

# NFSS Club Affiliations

Dear Fellow Aviculturists,

It is time to renew or consider affiliation with the National Finch and Softbill Society (NFSS). NFSS is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to the keeping and breeding of finches, softbills, dove and quail. NFSS promotes aviculture and it's conservation and that is what it's all about. NFSS provides resources and tools for your clubs success.

## **AFFILIATED MEMBERSHIPS RUN FROM MARCH TO MARCH.**

Clubs may affiliate with NFSS on-line using PayPal, by using a credit card or mail in a check. NFSS must receive a completed affiliation application. To join or renew online visit the: <http://nfss.org/affiliates/> SEE BELOW IF MAILING BY CHECK.

Club Affiliations receive a quarterly subscription to the NFSS Journal. Affiliation with NFSS provides eligibility for sanctioned NFSS yearly regional shows. Clubs information will be published in each Journal and will be also listed on the website including show results. Clubs are welcome. **In order for NFSS to help your events be successful, please provide your logo, special events, meetings, marts, and your website information for publication also. This information will also be posted on the NFSS website.**

One NFSS affiliated show per region, (and Puerto Rico), must be using an NFSS panel judge, will be awarded a Double- Point Regional Specialty per year. This will be on a rotational basis with other clubs in your region.

**To allow time for promotion and scheduling, double-point regional show are assigned to clubs who have renewed by March 31st of current year.**

Should your club be selected as host Regional Show, NFSS Journal will provide a free 1/2 page promotional ad in the Journal and listing on the NFSS Affiliate web page: <http://nfss.org/affiliates/>. All NFSS Journal publications will be sent to your designated affiliated club representative .

- The NFSS Journal a quarterly publication connecting you with other finch and softbill enthusiasts. The NFSS Journal includes educational articles as well as information about organization activities and conservation.

Have a club article your club wishes to share? Email: [editor@nfss.org](mailto:editor@nfss.org)

- NFSS Bands carries 10 sizes for finch and softbill. These bands are closed traceable leg bands. These bands are pre-ordered so they are available all yr long to mail within 3 working days with tracking. Order forms are in the NFSS Journal and on the website. We have band shop on-line PayPal or credit card. The closed bands are available to individuals that are NFSS members only. <http://nfss.org/bands/>

Once we receive your affiliation fee is received, your organization/club will be listed in the quarterly NFSS Journal and posted on our website. Feel free to email me with any concerns regarding your club affiliation. If you need assistance with your ad please contact our editor.

Sincerely,

Lauren Ogburn, Affiliations/Awards  
Phone: 904-923-7431  
Email: [affiliations@nfss.org](mailto:affiliations@nfss.org)

Submit the Affiliations Application include if desired the Regional Show Request

Mail to: NFSS Affiliations Department 860 Fruit Cove Road Saint Johns, Florida 32259	CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NFSS MAIL TO: NFSS Treasurer 720 Live Oak Lane Pinole, CA
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## Affiliation Application Form

Please fill out this form in its entirety.

Date submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

Club name: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Club meeting dates & location: \_\_\_\_\_

Club email: \_\_\_\_\_ Club web address: \_\_\_\_\_

With your affiliation, your club receives a copy of the NFSS Journal.  
Please indicate below to whom we should mail the Journal.

Club officer/title: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list club events to be printed in the Journal and posted on our website.  
List any additional info & events on the back of this form.

EVENT INFORMATION  SHOW  FAIR

Event title: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Judge: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Location: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Show manager: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Other divisions: \_\_\_\_\_

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\*Other divisions: \_\_\_\_\_

Club affiliation \$30.00 (March 1<sup>st</sup> to March 1<sup>st</sup>)

## NFSS REGIONAL SHOWS

Interested in hosting the NFSS Regional Show for your region?

If your club would like to host a regional show indicate below. Each year NFSS selects from multiple clubs and/or organizations only one club from each of the region. All requests must be received by March 30th. The regional shows will be announced in April. NFSS will provide a half page advertisement for regional shows. Your club can provide an ad or should you need help with that contact our advertising director: [advertising@nfss.org](mailto:advertising@nfss.org). All points and awards are listed in the journal annually and on our website: <http://nfss.org/shows/past-winners/>. NFSS members earn double points for showing in a regional show. Consider this to be your club's special event.

## REGIONAL SHOW REQUEST

Our club would like to request to be the current year's Regional Host.

YES, Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (mm/dd/yy)

YES, our club would like to request to be next year's Regional Show Host.  
Date (if known): \_\_\_\_\_ (mm/dd/yy)

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NATIONAL FINCH  
AND SOFTBILL SOCIETY

Awards Pricing - Effective 5/15/2019

Allow 4 – 6 weeks for shipping.  
Please make check payable to NFSS.

Mail to: NFSS AFFILIATIONS  
C/O Lauren Ogburn  
860 Fruit Cove Road - Saint Johns, FL 32259  
Phone: 904-923-7431  
Email: affiliations@nfss.org

QTY	AWARD DESCRIPTIONS	Cost	Total	S/H	TOTAL
	<b>Division Set</b> (Top 10 Rosettes & 1 Best Unflighted)	\$44.50		\$9.50	
	Judges Special Ribbon each	\$4.50		\$9.50	
	Youth Special Ribbon each	\$4.50		\$3.50	
	Novice Special Ribbon each	\$4.50		\$3.50	
	Unflighted add•on 2nd Place each	\$4.50		\$3.50	
	Unflighted add•on 3rd Place each	\$4.50		\$3.50	
	1st in Section each	\$2.55		\$3.50	
	2nd in Section each	\$2.55		\$3.50	
	3rd in Section each	\$2.55		\$3.50	
	<b>Section Set</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , & 3 <sup>rd</sup> for each section-Set of 11)	\$65.00		\$3.50	
	1st in Class (25 each)	\$11.50		\$12.50	
	2nd in Class (25 each)	\$11.50		\$3.50	
	3rd in Class (25 each)	\$11.50		\$3.50	
	<b>Class Ribbon Set</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , & 3 <sup>rd</sup> • 25 of each)	\$34.50		\$9.50	
	<b>Class Sticker Set</b> (1st, 2nd, & 3rd • 25 of each)	\$ 5.00		\$3.00	
	Plaque each*: includes shipping \$9.00	\$29.00		\$9.00	
<b>Check Award Title(s):</b> <input type="radio"/> Best in Show, <input type="radio"/> Best Novice, <input type="radio"/> Best in Division, <input type="radio"/> Division 2 <sup>nd</sup> or <input type="radio"/> Division 3 <sup>rd</sup>				\$13.00	
				Subtotal:	

**\*All plaques shipped priority mail with delivery confirmation, includes standard engraving.  
Please provide engraving information.**

QTY		Cost	Total	S/H	Total
	Bundle A includes: Division Set; 1 Judges and 1 Novice.	\$53.00		\$11.50	
	Bundle B includes: Division Set; Section Set; Class Set; 1 Judges; 1 Novice; 1 Youth; and 1 Best in Show Plaque.*	\$206.00		\$32.00	
	Bundle C includes: Division Set; Section Set; 1 Judges; 1 Novice; 1 Youth; and 1 Best in Show Plaque*	\$172.00		\$20.00	

**NOTE:**

**Additional Plaque Bundles see our website:** [nfss.org/affiliate-awards/](http://nfss.org/affiliate-awards/)

**Final Total:**

Club Name	Phone/Cell Number:
Date of Show:	Email:
Contact Name:	
Delivery Address:	