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Avian Influenza

Once again, the country has been struck by bird flu (Avian Influenza) and from the 14th December 2020 members are being asked not to let their birds out to help prevent the spread of bird flu. Members can let their birds out for one hour a day for but must exercise some control over their birds. These restrictions will stay in force until instructed by DEFRA, when the situation changes, we will inform the membership.

Vaccination against Paramyxovirus

Due to Covid it proved necessary to allow members to vaccinate their own birds despite this being against NEHU rules. We are still affected by Covid and what we can and cannot do. As members will be starting to vaccinate their birds for next season it would make sense to allow members to continue to vaccinate their own birds for next season. They will still be required to issue Vaccination Sheets to Club and Federation secretaries.

AGM.

Our AGM is due next month but due to Covid we still cannot hold a meeting which will facilitate all our members. What I am suggesting is that we delay the AGM until the end of February, again this is breaking our own rules, but I cannot come up with a better idea but open to realistic suggestions. With the start of immunisation against Covid hopefully things will begin to improve soon.

Rings 2021

As the Office is not open to the membership it is our intention to issue 2021 rings before Christmas to the Federation Secretaries should they wish with the strict understanding that they do not issue the rings to their Clubs until January 5th 2021. We will have put the rings up for each Club and will make arrangements to have them delivered/collected to each Federation.

John Snowdon (President) 11/12/2020

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