VALE – HARRY EADY





It is with great sadness that we inform you of the passing of Harry Eady.

Harry has made an outstanding contribution over the years on many levels, both for United and the BCV.

Harry became interested in Budgerigars and joined the Northcote Club and was Secretary in 1959. Northcote and Heidelberg Clubs combined as United and Harry held most positions within the United club, including being the first Secretary, as well as serving on BCA/BCV. Harry was a club delegate on BCA for United, Northcote, Lilydale and Kyabram and also served as secretary of BCA following on from Harold Heath in 1969 where he continued for many years. He was editor of 'Budgie News' and served in other capacities including being involved in the formation of the 'Nationals' in 1981 and was an early judge of the interstate competition prior to the 'Nationals'.

Harry's last judging position with ANBC was in Perth in 1994. He had barely missed any of the National Shows since they commenced.

Harry was a:
Life Member of United
Life Member of Glenroy
Honorary Member of Eastern
Life Member of the BCV
BCV Secretary for 22 years
BCV Editor Budgie News for 9 years

Harry's first Diploma was with a Blackeyed Yellow in 1961; he won with a father (Grand Champion) and son (Diploma and Reserve Champion) in the Blackeye class at that show. He also has many Shield wins and a 1st and 2nd with Cinnamons at the Nationals held in Rosebay, Sydney. His specialty was the crested variety.

He was involved with birds at the Royal Melbourne Show and is a Life Member of RAS. Harry had been breeding budgies for 60 years.

The Adult Bird Shield was dedicated and named after Harry as recognition for the accomplishments and dedication that Harry has achieved over the years.

Harry was an admired and respected member of our club, whose devotion and dedication over many years will always be remembered.

Harry was until the end involved and passionate about our club and will be missed by all that have known him and worked side by side with him over the years. The club members share many fond memories of time spent with Harry and wish to convey their deepest condolences to all of Harry's family.