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Welcome to Budgerigar Council of Tasmania update Issue 4 for the ANBC Nationals to be held at the Country Club Resort, Launceston Tasmania from 24 – 27 May 2024.

Registrations are open to attend the 2024 ANBC Nationals, the online registration form can be accessed at https://registration.nationals2024.au/

Official registrations close as of 31 March 2024, this is also the date that Country Club Resort will release any unreserved rooms to the general public.

(Registrations after 31 March 2024 may incur a late payment fee and may not guarantee entry into Evening Events on Friday and Sunday night)

Our programme allows for a lunch break on Saturday between the morning and afternoon session of judging commencing back at 1pm. Pre ordered paid lunch options for collection are available on the registration form for both Saturday and Sunday.

Accommodation is still available at the Country Club Resort or Villa's, available to book online (details below) or by phoning and quoting the Group Code – **Group National Budgerigar Show 2024.**

If you have any queries relating to accommodation options and availability, please feel free to contact Catherine on 0409 257 131.

Online Booking:

Click on the yellow links provided for the **Resort**: Resort (where the show/bird room will be) or the **Villas**: Villas which is a short distance away from the resort with a courtesy bus available between the two options.

Follow the prompts, adding your credit card details to secure the booking.

If you wish to make additional room bookings, if using the online option, each room will need to be booked separately. You can add notes to the booking or ring Reservations the next day to request any additional details ie two rooms beside each other.

Phoning:

If you wish to phone to secure your accommodation, call Reservations on 1800 635 344 Monday to Friday 8am to 7 pm. Outside these hours the call may go through to Reception and they may or may not be able to assist. A credit card will be required to secure the booking.

The BCT Accommodation Raffle - Ticket purchases are available via the online registration form - \$ 5.00 per ticket - Prize of two nights accommodation and Breakfast for 2 at either Country Club Resort or Villas. Raffle will be drawn on Sunday 19th May to allow the winner to use while attending the 2024 ANBC Nationals if they choose.

Tour Options being offered for the event days are available for viewing with tour details and costings at <u>Tour Options</u>

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View all our updates and information at https://www.nationals2024.au

Options for commuting from Launceston Airport to Country Club Resort

Taxi, Rideshare and Shuttles - Launceston Airport

The 2024 ANBC National Auction catalogue will be released in late April..look out for the catalogue in your email, @

https://www.nationals2024.au

or follow on

Australian National Budgerigar Championship

Please feel free to share around the links or updates to your club members and friends.

BCT LUCKY BIRD RAFFLE -

Thank you to all those that have purchased tickets in our previous two lucky bird raffles.

BCT is very appreciated and thanks exhibitors that have or are providing bird/s to raffle / to assist BCT with its fundraising activities for the National event and to those of you that have brought tickets in the past raffles. .

The bird raffle opening up from this update is a pair of birds generously donated from the aviary of Beau Schutz and Nigel Tonkin (SA)



Cock: ST1 -14 -21

Melanistic Spangle Cock

Hen: ST1 – 102 -22 Opaline Light Green Hen

The Cock is Gazzard / Holmes bred and the Hen is Holmes / Leong bred

Tickets are \$ 10 each and available by phoning Dale Ward on 0488 400 369or email rafflesnationals@gamil.com

When paying into the BCT National account, please narrate as R3 – then your mobile number – then surname to assist with reconciliation of purchased ticket monies.

BCT Account number is: BSB 067024 - Account Number: 1010 7552

Winner is to arrange collection/ transport at their cost from SA in consultation with Beau Schutz and Nigel Tonkin.