

**Birds of a Feather Avicultural Society (10/28/2006) - Bedford, NH****Judge: Gary Morgan****Exhibitors: 12****Entries: 100**

<u>Place</u>	<u>Love Birds</u>	<u>Best in Division</u>	<u>Band Number</u>
1	Australian Cinnamon Violet	Frank Horan	LBS KTF 04 011
2	Yellowfaced Seagreen	Linna Reusmann	LBS LLR 04 107
3	Green Pied	Fred & Linda Buckley	LBS FBL 02 217
4	Black-cheeked	Blake Ma	LBS AAA 03R 075
5	Dilute Green Fischer's	Bob & Jessica Miller	LBS AAC 04 152
6	Orangefaced Australian Cinnamon	Tara Horan	LBS KTF 04 003
7	Green Pied	Fred & Linda Buckley	LBS FBL 04 424
8	Green Opaline	Blake Ma	LBS GMA 05 026
9	Orangefaced Green Opaline	Bob & Jessica Miller	LBS Z1 05 116
10	Green	Katy Secor	LBS KMS 00 001
11	Orangefaced Australian Cinnamon	Bob & Jessica Miller	LBS LLA 05 109
12	Abbyssinian Hen	Jim & Janet Landvater	LBS 17L 06 104
13	Medium Dilute Blue Masked	Blake Ma	LBS AAC 99 236
14	Seagreen	Tara Horan	LBS TCH 04 001
15	American Cinnamon Longfeathered	Blake Ma	LBS LUV 06 001
Best Novice	Green	Laurel Mills	No Band
Best Unflighted	Abbyssinian Hen (12)	Jim & Janet Landvater	LBS 17L 06 104
Judge's Special	Black-cheeked (4)	Blake Ma	LBS AAA 03R 075
Champions			
2	Whitefaced Medium Violet	Tara Horan	LBS KTF 03 001
10	Whitefaced Violet	Frank Horan	LBS KTF 03 016

The show was the first day of a BOAF/NELEA Double Show. Most of the NELEA members turned out in force to support. Even Blake & Betty Ma drove 18 hours from IL. Wow!! We had birds in all the sections. Most all were in prime condition just weeks before the National.

I was really impressed with the markings on the Green Pieds. You could not ask for more symmetrical

markings. We also saw a wide variety of Opaline and peachfaced in general.

I always appreciate coming to this show. Not just because of the fresh lobster but the hospitality is second to none.

Birds of a Feather Avicultural Society (10/29/2006) - Bedford, NH

Judge: Dave Arthur

Exhibitors: 8

Entries: 91

<u>Place</u>	<u>Love Birds</u>	<u>Best in Division</u>	<u>Band Number</u>
1	Orangefaced Green Opaline	Bob & Jessica Miller	LBS Z1 05 116
2	Abbyssinian Hen	Jim & Janet Landvater	LBS 17L 06 104
3	Medium Green	Blake Ma	LBS GMA 05 019
4	Orangefaced Medium Australian Cinnamon	Bob & Jessica Miller	LBS LLA 05 109
5	Whitefaced Violet Fallow	Blake Ma	LBS RKT 05 019
6	Black-cheeked	Blake Ma	LBS AAA 03 075
7	Australian Cinnamon Violet	Frank Horan	LBS KTF 04 011
8	Green Pied	Fred & Linda Buckley	LBS FBL 02 217
9	Medium Dilute Blue Masked	Blake Ma	LBS AAC 99 236
10	Orangefaced Medium Green	Blake Ma	LBS LLR 05 212
11	Whitefaced Violet Pied	Linna Reusmann	LBS LLR 04 125
12	Abyssinian Male	Jim & Janet Landvater	LBS 17L 06 103
13	American Cinnamon	Blake Ma	LBS DB 03 014
14	Orangefaced Australian Cinnamon	Tara Horan	LBS KTF 04 003
Best Novice	None		
Best Unflighted	Abyssinian Hen (2)	Jim & Janet Landvater	LBS 17L 06 104
Judge's Special	Whitefaced Violet Fallow (5)	Blake Ma	LBS RKT 05 019
Champions			
2	Whitefaced Violet	Frank Horan	LBS KTF 03 016
8	Orangefaced Australian Cinnamon	Frank Horan	LBS KTF 01 004
9	Whitefaced Medium Violet	Tara Horan	LBS KTF 03 001

Thank you all for your help at the NELEA show hall in Manchester, NH 10-20-06. Katie Secor secretary, Gary Morgan for stewarding, Frank Horan for answering questions and putting up with one and all 8 exhibitors who brought their 91 birds. The weather was not very cooperative because it rained all weekend, but the North East is very beautiful with fall and the changing colors of the trees end as always the seafood

was extraordinary.

The overall condition of the birds was a little off hurt there was a fine group of birds to judge and I enjoyed the friendly atmosphere of Manchester.

And Orangefaced Opaline took division winner and though not the largest bird it was in excellent feather and had good markings for an opaline. A young Abbysinian female took 2nd place by Janet Landvater - and she also placed a young male in 12th place. Blake & Betty Ma placed 6 in the top 14: a Medium Green in 3rd and an extra nice fallow in 5th which I gave the Judge's Special Award. It was nice to see the fallow make a showing after several years absent from the show circuit. It was not in the best feather but had excellent conformation and deportment. Blake's black-cheeked took 6th, and I found out later has made champion this year. Frank Horan had a nice Violet Australian Cinnamon at 7th place. Linna Reusmann had a nice sized Whitefaced Violet Pied at 11th. Tara Horan rounded out the top 14 with an Orangefaced Australian Cinnamon. 3 Champions were shown with Frank's Whitefaced Violet taking 2nd overall.

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