

Cochins International

FALL 2010

Hello and Welcome

By Lisa Clark

Newsletter Editor

It's back! After a bit of a lull the CI Newsletter is back in operation with a new editor and some new ideas.

We need to get the obligatory "who" and "what" out of the way before we continue. I am Lisa Clark From Northfield Vermont. I and my significant other Mark have been involved with exhibition poultry for about 5 years. I currently raise Bantam Cochins in Black, White and Columbian. So far, I am having a blast breeding, raising and showing poultry. Additionally, I have met some GREAT folks along the way.

At this point, we plan to put the newsletter out 3 times a year, Fall (Sept), Winter (Jan), and Spring (May).

Please note the deadline for each is the month before publication.

I am very excited about this opportunity and I look forward to compiling and editing YOUR newsletter. Feel free to contact me anytime at mtndirtbiker@hotmail.com with your ideas, questions, or submissions.

Cochins International NE District 1 News

Donna Lamb

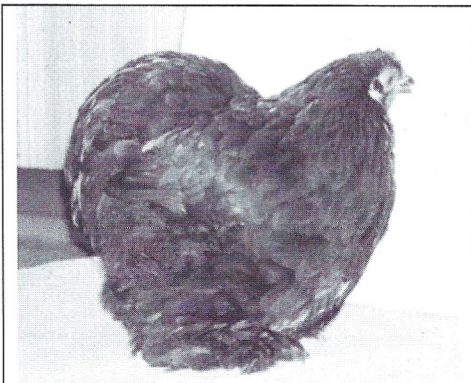
Hello NE District 1 – NE1 hosted the 2010 CI National Meet held at the Northeastern Poultry Congress, Springfield, MA on January 16 and 17, 2010. The results are included later in this newsletter. I just want to mention that the show was run very nicely and I enjoyed the informative seminars and meeting new CI members; it was definitely one of the best shows I've attended and I had a blast even though I didn't win. Thanks to **Cheryl Barnaba** and the other Northeastern Poultry Congress members who did a tremendous amount of work to pull off this remarkable show. We also have to thank Mother Nature for being kind to us during this New England January. Congratulations to all the winners. I also attended three other shows this fall, and have included the results below. *continued on page 2*

Jamie's Views

Well it's hard to believe the summer is over already seems like just yesterday I turned the incubator off with this year's hatch. But wait it was just last week!!! I am a nut when it comes to hatching. Being that I raise eight varieties of bantams and 5 of the large fowl I pretty much hatch all year round. This past year I was lucky enough to obtain 4 GQF incubators which helped me out a great deal. No more turning eggs by hand!!!! I am very pleased with the number of large mottled cochins I have hatched out and look forward to watching them mature in the next few years. I had a good spring show season with Reserve Bantam at the Sussex Show with a white hen and champion feather leg at the Syracuse Show with a black cockerel. By the time you are reading this the fall shows will be well under way. I am lucky enough to judge a bunch of them this year. I will be in Mumford in October, Vancouver in October and then Washington and Oklahoma in December. The district meet for my area is in Bath New York which is this coming weekend. I am looking forward to reconnecting with some old friends and hopefully making some new ones. I was able to judge 8 county fairs and 2 state fairs this summer and met a lot of nice people along the way. At the fairs we really need to promote the one day or two day shows. This is where you can get hooked on exhibition poultry. I also try to take my old poultry presses to fairs to try to get some more interest. The showmanship classes were stiff this summer with a few kids challenging myseLarge Fowl which was great.

I have already heard rumblings of setting breeding pens up early for next year's Crossroads Show if at all possible you won't want to miss it. The memories made there will last a lifetime along with getting to see the best birds in the country. The treasury is holding steady with not much activity. Everyone who volunteers their time for this club or hobby should be commended. It is a thankless position but without volunteers our club would fold. Help out at shows or with articles anything is greatly appreciated. On that note I hope everyone had a great summer and an even better fall. I look forward to seeing you at the shows. Take Care Jamie

New Hampshire Poultry Fanciers Association hosted the CI NE1 District Meet on 10/11/09. There were a total of 50 Cochin bantams. BB was a black pullet by **Linda Blackman** and RB was a buff hen by **Donna Lamb**. Our Junior winner was Cody Schweiger with a White cock and RB with a Black cock.



A black pullet by **Linda Blackman**

Boston Poultry Expo. 11/09 (75 Cochins). B: BB was **Bill Ziehm's** black cockerel and RB went to a white cockerel by **Bill Serrine**. St: BB to a buff cockerel and a RB to a black pullet both by **Bill West**.

New England Bantam 11/09 (36 Cochins) BB Bantam to **Bill Serrine** with a white cockerel and **Mark Podgwaite** and **Lisa Clark** of Dog River Bantams received RB with a black pullet.

I'm in the process of placing CI meets for the spring shows. I have been informed of a new show being held at the Vermont Poultry Fanciers, Addison County Fair on August 3-7, 2010. This year's NE1 CI District meet will be held at the Twin Tier Poultry Club fall show in Bath, NY on 9/12/10.

I'm afraid I do not have a list of new members, but am hopeful they are mentioned elsewhere in this newsletter. We displayed many applications and newsletters at the CI National and all were gone by the end, so I'm optimistic that some will become members.

If anyone else has exciting Cochin news or show results that you'd like to see in my article, just drop me a line and I'll make sure to add it to future articles. As always, feel free to contact me with any comments and questions: lamb@psicorp.com - 978-374-2481. Wishing you all much success with this year's hatch. - Donna Lamb NE1

News from the North Central Region
By Matt McCammon

Hello Cochin Fanciers! First I want to share a couple of bits of good news. First, the show season has

begun here in Indiana. The White River Poultry Club show was Labor Day weekend. If this show is any indication, the entries at shows should be up this season. White River had a nice show with some hot competition but with beautiful weather. What a way to start the fall show circuit. I didn't do much with cochins, as they were mostly in molt. But I did well with wyandottes, so all wasn't lost! The second bit of good news is that our new newsletter editor is officially on board. Lisa Clark from Vermont is now at the helm! We give her a huge THANK YOU for stepping up to the plate and helping the club in this time of transition. She and Tom Roebuck have a tentative timeline, so all district directors please get all information to her as soon as possible. If you have articles from old newsletters that were interesting the first time around, send them to her also. Some of us who were around 20+ years ago when the club was formed have old newsletters that may have articles that could be reprinted for the newer members to enjoy. The newsletter will be only as informative as we make it, so help out please. I want to welcome the following new members to the club since I last published a listing: Erin Ingalsbe, Cassar Family, Norma Miller, Paula Simar, Jennifer & Patrick Murcks, and Gail Carlson. If any officer can be of assistance to you, please don't hesitate to get in contact with us

And more from Matt

Hello to all Cochin fanciers! I know there is a lot of news and results that need updating since the last newsletter, but that isn't possible as my memory isn't as good as it once was. In the spring, we had a nice show season that concluded with a District Meet at the Kentuckian Poultry Club Double show. This is held in a beautiful building with excellent facilities. There were about 100 cochins there from all over the district and throughout the East. A total of nine varieties were shown, and quality ran deep in all of them. In bantams, here were nice brown reds, partridge, barred, mottled, and blues, in addition to the blacks and whites. There were a few nice reds, and I haven't seen many of those for years. There weren't many large fowl at all. Probably too late in the spring to show the large birds. The fall district meet was held in Wisconsin at the Wisconsin International poultry show. I am writing this about a week and a half (con't on page 3)

(Con't from page 2)

before the show date, so no news to report. We hope someone from the show will post the results on the Cochin Forum. I think that is a great way to keep the membership up to date on those that are winning. It also helps to see what varieties are being shown and where they are being shown. We are not placing the show results in the newsletters anymore due to space and time issues. So the Forum would be a great place to keep everyone informed. I have attempted to keep the District meets rotating around the district. I have begun rotating the fall district meet between the northern states in the district, or at least among the larger northernmost shows in the district. So Michigan, Wisconsin, and Illinois shows are always in the rotation for the fall district meet. The spring district meet will be at shows in Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky or maybe a show in southern Illinois. My rationale is simply that fall birds are probably better Conditioned and further along in the northern areas of the district since cooler conditions tend to help the birds finish out and become conditioned. In the fall, birds at my house are never in very good condition. This fall is no different. The hot summer was difficult for feathers! So I hope this rotation works and results in maximizing the number of cochins exhibited.

I had a good hatch this year. I am culling continually. I have never had a hard time doing that. My commitment is first to the variety and

then the breed. I don't want to give poor birds away or sell them, as that will lead to more poor birds being shown or bred. So I cull heavily. I have several varieties and there are a lot of "wasters" produced. I have to cull heavily just to have manageable numbers. If you try to make a difference in the rarer colors, producing 10 or 12 babies a year won't do it. You have to raise as many as possible and then start culling mercilessly. I know breeders, who don't like to do away with the chicks or young birds, but I find the breed and the hobby is better for it. So is my feed bill! I will have young partridge and brown red pairs available at Columbus OH. I may have some other colors also, so contact me if you are interested. I always enjoy setting someone up with a rarer color so they can help improve it also. I have a network of breeders who continually keep in touch and compare notes. I have learned so much from them, and I hope they have learned from me.

I hope everyone has a successful show season. I just showed at the first show of the fall season at Spencer IN. I will be at Lebanon, IN in October then Columbus OH and maybe Kentuckian show again in December. I may make a few more between. It depends on the condition of the birds and my schedule. If I can be of any assistance to members in the district, please don't hesitate to ask. Best of luck this show season! God Bless Matt

Milestones

3 new Master Breeders and our First in Blues

Larry & Mark Peterson, Bantam Black, 1000 pts
Joe Mazur, Bantam Black, 1000 pts
Joe Mazur, Bantam White, 500 pts
Sandy Isler, Bantam Blue, 500 pts
Bill Zeihm, Bantam Black 500 pts
Doris Vosburg, Bantam Black 100 pts
Mike Geis, Bantam Black, 100 pts
Shari McCollough, Bantam Black 100 pts
Gerald Church, Large Fowl Black, 100 pts
Pam Hamilton, Bantam White, 100 pts
Greg & Christy Michel, Bantam White, 100 pts
Tom Roebuck, Large Fowl White, 100 pts

Breeding Brown Reds

Submitted By Matt McCammon

In the past few articles, I mentioned the Rare Varieties report that was published by the Wyandotte Bantam Club. I am including an article that in this publication. The first one I will include for this month is a short article written by Master Cochin Breeder H. Craig Carroll about Brown Red Cochin Bantams.

" In this article I will attempt to give some pointers on the proper way to breed Brown Red Cochins. The following information can be applied to the Birchen Cochin since it is the same pattern, just a different color. First, one must breed for correct type, with correct color always in mind, If you don't have true Cochin type, it does not matter how good your color pattern is.

The males' head, hackle and saddle is a lustrous deep orange. The lower hackle and saddle is marked with a narrow black stripe through the middle of each feather stopping short of the end. The breast is black with a narrow lacing of deep orange. The wing bows are lustrous deep orange. The rest of the body is black. The female is mainly black, except for the head, hackle, and breast which is marked the same as the male.

For breeding you will need a male that is as close to perfect in type and color that you can find. A bird with fine lacing limited to the upper breast. The lacing is a key point for controlling the color in the offspring. It is better to use a male that shows no lacing than to use a male with an abundance of lacing. Mate this male to a female that is finely laced on the breast and has the same deep orange color as the male. Her color should be very deep orange, looking almost like a deep red tone. This will help insure that you will get the highest percentage of correctly colored offspring as possible. You will always get some birds too light, some too dark and some that are just right in color. Balance you're mating and stay away from birds that are too light or over laced.

This color pattern occasionally produces self blacks, which are valuable in correcting birds showing too much color. Self blacks will help deepen color, reduce shafting, and improve under color. Brown red cochins should have yellow shanks, feet, and toes especially in the male. The females' shanks and feet can be a dusky yellow, but the bottoms of the feet have to show yellow. It seems natural for Brown Reds to be dark in the shanks and feet, which is the opposite of what we are looking for. I have found that the color is always better in these birds that are dark in the foot. These birds should not be used for breeding. Once you lose the yellow trait it is very hard to regain it.

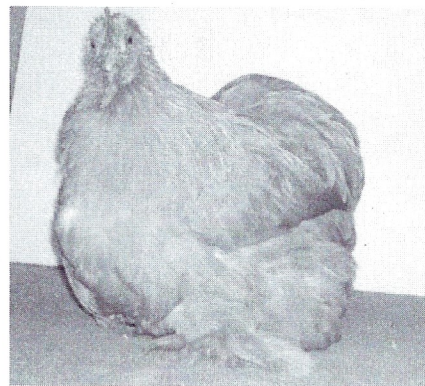
Keep the type a high priority, the color lustrous deep orange, and the lacing limited to the upper breast. Keep the shanks and feet yellow and you will produce the beautiful Brown red cochins, one of the most striking and beautiful color patterns. "

I had the good fortune of getting a couple of brown red males

from Craig Carroll. I had worked with brown reds up to this point without a decent male to show for my efforts. The next breeding season (2009), I hatched over 250 brown red cochins. I kept 12. That is what happens when you work with a complicated color pattern like the brown red and birchen. It is also the result of crossing two lines of unrelated birds. Color and type, especially color, was all over the board. I found that the lighter youngsters remained that way, and the darker youngsters stayed dark too. So you can cull for some color issues at about 3 months of age. Combs were a huge issue for me since I was plagued by side sprigs. So I culled males and females at about 3 months of age for correct combs. You can see how I ended up with a dozen keepers. The birds I have now are the best I have ever had, but I still have gotten quite a range of chicks in the 2010 hatch. Still fighting comb issues and color is fickle. Craig has commented that he deals with the same issues. It will take a long time to get more uniformity in the variety. Craig mentioned in the article that the brown reds and birchens are complimentary colors. If one takes a typey brown red male and crosses it on a birchen female, the resulting chicks are sex linked. The females are the brown red like their father. It is hard to find birchens that are as typey as the brown reds, so I don't think this cross would go far to make type improvements in the brown red variety. The male offspring will be birchen, but they will be creamy or brassy, lacking true birchen silver. In a pinch, and only to improve type on the birchens, one could take the male offspring back onto a birchen female. I think this might improve and add some type to the birchen, but you would have to keep working with color due to the brassiness that is added. If you cross the opposite way, with a birchen male on a brown red female, the resulting chicks are all birchen. The males will again be birchen and the color issues will remain. The females will be birchen now, and some of them may be nice and silvery and have improved type from the addition of the brown red.

I will include some other articles next time. E-mail me if you have a question or comment. Keep feed and cool water in front of those little fluff balls all the time. The faster they grow, the more quickly you can decide if they are your future breeders or champions. When you are breeding these rarer colors, a good breeder is on equal Ω

A Buff Hen by Donna Lamb



President's Message

Hello Cochin Enthusiasts! It's finally fall! I think this my favorite season from a breeder's perspective. With the weather cooling off, the birds feather out and finish, so you can see if your breeding match ups improved those traits you were targeting and if your patterned birds improved from last year. On top of all of that the fall shows start kicking into gear. I am planning to attend the Sussex Show, Maryland State Poultry Fanciers, Ohio National, Winston-Salem, and the Cape Fear Show this fall. I don't show at our home show (VPBA) because I am the show secretary/superintendent. Too many other things going on to worry about cooping in birds too!

Cochin Business: Elections are right around the corner. As I've said previously, I will not be running for the President's position again. It's time for someone else to take a turn at the helm and volunteer their time and efforts. I am still planning to have the breeder's directory done by the end of the year. The club will have to find someone to take on the breeder's directory as well, as I am stepping down from that responsibility as well. I've been thinking about some items that the club should consider doing. The web is a very powerful tool for recruiting new members and keeping members informed. It would be a good idea to hire someone to do a new website for the club. I've been doing the current site and do not have time to keep it up to date. They say you get what you pay for, so it's probably best to have someone on task to create and keep up to date a site that the club officers and directors approves of. I think the club should revisit the Master Breeders award system as well. The plaques for Master Breeder are a nice item and we need to catch up on a few of them, but if we are going to advertise certificate for achieving 100 points in a variety then those certificates need to be sent out. We might also want to consider offering some cash awards at our National Meets. Bottom line is that I just don't have the time to devote to being at the helm of the club. My support of our breed remains as strong as ever, but between family, work and the birds, I don't have a lot of extra time, and it's having a negative impact on the club. My apologies. I sincerely hope that someone will consider throwing their name in the hat for the upcoming election for the President's post, or any of the other positions for that matter. Competition is a good thing. If you get the Poultry Press you've seen that Matt is doing a fantastic job with Cochins International articles. Thanks Matt! I've heard plenty of great comments

The Cochin numbers in the show halls seem pretty steady, and I have noticed a few more large fowl entered of late. That's a good thing! I encourage everyone to take on a color other than Black or White. Blacks and White are the varieties in the larger numbers but there's no reason it has to be that way. Wouldn't it be great to go to a show and have large classes of Buff, Barred, Columbian, Buff Columbian, Partridge, Brown Red, and Birchen Cochin Bantams; or to go to a show, and have every recognized variety of Large Cochins represented in good quality? Take up the challenge of a parti-colored variety! It's fun and challenging! I added Large Blacks to my breeding program this year and have some nice youngsters coming along, but the real excitement is with the Large Golden Laced. I don't have any I consider class contenders yet, but I've done some crossing the past couple years that is beginning to pay off. I won't go into the details because it would take too long to explain the crosses, but I have Large Golden Laced that compare to the Blacks, Buffs and Whites as far as size and type goes. Now to dial in the pattern and ground color and they might be ready for the show hall. Fun stuff!

If you are interested in running for any of the elected positions or volunteering to take on the breeders directory, please let Jamie know. We'd like to get the ballots out by the end of the year, so throw your name in the hat, and send Jamie a short article to introduce yourself to the club members. Take care! Tom

Deadlines and Disclaimer

Deadline for the next newsletter is December 15th. As with all publications, this is a work in progress. It will not work without contributions from the members.

Newsletter design has its own unique challenges. Look for improved formatting in the coming issues.

Look for upcoming interviews with leading cochin breeders. Color version is available online.

**Cochins International 2010 Eastern National
2009 ABA National
Northeastern Poultry Congress
West Springfield, MA
January 16-17, 2010**

**Stats: Total Cochins – 195 (159 Bantams, 36 Large)
Featherleg Class – 242, Asiatic Class – 63**

Overall Champion Cochin – White Bantam Pullet by Joe Mazur (this bird went on to be Reserve Bantam of the Show)

Overall Reserve Champion Cochin – Black Bantam Cockerel by Tom & Sandra Roebuck

Champion Large Fowl Cochin – Buff Cockerel by Tom & Sandra Roebuck (this bird went on to be Champion Asiatic)

Reserve Champion Large Fowl Cochin – Buff Cockerel by Bill West

Bantam Results:

Barred (4 ckl)

Cockerels

BV- Roebuck on a Cockerel

RV – Roebuck on 2nd Place Cockerel

3 – John Beauchamp

4 – Beauchamp

Blue (5; 1H, 2K, 2P)

BV – Linda Blackman on a Cockerel

RV – Joe Mazur on a Pullet

H: 1 – Christine Lehman

K: 1 – Blackman, 2- Kathleen Gallagher

P: 1 – Mazur, 2 – Gallagher

White (30; 3C,2H,11K,14P)

BV – Joe Mazur on a Hen

RV - Joe Mazur on a Pullet

C: 1 – Beauchamp, 2 – Donna Lamb, 3 – Bill Serrine

H: 1 – Mazur, 2 – Beauchamp

K: 1- Roebuck, 2 – Mazur, 3 – Beauchamp, 4 – Lamb,
5 – Jim Photiou

P: 1 – Mazur, 2 – Mazur, 3 – Frank Harris, 4 - Harris, 5
– Harris

Black (55; 6C, 6H, 21K, 19P, 1YT)

BV – Tom & Sandra Roebuck on a Cockerel

RV - Tom & Sandra Roebuck on the 2nd Place
Cockerel

C: 1 – Don Stephenson, 2 – Jamie Matts, 3 – Kim
Houde, 4 – Dog River Btms, 5 – Dog River Btms

H: 1 – Tom Gagnon, 2 – Mazur, 3 – Dog River Btms,
4 – Roebuck, 5 – Dog River Btms

K: 1 – Roebuck, 2 – Roebuck, 3 – Bill Ziehm, 4 –
Sirrine, 5 – Photiou

P: 1 – Ted Schwabrow, 2 – Photiou, 3 – Photiou, 4 –
Sirrine, 5 – Photiou

Young Trio: 1 – Ziehm

Buff (23; 1C, 2H, 10K, 10P)

BV – Cockerel by Bob Hawes

RV – Hen by Tom & Sandra Roebuck

C: 1 – Lamb

H: 1- Roebuck, 2 – Don Stephenson

K: 1 – Hawes, 2 – Hawes, 3,4,5 – Roebuck

P: 1 – Hawes, 2 - Hawes, 3 - Roebuck, 4 - Dog River
Btms, 5 – Robert Lightfoot

Mottled (18; 1C, 5H, 1K, 8P, 1YT)

BV – Jamie Matts on a Hen

RV – Jamie Matts on a Pullet

C: 1 – Lehman

H: 1,2,3,4,5 – Matts

K: 1 - Thomas Buss

P: 1,2,3,4,5 – Matts

YT: 1 – Gallagher

Partridge (2; 1K; 1P)

BV – John Beauchamp on a Pullet
RV – John Beauchamp on a Cockerel

Splash (1P)

BV - Joe Mazur on a Pullet

Blue Mottled (1P)

BV – Jamie Matts on a Hen

Red (1K)

BV – Shannon Hernandez on a Cockerel

Red Frizzle (1P)

BV – Shannon Hernandez on a Pullet

White Frizzle (1K,1P)

BV – Kathleen Gallagher on a Cockerel
RV – Kathleen Gallagher on a Pullet

Large Fowl Results:

Black (6; 2H, 1K, 3P)

BV – Tom Nelson on a Pullet
RV - Bill West on the 2nd Place Pullet
H: 1 – Matts, 2 – Tammara Bromeckle
K: 1- Merritt Belleisle
P: 1 – Nelson, 2 – West, 3 – West

Buff (2K)

BV – Tom & Sandra Roebuck on a Cockerel
RV – Bill West on the 2nd Place Cockerel

White (4; 2H, 1K, 1P)

BV – Kay St. Amour on a Hen
RV - Kay St. Amour on the 2nd place Hen
H: 1,2 – St. Amour
K: 1- St. Amour
P: 1- St. Amour

Splash (1K)

BV – Tammara Bromeckle on a Cockerel

Blue (4; 2H, 1K, 1P)

BV – Jamie Matts on a Hen
RV – Jamie Matts on the 2nd Place Hen
H: 1,2 – Matts
K: 1 – Lehman
P: 1 – Michael Palmerino

Partridge (13; 2C, 3H, 2K, 6P)

BV – Rich Barczewski on a Pullet
RV - Rich Barczewski on a Hen
C: 1 – Barczewski, 2 – S&S Thibault Poultry
H: 1 – Barczewski, 2 – Thibault, 3 – Jason Page
K: 1 – Barczewski, 2 – Thibault
P: 1,2,3,4 – Barczewski, 5 - Thibault

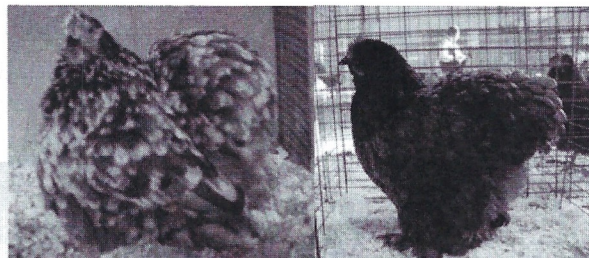
Cochins International 2010 Eastern National Photos



Best Partridge LF



BV Barred Bantam



BV Blue Mottled



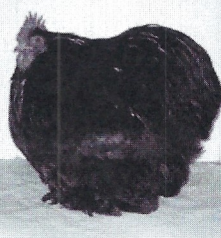
BV Junior Blue



RV Black Bantam



BV Black LF



RB Black Bantam

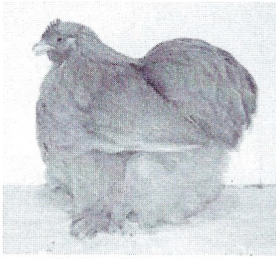


Champ Asiatic

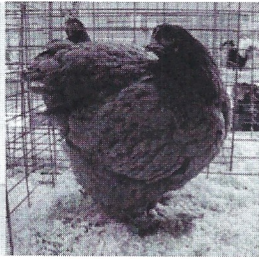


RB Large Fowl

More Eastern National Photos



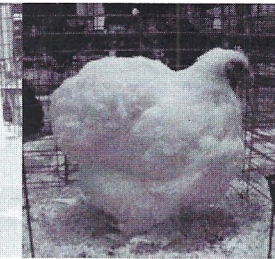
RV Buff Bantam



RV Junior Blue



BV Mottled Bantam



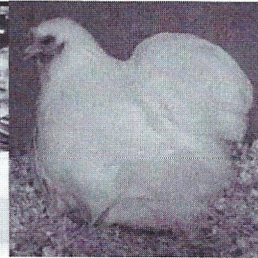
BV White Large Fowl



RV Barred Bantam



BV Partridge Bantam



BB and Res Bantam



BV White Frizzle



BV Blue Bantam



Donna Lamb Bill Serrine and
Linda Blackman

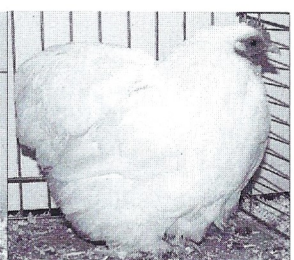
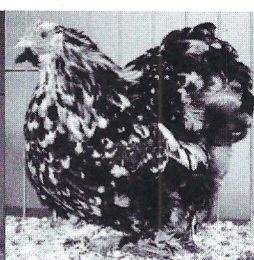
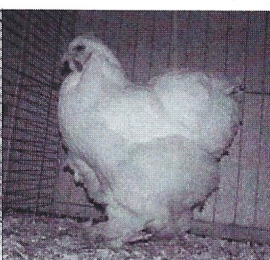
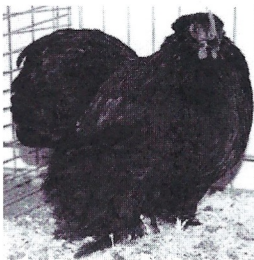


John Beauchamp and Bill Ziehm



Sara Orłowski and Champ Jr Asiatic

Some Photos From The Swedish National Poultry Show November 2009



Black Bantam Hen Sandra Larsson

Swedish Champion Blue Bantam Hen Sonja Bååth

Club Master White Large Hen Sandra Larsson

Mottled Bantam Hen Leo Berg

White Bantam Hen, Bertil Larsson

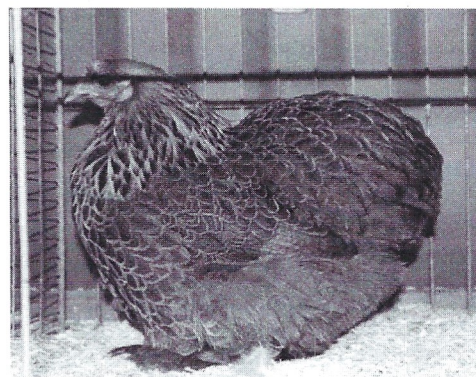
Member News

Hello to all Cochin International members! As many of you may know already, the club has decided to offer everyone who has not paid their 2010 membership a dues holiday. If you have not paid, consider yourself "paid up" for 2010. To those of you who have sent your dues, thank you and we promise to have things back on track with regular newsletters etc. We thank you for your support. If you have any questions concerning club business or meet placements in the months between newsletters, check the Cochin Forum or the *Poultry Press* for monthly updates. We have had a steady stream of new members over the summer months and we thank them for joining. I try to post their names in the monthly *Poultry Press* articles, so I'll not use space here to do so. Usually at this point of the year, I have removed the names of those who have not paid their dues. This year that won't be the case, so we are going into the fall show season with about 230 members. That is an all-time high as far as I can remember, and I would like to see it stay that way.

Please be sure to send any renewals to me. Otherwise, whoever you gave the information to has to send me the information and forward the money to Jamie. It just isn't convenient that way. Also, please remember that our house address was changed a couple of months ago. So send your 2011 dues or any further communication to: 2890 S 275 W Bloomfield, IN 47424.

I am looking forward to seeing some of you in the cochin aisles. Please introduce yourself. It's always enjoyable talking about cochins! God Bless ~Matt

A couple of Blue Partridge Bantams that Ardjan Warnshuis is breeding over in Germany



Controlling Rodents Around Poultry

By Rich Barczewski

When man decided to start keeping domesticated animals, they created a great opportunity for some unwanted guests in their facilities. In order to keep birds and animals in a domesticated situation, you also have to feed them and improperly stored feed is a prime magnet for rodents. Over the years, in working with poultry and livestock producers, I've become aware of just how damaging rodents can become. Small populations are a nuisance. If you keep show birds, they can cut feathers from the tails and wings of some of your birds, they can soil feed in feeders and they can chew on boards and buildings materials. In large populations, they can cause fires by chewing on electrical wiring, and they can spread disease. The fall season is a prime time for wild populations of rodents to seek the shelter provided by our poultry housing so now is the time to get your control plan in place.

The easiest way to prevent problems with rodents is to never let them get to a population that can cause damage to your birds or facilities. This means that you need to have a rodent control strategy in place at all times. For most bird keepers, the easiest way to control rodents is to keep poison in proper bait stations around your facilities. On my own property, where we raise chickens, wild waterfowl and horses, we keep a couple of properly maintained bait stations for rat control and in addition, I regularly place rodent bait bars in locations around my pens that are inaccessible to the birds and any other non-targeted species to control mice.

Poison baits need to be properly used to avoid hurting any animals that you do not want to kill. In addition, the types of bait formulations you choose can make a big difference in the target animal's ability to move the bait. One easy to make and inexpensive bait station that I've seen used involves a piece of 3 inch PVC pipe. Cut the pipe approximately 2 feet long or longer and lay it along the side of your pen. Then take a strip of wood that can fit into the pipe (3/4 inch by 1-1/2 inch, about have the length of the pipe). Using a small piece of wire, secure one of the bait blocks to the end of the wood strip. This strip can be placed inside the PVC pipe as a way of making sure the bait stays in the pipe and not moved into your pen. These types of bait stations can be placed directly in your pens and you can easily make several to properly bait your entire place.

There are some commercially available bait stations that can be purchased if you are so inclined. "Tomcat" is one type of bait station that you will often see used by exterminators around commercial buildings. The "Tomcat" stations have a hole on each end of a size that a full grown rat can enter. Once inside, the rodent finds a feeding chamber off to one side where the bait is located and can be consumed. I currently use this type of station right in my wild duck pens with great success. The key is to make sure you regularly refresh the bait. Similar bait stations are available in mouse size.

If you happen to have a rodent population that is of sufficient size to warrant an all out effort of control, be aware that it takes time to get a severe population of rodents under control. One mistake often made is over-baiting. One experienced exterminator once told me that you are better off baiting with small amounts of bait and doing it more often than you are in putting large amounts of bait out at one time. Many rodents will horde bait, often burying it in their underground tunnels if surplus bait is used. Instead, place small amounts of bait (a couple of tablespoons full) near or just inside rodent holes and tunnels and replace it whenever the initial amount is removed.

I understand that for specific reasons, some individuals do not want to use poison on their property. In these cases, traps may be used. Again, you need to be careful not to place traps in areas where your birds may come in contact with them. Many styles of traps are currently available; however I still prefer to use the standard trap with a small bait pan. These traps can be adjusted with a pair of pliers to insure they are quick to snap. Many of the newer versions are less sensitive and are actually designed to be "throw away" models. One good bait for traps is peanut butter as the sticky peanut butter adheres to the bait pan and can be spread under the pan, making an even better trap. I've had a few very tricky mice actually lick all the peanut butter off the top of a bait pan without setting off the trap. A slight bend in the pan, coupled with a dab of peanut butter under the bait pan usually catches these slick rodents.

(con't on next page)

(con't from page 9)

If you are at a loss for places to set your traps you may have to temporarily build some sort of exclusion area in which you can set your traps. If you need to do this, be sure the area is big enough to allow the trap to function. Additionally, while some bait stations require only weekly or even monthly maintenance, the use of traps generally requires daily checking to remove any dead rodents and to reset traps that missed their target.

One final method of rodent control involves the keeping of barn cats, however special care needs to be taken to insure the safety of your birds. Cats are born hunters and if not adequately acclimated to poultry can quickly become as much of or even more of a problem as the rodents you are trying to control. I would personally be careful with this approach unless you have had success with it in the past.

Show Reports Processed

The below listed shows are included in the points update contained in this Newsletter.
All multiple day shows were rounded down to the start date in order to be able to sort them in date order.

Show	Date	Location
Kansas Classic (1 st)	4/12/2008	Oskaloosa, KS
Kansas Classic (2nd)	4/12/2008	Oskaloosa, KS
York County Poultry Fanciers	4/18/2008	York, PA
Missouri State Poultry Assn.(1 st)	4/19/2008	Sedalia, MO
Missouri State Poultry Assn.(2nd)	4/19/2008	Sedalia, MO
Pacific Northwest Poultry Assn.	4/19/2008	Stevenson, WA
Uniontown Poultry & Farm Show	4/19/2008	Dunbar, PA
Washington Feather Fanciers	5/17/2008	Chehalis, WA
Clark County Fair	8/7/2008	Vancouver, WA
Evergreen State Fair	8/26/2008	Monroe, WA
Interior Provincial Exhibition	8/26/2008	No location listed
Western Washington Fair	9/5/2008	Puyallup, WA
ENYSPA	9/28/2008	Cobleskill, NY
Southern Ohio Poultry	10/3/2008	Lucasville, OH
Central Maine	10/5/2008	Windsor, ME
Cowichin Valley Poultry (1 st)	10/10/2008	No location listed
Cowichin Valley Poultry(2 nd)	10/10/2008	No location listed
Brown County Pigeon/Poultry Show	10/11/2008	New Ulm, MN
Southern MO Poultry Club	10/18/2008	Sedalia, MO
York Country Poultry Fanciers	10/25/2008	York, PA
Canadian National	11/1/2008	Abbotsford, BC
Heart of America (1 st)	11/8/2008	Hutchinson, KS
Heart of America (2nd)	11/8/2008	Hutchinson, KS
Anderson All Breed Bantam Show	11/15/2008	Clemson, SC
Gold Coast Classic	11/15/2008	Iverness, FL
Washington Feather Fanciers (Winter Brisk)	12/13/2008	Chehalis, WA
Congress Show	1/17/2009	Springfield, MA
Connecticut Poultry Breeders Society	1/17/2009	Chester, CT
Pacific Poultry Breeders Assn.	1/24/2009	Stockton, CA
Fancy Fowl Club	2/14/2009	Monroe, CA
Friendship Poultry Club	2/14/2009	Morgantown, NC
Chattahoochee Valley Poultry Assn.	2/21/2009	No location listed
Greater California Poultry Show	2/21/2009	Fresno, CA
NE Oklahoma Poultry Show	3/7/2009	Pryor, OK
Unifour	3/7/2009	Salisbury, NC

Delmarva Poultry Fanciers	3/8/2009	Harrington, DE
Carpet City Bantam Club (1 st)	3/14/2009	Dalton, GA
Carpet City Bantam Club (2nd)	3/14/2009	Dalton, GA
North Louisiana Poultry Club	3/14/2009	Haynesville, LA
Cascade Spring Poultry Show	3/21/2009	Monroe
Forsyth Fowl Fanciers Assn.	3/28/2009	Winston-Salem, NC
Spring Show (2nd)	3/28/2009	Idabel, OK
Spring Show (1st)	3/28/2009	Idabel, OK
Carolina Feather Fanciers	4/4/2009	Greensboro, NC
Gateway Show	4/18/2009	Bloomington, IN
Green River Poultry Club	4/18/2009	Brownsville, KY
Missouri State Poultry Assn.(1 st)	4/18/2009	Sedalia, MO
Missouri State Poultry Assn.(2nd)	4/18/2009	Sedalia, MO
Little Rhody Spring Show	4/19/2009	Wyoming, RI
Dayton Feather Fancy	4/25/2009	Greenville, OH
Dayton Feather Fancy Club	4/25/2009	Greenville, OH
Something to Crow About	5/2/2009	Newport, TN
Something to Crow About Poultry Show	5/2/2009	Newport, TN
Central Illini Poultry Club	5/16/2009	Peoria, IL
Kentuckiana Poultry Club	5/16/2009	Shelbyville, KY
Prince Edward Island Spring Show	5/16/2009	Charlottetown
Sussex County Poultry Fanciers	5/16/2009	Augusta, NJ
Southern Ohio Poultry Club	5/23/2009	Lucasville, OH
Central Maine	5/24/2009	Windsor, ME
Boston Poultry Spring Show	5/31/2009	Oxford, MA
Badger Poultry Club Show	6/6/2009	Richmond Center, WI
ILL/MO	6/6/2009	Highland, IL
Finger Lakes Feather Club	6/7/2009	Syracuse, NY
Buckeye Feather Fancy Club	6/13/2009	Canfield, OH
Montgomery Country Birds of a Different Feather	8/6/2009	Skippack, PA
Missouri State Fair	8/13/2009	Sedalia, MO
Oregon State Fair	8/29/2009	Salem, OR
White River Show	9/5/2009	Spencer, IN
Central Carolina Fair	9/11/2009	Greensboro, NC
Western Washington Fair	9/11/2009	Puyallup, WA
Illini Poultry Show	9/12/2009	Belvidere, IL
Twin Tier Poultry Club	9/13/2009	Bath, NY
Wisconsin International Poultry Club	9/26/2009	Portage, WI
ENYSPA	9/27/2009	Cobleskill, NY
Tulsa Fair	10/2/2009	Tulsa, OK
Fall Southern Ohio	10/3/2009	Lucasville, OH
New Castle Poultry Assn.	10/3/2009	New Castle, OK
West Central Wisconsin	10/3/2009	Menomonie, WI
West Central Wisconsin Pigeon/Poultry Club	10/3/2009	Menomonie, WI
Rochester Poultry Assn.	10/4/2009	Mumford, NY
Frazer Valley Winter Poultry Show	10/7/2009	Abbotsford, BC
Central Coast Feather Fanciers	10/10/2009	Paso Robles
Fowl Fest	10/10/2009	Frankenmuth, MI
Green River Poultry Club	10/10/2009	Brownsville, KY
New Hampshire Poultry	10/11/2009	Deerfield, NH
Friendship Poultry Club	10/13/2009	Morgantown, NC
Tulsa State Fair	10/13/2009	Tulsa, OK
Central Indiana Poultry Club	10/17/2009	Lebanon, IN
Missouri State Poultry Assn. (1 st)	10/17/2009	Sedalia, MO
Missouri State Poultry Assn.(2 nd)	10/17/2009	Sedalia, MO
Pacific NW Poultry Assn.	10/17/2009	Stevenson, WA
Pacific NW Poultry Breeders Assn. Winter Classic	10/17/2009	Stevenson, WA
Uniontown Poultry Show	10/17/2009	PA
Little Rhody	10/18/2009	Richmond, RI

Bluegrass Poultry Assn.	10/24/2009	Frankfort, KY
Minnesota State Poultry Assn.	10/24/2009	Hutchinson, MN
Rocky Mountain Feather Fanciers (1 st)	10/24/2009	Henderson, CO
Rocky Mountain Feather Fanciers (2nd)	10/24/2009	Henderson, CO
Sussex County Poultry Fanciers	10/24/2009	NJ
Boston Poultry Expo	11/1/2009	Oxford, MA
Boise Valley Fancy Feather Show	11/7/2009	Caldwell, ID
Heart of Ozark Poultry(1 st show)	11/7/2009	Fayetteville, AR
Heart of Ozark Poultry(2 nd show)	11/7/2009	Fayetteville, AR
Idaho Bird Breeders Assn. Feather Show	11/7/2009	Caldwell, ID
Maryland State Poultry Fanciers Assn.	11/7/2009	Fredrick, MD
Nebraska State Poultry Assn.	11/7/2009	Lincoln, NE
Lawrence County Poultry Club	11/14/2009	Lawrenceburg, TN
Ohio National	11/14/2009	Columbus, OH
Texas Assn. of Exhibition Clubs Show	11/14/2009	Decatur, TX
Virginia Poultry Breeders	11/20/2009	Warrenton, VA
Kansas Classic (2 nd show)	11/21/2009	Hutchinson, KS
Kansas Classic(1 st show)	11/21/2009	Hutchinson, KS
North Louisiana Poultry Club	11/21/2009	Haynesville LA
New England Bantam Show	11/22/2009	Middleboro, MA
Carpet City Bantam Club	11/28/2009	Dalton, GA
Red Hill Bantam Club	11/28/2009	Mt. Carmel, IL
Pacific Coast Bantam Club	12/5/2009	Victorville, CA
Oklahoma State Poultry Federation	12/12/2009	Shawnee, OK
Winter Brisk-WA Feather Fancier	12/12/2009	Chehalis, WA
Florida Sunshine Classic	1/9/2010	Lake City, FL
Cochin International Eastern National	1/16/2010	West Springfield, MA
Gold Coast Poultry Fanciers	1/16/2010	Hollister, CA
NE Georgia Poultry Fanciers Assn.	1/23/2010	Jefferson, GA
South Central Poultry Club	2/13/2010	No location listed
Greater California Show	2/20/2010	Fresno, CA
California Poultry Expo	3/7/2010	Bakersfield, CA

Barred Bantams

Miller, Ken and Bernita	75
Chastain, Maxie	47
Roebuck Jr., Tom	19
McGehee, Fred	16
Carlson, Annamay	10
Anderson, Charles	7
Delaney Family	5
Burgess, John	4
Gantt, Judy	4
M & M Exhibition Poultry	4
Yobst Family, Jay	3
Ray, Otes	2
Isler, Sandy	1
McCammon, Matt	1
Vosburg, Doris	1

Barred Large Fowl

Koch, Rita	1
------------	---

Birchen Bantams

Hagler, Chuck	29
Vosburg, Doris	17
Tobias, Linda	12
Burgess, John	10
Miller, Ken and Bernita	9
Smith, Jay	5
Carlson, Annamay	4
Between the Rivers	3
Rau, Karl & Sharon	2
Risner, Natalie & Tobin	2
Yobst Family, Jay	1

Black Bantams

Peterson, Larry and Mark	1106
Mazur, Joe	1023
Ray, Otes	855
Gantt, Judy	754
Anderson, Charles	690
Miller, Ken and Bernita	677
Ziehm, William	516
Baldwin, Tim and Sandra	422
Burgess, John	415
Rhodes, Robert	349
Holt, Donald	335
Chastain, Maxie	325
Carroll, H. Craig	321
Delaney Family	321
Matts, Jamie	296
Mac-Harp Poultry	288
Butler, Sheryl	286
Geis, Mike	284
Bucella Family, Paul and	263
Lacey, Pat	244
McGehee, Fred	233
Yobst Family, Jay	227
Rau, Norman	211

Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	208
Roebuck Jr., Tom	194
Estlack Family	176
Rau, Karl & Sharon	176
Currens, Jimmie	158
Truedson, Doddie & Dean	157
McCullough, Shari	144
Gallagher, Kevin and Donna	139
Jones, Brad	138
Rock Hill Poultry	130
Sirriner, William T.	130
McCammon, Matt	123
Church, Gerald	115
Blackman, Linda	96
Griner, Martha Ann	89
Tucker, Anthony & Kathy	87
Hamilton, Alan	84
Johnson Family Cochins	81
Henzel, Jake	79
Beauchamp Bantams	75
Purser, Sonny	68
DiNatale, John	66
Lewis, William D.	64
Carothers, Robert	63
Maas, Hans	61
McGee, Bill	59
Vosburg, Doris	59
West, William	58
Best, Ed and Marjorie	56
Dlugatch, Harvey	56
Musser, William	54
Hune, Joe	53
Garrett, Bo & Cassy	51
Ahlman, Shannon	47
Wollard, Dennis	45
Photiou, James	41
McGuire, Marty	40
Sorenson, Andrea	40
Hagler, Chuck	39
Read, Spencer	39
Linton, Mike, Jenny & Tate	30
Ebbinghausen, Debbie	24
Rutherford Family, Don & Sue	24
Hamilton, Pam	21
Hawes Family	19
Holzhueter Family	17
Top Shelf Blacks	17
Helvey, Bryant	16
Affleck Family	15
Risner, Natalie & Tobin	14
Kalinski, Starlene & Ginger	13
Ryan, C. William	13
Bailey, Oscar	12
Terry, Laura	10
Neff, John T.	9
Martin, Rita	8
Lynch, Cole	7
Parker, Kimberly	7
Hansen, Craig	6
Michalski Family, Rosemary	6
Prince, Erika	6
St. Amour, Kay	6

Gregory Family	5
Isler, Sandy	5
K&J Poultry	5
Koch, Rita	5
Berquist, Scott, Connie,	4
Robinson, Bruce D.	4
Abbitt, Fred	3
Bostrom, Nancy	3
Gentry, Casey	3
Hobbs, Katherine	3
Hylkema, Heidi	3
Wollam, Bobby	3
Schall, Brian 12/07	2
Erdman, Jake	1
Hausmann, Ray	1
Jones, Danny & Powell, Pat	1
Minnich, Elton & Jeannie	1
Orlowski, Sara	1

Black Frizzle Bantam

Butler, Sheryl	78
Clark, Amanda	16
Truedson, Doddie & Dean	13
Henzel, Jake	11
Schmalfeldt, Jeff & Michelle	9
Terry, Laura	8
Gantt, Judy	7
Parker, Kimberly	6
Between the Rivers Poultry	5
Hamilton, Pam	5
Robinson, Bruce D.	4
Bailey, Oscar	2
Hartzell, Katie	2
McCullough, Shari	2
Chickadee Farm	1
Hill, Rachel	1
Hylkema, Heidi	1
Johnson Family Cochins	1

Black Large Fowl

Church, Gerald	478
Sorenson, Andrea	276
Watford, Ray	264
St. Amour, Kay	251
Mac-Harp Poultry	237
Smith, Beth & Jerry	225
Thyssen & Brown	165
Carothers, Robert	144
Schilter, Anton	129
West, William	129
Vosburg, Doris	106
Doerr, Roland	104
Ryan, C. William	95

Hylkema, Heidi	89
Matts, Jamie	89
Garrett, Bo & Cassy	61
Homer, Paul and Jean	44
Risner, Natalie & Tobin	34
Koch, Rita	25
Wollard, Dennis	24
Nelson, Thomas & Darlene	21
Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	18
Klehr, Rick	18
Rutherford Family	18
Krueger, Jack	15
Roebuck Jr., Tom	15
DiNatale, John	12
Miller, Ken and Bernita	12
Dlugatch, Harvey	9
Best, Ed and Marjorie	7
Bucella Family, Paul and Loretta	7
Schroeder, Richard	7
Yobst Family, Jay	7
Marsinko, Andy	6
Iurato, Jeff	5
Berquist, Scott, Connie,	4
Chickadee Farm	4
Gregory Family	4
Orlowski, Sara	4
Rice, Tom and Pat	4
Springer, Vernon and	4
Affleck Family	3
Gallagher, Kevin and	3
Minnich, Elton & Jeannie	3
Rowe Jr., Kenneth	3
Armstrong, Christopher	2
K&B Poultry	2
Frederick, Jeff & Denise	1
Jones, Danny & Powell, Pat	1
Lehman, Christine	1
Warren, Garrett	1

Blue Bantams

Isler, Sandy	501
Anderson, Charles	285
Mazur, Joe	187
Rau, Norman	170
Maas, Hans	146
Yobst Family, Jay	88
Hendzel, Jake	73
Butler, Sheryl	64
Rau, Karl & Sharon	62
Lewis, William D.	53
Miller, Ken and Bernita	51
Risner, Natalie & Tobin	50
Holt, Donald	49
McCammon, Matt	47
M & M Exhibition Poultry	44
Carlson, Annamay	33
McGuire, Marty	28
Vosburg, Doris	23
Park, Don and Linda	22
Hartzell, Caitlyn	20
McCullough, Shari	17

Matts, Jamie	15
Gantt, Judy	14
House, Mike and Jocelyn	14
Dlugatch, Harvey	13
Hausmann, Ray	13
Hawes, Robert	13
Helvey, Bryant	13
Hylkema, Heidi	12
McGehee, Fred	12
Affleck Family	11
Alloway, John	11
Carroll, H. Craig	11
Truedson, Doddie & Dean	11
Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	10
Ray, Otes	10
Estlack Family	9
Between the Rivers Poultry	8
Best, Ed and Marjorie	4
Blackman, Linda	4
Hagler, Chuck	4
Koch, Rita	4
Prince, Erika	4
Tobias, Linda	4
Ahlman, Shannon	3
Robinson, Bruce D.	3
Sorenson, Andrea	3
Livingston, Gavin	2
Michalski Family, Rosemary	2
Minnich, Elton & Jeannie	2
Orlowski, Sara	2
Roebuck Jr., Tom	2
St. Amour, Kay	2
Bostrom, Nancy	1
Lehman, Christine	1

Blue Frizzle Bantams

Hendzel, Jake	26
Between the Rivers Poultry	5
Gantt, Judy	3
Butler, Sheryl	1
Hartzell, Caitlyn	1
Hylkema, Heidi	1

Blue Large Fowl

Smith, Beth & Jerry	66
St. Amour, Kay	37
Marsinko, Andy	30
Doerr, Roland	29
Hylkema, Heidi	18
Vosburg, Doris	18
Garrett, Bo & Cassy	13
Thyssen & Brown	12
Smith, Jay	11
Springer, Vernon and Ruby	9
Schroeder, Richard	6
Rice, Tom and Pat	4
Sorenson, Andrea	3
Warren, Garrett	3
Armstrong, Christopher	2

Barca, John	2
Between the Rivers Poultry	2
Minnich, Elton & Jeannie	2
Rutherford Family, Don &	2
Yobst Family, Jay	2
Dlugatch, Harvey	1

Brown Red Bantams

Hagler, Chuck	79
Carroll, H. Craig	70
Ziehm, William	52
Anderson, Charles	22
McCammon, Matt	11
Carlson, Annamay	10
Rau, Karl & Sharon	4
Bishop, Doug and Theresa	2
McGuire, Marty	2
Miller, Ken and Bernita	2
Yobst Family, Jay	2

Brown Red Large

Rice, Tom and Pat	4
-------------------	---

Buff Bantams

Hawes, Robert	348
Bishop, Doug and Theresa	296
Peterson, Larry and Mark	227
Ziehm, William	178
Thompson, Ed	147
Lamb, Donna	130
Roebuck Jr., Tom	85
Holt, Donald	75
Stephenson, Don	65
Abbitt, Fred	64
Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	60
Rau, Norman	53
Miller, Ken and Bernita	50
Church, Gerald	47
McGehee, Fred	23
Carlson, Annamay	18
Helvey, Bryant	18
Yobst Family, Jay	18
Ray, Otes	15
Tytler, Norm & Diane	14
Lightfoot, Robert	12
Minnich, Elton & Jeannie	12
Beauchamp Bantams	11
M & M Exhibition Poultry	11
Rau, Karl & Sharon	10
Meyer, Carl	8

Truedson, Doddie & Dean	8
Lewis, William D.	7
Anderson, Charles	6
Estlack Family	6
Wollard, Dennis	6
Gantt, Judy	5
Matts, Jamie	5
Nave, Eddie & Joan	5
Ahlman, Shannon	2
Best, Ed and Marjorie	2
Christie, Michael	2
Dlugatch, Harvey	2
Prince, Erika	2
Affleck Family	1

Buff Large Fowl

West, William	563
Peterson, Larry and Mark	276
Mac-Harp Poultry	197
Roebuck Jr., Tom	94
Marsinko, Andy	67
Church, Gerald	44
Doerr, Roland	34
Tytler, Norm & Diane	29
Matts, Jamie	26
Bucella Family, Paul and	24
Wollard, Dennis	21
Klehr, Rick	16
Barca, John	14
Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	12
Affleck Family	10
Vosburg, Doris	10
Best, Ed and Marjorie	8
Rice, Tom and Pat	5
Thompson, Ed	5
Dlugatch, Harvey	4
Gallagher, Kevin and Donna	4
Stuart, David	4
Carothers, Robert	3
Frederick, Jeff & Denise	3
Hylkema, Heidi	3
Thyssen & Brown	3
Homer, Paul and Jean	2
Lynch, Cole	2
Jones, Danny & Powell, Pat	1
Koch, Rita	1
Maas, Hans	1
Rowe Jr., Kenneth	1
Smith, Jay	1

Columbian Bantams

Rau, Karl & Sharon	16
Robinson, Bruce D.	16
Miller, Ken and Bernita	15
Yobst Family, Jay	8
Roebuck Jr., Tom	4
Estlack Family	2
Hamilton, Pam	2
Hawes, Robert	2

Wollard, Dennis	2
-----------------	---

Golden Laced Bantams

Miller, Ken and Bernita	11
Lacey, Pat	8
Vosburg, Doris	8
Carlson, Annamay	6
Wollard, Dennis	2

Golden Laced Large Fowl

Rice, Tom and Pat	3
-------------------	---

Mottled Bantams

Gantt, Judy	707
McCammon, Matt	530
Mazur, Joe	369
Matts, Jamie	169
Marsinko, Andy	83
McGuire, Marty	67
Ahlman, Shannon	65
Rau, Norman	60
Rau, Karl & Sharon	53
Miller, Ken and Bernita	45
Maas, Hans	23
McGehee, Fred	22
St. Amour, Kay	17
Carlson, Annamay	11
Butler, Sheryl	10
Carothers, Robert	9
Hylkema, Heidi	9
Affleck Family	7
Anderson, Charles	7
Ray, Otes	5
Michalski Family, Rosemary	3
Between the Rivers Poultry	2
Gallagher, Kevin and Donna	2
Johnson Family Cochins	2
Park, Don and Linda	2
Schilter, Anton	2
Thyssen & Brown	2
Vosburg, Doris	2
Bell, Corey & Shannon	1
Holt, Donald	1
Livingston, Gavin	1
Yobst Family, Jay	1

Mottled Frizzle Bantams

Marsinko, Andy	9
----------------	---

Mottled Large Fowl

Minnich, Elton & Jeannie	21
Hylkema, Heidi	8
Thyssen & Brown	7
Yobst Family, Jay	6
Matts, Jamie	3
McCammon, Matt	3
St. Amour, Kay	3

Partridge Bantams

Miller, Ken and Bernita	42
Carlson, Annamay	23
Ahlman, Shannon	15
Beauchamp Bantams	15
Roebuck Jr., Tom	12
McCammon, Matt	11
Maas, Hans	6
Vosburg, Doris	4
Matts, Jamie	1
Yobst Family, Jay	1

Partridge Large Fowl

Barczewski, Rich	152
St. Amour, Kay	48
Mac-Harp Poultry	21
Carothers, Robert	6
Roebuck Jr., Tom	6
Carlson, Annamay	5
Homer, Paul and Jean	4
Best, Ed and Marjorie	2
Smith, Jay	2
Thibault, Roger	2
Buttram Poultry	1
Carlson, Deborah	1
Rice, Tom and Pat	1

Red Bantams

Carlson, Annamay	39
Miller, Ken and Bernita	10
Hamilton, Pam	1

Red Large Fowl

Rice, Tom and Pat	14
-------------------	----

Silver Laced Bantams

Carlson, Annamay	30
Estlack Family	4
Ray, Otes	2

Silver Laced Large Fowl

Rice, Tom and Pat	10
-------------------	----

Sil. Penciled Bantams

Bishop, Doug and Theresa	4
Yobst Family, Jay	4
Truedson, Doddie & Dean	2
Miller, Ken and Bernita	1

Splash Bantams

Isler, Sandy	7
Mazur, Joe	7
Lewis, William D.	6
Anderson, Charles	5
Carlson, Annamay	5
House, Mike and Jocelyn	5
Henzel, Jake	4
Rau, Karl & Sharon	4
Rau, Norman	4
Vosburg, Doris	4
Gantt, Judy	2
Hylkema, Heidi	2
McCullough, Shari	2
McGehee, Fred	2
Miller, Ken and Bernita	2
Truedson, Doddie & Dean	2
Yobst Family, Jay	2
Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	1
Best, Ed and Marjorie	1
Livingston, Gavin	1

Splash Frizzle Bantams

Yobst Family, Jay	1
-------------------	---

Splash Large Fowl

Smith, Beth & Jerry	35
Marsinko, Andy	7
St. Amour, Kay	6

White Bantams

Lacey, Pat	1934
Gantt, Judy	889
Currens, Jimmie	762
Mazur, Joe	573
Robinson, Bruce D.	572
Miller, Ken and Bernita	384
Lamb, Donna	362
Sirrine, William T.	297
Chastain, Maxie	281
Burgess, John	280
Hamilton, Pam	248
Bucella Family, Paul and	243
Yobst Family, Jay	226
Purser, Sonny	215
Best, Ed and Marjorie	207
McGehee, Fred	205
Vosburg, Doris	202
Beauchamp Bantams	190
Truedson, Doddie & Dean	165
Mac-Harp Poultry	149
Michael, Greg & Christy	131
Matts, Jamie	119

Ray, Otes	110
Jones, Brad	104
Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	100
Carothers, Robert	89
Gallagher, Kevin and	88
Rau, Norman	88
Roebuck Jr., Tom	82
Baldwin, Tim and Sandra	76
Tucker, Anthony & Kathy	68
McCullough, Shari	61
Linton, Mike, Jenny &	52
Ziehm, William	49
Hylkema, Heidi	48
Rau, Karl & Sharon	46
Photiou, James	41
Rutherford Family, Don &	32
Butler, Sheryl	31
Musser, William	27
Anderson, Charles	26
St. Amour, Kay	25
Estlack Family	22
Holt, Donald	18
Read, Spencer	17
Catt, Dennis	14
Hamilton, Alan	14
Affleck Family	13
Johnson Family Cochins	13
Thompson, Ed	11
Orlowski, Sara	9
Church, Gerald	6
K&J Poultry	6
Lynch, Cole	6
McGuire, Marty	6
McCammon, Matt	5
Delaney Family	4
Hune, Joe	4
Krueger, Jack	3
Carlson, Annamay	2
Hartzell, Caitlyn	2
Hawes, Robert	2
Livingston, Gavin	2
Risner, Natalie & Tobin	2
Schall, Brian 12/07	2
Shrader, Beany	2
Thyssen & Brown	2
Bailey, Oscar	1
DiNatale, John	1
Dlugatch, Harvey	1
Gentry, Casey	1
Hobbs, Katherine	1
Lehman, Christine	1
Schweiger, Cody	1

White Frizzle

Johnson Family Cochins	53
Butler, Sheryl	47
Truedson, Doddie & Dean	18
Between the Rivers	15
Vosburg, Doris	8
Risner, Natalie & Tobin	6
Robinson, Bruce D.	6
Schilter, Anton	4
Yobst Family, Jay	4
Gantt, Judy	2
Mazur, Joe	2
Parker, Kimberly	2
Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	1
Bell, Corey & Shannon	1
Chickadee Farm	1

White Large Fowl

Mac-Harp Poultry	268
Roebuck Jr., Tom	114
St. Amour, Kay	95
Homer, Paul and Jean	68
Klehr, Rick	43
Doerr, Roland	35
Church, Gerald	28
Vosburg, Doris	23
Aldrich, Kim & Kendra	11
Carothers, Robert	11
Schilter, Anton	8
Lynch, Cole	7
West, William	7
Hamilton, Alan	6
Iurato, Jeff	5
Koch, Rita	5
Thyssen & Brown	5
Yobst Family, Jay	5
Best, Ed and Marjorie	4
Marsinko, Andy	4
Rice, Tom and Pat	2
Chickadee Farm	1
DiNatale, John	1
Garrett, Bo & Cassy	1
Hylkema, Heidi	1

President

Tom Roebuck
23641 Old Mill Rd
Unionville, VA 22567

Vice President

Shannon Ahlman
2805 S Gunbarell
Grand Isle NE 68801

Secretary-Treasurer

Jamie Matts
283 ST HWY 235
Harpursville, NY 13787

Directors

Northeast I

Donna Lamb
208 Center Street
Groveland, MA 01834

Northeast II

Richard Barczewski
6827 Underwood Corner Road
Smyra, DE 19977

Southeast

Judy Gantt
701 Casar Lawndale Road
Lawndale, NC 28090

Pacific

Bill McGee
74027 London Road
Cottage Grove, OR 97424

Southwest

Bernita Miller
300 North Franklin
Windsor MO 65360

West Central

Roland Doerr
12666 Brickyard Road
Shakopee, MN 55379

North Central

Matt McCammon
2890s 275W
Bloomfield, IN 47424

Canada

Paul Homer
RR4
Fergus, Ontario NIM 2W5

International

John Burgess
10738 Harley Road
Mason Neck, VA 22079

Membership Chair

Matt McCammon
2890s 275W
Bloomfield, IN 47424

Newsletter

Lisa Clark
PO Box 331
Northfield, VT 05663