

Canary and Finch Society



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An All Bird Club

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Canary and Finch Society next meeting To Be Determined!

When we start Membership meetings again, we will meet at the Sheraton North Houston at George Bush Intercontinental 15700 John F. Kennedy Boulevard Houston, Texas 77032

The CFS Board will start planning soon the Spring Show and the Fall Show. We will also try to start having meetings again especially the Swap and Shops which everyone loves. We will just have to see how the year 2021 will be to all of us. Hopefully, things will get better and normal. Keep praying that things get better.

Treasurer Report

Beginning Balance	\$
Income	\$
Expense	\$
Balance on hand	\$6,783.71

The company that is making the bands told Regina that they had a problem with the labor due to Covid. They will be sent ASAP as soon as they arrive in the US.

If you haven't already paid your dues, you can either pay by mail or Pay Pal. There is a membership form in this Newsletter.



Merry Christmas

CFS Annual Spring Bird Mart April 2021

Our CFS April Bird Mart will hopefully be sometime in April. Your CFS Board has been working to secure a location. So, we will keep in touch and let you know where it will be and the date in April. This new

year will hopefully be better for getting together. We are planning for upcoming meetings starting in January. Take care and stay safe. See you soon.
Merry Christmas



Lady Gouldians Finches



In the wild, Gouldian finches generally make their nests in tree holes and they breed in the early part of the dry season, when plenty of food is available. In captivity, they usually nest in finch nest boxes or covered wicker baskets.

The male courtship dance is a fascinating spectacle. When a male is courting a female, he bobs about ruffling his feathers to show off his colors. He expands his chest and fluffs out his forehead feathers. After mating, a female lays a clutch of about 4–8 eggs. Both parents help brood the eggs during the daytime, and the female stays on the eggs at night. When the eggs hatch, both parents help care for the young. Gouldian Finches leave the nest at between 19 and 23 days and are independent at 40 days old.

Young Gouldians are very fragile until their final moult. Some breeders believe parent-raised Gouldians have greater success rearing young than those fostered by other species, such as society or spice finches.

It has been shown scientifically that female finches from Northern Australia are controlling the sex of their offspring, according to the head color of their male counterpart. Gouldian Finches are incompatible with Gouldian Finches with a different head color and mating with a Gouldian Finch with the wrong head color (black-head with red-head etc.) usually has fatal results for the chicks — female chicks especially will die, while male chicks have a better chance of survival. Therefore, with a wrong head color mating, the female will lay fewer eggs with more male offspring.

Gouldians do have a higher protein and iodine requirement than Zebras and other of the more common Finches. This is commonly overlooked. We offer our Goulds five different treat cups. One with Herb salad, one with powdered kelp (iodine), one with Petamine (vit/min. supplement) and one with bird charcoal. Spray millet is also given on reg. basis. We also give "homemade eggfood with broccoli tops and grated carrot and wheat germ oil and eggshell mixed in 3 x per week to non-breeders and every day to those with babies or Juvies coloring up."

Also prevent air sac mites by treating with SCATT 2-3 times a year.

We breed our Goulds in box type cages (solid walls with wire only on the front). This gives pairs more privacy. We offer the pairs (one pair per breeding cage) a Gourd nest and a nest box. Most pick the Gourds. Temps in our aviary range from 60 degrees (coldest) to 100 degrees (warmest). We always offer a heat lamp on one side of the aviary for Juvies and this stays on 24/7 even during summer...also doubles as a dim night light."



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Bird Marts 2021

TBA



The 72nd National Bird Show

“Your Show of Shows”

TBD

Show Hotel
To Be Announced
So Stay Tuned!



Calendar of Events for Canary and Finch Society for 2020!

To Be Announced! Sadly, we have had no Programs or meetings since the Covid 19 Pandemic. CFS is going to try and have programs ready for 2021!



Membership Information 2021

MEMBERSHIP

Membership dues are \$25/single or \$30/dual

DATE:
mm/dd/yyyy

NAME 1: First MI Last

NAME 2: First MI Last

ADDRESS:

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ ALT. PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

Your Avicultural Interests: (Please ALL that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> African Grey	<input type="checkbox"/> Cockatiels	<input type="checkbox"/> Lorikeets	<input type="checkbox"/> Parakeets	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Amazons	<input type="checkbox"/> Cockatoos	<input type="checkbox"/> Doves	<input type="checkbox"/> Parrots	
<input type="checkbox"/> Budgies	<input type="checkbox"/> Conures	<input type="checkbox"/> Eclectus	<input type="checkbox"/> Pionus	
<input type="checkbox"/> Caiques	<input type="checkbox"/> Finches	<input type="checkbox"/> Lovebirds	<input type="checkbox"/> Quail	
<input type="checkbox"/> Canaries	<input type="checkbox"/> Lories	<input type="checkbox"/> Macaws	<input type="checkbox"/> Rosella	

Full Release of all Claims:

In condition of my participation in the Canary & Finch Society and any and all events, I, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, do hereby fully and finally wave, release, and hold, the Canary & Finch Society and their respective directors, officers, employees, members, agents and any other persons, from any and all responsibility, liability, claims, causes of action, injuries, judgments or damages of any nature whatsoever, including but not limited to, any personal injuries I might suffer, directly or indirectly, resulting from any participation in, or travel to and from the aforesaid activity. I acknowledge that I am agreeing in the aforesaid activity, and knowingly the release, at my insistence, and request and that I voluntarily do so without concern whatsoever.

SIGNATURES & DATE: 1. _____ 2. _____

ADVERTISING

NEWSLETTER (Published Monthly)

Full Page (8" x 10") \$80/year ½ Page (7"x 5¼") \$45/year 2"x3 ½" \$15/year

SHOW CATALOGUE (Published Annually)

Full Page (4" x 5") \$25 Inside Covers \$50 Outside Back Cover \$60 ½ Page (4" x 3½") \$15
 2" x 1½" \$10

SPONSORSHIPS: Division \$40+ 4 Sections \$40+ 1 Section \$10
+ includes a free Full Page ad in Catalogue

BANDS

Your membership dues must be current to order Canary & Finch Society bands.

Bands are .50 cents each.

25 bands	\$12.50	150 bands	\$75.00
50 bands	\$25.00	200 bands	\$100.00
100 bands	\$50.00		

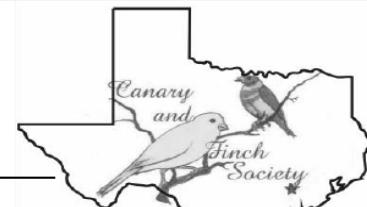
QUANTITY REQUESTED: _____ TOTAL BAND AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

Upon receipt of your check your order will be filled promptly

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: CANARY & FINCH SOCIETY

MAIL TO: CINDY PFLUGER
100 Lake Frankston
Frankston, Texas 75763
Phone: 936-900-2189

Membership	\$ _____
Advertising	\$ _____
Bands	\$ _____
P&H Bands	\$ 4.00
Total Amount	\$ _____



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BOARD OF DIRECTORS
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CFS Annual Fall Show & Expo

The Canary and Finch Society



26th Annual Fall Show
October 9, 2021

Venue to Be Announced!

REGISTRATION 7 AM - 8:30 AM

JUDGING 9 AM - 3 PM

SHOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC Entry into Show Hall \$5

Show Bird Entry Fee: \$4 with \$80 Cap

Judges:

Laura Bewly - Finch, Henry Vela - Color - Bob Wild - Type

In conjunction with CFS Show

Gulf Coast American Singers

Judge:

Check in Friday 7 PM - 9 PM Judging Saturday 9 AM - 3 PM

United Spanish Timbrado Fanciers Spanish Timbrado Division

Check in Friday 7PM-9PM, Saturday 7AM-8AM, Judging Saturday 9AM-4P

Contact: Ray Terrazas: timbrado@comcast.net 713-977-2972

Judge: Patty Roberts FOE Judge #128

American Cockatiel Society

Contact: Bert McAulay: bmcaulay@sbcglobal.net 281-384-5505

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<https://www.canaryandfinchsociety.com/>

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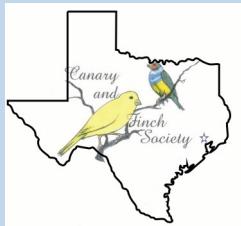
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About Our Organization

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!



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