

**29<sup>th</sup> GOLDEN RING SHOW 2023**  
**GENERAL REGULATIONS**

- Art. 1** Everyone can participate. All official rings issued by recognized COM federations are allowed. **Breeders' cards** will be presented at the reception of the birds. Rings from different federations in the same stam are allowed (if allowed in the section also from different years).
- Art. 2** **Registration** : Send or mail the registration form **before Friday, November 17, 2023** to :  
**Mario Decneudt, Korenwind 48, 8890 Moorslede**  
**E-mail : inschrijving.GRS@outlook.com** Tel. 0032 474 75 47 44.  
**Changes and extra birds can be passed on until Friday, November 24. After that date, nothing can be changed. You can only remove birds at the reception of the birds.** Only the birds present will have to be paid at the reception of the birds. **The cage labels will NOT be sent** but will be available at the registration table. The control form after registration will be sent to you!  
At the reception of the birds, you will receive the free entry card ( = 2 entry tickets ) and the modified cage labels. Those who exhibit 30 birds or more are entitled to 3 entry tickets.
- Art. 3** **Entry fee:** 2.50 euro per bird and 12 euro administration costs, catalog, trophy and entry tickets included. There is possibility to pay by bancontact.
- Art. 4** **Rental cages** : Cardboard rental cages of the types color canary cage and Norwich cage are available at a rental price of € 3. Reservation is required before November 17 through the registration form.
- Art. 5** Every young **person under 25 years** of age (from birth year 1998), has to fill in a **J** on the registration form.
- Art. 6** Only standard cages with drinking fountain (white base) on the left, feeder (minimum 7 cm.) and cage label on the right are allowed. All the birds must be provided with food and water for at least 24 hours. Special food will be issued at the reception of the birds.
- Art. 7** European birds must comply with Flemish legislation. All quails, except Chinese dwarf quails and pigeons descended from the genus Columba must be vaccinated. **A valid certificate, issued by the attending veterinarian, or a copy has to be issued at the reception of the birds.**
- Art. 8** Sick and/or injured birds as well as dirty exhibition cages will be refused.
- Art. 9** The judging is done by approved COM-judges. Their decision is irrevocable.  
In each series 3 medals are provided :  
Individual:        GOLD:    95-94-93-92-91-90                                Stam: Minimum 360  
                         SILVER:    94-93-92-91-90                                Minimum 360  
                         BRONZE:    93-92-91-90                                Minimum 360  
Every player with at least one medal will receive a trophy to be picked up at the info point in the hall.
- Art. 10** A **solid gold ring with diamond** will be awarded per section to the participant with the most points, obtained with his **10** best ranked birds. In case of equality, the 11th, 12th bird counts, etc....  
The second in each section receives a **silver ring** and the third a **bronze ring**, donated by **Juweliers-Goudsmiden Blondeel from Zonnebeke.**
- Art. 11** In case of cheating or attempted cheating, the C.O.M. regulations will be applied. This means the exclusion with all birds of that owner, who also loses all right to his entry fees and natura prizes.
- Art. 12** **Natura prize** : Each participant exhibiting at least 12 birds will receive a **valuable package of VERSELE-LAGA bird food and a voucher of 25 euros (to be exchanged at the VERSELE-LAGA stand during the show).**
- Art. 13** **Responsibilities.** The organizers cannot be held responsible for disease, death or theft of the birds exhibited. All unforeseen circumstances will be judged by the organizers. There is no recourse against their decision. By registering, participants automatically declare their agreement with these regulations. Failure to comply with these regulations will automatically exclude the participant concerned from further participation. Additional settlements may be communicated when the participation lists are sent. No financial redress for material and/or moral damage or based on Covid-19 measures is possible.
- Art. 14** **Registration** : ..... By post or by e-mail until Friday November, 17, 2023.  
..... Submit changes and additional birds until Friday, November, 24, 2023.  
**Reception of the birds:** .... Wednesday 29 November 2023 between 10 a.m and **9 p.m.**  
**Judging** : ..... Thursday, November, 30, 2023.  
**Official opening:** ..... Friday, December, 1, 2023 om 7:30 p.m.  
**Prize giving ceremony:** ... Sunday, December, 3, 2023 from 3:30 p.m.  
**Open for public** : ..... Saturday 2 en Sunday 3 December 2023, each time from 9 a.m.  
**Take out of the birds:** ..... Sunday, December, 3, 2023 from 5:30 p.m.  
**Location:** ..... **Expo Schiervelde** Roeselare, Diksmuidsesteenweg 400, 8800 Roeselare