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There has not been a great deal happening in recent weeks with the birds going through the moult. They are in good health and starting to look like racing pigeons. Activity around the loft will increase in the next couple of weeks as we work towards being ready to toss in early May. The first race is near the end of June.

I add the following comments:-

- 1 Thank you to Emmanuel Magro, Dave Brokensha and Brian Bacon for their assistance with the vaccination of the birds.
- 2 Health issues are a thing of the past.
- 3 Improvements have been made to the right hand side of the loft. These improvements make feeding easier in this section plus give the birds more space.

Members in 2018 will be competing for a total prize pool of **\$120,000** (**\$24,000 per race**). The prizes are as follows:

 $1^{st} \$10000$ $2^{nd} \$2800$ $3^{rd} \$1800$ $4^{th} \$1100$ $5^{th} \$800$ $6^{th} - 7^{th} \$650$ $8^{th} - 10^{th} \$500$ $11^{th} - 12^{th} \$400$ $13^{th} - 15^{th} \$300$ $16^{th} - 30^{th} \$200$

In addition, there is a \$200.00 prize available in the 5 races for any member gaining three places in the top 30 from their 4 birds. The Aggregate Points and Bird of the Year winners will receive a trophy plus a cash prize of \$500.00 and \$200.00, respectively.

We will formally announce our races after the SAHPA program is finalised. The next newsletter will be sent in **May**.

APC Committee; Brian, Penny and Rolf