# Tillsonburg & District R.P.C.

# **Annual Pigeon Show**

Sunday, January 05, 2025 429 Main St. W, Springford, Ontario Community Center

# Entry fee \$20.00 for 12 birds Fee includes lunch and all the coffee you can drink

Doors open at 10:00 am Judging begins at 11:00 am Lunch served at 12:00

CLASSES

**Blue Bars / Checks** YB Cocks / Hens The judges will alternate from cocks to hens after each category they judge.

Each exhibitor can show 1 bird in each category for a maximum of 12 birds per exhibitor.

2023 banded birds are classified as Young Birds.

Judges

### **Bill Wiema and Jerry Gregoriski**



2024 Best of Show

Old Cocks / Hens, Yearling Hens/Cocks

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Old Cocks / Hens, Yearling Cocks /

Hens YB Cocks / Hens

Best Young, Yearling and Old in each class.

Final All the best of Color (2 birds) up for.

Best of Show · Rosette plus \$100.00

There will be a **YB Band Auction** 

## **Tillsonburg & District R.P.C.**

#### **2025 Young Bird Band Auction**

#### January 05, 2025, at the Tillsonburg Pigeon Show

#### How it works:

There will be 100 bands up for auction. There may be some bands not sold at the auction and they will be handled as below in the 'late band sales' section.

#### Bidding begins at \$60.00 per band.

To participate, you have to be a CU member. You may donate up to (3) youngsters for the band auction. You are allowed to buy your own, or someone else's band. You are only allowed three special bands in your loft or location. However, **your loft is also allowed up** to three bands from an out of area flyers. (They must be out of the area only.) 3 + 3 = 6 Bands Total in all.

The winning bidder may have the participant band the youngsters, or he/she may band his/her own youngsters. These bands will be

entered and flown from a race flying 390 km to 600 km from Smiths Falls.

#### Out of area are lofts flying less then 390km or more then 600km

Prize money will be 75% of the band sale total and will be paid out 30% for first and then at a 20% declining balance. New for this race in 2025, \$ 200 Hundred dollars will be paid to the breeder of the winning bird.

**Rules** 

3 Bands per participant. <u>The handler can accept up to three bands from out of area lofts.</u> Band buyers from out of area, must give the name of the handler the day of purchase to the Tillsonburg & District Racing Pigeon Club.

Bands cannot be transferred; they must be flown by the buyer or handler.

The bands will be registered in the buyer's name at the CRPU. Young birds must be ready no later than May  $1^{5}t/2025$ .

#### Pay out will be 30% for 1st—the rest at a 20% declining balance. No deductions from the prize money.

Basketing will be at the Tillsonburg club house.

Shipping Night: the first birds basketed must be your special bands. It is the handlers responsibility to hand them out in that order.

Date to be determined when the SWOA schedule is set & will be first race from Smiths Falls. To qualify: the area is less then 390 km or more then 600 km from Smiths Falls.

#### The Tillsonburg Club will not be responsible for the prize money between the Handler & Band owner.

Must be a CU member in good standing.

Flying by the Tillsonburg race rules.

Flyer is responsible for his / her own clock (set properly and running).

2-day race (if required) open till second day.

#### The sale of bands after the Winter Show will be \$125.00 per band. (Limit 3 Bands per loft.)

#### Sales close March 1st 2025.

The race committee has the right to loft toss the winning birds. All disputes will be settled by the race committee.

#### Race Committee - Ronson Sandham Roland Paret Nick Oud Rodney Morris

For further information contact any of the above.