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Canary and Finch Society All Bird Club



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📕 Hello CFS,

An All Bird Club

CFS, we were able to get our whole schedule at Sheraton this year even our 28th Annual Show October 14, 2023. It will be just a show to enjoy the judging. Expo will be

held on September 9th. You will find the Calendar of Events on page 6. We hope to line up a good schedule of speakers, as well. More information to come soon. I hope to see you soon!

Our meetings, show, and expos will be at the Sheraton North Houston at George Bush Intercontinental.

15700 John F Kennedy Blvd, Houston, TX 77032

Treasurer Report January 2023

February 2023

Beginning Balance	\$7,468.89
Income	1,558.92
Expense	8.33
Balance on hand	\$8,558.92

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Lisa

CFS 28th Annual Fall Show October 14, 2023

CFS is working hard to put our 28th Show together. Get your birds ready and lets have some competition and fun with our birds. Type Judge -Finch Judge -

Color Judge -Parrots Judge - Clarence Culwell <u>In conjunction with CFS</u> Budgies - Steve Higgins Cockatiel - Bert McAulay More information in the soon! Hope to see you soon!

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75th NATIONAL BIRD SHOW "YOUR SHOW OF SHOWS" November 2023

- "Your Show of Shows" Venue will be announced along with the date of the show after the Spring 2023 meeting!
- If you would like to help the NCBS to move the show, go to www.ncbs.org and donate today. NCBS needs your help to move the show further east of Tulsa. We also have new officers on the BOD and looking forward to the future of the National.



Egg Food Recipe For Breeding Pairs and Babies

5 lbs. Egg food Abba 92 & Abba 97 2 1/2 lbs. each

18 boiled eggs (boil for 20 minutes) peel and blend in food processor

- 1 lb. carrots (finely blended)
- 2 broccoli crowns (finely blended)
- 5 apples (cored and blended)
- 2 cups bee pollen (bulkfoods.com)
- 3 tbl. Abba DTS2000 (for E-coli prevention from abbaseed.com)
- 3 tsp. Probiotics Avi-Culture (nationalbirddesigns.com) Walmart also carries it.
- 3 tsp. Breeders Blend (morningbirdproducts.com)

Mix well.

Refrigerate the amount you will use in 3 days and freeze the rest in 3 day size container amounts. Shake it well each time you use the daily amount to keep bacteria from forming.

I begin feeding this about a month before breeding season and continue until every baby is eating well on its own. Early June usually. Add a bit of greens three times a week. I use chickweed and lettuce that I grow. Thereafter, I continue to feed the dry egg food along with a canary seed mix, song food, herb salad, and minerals. This formula has been very successful for me for 35 years so I hope that you have a great breeding season and many more to come.

Dorothy Eggers

Light Schedule for Canaries

CANARY BREEDING LIGHT SCHEDULE

Date	Hours	Time	
December 7	11½	7:00 - 6:30	
December 14	12	7:00 - 7:00	
January 5	13 (pair birds)	7:00 - 8:00	
January 17	131⁄2	7:00 - 8:30	
February 5	14	7:00 - 9:00	
February 17	141⁄2	7:00 - 9:30	
March 5	15	6:30 - 9:30	
March 17	15½	6:00 - 9:30	
April 5	15.5	6:00 - 9:30	
April 17	15 ¼	6:00 - 9:15	
May 6	15	6:00 - 9:00	
May 17	14	6:00 - 8:00	
June 5	13 ½	6:00 - 7:30	
June 17	13	6:00 - 7:00	
July 5	12 ½	6:00 - 6:30	
July 17	12	6:00 - 6:00	
August 5	11 ½	6:30 - 6:00	
August 17	11	7:00 - 6:00	
September 5	10 1⁄2	7:00 - 5:30	
September 17	10	7:00 - 5:00	
October 5	9 1/2	7:00 - 4:30	
October 17	9	7:00 - 4:00	
November 5	10 ¼	7:00 - 5:15	
November 17	10 ½	7:00 - 5:30	



Lisa's Egg Food Recipe

- 2 cups of Commercial egg food
- 1 pan of fresh cooked corn bread (greens peas and white corn added)
- 2 TBS. Ferti Cal (Avio Med product) www.jedds.com
- 1 tsp poppy seed (good for sour stomach for adult birds and babies)

1 TBS. coconut oil (coconut oil is a natural fungicide & helps keep babies fat. Texas is humid)

1 apple blended

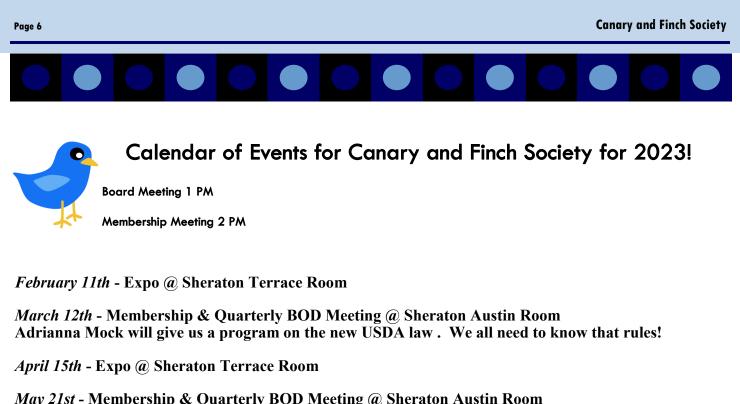
1/4 cup cooked hulled organic buckwheat (bulkfoods.com) I buy it at a greek restaurant that sells products!

1/4 cup cooked quinoa

1 tsp of Nekton MSA

Break the combread up and blend well. I also add fresh frozen peas to the mix and then serve. This last a couple of days and then make again. I have used this recipe for years and years with my parrots and canaries. I have changed it using different ingredients but mostly has stayed the same. Sometimes I use Teff seeds in the mix. Teff just gives the birds good over all health. I add it to my 25 lb. seed mix. I have heard that it is good for coccidia.

This is the time to begin conditioning your birds for the breeding season. Supplements, calcium and minerals, good food and greens. One very important thing to remember, in the case of calcium (and some vitamins), a lot is not better. Too much calcium can impose a hardship on birds kidneys causing serious health issues. They also need Vitamin D3 to utilize the calcium they receive in their diet. Also, check your light sources to be sure you are using full spectrum bulbs and that they are not in need of replacement. They may still be lighting the area, but after a period of time, are no longer emitting the beneficial spectrum your birds need to stay healthy. I change out 1 bulb of the 2 bulb fixtures once a year. That way they are getting good healthy light.



May 21st - Membership & Quarterly BOD Meeting @ Sheraton Austin Room

June 11th - Meeting @ Sheraton Austin Room

July 9th - Membership & Expo @ Sheraton Terrace Room @ Sheraton Austin Room

August 13th - Meeting @ Sheraton Austin Room

September 9th - Expo @ Sheraton Terrace Room & Quarterly **Board Meeting**

October 14th - 28th CFS Show Stephen Austin Ballroom, Terrace, and 2 rooms on 2nd Floor

November - National Bird Show

December 10th - Christmas Celebration @ Sheraton Austin room.



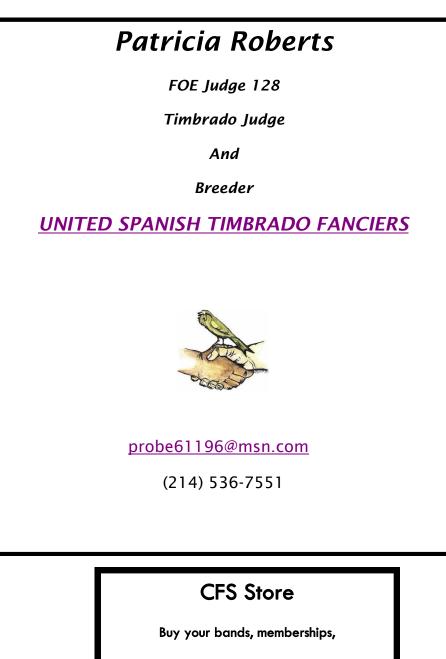
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The Canary and Finch Society



28th Annual Fall Show October 14, 2023

Sheraton North Houston at George Bush Intercontinental

15700 John F Kennedy Blvd, Houston, TX 77032

Room Rate \$89 before taxes

Mention Canary and Finch Society of Texas for room rate!

REGISTRATION 7 AM - 8:30 AM

JUDGING 9 AM - 3 PM

SHOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC Entry into Show Hall \$6 10 and under Free Show Bird Entry Fee: \$5 with \$80 Cap Judges: Finch - Color - Type - Parrots (NAPS)

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About Our Organization

The Canary and Finch Society is a non-profit educational organization. Our purpose is to promote all caged birds, particularly the canary and finch, through educational programs, group discussions, publications, fairs, and bird shows. We meet on the second Sunday each month at 2:00 PM. Except on Mother's Day!