

President's Message

Hello All USC members!!!

I hope everyone and their families are doing well.

At this time we all have probably concluded our 2021 breeding season and jumped directly into preparing for the upcoming shows. Things seem to be slowly getting back to more a normal situation with District meets planned for the Pageant of Pigeons and the Des Moines, lowa along with our annual meet being held in January 2022 at the NPA Grand National in Amarillo, TX. (Entry forms for Des Moines and the Annual meet are included later in this bulletin)

On the subject of the Annual meet, this one should have more members in attendance than in the recent past, hopefully this results in more entries. The Annual club meeting will be held on Thursday at 3:30 or 4 in the Swallow Judging area. The subject of the meeting will be on how we can generate more interest in swallows, increasing membership and entries in our club meets. If you will be in attendance bring your ideas, if you won't be there feel free to email them to me and I will bring them up for you during the meeting. Saturday morning we will hold our



Reserve Champion Swallow at the National Young Bird Show, 2021- bred by: Jim Grober of Muskego WI. Photo: Perry Mueller.

club auction. So far we have multiple pairs of birds being donated by Mike Swanson, Bill Griebel and myself. Additionally, books from John Navant and a couple other items. We can always use more birds in the auction along with artwork and other pigeon paraphernalia. Although our club financials are in pretty good shape we need to continue increasing our account balance so we can implement some of the ideas that are brought up in the meeting.

At or last Annual Meeting (held in January 2020) we agreed to developing a pamphlet that we could make available at our shows or mailed to perspective members explaining a little about swallows (an example of a pamphlet is included in this bulletin). Take a look at it and give me some feedback on how it can be improved. We also agreed to updating our club patch, we should be ordering patches shortly and have them available starting with the DesMoines show.

Good bye for now, I hope to see many of you at either DesMoines or the National!!!



Champion Swallow at the National Young Bird Show, 2021- bred by: Jim Grober of Muskego WI. Photo: Perry Mueller.

Recent photos from the NYBS submitted by Perry Mueller



Jim Grober and Eric Kooker



Perry Mueller with Jim Grober

Old photos submitted by Frank Bailey

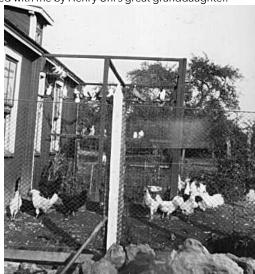
These are photos are from the 1930's. We are seeing a Swallow pigeon lawn show on Henry Uhl's farm near Rochester, New York. (Members of the New York Swallow Club) Photos were shared with me by Henry Uhl's great granddaughter.



Henry Uhl is sitting in the chair with his hand over his mouth



Three Swallow fanciers eating and chatting. Henry Uhl is the elderly gentlemen sitting in the chair with his hands folded in his lap



In the open caged area (Swallows perched on top) (Chickens on the ground)



Several men sharing their thoughts about the Swallow entries Please note: This is a very rare photo. The tall man in the photo with his signature hat is the famous "Michael" M. Frank Cook

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Phone								ENTRY DEADLINE POSTMARKED November 3rd, 2021			
Jr. Exhibitor's Age								ENTRY FEE: \$6.00 per BIRD			
Email								LATE ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY NOVEMBER 17th, 2021			
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Call Jim Demro 319 550 7082 For any questions								4-bird For Sale Holes @ \$12/hole	Holes		
ALL ENTRIES MUST BE MAILED											
ISPA 2020 Dues (Junior 1-yr \$15; 3-yr \$40) (Senior 1-yr \$20; 3-yr \$55) (Family 1-yr \$23; 3-yr \$64)											
	Check here if you will be sending your birds via US Postal Service										

Send Entries to: Jeff Clemens, 2425 Guenever Court, Altoona, lowa 50009 — For Entry Questions 719-339-6394

TOTAL REMITTANCE

Seeking comments on the proposed United Swallow Club Pamphlet

USC Mission Statement

Our club mission is to promote the breeding and exhibition of the Swallow Pigeon.

This is to be achieved through District and National meets which develops camaraderie and support amongst swallow breeders within the USA and around the world.

The Swallow Pigeon is a member of the German Color Pigeon family; originating in Germanic Europe. Swallow Pigeons come in a wide variety of colors and types:

Muffed varieties are called Silesian (non-crested wing pigeon), Fairy (crested wing pigeon) and Fullhead (Saxon swallow) Swallows

"Clean-Leg" varieties are called Thuringer wing and Thuringer Swallow pigeons



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United Swallow Club

Dedicated to the Breeding and **Exhibition of Swallow Pigeons**

Website: unitedswallowclub.com

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Saxon Wing Pigeons (Silesian & Fairy Swallows)



Thuringer Wing Pigeons (Clean-leg "Spot" Swallows)





Thuringer Swallows (Clean-leg Fullhead Swallows)



For more details about the Swallow breed and its Standard of Perfection please visit: www.unitedswallowclub.com/standards

Saxon Swallows (Fullhead Swallows)

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