

AU BIRD HALL OF FAME

The ultimate recognition of a pigeon's racing achievement in a single season of competition is to receive the AU Hall of Fame Award. We honor old bird performers from the 2009 season.

In addition to a minimum requirement of three diploma-winning performances, the essential factors in the Hall of Fame scoring are race position, the number of birds in competition, and distance flown. The highest scoring pigeon in the categories of Middle Distance, Long Distance, Marathon Distance, Marathon Triple Crown Distance and All Distance will receive the AU Hall of Fame Award. The second highest score in each category receives the Runner Up AU Hall of Fame Award. The next eight qualified pigeons are listed as Qualified Contenders in their order of finish.

Congratulations to the Old Bird Hall of Fame Class of 2009!

AU Bird Hall of Fame – 2009 Old Birds

Middle Distance

<u>Pos</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Band</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Qualifying Race Miles</u>
<i>Hall of Fame Winner</i>						
1	0.884%	Shannon Brown	5225 AU 07 ARPU	BB	C	207,320,321,350,350,320,284,283
<i>Hall of Fame Runner Up</i>						
2	1.355%	Ed Schmierer	0457 AU 07 PAL	BB	H	231,271,173,173,207,115,175,271
<i>Hall of Fame Qualified Contenders</i>						
3	1.423%	A Dube	0126 AU 07 FR	B	H	216,308,308,146,308,216,308,146
4	1.428%	Jesus Valle	0102 AU 07 BOLO	SIL	H	286,286,226,286,286,286,181,226
5	1.440%	Ed Hogue	2540 AU 05 SBV	BC	C	183,125,123,183,289,159,346,223
6	1.624%	Allan Frampton	1251 AU 06 GHC	BB	H	145,208,291,250,207,305,111,111
7	1.804%	Gary Johnson	0001 AU 07 RCR	RCWF	C	142,313,216,142,216,313,216,216
8	1.812%	Laurie McConnell	2323 AU 06 GHC	BBAR	C	261,121,315,121,216,254,156,261
9	1.847%	Steve Bowman	41957 AU 07 A	NONE	C	186,186,186,186,186,307,186,186
10	2.026%	Tom Shelton	1987 AU 05 BAK	BB	C	153,187,153,187,270,270,216,216

Long Distance

<u>Pos</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Band</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Qualifying Race Miles</u>
<i>Hall of Fame Winner</i>						
1	1.479%	Mike Serrao	1185 AU 07 ORL	BBSP	C	411, 411, 492, 492, 411, 411
<i>Hall of Fame Runner Up</i>						
2	1.528%	George Way	0767 AU 07 RIC	BB	C	452, 493, 545, 403, 545, 493
<i>Hall of Fame Qualified Contenders</i>						
3	1.825%	Jose Gacel	1541 AU 07 FMI	BLCH	H	487, 487, 603, 408, 408, 408

4	2.336%	Gary Johnson	0332 AU 06 RCR	BCPD	C	450, 450, 512, 512, 512, 512
5	2.723%	Joe Liu	67258 AU 07 ARPU	GRIZ	H	626, 436, 502, 538, 423, 404
6	3.099%	Joe Liu	1009 AU 05 WTUL	NONE	C	436, 436, 626, 627, 423, 502
7	3.112%	Mitch Mrowca	6668 AU 07 WRC	BB	H	504, 504, 504, 444, 504, 387
8	3.480%	Jim Richesin	0986 AU 06 DONK	BB	H	392, 560, 492, 466, 470, 492
9	3.540%	Frank Gutierrez	0696 AU 07 COM	BC	C	420, 604, 380, 511, 482, 511
10	3.796%	Art Hees	6265 AU 07 MAGI	BLCH	C	487, 604, 408, 487, 408, 408

Marathon Distance

<u>Pos</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Band</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Qualifying Race Miles</u>
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Hall of Fame Winner

1	2.850%	Ramon Trujillo	1980 AU 07 ER	RED	C	542, 618, 542, 621
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Hall of Fame Runner Up

2	3.490%	Kevin Williams	3591 AU 06 RI	DC	C	500, 500, 603, 500
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Hall of Fame Qualified Contenders

3	3.568%	Ramon Trujillo	1988 AU 07 ER	BBWF	H	530, 621, 542, 618
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4	3.695%	Gary Johnson	0332 AU 06 RCR	BCPD	C	512, 512, 512, 615
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5	3.888%	Don Paltani	4443 AU 05 OMA	BC	C	574, 517, 574, 496
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6	3.996%	Vic Hennig	1112 AU 05 MPC	RED	C	606, 492, 492, 513
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7	4.046%	Vince Xiong	0314 AU 07 APC	BC	C	494, 615, 506, 506
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8	4.099%	Leon Freeman	40134 AU 04 NPF	BC	H	607, 538, 607, 606
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9	4.289%	Harlan Bradt	5239 AU 05 MPRO	BLK	H	570, 570, 553, 662
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10	4.408%	Ramon Palos	28245 AU 07 JEDD	BC	C	555, 515, 465, 608
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Marathon Triple Crown Distance

<u>Pos</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Band</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Qualifying Race Miles</u>
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Hall of Fame Winner

1	2.694%	Gary Johnson	0332 AU 06 RCR	BCPD	C	450, 450, 512, 512, 512, 615
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Hall of Fame Runner Up

2	5.136%	Gary Johnson	0442 AU 06 RCR	BC	C	450, 450, 615, 513, 512, 497
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Hall of Fame Qualified Contenders

3	6.168%	Jim Richesin	0986 AU 06 DONK	BB	H	560, 492, 466, 470, 492, 560
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4	6.495%	Dave Gage	0403 AU 07 NWD	BB	C	484, 484, 484, 484, 587, 587
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5	6.977%	Frank Gutierrez	0696	AU	07	COM	BC	C	604, 511, 482, 511, 482, 563
6	7.132%	Wayne Fischer	0231	AU	03	WRP	SLV	C	456, 499, 615, 514, 514, 514
7	7.154%	Jim Richesin	0952	AU	06	DONK	BC	C	560, 466, 492, 470, 560, 492
8	8.184%	Bill Giannetta	6125	AU	07	GHC	BBAR	H	596, 478, 478, 478, 596, 478
9	8.674%	Bob Jones	0189	AU	05	SCIA	BC	C	574, 574, 463, 463, 650, 652
10	9.894%	Justin Lewis	0722	AU	05	MAL	BB	C	499, 602, 602, 499, 499, 499

All Distance

<u>Pos</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Band</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Qualifying Race Miles</u>
<i>Hall of Fame Winner</i>						
1	1.243%	Tom Pipkin	0048	AU	05	SIC BC C 346,474,194,474,151,194,151,450
<i>Hall of Fame Runner Up</i>						
2	1.448%	Jose Gacel	1541	AU	07	FMI BLCH H 487,487,603,121,254,408,121,408
<i>Hall of Fame Qualified Contenders</i>						
3	1.807%	Ed Radkie	1244	AU	07	FWR BC C 187,484,129,187,187,364,484,442
4	1.825%	Zenon Guzik	6661	AU	04	CHI RED H 203,98,244,493,493,398,461,140
5	2.231%	Ed Hogue	2540	AU	05	SBV BC C 183,125,183,289,346,542,268,489
6	2.279%	Sal Rodriguez	0723	AU	06	OGN BCSP C 555,414,555,158,131,105,209,282
7	2.414%	Tom Pipkin	0038	AU	05	SIC DC H 346,474,474,151,151,357,151,450
8	2.483%	Dave Simington	1640	AU	07	KEN BB C 397,483,196,246,207,219,312,483
9	2.522%	Kenny Kelley	1560	AU	07	DEN NONE C 477,209,269,126,393,209,269,460
10	2.557%	Art Hees	6265	AU	07	MAGI BC C 487,604,408,122,487,156,121,408