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Prepare to be enchanted by FCB NEWS PIGEONS Issue III - the magazine that will transform your approach to racing pigeons! Don't waste time and dive into this universe of knowledge right now!











PRESIDENTADRUDIOBORIOLA -

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear readers of the Revista da Associação Columbófila Brasileira, It is with great pleasure that I share with you information crucial on the recent concern related to avian flu and the importance of adopting preventive measures to ensure the safety of our carrier pigeons. As president of the FCB it is my responsibility to transmit knowledge and promote actions that aim to protect our birds and contribute to poultry health.

In recent months, there has been an increase in reports of cases of avian flu in some regions of the country. This disease, also known as avian influenza, can have significant impacts on the health of birds, as well as socioeconomic implications for the poultry industry as a whole. Therefore, it is essential that all of us, fanciers, are attentive and adopt the preventive measures recommended by the competent authorities.

The Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply (MAPA) and the IMA-MG (Instituto Mineiro de Agropecuária) have played a crucial role in disseminating guidelines for the prevention of avian flu. Among the main measures recommended are:

Biosecurity: It is essential to ensure that our lofts are clean, well ventilated 1. and protected against the entry of wild birds or other animals. In addition, we must control the access of unauthorized persons to the loft, implementing appropriate hygiene measures, such as the use of clothing and shoes exclusive to the location.

Bird monitoring: It is important to be alert for any signs of illness in our racing pigeons, such as fever, lack of appetite, wheezing or diarrhea. If we detect any unusual symptoms, we must immediately contact a

veterinary doctor specializing in birds. 3.

Notification of suspected cases: We must be aware of our responsibility to immediately notify the competent authorities if we suspect avian influenza in our pigeons or wild birds in the region.

These are just some of the preventive measures recommended, and every fancier should be familiar with the complete guidelines provided by MAPA and IMA-MG.

As dedicated racing pigeon enthusiasts, we play an important role in protecting poultry health and preventing the spread of disease. By adopting these measures, we contribute to maintaining our activity and to the general health of birds in the country.

The FCB is committed to working together with authorities, fanciers and breeders to promote responsible and safe pigeon racing. Let's come together and comply with all recommended preventive measures, ensuring that our racing pigeons continue to bring us joy and exceptional performance. Together we can make the difference!

MAP INTENSIFIES HEALTH INSPECTIONS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY. CHECK THE NECESSARY DOCUMENTATION TO SUBMIT TO THE INSPECTION AGENT

We would like to

draw your attention to the importance of respecting

fully the content of Ordinance No. 587, dated 05/22/2023, which established the state of zoosanitary emergency throughout the country. It is essential that we understand that, at this moment, the holding of championships, training, releases and agglomerations is expressly prohibited.

Our objective in sending this announcement is to raise awareness among all official pigeon breeders in the country, in order to avoid further damage to our community and even a possible ban on pigeon releases in the future.

We emphasize that, in view of these restrictions, the Brazilian Colombóphile Federation (FCB) is exempt from any civil or criminal liability related to the violation of the provisions of Ordinance No. 587. It is extremely important that all clubs and their members, as well as individual members, are aware of this exemption and assume individual responsibility for complying with government mandates.

We inform you that inspections carried out by Health Agents are on high alert and cover the entire country. In case of inspection, we request that the official breeders are prepared and present the following documentation: FCB Official Breeder Card; New Loft Certificate with MAPA health quidelines and recommendations; Numbers of traceability elements corresponding to each FCB washer

BR/FCI;

The presentation of these documents is essential to prove the regularity of the activity and compliance with the established rules. This information will contribute to efficient inspection and avoid possible setbacks.

The current state of animal health emergency requires us to take responsible and effective measures to guarantee the safety of our birds and the preservation of public health. We must be fully aware that any disrespect for these restrictions could have serious consequences for our activity and jeopardize the continuity of our passions and projects.

We stress the importance of sharing this information with all members and members of their respective clubs. It is essential that everyone is aware of the current prohibitions, the negative impact that non-compliance can have and the necessary documentation in case of inspection.

At this challenging time, we rely on your leadership and responsibility to guide your founding partners and ensure that the guidelines established by Ordinance No. 587 are strictly followed.

Together, we can contribute to overcoming this difficult period and ensure the future of our pigeon racing activity. Awareness, respect for regulations and the presentation of correct documentation are essential to preserve our passion for racing pigeons and the well-being of all. We appreciate your attention and cooperation in this crucial matter.



BRAZILIAN COLUMBOFATED FEDERATION PARTICIPATES IN IMPORTANT MEETING ON AVIAN INFLUENZA BY INVITATION TO IMA/FOLDER

On the last June 30, 2023, representatives of several official creator entities

met with members of the Instituto Mineiro de Agropecuária (IMA) and the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply (MAPA) to discuss the situation of avian influenza in Brazil. The meeting, which was attended by the president of Clube Sete de Setembro de Belo Horizonte, Dr. Jorge Antônio Gomes, appointed by the FCB, had the main objective of devising strategies to contain the spread of the disease and provide information to breeders.

During the meeting, a retrospective of the first reports on influenza was held.

aviaria, which began to spread along the coast of Espírito Santo and has already reached the states of Rio Grande do Sul and Santa Catarina, with a total of 53 confirmed cases across the country. The representatives of the health bodies present at the meeting stressed the importance of acting quickly to find an effective solution and highlighted that, at the moment, restriction and prevention are still the best measures to be adopted, in order to prevent the spread

of the virus among birds.

FCB President Dr. Cláudio Boriola, expressed his deep gratitude to the Instituto Mineiro de Agropecuária (IMA) and the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply (MAPA) for the honorable invitation to the Brazilian Pigeon Federation (FCB) to participate in this important event on Avian Influenza. "It is an honor to be able to contribute to discussions and actions to preserve the health of birds in the country. I sincerely thank you for the opportunity and

I reiterate our commitment to support joint efforts with IMA/MAPA for safe and sustainable poultry farming. Together, we will face the challenges and promote the well-being of our birds."

IMA/MAPA undertook to draw up detailed minutes of the meeting, which will be forwarded to the official entities by email, in order to keep everyone involved informed about the deliberations and next steps. In addition, the institute also announced plans to adapt

the informative pamphlet that is being developed, with the aim of distributing it on commercial chicken, bird and carrier pigeon farms. This measure aims to provide relevant information to breeders and make them aware of the care needed to prevent the spread of the disease.

During the meeting, IMA/MAPA's commitment to solving this problem was evident, and they have the support of representative entities of poultry breeders, including the

Brazilian Pigeon Federation (FCB). The Doctor. Jorge Antônio Gomes, president of Clube Sete de Setembro in Belo Horizonte, who was appointed as the representative of the FCB at this important meeting, highlighted the importance of unity among breeders and the commitment to face this challenging situation.

Avian influenza poses a significant threat to the Brazilian poultry industry, and information exchange and collaboration between the public and private sectors are critical to

contain the progression of the disease. Today's meeting was an important step in that direction, and the breeders' organizations, in partnership with health agencies, will continue to work together to find effective solutions and minimize the impacts of avian influenza in the country.

AVIAN INFLUENZA: INCREASE OF OUTBREAKS IN BIRDS WILD PEOPLE IN SÃO PAULO AND RIO DE JANEIRO AWAKENS CONCERN

The Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock (MAPA) confirmed today (05/06/2023) the first outbreak of highly pathogenic avian influenza (H5N1) in the state of São Paulo. A wild bird of the Thalasseus maximus species, known as the royal tern, was found in the municipality of

Ubatuba, on the north coast. In addition, another focus was detected in the city of Niterói, in the state of Rio de Janeiro, also in a bird of the same species.

In all, 24 outbreaks of the disease have been recorded in wild birds in the states of Espírito Santo, Rio de Janeiro, Rio Grande do Sul and São Paulo. However, it is important to emphasize that Brazil remains free of the highly pathogenic H5N1 avian influenza in commercial creations, maintaining its status as a disease-free country. Therefore, consumption of poultry meat and eggs remains safe throughout the country.

The FCB (Federação Columbófila Brasileira) as an Official Entity Registered with the Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock is closely monitoring the situation and faithfully following the recommendations of the competent body. In accordance with Ordinance No. 587, of May 22, 2023, the FCB recommends that all clubs and registered official breeder members not hold championships, releases, training or agglomerations of birds. These measures are extremely important to prevent the spread of avian influenza and protect the health of

birds.

MAPA emphasizes that all establishments and poultry farms located within a 10 km radius of the outbreaks are being investigated and advised on prevention measures, following the Contingency Plan for Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza of the Department of Animal Health. Virus detection, surveillance and prevention actions are being carried out in

jointly by MAPA, the Ministry of the Environment (ICMBio and IBAMA) and the Ministry of Health.

To date, the disease has been identified in several species, including the black-billed tern, brown booby, royal tern, northern tern, red-billed tern, bush, black-necked swan, gray-headed gull, frigate and cormorant.

MAPA reiterates the importance of avoiding contact with sick or dead birds and encourages the population to call the nearest local veterinary service or notify via the e-Sisbravet system if they find suspicious birds in the region.

FCB is committed to ensuring the safety and well-being of pigeon fanciers, following all the guidelines established by the competent authorities. The collaboration of all breeders is essential to control the spread of the disease and preserve the health of the animals.

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For more information about the FCB recommendations regarding avian influenza, breeders can contact the Brazilian Columbóphile Federation directly through the available communication channels.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply (MAPA)



COLUMBODROME REGULATION 2024: THE DEFINITIVE GUIDE TO HOLD AN EXCELLENT EVENT!

The FCB has made available the Regulations for Columbódromos for those interested in holding events in the next year, 2024. Recognizing the importance of these competitions for the pigeon fancier community, we emphasize the need for an in-depth analysis by the interested parties, as well as strict compliance with all rules. established requirements.

We highlight the crucial importance of following the health guidelines established by the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply (MAPA). The traceability of birds is a fundamental aspect, and the use of element numbers generated by MAPA is mandatory. This measure aims to guarantee the safety and integrity of all birds involved in the events and, at the same time, ensure compliance with government regulations.

A thorough analysis of those interested in hosting pigeon fancier events is essential to guarantee the quality, transparency and credibility of the competitions. In this sense, we encourage all clubs to carefully evaluate the conditions and resources available for holding the events, as well as their ability to meet the requirements established in the pigeon racing regulations.

To obtain a copy of the Columbódrom Regulations (download the file below) or if you would like to clarify any doubts, please contact the Associação Columbófila Brasileira. We will be ready to provide all the necessary support through the Technical Department.

The Brazilian Pigeon Federation is committed to promoting the excellence and continuous development of pigeon racing in Brazil. Through strict compliance with regulations, we seek to ensure a safe and healthy environment for the practice of this exciting modality.

We take this opportunity to reinforce the importance of cooperation between clubs and fanciers, sharing knowledge and experiences for mutual growth. Information exchange and collaboration are key to raising the standards of pigeon racing Brazilian.

We count on the commitment and participation of everyone involved in this exciting sport. Together, we can guarantee a promising future for pigeon racing in Brazil. Information published on the Official website or through the Administration's e-mail contato@fcb.org.br.





VALUE YOUR BIRDS WITH ORIGINAL FCB WASHERS BR/FCI

TRACEABILITY CERTIFIED BY THE MAP

GUARANTEE THE AUTHENTICITY AND ORIGINALITY OF YOUR PLANT







COLUMBÓFILO DELTA PIGEONS CLUB IS FOUNDED IN PARNAÍBA/PI DRIVING A PASSION FOR POSTING PIGEONS IN THE REGION

Homing pigeon enthusiasts and lovers gathered at a historic event in the city of Parnaíba, in the state of Piauí. The 1st Meeting of Friends and Sympathizers of Post Office Pigeons was a milestone for the region, bringing together people interested in sharing knowledge, experiences and creating ties around this fascinating activity. The meeting, which was attended by several breeders and admirers of racing pigeons, had as its high point the foundation of the Clube Columbófilo DELTA PIGEONS. The creation of the club represents an important milestone for lovers of this sport, offering a space dedicated to the exchange of information, competitions and strengthening of the pigeon fancier community in the region.

The general assembly of participants elected, by acclamation, the board of directors of the newly founded Clube Columbófilo DELTA PIGEONS. Maurício Pereira da Costa was chosen to assume the position of president, bringing with him a vast experience in racing racing pigeons and a great enthusiasm for developing pigeon racing in the region. William Nascimento Silva was elected vice president, bringing his knowledge and passion for racing pigeons to contribute to the success of the club. Hellen Fabian Silva da Silva assumes the role of treasurer, using her experience in financial management to ensure the sustainability of Clube Columbófilo DELTA PIGIONS.



FINAL PHASE OF THE TRACEABILITY SYSTEM IMPLEMENTATION – ACTION REQUIRED!

The Information Technology (IT) Department is in the final phase of registering traceability element numbers (IN NR. 5/2018) in our system. This initiative is extremely important to ensure safety and transparency in all activities of official clubs registered with the FCB, especially with regard to inspections.

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Soon, we will make available a new functionality in the FCB Official System, accessible through the link: www.fcb.org.br/controle. In this system, you will be able to transfer the traceability element numbers to the partners purchasing the washers, managing and distributing them in accordance with the requirements established by IN NR. 5/2018 of the MAP.

We would like to emphasize the importance of ensuring proper traceability of all birds involved in competitions and events related to racing pigeon breeding and management.

In this sense, it is fundamental to follow the established norms and regulations, using exclusively the registered washers and generating the numbers of traceability elements correctly, in accordance with current regulations. It is important to point out that it is not possible to transfer the element numbers generated by the

MAP for the Brazilian Pigeon Federation (WINGER – Code 6.12 – Columba Livia) for another type of washer that is not registered in the MAPA through the FCB. The MAP system does not allow linking with washers of unknown or unregulated origin.

Therefore, it is essential that all registered clubs are aware of the deadlines and follow the necessary steps for the correct registration of its members. Adequate traceability is essential for health safety, the integrity of competitions and the protection of health public.

Example: Start MAP record: 076000007125301 End MAP record: 076000007126300 Start FCB-BR/FCI record: 2331001 End FCB-BR/FCI record: 2332000. Washer 2331001 corresponds to element number 076000007125301, and so on.

We would like to reinforce the importance of correctly following the registration procedures and updating the records of your Club members in the FCB System. AND

It is essential to carry out this step, as it will be necessary to link the element numbers of the

MAP to FCB Original Official Washers acquired by each member.

In case of additional doubts about the registration process or about the specifications of the washers, our support team will be available for clarification. Do not hesitate to contact us through the channels indicated on the FCB website.

Thank you again for your commitment to safety and transparency in our pigeon fancier activities





ARTICLE: THE IMPORTANCE OF CARE

VETERINARIANS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF MAILING PIGEONS

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Veterinary care plays a crucial role in the proper management of racing pigeons. This technical article highlights the importance of these precautions to ensure the health, well-being and performance of these birds. Topics such as disease prevention, vaccination, treatment of injuries and the importance of regular visits to the veterinarian will be addressed. In addition, bibliographical references will be provided to deepen the subject.

Carrier pigeons are birds of great historical and functional value, being bred and trained for competitions and message delivery. To ensure the success of these birds in their activities, it is essential that they undergo proper veterinary care. Professional monitoring allows the early detection of diseases, the prevention of health problems and the implementation of corrective measures when necessary.

Disease prevention: Disease prevention is critical to maintaining the health of racing pigeons. Vaccination plays a crucial role in this process. Several diseases that affect these birds can be prevented through specific vaccines, such as paramyxovirus, Newcastle disease and chlamydiosis. Regular vaccinations, according to the schedule recommended by expert veterinarians, help protect pigeons against pathogens and prevent outbreaks and infections.

Treatment of injuries: Like any other animal, racing pigeons are subject to injuries. Traumatic injuries such as fractures, cuts or wounds can occur during the flight, the handling or contact with predators. In these situations, it is essential to seek assistance immediate veterinarian. Veterinarians specializing in birds can perform clinical examinations, radiographs and surgical procedures, when necessary, to treat injuries and assist in pigeon recovery.

Regular visits to the veterinarian: Regular visits to the veterinarian play a important role in the management of racing pigeons. These visits allow the general evaluation of the bird health, the early detection of health problems and the implementation of preventive measures. During appointments, the veterinarian may perform physical exams, stool analysis, blood tests, and other diagnostic procedures if necessary. In addition, the veterinarian can provide guidance on proper feeding, handling and training for

ensure the best performance of the birds.



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LAUNCH OF THE BOOK "HEALTH PRINCIPLES IN COLUMBOFILIA" BY EDITORA UNICENTRO – NOW AVAILABLE AT ALL OFFICIAL BREEDERS IN BRAZIL AND ABROAD

On June 21, 2023, the pigeon fancier community is celebrating the release of the long-awaited book "Sanitary Principles in Pigeon Facing", organized by Adriano de Oliveira Torres Carrasco, Meire Christina Seki, Mariana Faccini Pinheiro and Rodrigo Antonio Martins de Souza. The work was published by the renowned Editora Unicentro and was presented during an online event held by the Brazilian Columbóphile Federation, broadcast live on Canal

from UNICENTRO TV's Youtube channel.

The book "Sanitary Principles in Pigeon Facing" is a comprehensive and indispensable work for all those interested in the creation and care of racing pigeons. With special emphasis on the health and welfare of these birds, the publication offers valuable information about the

essential sanitary principles for the practice of pigeon racing in a safe and responsible way.

During the online event, organizers shared their knowledge and experience, providing valuable insights into the care and health of homing pigeons. The president of the Brazilian Pigeon Federation, Dr. Cláudio Boriola, also gave a speech of thanks to all the directors of the work and to all those who were present.

In his speech, Dr. Cláudio Boriola expressed his deep gratitude to the organizers, Adriano de Oliveira Torres Carrasco, Meire Christina Seki, Mariana Faccini Pinheiro and Rodrigo Antonio Martins de Souza, for their hard work in the preparation of the book. He highlighted the importance of

work as an indispensable reference for breeders, veterinarians and pigeon racing enthusiasts, reaffirming the commitment of the Brazilian Pigeon Federation to promote the health and well-being of racing pigeons.

doctor Adriano Carrasco, one of the organizers of the book, also took the floor during the event. He shared his excitement at seeing the project come to fruition and expressed his appreciation to everyone involved in its realization. doctor Carrasco stressed the importance of addressing health principles in pigeon racing, highlighting how they are essential to ensure the health of the birds and the quality of the pigeon racing practice. In addition, he emphasized FCB's achievements with the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply (MAPA) in terms of registration, traceability and certification of official breeders in Brazil.

The Doctor. Carrasco also highlighted the importance of sharing up-to-date, evidence-based knowledge in order to promote the welfare of racing pigeons and the success of breeders. He emphasized the importance of joining efforts and collaborating towards the growth and

development of pigeon racing in Brazil.

The president also thanked Editora Unicentro for its support and partnership in publishing the book, emphasizing the importance of disseminating knowledge and contributing to the advancement of columbophilia no country.

May the book "Sanitary Principles in Pigeon Racing" and the commitment of the Brazilian Pigeon Pigeon Federation inspire and promote an increasingly healthy, responsible pigeon sport full of achievements for the Brazilian pigeon fancier community.

FORMER DIRECTOR AND CURRENT MEMBER OF THE TECHNICAL DEPARTMENT FROM FCB RECEIVES MERIT HONOR DIPLOMA FOR HIS REMARKABLE COMMITMENT TO COLUMBOFILING SPORT

Recognition for outstanding contribution to national and international development and growth International

The Brazilian Columbóphile Federation (FCB) granted on June 1, 2023, a Diploma of Honor to the former director and current member of the Technical Department of the FCB, Mr. Sérgio Fraga Nogueira, in recognition of his outstanding efforts and exemplary dedication to

of the development and growth of Pigeon Sport in Brazil and in the world.

The Pigeon Sport, which involves the breeding and training of racing pigeons to competitions, has gained prominence in the country and abroad in recent years, thanks to the tireless work of people like Mr. Sergio Fraga Nogueira. Your passion and ethical commitment with the modality made him a reference name in the national pigeon racing scenario and International.

Throughout his career, Sérgio Fraga Nogueira played a key role in improving pigeon racing practices, contributing to the dissemination of knowledge and the establishment of standards of excellence. His tireless work at FCB allowed significant advances in the organization of events and competitions, guaranteeing the integrity and prestige of the Pigeon Sport.

FCB President Dr. Cláudio Boriola took the opportunity to highlight the importance of Sérgio Fraga Nogueira's work and expressed his admiration for his commitment to the Pigeon Sport. In his words, the president declared: "It is

It is an honor to be able to recognize Mr. Sérgio Fraga Nogueira for his exemplary dedication and remarkable efforts in the development and growth of the Pigeon Sport. His passion and expertise have been fundamental for the evolution of the sport in Brazil and beyond our borders. His ethical and tireless work has inspired many other official breeders and we are pleased to honor him with this Merit Award. May his example continue to motivate other members of the organization to become involved in this fascinating sport and contribute to its continued progress."

The granting of the Diploma of Honor is a way of thanking and honoring Sérgio Fraga Nogueira for his ethical and exemplary commitment and for his invaluable contribution to the evolution of Brazilian pigeon racing. The document is an official recognition of the FCB and represents the gratitude of the pigeon fancier community for the tireless effort of Sérgio Fraga Nogueira in promoting the Pigeon Sport as a true ambassador of this practice.

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In a brief statement, Sérgio Fraga Nogueira expressed his gratitude for the honor received and reaffirmed his continued commitment to Sport Pigeon racing. He emphasized the importance of working as a team and encouraged other official breeders to get involved in the sport, sharing their knowledge and passion for racing pigeons.

The granting of the Diploma of Honor to Merit to Sérgio Fraga Nogueira highlights the importance of dedicated individuals like him in building a strong pigeon fancier community and prosperous. Your work and passion are an inspiring example for other official creators and help to boost the Pigeon Sport to ever higher levels of excellence. A FCB hopes that this tribute will inspire others to get involved in the sport and contribute to its continued growth.





FCB PROVIDES 2022 NATIONAL ACE PIGEON AWARD CERTIFICATES FOR REGISTERED OFFICIAL BREEDERS

The Brazilian Pigeon Federation (FCB) is pleased to announce that it is making the 2022 NATIONAL PIGEON ACE Award Certificates available to all official registered pigeon breeders.

The NATIONAL ACE PIGEON is an annual award promoted by the FCB that recognizes the exceptional performance of birds in pigeon racing competitions held throughout the year. It is an honor for the breeders to have their pigeons highlighted and awarded in this important competition.

The 2022 PIGEON ACE Award Certificates are official documents issued by the FCB, which prove the recognition and classification of the participating pigeons. These official certificates are a symbol of excellence and represent the hard work and dedication of registered breeders in breeding and training their pigeons to achieve impressive results.

Breeders registered with the FCB can access the 2022 NATIONAL ACE PIGEON Award Certificates below, where they can download and print the documents. It is a unique opportunity to further enhance the achievements made by the pigeons throughout the year.

The FCB congratulates all registered breeders for the success achieved at PIGEON ACE 2022 NATIONAL and thanks for the commitment and passion shown in the practice of pigeon racing. This award is a recognition of the talent and dedication of each creator, who contributes to the strengthening and growth of the sport in Brazil.

"I am extremely proud to announce the availability of PIGEON Award Certificates AT 2022 for our registered breeders. These certificates represent the

recognition of the talent and hard work of our breeders, as well as the excellence of their pigeons in competitions. It is an honor for us to be able to value and celebrate their achievements through these official documents.", said the president of the Brazilian Pigeon Federation (FCB), Dr. Claudio Boriola.

Those wishing to obtain more information about the 2022 NATIONAL ACE PIGEON Award Certificates can contact the Brazilian Columbóphile Federation through the communication channels available on the official website. The FCB will be available

to clarify doubts and provide all the necessary support to creators.

FCB reaffirms its commitment to promote and value pigeon racing in Brazil, offering opportunities for recognition and awards to breeders and encouraging the constant improvement of pigeon breeding. THE NATIONAL ACE PIGEON is one of the main events of modality in the country and contributes to the dissemination of the sport and the dissemination of talent Brazilian in the area of pigeon racing.

About FCB: The Brazilian Pigeon Federation is the highest pigeon racing entity in the Brazil, responsible for organizing and regulating competitions, registration of pigeons and promotion of sport throughout the national territory. The FCB works to strengthen the modality, preserve the integrity of the pigeons and foment the passion for pigeon racing in the country.

EMOTION IN BRAZILIAN COLUMBOFILIA: THE SON OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF FCB, DENIS PEREIRA DE SOUZA, IS BORN!



The Brazilian Columbóphile Federation (FCB) is pleased to announce that it is The arrival of the little Brayan promises to bring even more enthusiasm for the future of pigeon racing in Brazil.

In a moment of great joy and celebration, the Brazilian Pigeon Federation (FCB) is pleased to announce the birth of the son of its esteemed General Secretary, Denis Pereira de Souza. Little Brayan arrived in the world to not only brighten his family's life, but also to bring a new dose of enthusiasm and promise to pigeon racing.

Brazilian.

Denis Pereira de Souza, affectionately known as "PIPOCA" by fans of the sport, is an iconic figure in national pigeon racing. His dedication and commitment to the sport has been exemplary, both at FCB and in other areas of the pigeon fancier community. Now, with the birth of his son, the passion for pigeon racing takes on a renewed perspective.

The news of Brayan's birth was received with great joy by the entire Board of FCB, who express their most sincere congratulations to Denis and his family. The new member of the family brings with it the promise of a bright future in pigeon racing, inspiring all

Brazilian pigeon fanciers to continue writing the history of the sport with dedication and love.

Pigeon racing is an activity that goes beyond competitions and results. It's about togetherness,

friendship and passion for our beloved racing pigeons. The birth of Brayan represents the continuation of that tradition, ensuring that the next generation is ready to carry the

Brazilian pigeon racing to new heights.

The Board of FCB reaffirms its commitment to support and guide Brayan, offering him all the necessary tools and knowledge so that he can follow a successful path in pigeon racing. Your presence brings an extra dose of motivation to all members of the pigeon fancier community, who are eager to witness your growth and

their future deeds.

Brayan's arrival is a milestone not only in Denis Pereira de Souza's personal life, but also for Brazilian pigeon racing as a whole. At this special moment, the entire pigeon fancier community unites in celebration and wishes little Brayan a life full of health, happiness and success in his pigeon fancier journey.

Congratulations to Denis Pereira de Souza and his family on the birth of Brayan! May the future of Brazilian pigeon racing be illuminated by your presence and dedication.

The Board of the Brazilian Pigeon Federation



Clube Delta Pigeons de Parnaíba-Pl distributes official washers free of charge to members, with MAPA traceability numbers

The Delta Pigeons Club, recognized for its dedication to pigeon racing, recently promoted the free distribution of official bands to its members, further improving the control and the identification of the birds created by the associates. This exemplary action, combined with the traceability numbers from the MAPA (Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply), reinforces the club's commitment to following the official pigeon racing regulations and offer accessible support to its members.

Under the leadership of President Maurício, Clube Delta Pigeons reaffirmed its commitment to the development of pigeon racing in the state of Piauí. Free distribution of washers

oficial aimed to facilitate the access of racing pigeon breeders to this

important identification resource, guaranteeing the authenticity and legitimacy of the birds.

Maurício expressed his satisfaction with the initiative, stating: "We are proud to make official bands available free of charge to our members, with numbers of

Map traceability. With this action, we seek to promote equal opportunities and encourage the participation of all in pigeon racing, following the regulations established."

The free distribution of official bands, combined with the Map's traceability numbers, provides Delta Pigeons Club members with an efficient way to identify and record their birds, ensuring compliance with official pigeon racing regulations and respect to standards of excellence.

With this commendable initiative, the Delta Pigeons Club demonstrates its commitment to to strengthen pigeon racing in the state of Piauí, encouraging more breeders to participate and contribute to the growth of the modality, in an accessible way and in accordance with the established norms.



Images: Helen Fabian



WHAT BENEFITS ARE OFFERED BY BRAZILIAN COLUMBOFATED FEDERATION

for registered official racing pigeon breeders. These benefits include the possibility of participating in official competitions, obtaining official plates to guarantee animal traceability, veterinary assistance, access to the entity's official system, free legal advice in case of sanitary inspection or problems with other creators, and participation in exclusive events and exhibitions to learn more about the pigeon racing and exchange experiences with other breeders.

Among the main benefits offered by the FCB to registered official breeders, highlights the obtaining of official original washers, which are important tools for guarantee the traceability of racing pigeons, allowing them to be identified and registered in case of loss, theft or transfer to other breeders. It is important to point out that the use of unofficial weight plates may result in punishments and sanctions by the health authorities.

Another important benefit offered by FCB is the entity's official system. Through this system, official breeders can officially register their racing pigeons, issue official documents such as the legalized and registered official breeder identification card

FCB – FCI – AILAC and MAPA, and control the results of competitions more efficient.

In addition, official competition results generated by official clubs registered in the Brazilian Pigeon Federation are publicized to encourage competitiveness and promote pigeon racing throughout Latin America.

The Brazilian Columbóphile Federation (FCB) is an entity that offers several benefits

Participation in international competitions such as the World Best Pigeons and the AILAC is an opportunity for Brazilian and Latin American breeders to exchange knowledge with creators from other countries, encourage new people to be interested for the activity and become carrier pigeon breeders, and also promote pigeon racing on a worldwide level.

Official breeders registered with the Brazilian Pigeon Federation have access to several benefits, including obtaining official bands, veterinary assistance, access to the system entity official, free legal advice, participation in events and exhibitions exclusive, in addition to being able to participate in official and international competitions. It is important to emphasize that the use of official washers is mandatory to guarantee traceability and animal health safety, and that the official FCB system allows the official registration of carrier pigeons and issuing official documents.



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