$	Robert Morford, Cottage Grove, OR
$\Diamond$	James Brantley, Ellaville, GA	$\Diamond$	Sherry Mount, Queen Creek, AZ
<b>♦</b>	Temple DaSilva, North Stonington, CT	$\Diamond$	Rick Olson, Midvale, UT
$\Diamond$	Glynnda Fowler, Hallettsville, TX	$\Diamond$	Gary Pickler, New London, NC
$\Diamond$	Courney Galle, Raymondville, TX	$\Diamond$	Lisa Samples, Kirtland Hills, OH
$\Diamond$	Dusty Glaze, McCormick, SC	$\Diamond$	Douglas Sargent, Waterford, OH
$\Diamond$	Rhonda Graves, Bagdad, KY	$\Diamond$	Carrie Seamans, Stauffer, AB
$\Diamond$	Karen Grimmer, Riverton, KS	$\Diamond$	Cody Slimak, Oberlin, OH
$\Diamond$	Kevin Harbosky, Leesburg, GA	$\Diamond$	Sherry Smith, Fountain, CO
$\Diamond$	Brandy Harrington, Magnolia, MS	$\Diamond$	Kati Todd, North Ridgeville, OH
$\Diamond$	Lindsay Helton, Leoma, TN	$\Diamond$	Tammy Tucker, Iron Station, NC
$\Diamond$	Kathy Holly, Marana, AZ	$\Diamond$	Nina Turner, Boise, ID
$\Diamond$	Rosa Howard, Ramer, AL'	$\Diamond$	Cesar Villegas, Vail, AZ
<b>◊</b>	Melinda Jackson, Greensboro, MD	$\Diamond$	Erika Wiggins, Ashville, OH
<b>◊</b>	John Jordan, Chester, SC	$\Diamond$	Joseph Woodiel, Fair Grove, MO

# New Members can join and Current Members can renew Online!

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#### President Clif Redden

Hi everybody, I hope you are in good health and your families are doing well. I know everyone has been busy hatching and raising chicks this breeding season. I'm really looking forward to seeing the best of this year's hatch at the Ameraucan Nationals, I believe we could easily see an Ameraucana win Grand Champion of show. We are apart of a great club with a lot of really good people, who have some very nice birds. So I'd like to see ABC members from near and far bring your birds and let's have a great time. - Clif Redden



Win A Free GQF Incubator!



Join the ABC and enter the drawing for this new GQF Hovabator Incubator!
Drawing will be held at our National Meet
Heart of the Ozarks Poultry Show, Nov. 7-8 2015

Join Today!

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From the desk of...

### Susan Mouw, Secretary/ Treasurer

Hi Everyone!

I've been hiding away in my little corner, working on my "to-do" list for the website. We've added an online option for new members; which can also be used later this year for members to renew. You can check it out at <a href="https://www.ameraucana.org/membershipt.html">www.ameraucana.org/membershipt.html</a>. It's quick and easy.

I've also been working on updating the new

database with all the Meet Reports from 2012, since ABC first initiated the Membership Points Program. This is going to make keeping Meet Reports current and member points current so much easier! As each year is completed and validated, the new points totals will be published in the forum. When all the years are done, they will be posted on the website. I hope to have all done and posted in the next week or so.

It's already hot down here in the South, so y'all stay cool! We'll be chatting again soon.—Susan



#### Treasurer's Report

Prev. Balance Cash & Income	6476.37
Transfer from Michael Muenks	1330.38
Sales	50.00
Dues	656.00
Total Cash & Income	8512.75
Expenses	
Advertising	81.00
Promotion	90.80
Postage&Supplies	920.43
Total Expenses	1092.23
Cash Balance	7420.52

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## North East Director Larry Clionsky

I'M BAAACK!!!!!!!!! Hello to all the members of the ABC, and especially the NE District. Can't remember how long its been since I served as a Director but I've agreed to serve again to help maintain the ABC as a viable, productive, and informative club promoting the raising, breeding, and showing of Ameraucanas. As many of you are aware by now, several of our past members have split away and formed another club called the AA (think it stands for alcohol problems) and are trying very hard to sway our members to join their club. Don't be fooled by imposters please. There is only one true AMERAUCANA CLUB and that is the ABC that my good friend Mike Gilbert and Don Cable formed some 33 years ago. The ABC has five excellent Directors in Paul Smith, Jean Ribbeck, Jerry DeSchmidt, Don Cash and moi that have been raising Ameraucanas for decades. Several have won the lifetime achievement award and Smith has supplied the USA with thousands of chicks who have turned out to be show winners and champions. These are dedicated breeders of our birds and all of us provide support and help to anyone wanting to buy and show Ameraucanas. Our president, Clif Redden, is more than capable of keeping our club at the top of show lists because the ABC always has had a very strong following and with all of your support will continue to do the same. It always amazes me when show secretaries comment that the ABC has a meet and they know many birds of excellent quality will be shown. Back in the fall I had the great opportunity to attend the Southern Ohio show and watched Camille Lewandowski's marvelous black hen take show champion honors. That same bird went on to win reserve champion AOSB at the Ohio Nationals a month later. Who took champion AOSB, none other than our own Jerry DeSchmidt with a White K. Lewandowski had the same bird capture reserve champion AOSB at Delmarva in Delaware this past March that I attended and whose bird beat hers??? A Black Sumatra shown by ABC member, Tom Kernan, whose birds I can never beat but i keep trying. That's what I'm talking about people. I also would like to say hi to my very dear friends and ABC members Neil & Donna Townsend and a shout out to members Jack and Johanna Kiska. Johanna usually has a bird on champion row whenever she shows. By the way, yours truly won class champion this past weekend at the CPAC show in Bloomsburg, PA with a white Rock Cockerel and took BB with my old but handsome Blue Wheaten Cock. So members, these names are just touching the surface but any or all of you can do the same. I hope to hear from all of the members of the NE in the near future placing shows and hope to see many of you at shows that I

attend.

In closing, I would like to apologize to the many prospective buyers who have requests for chicks but I have not forgotten you. This past winter was very brutal in the northeast and it has taken me longer than expected to get my



breeding cages cleaned and set up buy i finally have most of them ready and will be collecting eggs soon. I had a test hatch come out this past weekend and only a few eggs failed to hatch. And as usual just when you think you have all the males and females needed for good breeding programs, several of my buff hens died leaving me with only three and one of them whom i got from a breeder who got the eggs from a Michigan breeder lays a green egg. So, needless to say she is worthless. Then just yesterday one of my two silver males dropped dead on me along with a wheaten cock. So, I'm trying to gather eggs as they come along and hope that I can satisfy your requests but it may not happen as quick as I want. I am only a one man operation and i have a farm to take care of. Please don't hesitate to buy from other established breeders if you desire, I wont be offended. One other thing I'd like to mention before i say good bye, having won every blue egg contest i entered, AMERAUCANAS lay BLUE eggs not greenish blue, not green but blue. Many photos of our breed's eggs are on the website. Don't use hens that lay any other color than blue because the green egg layers will continue to lay green and their offspring will do the same. Ive heard from several buyers that have green egg laying ameraucanas especially the buff variety and I tell them to keep the hen only as an easter egger but don't use it in their breeding program because it just perpetuates more green. Remember folks, not everyone is meant to be a breeder, some people are content to have a variety or two of ameraucanas and show them with much satisfaction. Just because one owns birds, it doesn't mean you have to be a breeder. Last year my feed bill was a little less than six thousand dollars. Now, I have over 150 chickens and 45 Peafowl but feed is not cheap so before you decide to start breeding birds, remember they eat eight ounces of feed a day per adult. Need I say more? Until next time, be well and enjoy the Summer. Clionsky, over and out.

#### South East District Director Don Cash

Spring meets in the South Eastern district were down in entries as most folks had their birds in breeding pens. I've heard that several of

you have already reached your hatching goals and shut down the incubators. I know that there are a number of new breeders looking for good stock and hope you have plenty to spare. I also hope many of you have plenty of good show candidates for the fall shows as well. One breeder in the District has already mentioned they have an extra pair of blue LF from Paul Smith's stock. I know that there are folks that have acquired stock in Silvers and Whites as well as the Wheaten, Black and Blue varieties in Large Fowl. Use the forum to let people know what you have available or stock you need. It is great to have people interested in the Breed and to be able to help get new flocks started especially in our region. The more families of birds we establish in the region, the better we reinforce breeding pools and sustain growth of the breed over time. - Don Cash

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Are you looking for information about breeding, showing, or just enjoying Ameraucanas? Check out the Ameraucana Breeders Club Forum!. It's an veritable encyclopedia of Ameraucana history and information!



From the desk of...

## North Central Director Jerry DeSmidt

Hello all you great Ameraucana enthusiast I would like to say what a great group of folks we have in the ABC. It is almost summer and the temperatures are just starting to stay above 60 for the day and around 60 for the night time lows. I hope all of you have your chicks hatch or almost hatched as we shut down the incubator for the chickens the end of March and turned it back on for the waterfowl.

As many of you have heard the bird flu is going through the Midwest like crazy and there have been some cases in WI, MN, IA, MO, and AR that I have read about, as of now I do not know of any shows that have been cancelled but I would make sure that they are still planning on having the show before traveling. Most of the outbreaks have been in commercial flocks and only a handful of back yard flocks have been affected.

We are gearing up for the National show and hope everyone else is too. I look forward to meeting new friends and catching up with old ones too. - Jerry DeSmidt

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The American Poultry
Association has just
finished their 2015
handbook. The ABC
Club and several of
our members put together a group of ads
that cover three full
pages in the new
handbook! Be looking
for it to
be out

soon!

#### South Central Director Paul Smith

Greetings from the South-Central District, home of the ABC 2015 national meet at the Heart of the Ozarks Poultry Show in Fayetteville, Arkansas on November 7th and 8th. Our national, being a few weeks later than most, will give later hatched Ameraucanas a chance to be shown and do well, where some of the earlier hatched will be past prime by show time. We are going to have commemorative plaques, like we had in 2005 at Sedalia, Missouri, for all best varieties and RV for the eight recognized varieties and AOV class for both the bantams and large fowl. There will also be plagues for special awards like best trio, best display, best of breed, champion Ameraucana, fartherest traveled. Cash awards are also planned in addition to the plaques! Jean Ribbeck has agreed to build the awards for our annual egg contest. There will be classes of both hen and pullet eggs from the bantam and large fowl-four classes total. A suggestion to change the egg class failed-and we will be keeping it as it has been in the past.

Jacob Bates has agreed to give the Ameraucana Breeders Club

fan was ordered

installed before the incubator was set again on Monday.

Our next hatch consisted of our tried and true two older GOF cabinets that we have used for many years. We had a successful hatch out of each of them which allowed us to start filling the many chick orders.



When it was almost time for the 1502 and two Styrofoam incubators to hatch, I took the trusted calibrated thermometer out of the 1502 to check one of the other cabinet incubators that we had running. To my surprise, the temp was reading way below the mark that I had previously (about 3 years ago) placed on it to mark where 99.5° should be. Immediately I took the reading of the 1502 GQF with another thermometer to see that it was over 104°F. Needless to say we lost everything again including the eggs from the two styrofoam incubators which were placed inside the 1502

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space for our club display and cages for a silent auction, so we can raise funds for our 2016 national meet awards. Jacob puts on a good, well run show! It is a double judged two day show. It has been a one day in the past and changed to a two day this year. This will give us more time to enjoy each others company and the birdsespecially since this is a once a year event! Good quality Ameraucanas are solicited for our silent auction. All proceeds will go to fund our 2016 national awards. Hope many are planning on attending and participating in this years national. Lets continue to show the poultry world that the ABC puts on one of the best national meets of all the breed clubs! We have a block of 20 rooms for the ABC members at Comfort Inn. They may be booked at a discount by calling 479-571-5177 before Nov. 2, 2015.

Hatching season is nearing it's end for many breeders-especially in the South. Early in the season was like a nightmare for us. The first four small styrofoam incubators failed to hatch a chick. Our fifth incubator, a GQF older cabinet hatched 106 chicks in mid Feb., during a huge now storm which was plaguing most of the US. This prevented us from shipping most of the chicks. We sent out three boxes, but shouldn't have sent out any. They were allowed to get too cold for too long on a shipping dock somewhere-so we had to replace them in our next hatch. The bad weather did allow us to keep some of the early hatched-so we will have some to show at the early shows.

Our next attempted hatch was from our newly purchased, never been used, 2008 #1502 GQF cabinet and two small Styrofoam incubators. Turns out that GQF manufacturing Co. made two different fans in 2008-one for chickens and one for Emus. Needless to say, we lost everything, including the eggs from the styrofoam incubators, which were moved at day 18 into the GQF for hatching. A new  $_{5}$ 

cabinet for hatching. Lesson learned-thermometers can and will change their ability to give correct readings in a very short period of time. The same thermometer was used to check the first GQF cabinets that we set this year. Within two weeks the 1502 was adjusted and ready to set using the same thermometer which had changed! The temp was adjusted down to the correct 99.5°F for setting again. Two weeks later we had a good hatch from our two GQF cabinets which allowed us to fill some of our chick orders. We now were turning chick orders away-not knowing if the 1502 was going to hatch any chicks. We did have a few people to cancel their order due to getting late into the hatching season.

Needless to say it was a big relief of tension, when the 1502 GQF hatched it's first chicks! The eggs out of the styrofoam incubators didn't hatch well which caused a shortage of blacks for the hatch. Turns out the same thing happened again-another thermometer went haywire! The built in thermometers on the styrofoam incubators lids are reading 96°F and 58°F!

Presently we have had four successful hatches, totaling 718 head which enabled us to ship 28 boxes totaling 497 chicks. We still have several orders to fill, but are accepting orders for black, blue and lavender chicks at the time that this is being written. Our largest hatches are still to come. The eggs start hatching very well about the time that we have to stop incubating due to being too warm to ship the chicks. We had seven breeding pens and a hen on 12 eggs hatch 100% in our last hatch! I'm always relieved when the last chicks are accepted at the PO. It would be very disappointing to have them denied. Our last hatch for Spring 2015 will be June 8. Hope you are being blessed with a good hatching season. —Paul Smith

# Hatching Eggs By Paul Smith

In this post we are going to publicly answer many of the questions that I'm often ask by new poultry breeders.

I enjoy sharing what I know and have most of my life (almost 60 years-Wow that time has past fast!) This characteristic began many years ago with hogs and plants. The past 16 years it's primarily been with the Ameraucana breed of chickens.

I have been asked "What do you do to your hatching eggs?" First they are marked with a pencil a coded number to rep-



resent the breeding pen which produced them. The numbering system ranges from 1 to 15 for each variety group. Wheaten, blue wheaten and

splash wheaten are one group. Black, blue, splash and lavender are the other variety group that we presently raise. We use to raise silver and buff which would be two more variety sets of numbers. Only fifteen breeding pens can be tracked using this system. We have had more than 15 pens of black, blue, splash for several years, so we came up with a (+) plus system several years ago. The breeding pen numbers recorded on the eggs are +1 to +15. Behind the number is a letter. Capital "B" for black only, "b" for blue, "SP" for splash only, and "W" for the wheaten varieties. Under the coded number is the date laid. It is written also in code to make better use of time. Example: April 15 is written 415 -(tax day!).

The eggs are gathered daily and stored in a large up right

freezer that has had it's thermostat removed and replaced with a thermostat from an air conditioner-window unit. The temp is set to be maintained at 62° to 64° F. We also use this appliance for storing our boar semen. The thermostat switch out tip came from an AC friend of mine about 20



years ago. Our first unit, an old refrigerator went bad about six years ago and was replaced with the freezer that we are presently using. Neither a freezer nor refrigerator can be set high enough temp (64°F) without changing the thermostat. The unit will be turned off long before the temp is adjusted high enough to maintain the hatching eggs. The hatching eggs are placed inside the unit each day in half gallon metal cans, which are used to hold them, while they are being gathered. About once a week the hatching eggs are removed from the cans and placed into egg cartons. They are pre-sorted by variety (wheaten, blue wheaten), (lavender), (black, blue, splash) as they are removed from the cans. The hatching eggs now in cartons are placed back into the cooler and held at 62º-64ºF until the Sunday before setting day. This is delayed to Monday on May 4, 2015 due to Memorial Day. Then they are removed from the unit and sorted by the breeding pen number. Once all hatching eggs are sorted, they are inventoried to see how many can be used from each breeding pen to fill the incubators. Presently we have two #1202 GQF for one hatch, then one #1502 GQF and two Styrofoam incubators for the next hatch. The

GQF each hold 288 eggs and the Styrofoam each hold 41 eggs. When we are in full production we set 576 eggs, then two weeks later 370. Unfortunately this year we have had issues trying to get the 1502



made in 2008 set correctly. We have had two hatch failures. The first failure was to capacity with 370. Hopeful it is corrected now! We will address this later in the next topic post. We are trying to keep to the subject-Hatching Eggs.

Once the eggs are inventoried to see how many are available, they are culled to get down to the number needed to fill the incubators. Egg color, shape, size, % hatching from breeding pen in previous hatch, and parent stock are considered when culling the eggs.

Now that the eggs are selected for incubation, they are washed in a solution consisting of 6 ½ oz. of Oxine/ agallon water. This solution is mixed ahead of time needed, and stayed with the eggs inside the cooler, so it is the same temp as the eggs! If the eggs look clean they are just dipped in and out. This is a very important process to keep from getting a bacteria in the incubator, plus several poultry diseases can be spread via the egg. Once they are disinfected they are placed in the egg racks. A bath towel is spread out, on the island counter top. The trays of eggs are laid on it and covered with another bath towel so they can gradually warm up to room temp. This



washing takes place on Sunday night.
(Monday night when 3 weeks before holidays-Marin Luther King, President's Day and Memorial Day). The eggs are ready to be

placed inside the incubator early Monday morning (usually between 6 and 8 AM-depends on how late it was completed on Sunday night).

I know many poultry breeders are too concerned about storing the hatching eggs too long. It's a common thing for us to start saving them two weeks before setting them. If the eggs are good and fertile-hatching well, they can be stored at 62°-64°F for several weeks before dying in the egg.

Consider this scenario. A hen is laying an egg every other day. She hides out a nest, then starts setting. Approximately twenty-one days after she starts missing she shows up with twelve or more chicks! This use to be a common thing for us many years ago. We use to cage all breeding cocks and turn all the hens out after egg collecting was over for the season. We have had eggs to hatch that were three to four weeks old. However, I will agree that the sooner they can be set, the better the hatching percentage will be! I also know that the eggs can be turned side to side inside the cooler to help keep them better, but we don't mess with them other than what has been shared.

## Large Fowl Ameraucanas

Black, Blue, Splash, Wheaten, Blue Wheaten, Lavender Shipped Coast to Coast!

Master Exhibitor #586

Grand Master in Black Ameraucana Paul & Angela Smith 2175 CR 224 Gainesville, TX 76240 940.768.8405 psmith@ntin.net 2015 National Meet

At

Heart of the Ozarks

Ricky Bates Memorial Show!

November 7-8, 2015

Fayetteville, AR



These beautiful engraved plaques, on black walnut will be awarded at the Breed and Variety level.

Monogrammed Aprons for many other prizes.

Auction of beautiful birds from the

ABC top Breeders!

Jean's famous Egg Awards!

And Cash prizes for High Point—

Open and Junior Shows!

Make your plans now!

It will be here before you know it.

See you there!

## Western Director Jean Ribbeck

Again, the Western District has been fairly quiet. I am just now getting some substantial hatches and selling eggs and chicks. It seems there is a big drive within the breed to get some of the lesser recognized varieties into new hands. It is good to know that our members are interested in not only the varieties that already have had substantial improvement, but are willing to work hard on other varieties to improve them.

There have been a few meets placed in the District and I am currently looking for a place to hold next year's National Meet. On the list of potential locations are Caldwell, Idaho and Farmington, Utah. I will be contacting both of the Clubs representing these locations. One of the locations holds their show around the same time we generally hold our Nationals and the other is a bit later.



Our Club continues to grow and I would like to welcome all the new members and thank all of our old members that have stayed with us, your support is truly appreciated.

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## Pips & Peeps

Quality Ameraucana and Sebastopol Geese

Master Exhibitor # 795

Grand Master Exhibitor White Sebastopol
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#### New!

# Member Award Program Annual & Nationals High Point Award

The Ameraucana Breeders Club will be offering High Point Awards to the Member who earns the most points at Ameraucana meets, beginning with the first meet following the 2014 Ameraucana Breeders Club National meet, and ending with the last meet before the 2015 National meet.

District Open High Point Award - \$35 District Junior High Point Award - \$20

Overall Open High Point Award - \$100 Overall Junior High Point Award - \$50

Open High Point Award at the Nationals - \$50 Junior High Point Award at the Nationals - \$25

Points will be tallied and displayed on the website and in the forum. Be checking the forum for updates on the points coming soon!

#### **Upcoming Meets**

5/31/2015 to 5/31/2015 Special Meet at

Green Mountain Poultry Show

Turnbridge, VT

Mark Podgwaite

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6/13/2015 to 6/13/2015 Special Meet at

Buckeye Fancy Feather Club

Canfield, OH
Rhonda Simmon
(330) 426- 6870
rjos2256@gmail.com

10/3/2015 to 10/4/2015

State Meet at

Southern Ohio Poultry Associa-

tion Show

Lucasville, OH
David Adkins
(740) 259– 2852
sohiopasecretary@yahoo.com

10/3/2015 to 10/3/2015 Special Meet at

Red River Bantam Club Show

Gainesville, TX
Al Walker
(903) 815- 8255
alwalker47@gmail.com

10/3/2015 to 10/3/201 Special Meet at

Red Cedar Showdown

Menomonie, WI Dan Paff (715) 723- 2750 juddan@wwt.net

10/10/2015 to 10/11/2015 Special Meet at Texas State Fair Poultry Show

Dallas, TX
Sam Brush
(817) 379-6475
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10/31/15 to 11/1/15 State Meet at

Nebraska State Poultry Assoc.

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11/14/2015 to 11/15/2015 State Meet at

Ohio National Poultry Show

Columbus, OH
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11/7/2015 to 11/8/2015 National Meet & State Meet **Heart of the Ozarks Poultry** 

> Fayetteville, AR Jacob Bates (479) 965-5222 jakeab42@hotmail.com

11/14/2015 to 11/15/2015 State Meet at

Ohio National Poultry Show

Columbus, OH Eric Markley (419) 303-6909

11/21/2015 to 11/21/2015 Special Meet at

Ontario Poultry Breeders Show

Milton, ON Troy Laroche troylaroche88@hotmail.com

11/21/2015 to 11/21/2015 Special Meet at

Gulf South Fall Classic

Baton Rouge, LA Rhonda Silva (985) 801-9540

11/21/2015 to 11/22/2015 District Meet at

Washington Feather Fanciers

Winter Brisk

Chehalis, WA
Amy Arsenault
wafeatherfanciers@gmail

12/5/2015 to 12/5/201 Special & State Meet at Low Country Classic Blackville, SC Mark Beasley (803) 259- 3752 bantamlot@barnwellsc.com

Check our website,

<u>Ameraucana.org</u>
often for updates on
Upcoming Meets



#### Meet Reports

## 10/25/2014 Special Meet at Friendship Poultry Club Fall Show

#### Morganton, NC

1 Exhibitor in **Open Bantam** judged by Tom Roebuck BV, BB Silver C out of 2 shown, by Don Cash RV, RB Silver H out of 2 shown, by Don Cash BV AOV-Lavender H out of 2 shown, by Don Cash RV AOV-Lavender C out of 2 shown, by Don Cash 2 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Tom Roebuck BV, BB Black K out of 2 shown, by Renee Baker RV, RB Black P out of 2 shown, by Renee Baker BV Blue Wheaten C out of 1 shown, by Don Cash BV Wheaten H out of 1 shown, by Don Cash

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## 11/1/2014 State Meet at Nebraska State Poultry Association

#### Lincoln, NE

1 Exhibitor in **Junior Large Fowl** judged by Larry Denny BV, BB AOV P out of 2 shown, by CJ Monheiser RV, RB AOV K out of 2 shown, by CJ Monheiser 1 Exhibitor in **Open Bantam** judged by Larry Denny BV, BB White H out of 2 shown, by Kraig Thoreson RV, RB White C out of 2 shown, by Kraig Thoreson 3 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Dennis Thompson

BV, BB Black K out of 5 shown, by Gordon Gilliam RV, RB Black P out of 5 shown, by Gordon Gilliam BV Blue K out of 5 shown, by Gordon Gilliam RV Blue P out of 5 shown, by Gordon Gilliam BV, RB AOV K out of 3 shown, by CJ Monheiser RV AOV P out of 3 shown, by John Tobiasson

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## 12/13/2014 Special Meet at Cape Fear Poultry Association Smithfield, NC

1 Exhibitor in **Junior Bantam** judged by Jackie Roedatich BV AOV C out of 1 shown, by Marcus Mitchell 1 Exhibitor in **Junior Large Fowl** judged by Tom Roebuck BV Black P out of 3 shown, by Walker Curran RV Black K out of 3 shown, by Walker Curran

## 12/13/2014 District Meet at Oklahoma State Poultry #1 Shawnee, OK

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1 Exhibitor in **Junior Bantam** judged by Jacob Bates BV, BB Blue K out of 6 shown, by Walter Malcolm

RV Blue P out of 6 shown, by Walter Malcolm BV Buff P out of 1 shown, by Walter Malcolm BV Silver P out of 1 shown, by Walter Malcolm BV White P out of 1 shown, by Walter Malcolm 2 Exhibitors in **Junior Large Fowl** judged by Richard Peters BV, BB, AOSB, LF, CH AM Black P out of 2 shown, by Matthew Smith for 18 points\* RV Black K out of 2 shown, by Matthew Smith BV Blue P out of 3 shown, by Matthew Smith RV Blue K out of 3 shown, by Matthew Smith BV Blue Wheaten P out of 1 shown, by Matthew Smith BV Wheaten P out of 2 shown, by Matthew Smith RV Wheaten K out of 2 shown, by Matthew Smith BV AOV-Lavender P out of 1 shown, by Matthew Smith 1 Exhibitor in Open Bantam judged by Diana Dahir BV Blue P out of 1 shown, by Gus Malcolm BV, BB Wheaten P out of 2 shown, by Gus Malcolm RV Wheaten K out of 2 shown, by Gus Malcolm BV, RB White P out of 1 shown, by Gus Malcolm BV AOV-Splash P out of 1 shown, by Gus Malcolm 10 Exhibitors in Open Large Fowl judged by Diana Dahir BV, BB, AOSB, LF, R BIS Black K out of 37 shown, by M & J Farm

RV, RB Black P out of 37 shown, by M & J Farm
BV Blue P out of 15 shown, by Max Strawn
RV Blue P out of 15 shown, by Max Strawn
BV Blue Wheaten P out of 5 shown, by Peggy Taylor
RV Blue Wheaten P out of 5 shown, by Peggy Taylor
BV Wheaten P out of 5 shown, by Paul & Angela Smith
RV Wheaten K out of 5 shown, by Paul & Angela Smith
BV AOV-Lavender P out of 2 shown, by Paul & Angela Smith
BV AOV-Splash P out of 2 shown, by Paul & Angela Smith
RV AOV-Splash K out of 2 shown, by Paul & Angela Smith

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## 1/10/2015 Special Meet at Blue Bonnet Classic College Station, TX

6 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Tom Roebuck BV, RB, R AOSB Black P out of 16 shown, by Diane Goddard RV Black C out of 16 shown, by Max Strawn BV Blue P out of 14 shown, by Max Strawn RV Blue K out of 14 shown, by Mary Laska BV Blue Wheaten P out of 2 shown, by Emily Besser RV Blue Wheaten K out of 2 shown, by Emily Besser BV Wheaten P out of 1 shown, by Emily Besser BV, BB, AOSB, R LF White P out of 7 shown, by Mary Laska

RV White H out of 7 shown, by Mary Laska BV AOV-Splash H out of 2 shown, by Aaron Hickson RV AOV-Splash K out of 2 shown, by Aaron Hickson

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## 1/24/2015 Special Meet at National Western Stock Show Denver, CO

4 Exhibitors in Open Bantam judged by Art Rieber BV Blue K out of 2 shown, by Walter Malcolm RV Blue P out of 2 shown, by Walter Malcolm BV Buff P out of 1 shown, by Walter Malcolm BV Silver H out of 1 shown, by Walter Malcolm BV Wheaten P out of 2 shown, by Gus Malcolm RV Wheaten P out of 9 shown, by Walter Malcolm RV Wheaten K out of 2 shown, by Gus Malcolm BV, BB, AOCCL White P out of 9 shown, by Anna Vetter BV AOV-Splash P out of 1 shown, by Gus Malcolm 13 Exhibitors in Open Large Fowl judged by Art Rieber BV, BB, AOSB Black C out of 7 shown, by Walter Malcolm RB Black K out of 7 shown, by Jared Cooper BV Blue K out of 2 shown, by Dakota Berdahl RV Blue P out of 2 shown, by Jared Cooper BV Blue Wheaten P out of 1 shown, by Xavia Putney RV Wheaten P out of 1 shown, by Marissa Kanzler BV, RB, R AOSB White P out of 4 shown, by Roggen Dunes Games

RV White P out of 4 shown, by Marissa Kanzler
BV AOV P out of 2 shown, by Xavia Putney
RV AOV P out of 2 shown, by Alan Pallozi
BV AOV-Splash C out of 2 shown, by Dakota Berdahl
RV AOV-Splash P out of 2 shown, by Dakota Berdahl

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## 1/30/2015 State Meet at PPBA Stockton, CA

6 Exhibitors in **Open Bantam** judged by Don Nelson BV, RB Black H out of 18 shown, by Debra Hogan RV Black C out of 18 shown, by Stephanie Davis BV Buff C out of 3 shown, by Bridget Riddle RV Buff P out of 3 shown, by Bridget Riddle BV, BB Wheaten H out of 9 shown, by Stephanie Davis RV Wheaten C out of 9 shown, by Stephanie Davis 5 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Paul Gilroy BV, RB Black H out of 7 shown, by Bailey DeWolf RV Black P out of 7 shown, by Celeste Rickett BV Blue P out of 6 shown, by Debra Hogan RV Blue C out of 6 shown, by Debra Hogan BV Blue Wheaten C out of 5 shown, by Debra Hogan RV Blue Wheaten C out of 5 shown, by Debra Hogan BV Brown Red H out of 10 shown, by Debra Hogan

RV Brown Red P out of 10 shown, by Debra Hogan BV Wheaten P out of 8 shown, by Debra Hogan RV Wheaten P out of 8 shown, by Debra Hogan BV, BB White H out of 10 shown, by Debra Hogan RV White P out of 10 shown, by Debra Hogan BV AOV-Lavender H out of 1 shown, by Larry Buno BV AOV-Red Pyle C out of 2 shown, by Debra Hogan RV AOV-Red Pyle K out of 2 shown, by Debra Hogan BV AOV-Splash H out of 2 shown, by Debra Hogan RV AOV-Splash P out of 2 shown, by Debra Hogan

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## 3/14/2015 Special Meet at Cape Fear Poultry Association Smithfield, NC

1 Exhibitor in **Junior Bantam** judged by Keith Wagoner BV, BB, R AOCCL Silver H out of 2 shown, by Tommy Hasting RV Silver C out of 2 shown, by Tommy Hasting 2 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Michael Schmidt BV, BB Black K out of 1 shown, by Jacob Fipps BV, RB Blue Wheaten K out of 2 shown, by Mary Griffis RV Blue Wheaten H out of 2 shown, by Mary Griffis

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## 3/14/2015 Special Meet at Washington Feather Fanciers Monroe, WA

2 Exhibitors in **Open Bantam** judged by Gary Agajanian BV, RB Black P out of 3 shown, by Karen Carpenter RV Black K out of 3 shown, by Karen Carpenter BV Blue H out of 1 shown, by Karen Carpenter BV, BB Blue Wheaten P out of 2 shown, by Connie Jean Ribbeck

RV Blue Wheaten C out of 2 shown, by Connie Jean Ribbeck
BV White K out of 1 shown, by Karen Carpenter
BV AOV-Lavender H out of 1 shown, by Karen Carpenter
3 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Gary Agajanian
BV, BB Black K out of 1 shown, by Karen Carpenter
BV Blue P out of 1 shown, by Karen Carpenter
BV Blue Wheaten K out of 5 shown, by Royce Van Blaricome
RV Blue Wheaten H out of 5 shown, by Royce Van
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BV, RB Wheaten K out of 5 shown, by Royce Van Blaricome

RV Wheaten P out of 5 shown, by Royce Van Blaricome BV White K out of 1 shown, by Elsa Brower BV AOV-Splash H out of 2 shown, by Karen Carpenter RV AOV-Splash K out of 2 shown, by Karen Carpenter

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## 3/28/2015 Special Meet at Delmarva Poultry Fanicers Harrington, DE

1 Exhibitor in **Junior Bantam** judged by Daniel Dysart BV, BB, CH AM Black P out of 1 shown, by Jessica Shaler 3 Exhibitors in **Open Bantam** judged by Daniel Dysart BV, BB Black P out of 1 shown, by Jessica Shaler BV, RB Wheaten H out of 2 shown, by Larry Clionsky RV Wheaten K out of 2 shown, by Larry Clionsky 20 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Daniel Dysart BV, BB, CH AM Black H out of 10 shown, by Camille Lewandowski

RV Black C out of 10 shown, by Tom Kernan BV, RB, R CH AM Blue H out of 4 shown, by Camille Lewandowski

RV Blue H out of 4 shown, by Tom Kernan
BV Blue Wheaten C out of 3 shown, by Larry Clionsky
RV Blue Wheaten K out of 3 shown, by Larry Clionsky
BV AOV K out of 1 shown, by Larry Clionsky
BV AOV-Splash H out of 2 shown, by Michelle Klales
RV AOV-Splash K out of 2 shown, by Michelle Klales

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## 3/28/2015 Special Meet at South Texas State Fair Beaumont, TX

1 Exhibitor in Junior Large Fowl judged by Anthony Ashley
BB Blue Wheaten P out of 4 shown, by Caleb Hahn
1 Exhibitor in Open Bantam judged by Anthony Ashley
BV Blue Wheaten K out of 1 shown, by Peggy Taylor
BV, BB, R AOSB Wheaten K out of 3 shown, by Peggy Taylor
RV Wheaten P out of 3 shown, by Peggy Taylor
2 Exhibitors in Open Large Fowl judged by Anthony Ashley
BV, BB, R AOSB Black C out of 9 shown, by Dorothy Haire for
RV Black P out of 9 shown, by Dorothy Haire
BV Blue Wheaten P out of 6 shown, by Peggy Taylor
RV Blue Wheaten P out of 6 shown, by Peggy Taylor
BV Wheaten K out of 8 shown, by Peggy Taylor
RV Wheaten P out of 9 shown, by Dorothy Haire
RV White P out of 9 shown, by Dorothy Haire

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#### Southern Hospitality Greensboro, NC

1 Exhibitor in **Junior Bantam** judged by Rev. Roland Romig BV, BB Silver H out of 2 shown, by Tommy Hasting RV Silver C out of 2 shown, by Tommy Hasting 4 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Rev. Roland Romig

BV, BB, CH AM Black C out of 10 shown, by Jerry Sineath RV, RB, R CH AM Black P out of 10 shown, by Jacob Fipps BV Blue H out of 5 shown, by Anna Lane RV Blue H out of 5 shown, by Anna Lane

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## 4/25/2015 Special Meet at Dayton Fancy Feather, Greenville, OH

1 Exhibitor in **Junior Bantam** judged by Jonathan Patterson BV, BB Wheaten C out of 4 shown, by Paige Lee RV Wheaten H out of 4 shown, by Paige Lee BV White C out of 2 shown, by Paige Lee RV White H out of 2 shown, by Paige Lee 2 Exhibitors in **Junior Large Fowl** judged by Jonathan Patter-

son
RV Black H out of 1 shown, by Cody Slimack
BV Blue H out of 1 shown, by Colton Brush
BV White H out of 1 shown, by Colton Brush
2 Exhibitors in **Open Bantam** judged by Matt Lhamon
BV, BB Blue Wheaten H out of 1 shown, by Kathy Gratch
BV, RB Wheaten C out of 1 shown, by Rob Sando
RV Wheaten H out of 1 shown, by Rob Sando
2 Exhibitors in **Open Large Fowl** judged by Matt Lhamon
BV, BB Black C out of 7 shown, by Nathan Robinson
RV, RB Black C out of 7 shown, by Nathan Robinson

BV Blue Wheaten C out of 1 shown, by Rob Sando BV Buff C out of 2 shown, by Rob Sando RV Buff C out of 2 shown, by Rob Sando

BV Blue H out of 1 shown, by Rob Sando

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