

GWBS: One of the greatest for 70 years

Comments by Don Denny

The Great Western has been one of the greatest shows in America for 70 years. I was very proud to be asked to judge this show. What a wonderful group of birds in all divisions. I am not going to mention names because I don't

want to forget someone. But I will talk about the Miles family. How great they have been for years, not just for shows and clubs but for

being a very special family for our hobby. God Bless everyone.

P.S. Have a Great New Year

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Judge Don Denny, shown on left in both pictures above, congratulates 2nd Best Novice John Bull (left picture) and Abraham Leon, showing at his first ABS show, with his 5th Best Novice also the Novice young & hen (right picture). Photos by Ed Reed

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Best in Show was a really nice Spangle Gray Opaline Cock, terrific head and blow, Second Place was a stand-up Cobalt, did a great job of showing.

Larry Allen placed Third and Fourth Best in Show with a Double Factor Spangle and a Cinnamon Gray Green and Slav and Mike Shcherbakov placed Sixth with a Dominant Green Pied.

The Champion Division was a very strong Division and the strength of the Triple J Budgies kept the other Divisions from being able to advance to Best in Show.

Best Young in Show was a young Sky Cock exhibited by Nelson Carpentier.

The Champions had their birds groomed for show and were in very nice condition. The other Divisions had some conditioning problems often associated with this time of the year, so this would be a good topic for discussion at a meeting to help the other Divisions be ready for a show when it is getting dark earlier, the weather is changing and maybe the birds are starting to think about breeding cages instead of show boxes.

Thanks again for inviting me to be with all of you and look at and Judge these tremendous birds, the fantastic Exhibition Budgie.

