

AU National Ace Pigeon Awards – 2012 Old Birds

The AU Old Bird National Ace Pigeon Awards are presented for the following distance categories: Middle Distance Ace Pigeon, Long Distance Ace Pigeon, Marathon Ace Pigeon, Marathon Triple Crown, All Distance Ace Pigeon.

The National Ace Pigeon awards are presented to individual birds performing in races within a single race series. The scoring is accomplished using the Universal Performance Rating (UPR) system. Races at all organizational levels of competition, including specials, are eligible for National Ace Pigeon Award consideration. The NDB program will automatically select the bird's best score from among the various competition levels for each day's race. Bird's Unirates are automatically optimized for each award. Birds are then ranked in their order of increasing Unirates. Smaller Unirates are better, i.e., a 5% unirate is better than 10%.

The best scoring pigeon in each distance category is awarded the AU Old Bird National Ace Pigeon Award. The second best score receives the Runner Up AU Old Bird National Ace Pigeon Award. The next eight qualified pigeons are listed as Qualified Contenders in their order of finish.

Congratulations to the AU Old Bird National Ace Pigeon winners Class of 2012!

Middle Distance Ace Pigeons –

Requirements: 4 races - each 349 miles or less - Total mileage 800+

POS	AVG		BIRD #	CLR SEX		QUALIFYING
	UNIRATE	NAME		RACE MILES		
1	0.482%	Carl Jarson	1196 AU 11 SPETZ	BCWF	C	145, 288, 178, 242
2	0.497%	Reinaldo Rodriguez	0186 AU 11 BLES	BB	C	340, 178, 285, 224
3	0.499%	Guillermo Armas	1261 AU 11 THP	DCHE	H	239, 340, 146, 239
4	0.588%	Julie Younan	0251 AU 10 WC	BWF	C	315, 247, 144, 301
5	0.670%	Abel Del Rio	0812 AU 11 VITA	DCHE	H	336, 177, 235, 235
6	0.706%	Don Chapin	8596 AU 08 TCW	DCWP	C	199, 276, 199, 138
7	0.753%	Reinaldo Rodriguez	0028 AU 10 TL	BCWF	H	340, 285, 285, 224
8	0.760%	Frano Ramljak	52438 AU 11 ARPU	UNKN	C	112, 199, 199, 320
9	0.868%	Cristian Buzila	0158 AU 10 CHRI	BWF	H	162, 162, 284, 284
10	0.909%	Robert Muscianese	0293 AU 11 AMA	BC	H	301, 209, 301, 112

Long Distance Ace Pigeons

Requirements: 3 races - each 350 miles or more - Total mileage 1275+

POS	AVG		BIRD #	CLR SEX		QUALIFYING
	UNIRATE	NAME		RACE MILES		
1	0.310%	Bill Nesler	1779 AU 11 TCH	BB	C	386, 469, 476
2	0.369%	Estevan Hernandez	83695 AU 10 CENT	BC	H	371, 483, 426

3	0.648%	Jesus Vera	0878 AU 11 KRPC	BB C	390, 446, 504
4	0.773%	Don Barker	1452 AU 11 QS	BB H	430, 523, 523
5	0.782%	Bill Nesler	0194 AU 10 TCH	BB C	469, 476, 365
6	0.870%	Carl Szentendrei	14779 AU 11 GHC	BC H	579, 500, 500
7	0.909%	Reinaldo Rodriguez	0155 AU 11 BIG	BC H	429, 429, 486
8	1.016%	Jose Santoyo	11414 AU 11 WSL	SIL H	388, 498, 498
9	1.075%	Edward King	11716 AU 11 ADA	GRZ H	444, 350, 543
10	1.201%	John Beeson	0371 AU 11 WHC	BB H	514, 376, 440

Marathon Ace Pigeons

Requirements: 2 races - each 475 miles or more - Total mileage 1050+

POS	AVG UNIRATE	NAME	BIRD #	CLR SEX	QUALIFYING RACE MILES
1	0.450%	Jeff Lamberton	52466 AU 09 ARPU	BB C	503, 603
2	0.507%	Paul Rudolph	2864 AU 09 VIK	BL H	598, 486
3	0.515%	Duane Kugler	5932 AU 10 OMAH	BB H	527, 586
4	0.560%	Yoel Martinez	0720 AU 11 RRR	BB H	570, 490
5	0.777%	Carl Szentendrei	14779 AU 11 GHC	BC H	579, 500
6	0.880%	Tony Melucci	0445 AU 10 TENT	BB C	579, 500
7	1.299%	Craig Goode	9068 AU 09 BWAY	BC C	543, 543
8	1.335%	Howard Geske	1984 AU 08 RRV	BC H	496, 581
9	1.356%	Ron Hornstein	0358 AU 08 SPW	C	643, 531
10	1.392%	Bill Mitiu	0183 AU 11 CUBS	BB H	579, 500

Marathon Triple Crown Ace Pigeons

Requirements: 3 races - each 463 miles or more - Total mileage 1542+

POS	AVG UNIRATE	NAME	BIRD #	CLR SEX	QUALIFYING RACE MILES
1	0.870%	Carl Szentendrei	14779 AU 11 GHC	BC H	579, 500, 500
2	1.451%	Craig Goode	0090 AU 10 BWAY	BC C	465, 543, 543
3	1.771%	Scott Bennis	0258 AU 07 DL	BC H	480, 480, 585

4	1.856% Bill Mitiu	0183 AU 11 CUBS	BB H	579, 500, 500
5	2.110% Scott Bennis	0246 AU 07 DL	BC H	585, 480, 480
6	2.355% Craig Goode	1048 AU 11 BWAY	BC C	543, 465, 543
7	3.619% Tim Behm	90224 AU 09 NPF	SIL C	599, 599, 550
8	3.677% Hugh Fraser	1580 AU 11 GHC	BBWF H	492, 572, 492
9	4.331% Scott Bennis	0222 AU 07 DL	BC C	585, 480, 480
10	4.476% Ron Hornstein	0358 AU 08 SPW	C	643, 531, 531

All Distance Ace Pigeons

Requirements: 4 races or more, one race under 250 miles/one over 450 miles - Total mileage 1200+

POS	AVG UNIRATE	NAME	BIRD #	CLR SEX	QUALIFYING RACE MILES
1	0.489%	Don Barker	1452 AU 11 QS	BB H	430, 324, 155, 523
2	0.505%	Bill Traw	2065 AU 11 GHC	BB H	219, 261, 261, 500
3	0.572%	Estevan Hernandez	83695 AU 10 CENT	BC H	282, 371, 483, 282, 426, 175
4	0.722%	Reinaldo Rodriguez	0155 AU 11 BIG	BC H	340, 429, 429, 224, 486
5	0.893%	Jim Haas	21846 AU 11 AA	BB H	414, 350, 480, 232
6	0.927%	Tom Jarvis	5145 AU 11 WOWP	BC H	391, 310, 217, 601
7	0.946%	Ryszad Obrzud	0521 AU 10 WCC	BB C	459, 293, 238, 307
8	0.955%	John Beeson	0371 AU 11 WHC	BB H	145, 514, 376, 440
9	0.957%	Fred Belus	11074 AU 11 DIAB	BC H	360, 276, 474, 181
10	1.057%	Jorge Sanchez	1398 AU 10 KRPC	BB H	240, 446, 503, 301