

## PATRONAGE RULES

1. This application must reach the Associations Patronage Secretary before 31<sup>st</sup> March.
2. Whenever possible an FBA Panel Judge should be selected for Patronage Shows. When Area Club Show or Full Patronage is desired, an FBA Panel Judge is essential.
3. All awards are for competition amongst fully paid-up members of the FBA only. Under no circumstances must an award be made to any other exhibitor.
4. Junior exhibitors' birds are eligible for ALL FBA Awards – not just Best Junior.
5. There is to be no wrong classing of Foreign Birds.
6. If there is no Parrotlike award, all Parrotlike compete for Best Seedeater. If there is no Nectar Feeder award, all Nectar Feeders compete for Best Softbill award.
7. The appropriate FBA award is to be awarded to the best bird qualifying for that award regardless of its position in its class.
8. Details of the entry to be made in your Club's schedule will be sent to you on the Award of Patronage form.
9. A copy of the Show schedule and catalogue together with the full results sheet is to be sent to the Association's Patronage Secretary no later than 10 days after the close of your Show.
10. The Show returns form that will be sent to you with the Award of Patronage form must be filled in, signed by your Secretary and returned to the Patronage Secretary no later than ten days after the close of the Show.

**NB – FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE CONDITIONS FULLY WILL ADVERSLY AFFECT THE PATRONAGE YOU WOULD RECEIVE NEXT YEAR.**

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**DECLARATION**

The above society confirms that the details given in this application are correct to the best of its knowledge. The Society further agrees that it will comply with the conditions of patronage printed above.

**SIGNED** (Secretary) .....

**On completion this form must be sent to:**

**Mrs. J. RALPH, 29 MILDRED CLOSE, DARTFORD, KENT DA1 1XP**

**Stamped addressed envelope: Please send 1 large (9" x 6") SAE for awards, which will normally be forwarded to you in May.**

# THE FOREIGN BIRD ASSOCIATION



**APPLICATION FOR AFFILIATION**

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**APPLICATION FOR OPEN SHOW PATRONAGE**  
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# Application for Affiliation

## SECTION 1

We, the Committee of .....  
request to affiliate this Society to the Association and enclose £3 plus  
postage (see below) to qualify for affiliation patronage.

SECRETARY .....

ADDRESS .....

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Members' Show Date .....

### FBA PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE SCHEME

If you would also like to participate in the **FBA Public Liability Insurance Scheme**, to cover your Show and meetings throughout the year please contact the Patronage Secretary for details.

**Cheques and postal orders should be crossed and made payable to:  
The Foreign Bird Association.**

This form, when completed, should be returned with full payment and postage as detailed below to the Association's Patronage Secretary:

**Mrs. J. Ralph, 29 Mildred Close, Dartford, Kent, DA1 1XP**

**Stamped addressed envelope,**

Please enclose 1 Large (9" x 6") SAE for awards

**Application for Affiliation Patronage may be applied for at any time.**

# Application for Open Show Patronage

## SECTION 2

**NB – Only Affiliated Societies will be considered for patronage**

DATE OF OPEN SHOW .....

NAME OF JUDGE .....

Is Judge on FBA list of Judges? YES / NO

### RESULTS FOR LAST YEARS SHOW

Foreign Birds .....

Zebra Finches (excl. Juniors) .....

Bengalese Finches (excl Juniors) .....

Juniors (including Zebras & Bengalese) .....

We would prefer rosettes to prize cards

### TYPES OF PATRONAGE

All affiliated societies are guaranteed Open Show Patronage. There are four types of Open Show Patronage, which will be allocated by the Committee.

**Application for Open Show Patronage must be received before  
31<sup>st</sup> March.**