

Winbird Racing Manager

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A.WINBIRD RACING MANAGER – GUIDELINES & INTRODUCTION

Introduction to this document:

This document consists of two parts. The first part (**Section A**) will help you to understand and operate Winbird.

The intention of the second part (**Section B – O**) is to show you all the options and various screens. This is a set of pictures to help you to understand Winbird better and to use it to its maximum potential.

Important PC settings and requirements

Your Date Format: The program requires that your date format be set to MM/DD/YYYY. If your date is not set to this format, you will get an error when calculating races. To reset your date format go to: Start\Settings\Control Panel\Regional Settings\Date and change your format.

Your Time Format: PC's have two ways of showing time: 24-hour format or AM/PM. Both will work in the program but the display and printing of results will look much better if the 24-hour format is used. The AM/PM format tends to run into the next field owing to its length. To change; go to Start\Settings\Control Panel\Regional Setting\Time. The time setting you must select or if not there, (type in) is: HH:mm:ss - The uppercase and small letters way of typing is important!

The program internally makes these adjustments but if it should not, please adjust.

Your Screen Settings: Your PC's screen can be set to three settings, none of which might be available to you depending on your PC hardware. These are:

640 by 480: With this setting your screen will look very bad indeed. Should your screen be set to this one, the program will give you a warning advising you to adjust it to 800 by 600. Please do so. You will immediately see a big improvement.

800 by 600: This is the setting most computers run on and the one that you should at least use.

1024 by 768: If your PC has this setting try to use it because then you will get the best screen resolution for the program.

To Adjust your Screen: Go to Start/Settings/Control Panel/Display/Settings. There you will see the wording Desktop Area with a bar that you can move with your mouse. Move it and then click on apply.

First Window - Select the level to operate on

Here you select the level you want to operate on. With the Division and Federation/Union levels, you can import the results from the Club level. Both these levels operate the same so it does not matter which one you use. Normally you would use the Federation/Union level if there were no section level.

The Combine level is used to import results from the Federation/Union level. This combines the various Federation/Union results.

With one program, you can operate on all of these levels at the same time by selecting the appropriate levels every time. Should you wish to do the results of say 3 Clubs and that of a Union, you only need to load copies of the Winbird.exe file in two further directories, open a sub-directory called WinClub and operate two of the clubs in those directories.

(Optional if you are not in South Africa or Canada)

South Africa and Canada must choose a country, as this will provide you with the Provinces of your country. Once you have selected your province, you do not have to select the country every time, as it is then no longer needed. Even should you forget to select the correct country, you can switch the provinces inside the program.

Second Window - Main Program Window

This is the Main Menu for the program. All actions branch off from this window. It also advises you on:

1. What level you are operating on.
2. The name of the organization you are working in.
3. The path of where your data files reside on your hard drive.

The Left side options are directed at day-to-day operations whilst the right side is to do with once off settings and initial data entering.

First steps to start with the program

Like in any program, you need to first enter in the basic data before you can start.

1. Members/Flyers:

Enter all your members/flyers. With each member, you must give a unique Member Code. The program uses this unique code throughout when doing its operations in the background. This applies from Club level through to Combine level. So please ensure that you plan your member codes that they are all unique in all of these levels. Should say two members have the same Member Code in two Unions and you combine these results in the Combine level, the program will take these two as being the same member/flyer! Please plan this carefully. An idea would be for the Federation/Union to allocate certain blocks to each Club like 100 to 200 to Club 1 and 200 to 300 to Club 2 and so forth.

Another aspect to keep in mind is that the program sorts the Members/Flyers according to these Member Codes. If you want the Member/Flyer list from which you will be selecting members many times in the program, to be in alphabetic order, you can say allocate the Member Codes by using the first letter of the surname and then followed by a number (B1200) or any other means that will have the same result. Once again, plan and be consistent. It also makes provision for co-ordinates of the member's loft to be entered. This is optional but makes the calculation and changes to distances very easy if used. Latitude and longitude is required. Should you fly from a new Distance Point/Race Station, all you then need do is to enter the co-ordinates of the new point/station and the program will calculate the distance for all members within seconds. The same applies should the co-ordinates of a member changes or a new member is added.

Provision is also made for a field called 'Group'. This is a 1-character field that will print on your Race Results after the Member/Flyers name. It can be used as you please. Our Club is divided into three groups, A, B and C. It is handy to see how a group has performed on the Race Result.

2. Distance Points/Race Stations

These are the liberation points that your birds will be flying from. It is important to note that this is the name of the town/place and NOT the name of your race as on your Race Program for the season. You might have a race called Colesburg Derby but the Distance Point/ Race Station name will be only Colesburg. You can fly many races from the same Distance Point/Race Station with different race names but the liberation point will remain Colesburg. Please do not confuse this with the Race Name of the race. These are different concepts and critical to the program! Once again, it is optional to enter the co-ordinates but recommended. You can only enter your season's Race Program if you have Distance Points/Race Stations to select from.

3. Race Program Races

These are the official races that you will fly during the season as decided by your organization. This normally changes every season and for this reason needs to be changed every season. You first select the Distance Point/Race Station to use for the Race Program Race that you want to enter. Once selected, you can then name your Race whatever you want to. Lastly, you need to specify the kind of race it will be:

- a) **Normal Race Program Race** - Count for points and is your normal races for the season
- b) **Additional Program Races** - Sometimes an organization has a series of races in addition to its normal program races which counts separately, points wise and does not form part of the normal competitions or
- c) **Special Races** - From time to time a special race is organized that is not part of the normal race program and is a one off. It does not count for any points.

Permissible Characters in Race Name

Please note that the race name you use will also be used by the program as the file name for that race. Because of this, certain characters may NOT be used in the race name. They are amongst others: . , / \ () The safest route is NOT to use these odd characters - stick to plain characters of the alphabet! Spaces are allowed. You will get an error that your race name could not be found when you want to calculate that race should it contain characters that are illegal. Go back and rename your race and the error disappears. You can change, add or delete any of these names at any time.

Fixed Information

Consists of Organization Name, Race Secretary name and telephone number, Club names (Division, Federation/Union level), Fed names (Combine level), Provinces and Seconds allowed per hour.

Organization Name: This name will appear on the top of all your results.

Club Names: This must be kept short, as only 12 characters of the name will appear in the Section, Federation/Union results. Pretoria Racing Pigeon Club could be entered as Pretoria only. The Club on their side **MUST** use exactly the same name as the Section and or Federation/Union. In our example, Pretoria Club must enter their Organization Name as Pretoria. If they do not, the program will see it as two separate clubs! The same applies to Federation/Union names and the Fed names used by the Combine. Computers work on exact matches. Even uppercase and small letters is seen as different names. A space will also be seen as different. **THEY MUST BE EXACTLY THE SAME IN ALL RESPECTS!**

Seconds per hour: This is the number of seconds that your organization allows for a clock to be out before penalties are imposed. If the seconds per hour is say 3 seconds per hour, this means that the clock variance allowed will be 48 seconds if the clock ran for 24 hours. If a clock is 49 seconds slow, the program will make that clock double, that is 98 seconds slow and do the velocity calculation on 98 seconds slow and not the actual 49 seconds. If a clock is 49 seconds fast, the program will change the clock variation to zero seconds and to the velocity calculation on zero seconds. **NB: You must fill in a value, but not 0 (zero)**

When you change the Club Name during the season, the program will change that name on all the results already entered at that stage. The same applies when you change the Organization Name. To add a club during the season, go to Fix Information and add the club.

Distances

As mentioned, distances can be entered manually for each member or done quickly by using co-ordinates. It is recommended that you use the WGS84 formula at all time when calculating distances on co-ordinates. The Clarke formula was used previously but is no

longer used. Whenever any changes are made to any co-ordinates, you must run the calculate option to update the distances. The program will warn you when you calculate races and a member has a zero distance. GPS can be used to determine co-ordinates because as from May 2000 the error readings that were previously experienced have been removed.

Create Schemes and Competitions

You can make use of three categories:

1. Create Normal Schemes

These work on the traditional basis of allocating points to calculate schemes. With this, I mean that the number of places you allocate will determine the points. Should you give 50 places, the first bird will get 50 points, the second bird 49 points, the third bird 48 points and so forth. You give the Scheme a name and thereafter you will be presented with choices on Races, Members, Birds and Basis for Points allocation to build the scheme you want. You are provided the building blocks to build with and not predefined fixed schemes. Once you created a new scheme, the program will immediately calculate that scheme for all races already flown at that stage. Thereafter the calculation and updating of the schemes already created will be done whenever you exit after entering or importing a race. You also have the option to recalculate all schemes at any stage from scratch.

2. Create Normal and Progressive Pools

Once you have defined the Normal or Progressive Pools you use at your organization, these will come up as a Nomination option when you calculate races every week. This means you define it once and thereafter use it every week. When printing race results you will have the option to print the pool results, either directly after the Race Result or Separately.

3. Select Predefined Packages

Here you are presented with schemes that must be accepted as they are with no option to make changes to them. This includes Inter Club Competitions of which you have three options.

Printing of Reports

Here you can print general report like Distances, Member Register, Bird Register and others. This list will be added to as additional reports are added.

Copy to Stiffy

This feature has as its goal for you to transfer data between PC's. With this, you can transfer files between the Federation/Union and Clubs for instance. Data need only be captured on one PC and thereafter you can transfer it to any PC you want. No need to re-type data over again. The same applies to when a Club wants to use more than one PC to calculate their results. Each PC captures certain results and once done, transfer the race results to update all the PC's with the full race result. The program always checks to ensure that no data is duplicated. Should the data record already exist, it will not write that record again. Therefore, if you are not sure if you have already transferred that data, no harm will be done if you do it again.

Bird Registration

You have the choice to apply strict checking that only registered birds for a member/flyer may partake in a race or not. Should you choose that only registered birds might fly, the program will not allow a bird into the result if it is not registered to that Member/Flyer. Regardless of your choice, the program will automatically register every bird that you enter when entering birds for a race. This will assist you, as very soon you will be able to select the

member's bird from a list instead of entering the same detail of the bird week after week. Provision is also made for members flying two teams.

Calculation of Races

From this window you can do everything without leaving this window. In the left-hand corner, there is a list of all the available options available. You can at any stage select any of these. These include Select a new Race, Select Clock Detail to use, Get a Member/Flyer, Select a Nomination which includes pools, Add a new Nomination, Change existing Clock Detail, Recalculate a Race, Import Electronic Clock etc.

The important aspects that need to be understood is the following:

1. Night Time

This is the period from when the clocks were closed the previous evening and when the clocks were opened the next morning. The program simply takes this period off the flying time of the bird when the velocity is calculated. Whatever rule applies within your organization must be used based on this knowledge. Let's use an example: The clocks closed at 18h00 the previous evening and opened at 06h00 the next morning. Flyer A clocked a bird at 22h00 the previous evening. For the program to calculate the speed correctly, the clock time for Flyer A must be entered as 06h00 and NOT 22h00 otherwise, he will beat many birds clocked the previous evening! Remember his flying time is the time he clocked MINUS the Nighttime. Domestic considerations like moving of the time clocks closed and opened must be taken into consideration when deciding on the clock time to use for Flyer A. If you know how the program does the calculation, you can work out what to do. The Federation/Union must advise all clubs what the nighttime will be so that everybody uses the same time. Should the race go over more than one night, the night time of every night must be added together to give a total night time to deduct.

2. Writing records to the Race File

The program will overwrite an existing record that has the same Letters, Year and Ring/Band No. If any of these three items differ, (even if it is a space that differs) the program will take it as a different bird and add a new record. I mean it must be **EXACTLY** the same! For this reason the program will convert any small letters typed in to uppercase. This has far reaching implications. Should you use a space for the one race and not in the other, the program will take it as two different birds, which means that for the Best Bird scheme that bird will not get its full points. You **MUST** ensure that you enter birds on a set pattern and consistently the same. The following two differ: 'SA FEDD' and 'SA FEDD'. The first has one space and the second two spaces! The 'D' for Derby birds has the same problem. Some people enter the 'D' with the Ring/Band No and others with the Letters. Whatever you do: BE CONSISTANT!

3. One Bird and Two Bird Average and other Created Schemes

Once you have created the scheme in Create Schemes and Competitions or any other scheme for that matter, you must not type this scheme as a nomination. The program will take care of all schemes created and do the calculation in the background. The only time created schemes will appear in the nomination selection (provided by the program - not by you) will be when you created Pools, Nominated Birds or Ace Bird. Under no circumstances must you enter any created scheme name under nominations - the program will do that as and when needed.

4. Speed Calculation - Writing to File

The program does the calculation of speed when it exits the Seconds edit box. This means that whenever you want to recalculate the speed of a bird that you have already entered and made some changes, click on the Seconds edit box and then press TAB. This will recalculate the speed on the information then present AND write the record to file if no nominations are available for selection. (If there are nominations available for selection.) The program will first prompt you if you want to add a nomination to this bird before writing it to file in this instance.

5. Birds entered for member/Flyer

Whenever you enter in the Member Code or select a member from the race result, the program will display all the birds entered for that member/flyer at the bottom of the screen. No editing can be done on these birds and the display is for information only. Should you want to make changes to a bird, click on it in the result window. The detail of that bird will then be displayed in the edit portion where changes can be made.

6. Import Electronic Clocks

Provision is made for the import of Tipes, Benzing, Tauris and Unicon electronic clocks by clicking on that option in the Select Options. The process consists of you first reading the data from the clock to the PC's hard drive or stiffer. You read in all the clocks and thereafter import it into the program itself. Complete help is provided in the program for the detail of this operation.

Import of Races

Under Import Window and Dos files, you can import any file from any location into the program. Use this option to draw in results from Clubs. The difference between this option and Copy to Stiffer is that Copy to Stiffer only writes to and from drive A: whilst this option reads from any device. The name of the file must be exactly the same with Copy to Stiffer whilst in this option it may differ. You should therefore be careful that you import to the correct file. It is recommended that you draw in all files via this option. It also creates the Race file should it not exist when you import a race. Should you have by accident imported the wrong file, you can even reverse the operation.

Clear Data

You can delete all the data files and let the program create new empty files or clear data for the season where it then leaves your Member/Flyer Register, Race Stations, Bird Register and other fixed information ready for the new season.

Saving the previous year's data

Before clearing the data for the season, it is recommended that you copy the data of the previous year to another directory. This will enable you to operate on last year's data to print results or whatever. This means that you can build up directories for every season and have complete access to it at any time. To do this, open a new directory, say 'Winbird1999' and a sub-directory called 'WinClub' or 'WinDiv' or 'WinFed' or 'WinComb' depending on the level you operated on. Copy the file Winbird.exe to 'Winbird1999' and all the data files to 'WinClub' etc.

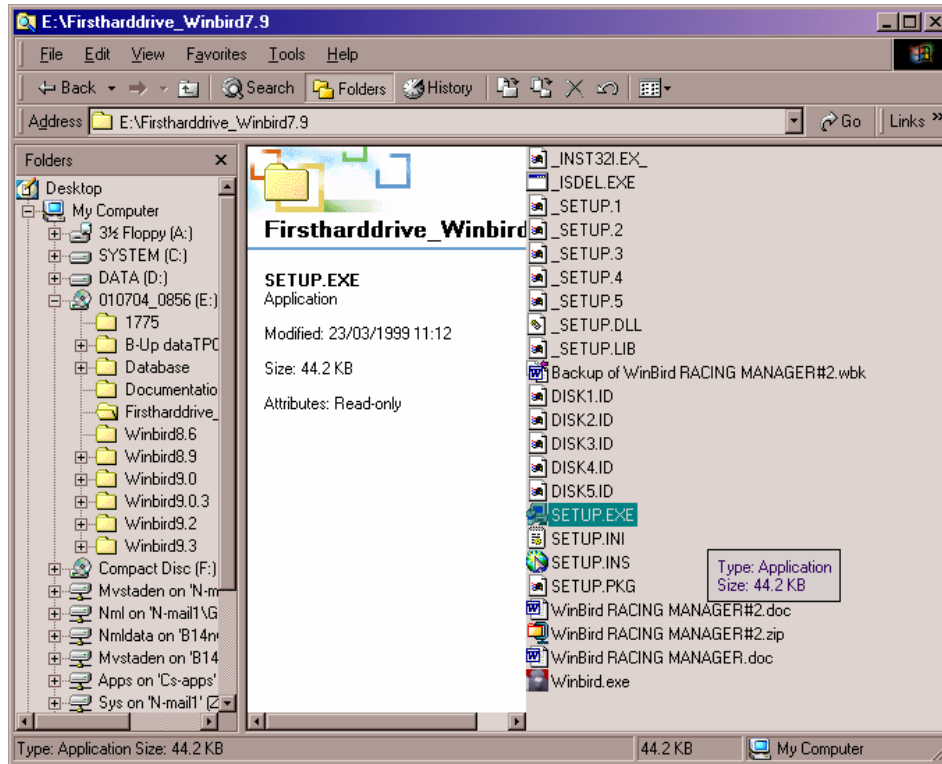
Sending results and files via Internet

(National results is only for South Africa and Canada)

In Transfer Results, you can send results and other files via the Internet to your higher organization and to the National Result Website. You click on the files you want to send and the program will open your normal e-mail program with the address, heading and message already entered. You must then manually attach the files listed and send the e-mail.

B. Installing Winbird for the first time.

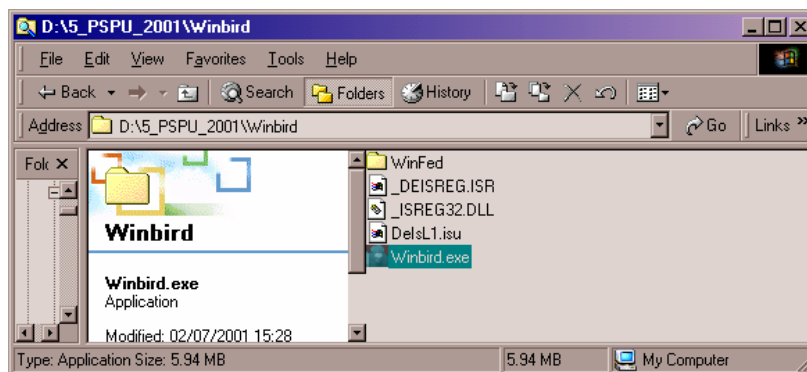
Find on your CD: Firstharddrive directory (or Setup.exe). Double click on the file: setup.exe



This will take you through all the steps of any normal Windows software programme installation.

Winbird will be automatically installed in: C:\Program Files\Winbird Software\Winbird

You can run it from this directory or move it to your own directory (see example below, this was moved to another drive, D)



C. Start-up

When you double click on Winbird.exe it will open the program and the program will ask for certain fixed information. This is a once off, but can always be rectified afterwards under “Fixed Information”. Fill in all the fields; remember to put in a value (NOT 0 “Zero”) in the field “Seconds per Hour Allowed for Clocks”
If the province or country is not applicable, just put anything in, it will not influence your result pages.

Fixed Information

As first time User please enter ALL the Fixed Information

NB: Please ensure that your date is set to MM/DD/YY

It is important that ALL items are filled in NOW as this directs future program action
These values can be changed at any time later on

Organisation Name: BENZING

Racing Secretary Name: DENNIS McCARTHY

Racing Secretary Telephone No: [Empty]

Distance Measurement Preference: Kilometer Miles

Seconds per Hour Allowed for Clocks: 3 i.e: 2 Seconds = 2.00

Select Province/State for Organisation: Gauteng

OK Change Provinces

After finishing this, the following screen will come up:



If you operate on Club level, single click on "Club Level". The race secretary of the Fed or Combine will operate under Union/Fed or Combine

D. Racing Manager

You will now come to the following screen and from this point; you will always select all the different options.



You must do three equal important things before even thinking of calculating a race. They are:

- D.1 Enter all your members.
- D.2 Enter your race program for the season
- D.3 Calculate the distances for all members.

D.1 Enter all your members.

The best way to make up the Member code is to use the First letter of the surname + three digits after that. This will make it easy for a member to remember and find it quicker when searching. This number must be unique and if you are flying in a bigger organization (combine or fed) this number allocation must be done with a qualified system in place to avoid duplication.

The names that you fill in will be his "racing name" It will appear on all results. Do not make it too long, there are a limited number of characters available on the result sheet and will not look good if cut off half way through the name.

Fill in each member's latitude and Longitude. This is needed to calculate distances later on. The Club selection is only needed on fed/union level, not on club level.

The screenshot shows a software window titled "Member Register" with a sub-header "Updating of Member's Register". The window is divided into two main sections. The left section is a form for entering member details, and the right section is a table titled "View of Member's Register".

Form Fields:

- Member Code: T115
- Select Club: [Dropdown]
- Club Name: BENZING
- Group: [Dropdown]
- Member First Name: A M
- Member Last Name: TROMP
- Latitude: 25 48 9.1
- Example: 25 08 42.7
- Longitude: 28 8 34.6
- Address 1: [Text Box]
- Address 2: [Text Box]
- Address 3: [Text Box]
- Address 4: [Text Box]
- Postal/Zip Code: [Text Box]
- Home Telephone: [Text Box]
- Work Telephone: [Text Box]
- Cell Phone: [Text Box]

Buttons: Close, Process, Delete

Table: View of Member's Register

MemNo	MemberName	Gr	OrgName
M111	A J MEINTJIES FAMILIE		BENZING
M113	JAN MALAN		BENZING
M129	NIC MULLER		BENZING
M137	CAREL MARX		BENZING
N105	BOET NASSER		BENZING
N205	BOET NASSER & FAMI		BENZING
P102	GAVIN POLSON		BENZING
P133	JAS PIENAAR		BENZING
S102	JOHANN EN YOLANDI		BENZING
S109	CHARL & PAULA STAN		BENZING
S138	J B & T SWART		BENZING
S238	J B & T SWART B		BENZING
T115	A M TROMP		BENZING
V103	DAVE & ELLA		BENZING
V113	G H C VAN HEERDEN		BENZING
V119	C & J VAN RENSBURG		BENZING
V140	A VISSER & FAM		BENZING
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENN		BENZING
V190	HERMAN VAN HEERDE		BENZING
V198	JAN VAN DEVENTER		BENZING

D.2 Enter your race program for the season

Add Races to Racing program for the Season

Add new Races to Race Program


Please do not use other charcters like / \ : ; () . in the Race Name as this name is used as a file name of the race


Select
Race Stations - Distance Point
First select the Race Station/Distance Point the Race will be flown from
This is NOT the Race Name!!

Race Station/Distance Point
BLOEMZOPE
BLOEMFONTEIN
GLEN
VENTERSBURG
WINBURG

Very Important : Please read this!!!
Many users get this wrong so PLEASE understand the principle!
Every week you fly a race from a certain town. The town or place that you fly FROM is called the RACE STATION OR DISTANCE POINT. If the name of the town is Colesburg, the Race Station or Distance Point will be Colesburg - NOT Colesburg Open!! Colesburg Open is the NAME of the RACE!!
You first need to tell the program from which Race Station or Distance Point the race will be from and THEREAFTER you will select the Race Station/Distance Point and provide the RACE NAME. You can have 5 races from Colesburg. Each time you will select Colesburg as your Race Station/Distance Point but then give it a different RACE NAME like Colesburg 1, Colesburg2 etc.
You perform 3 steps for every Race
Select the Race Station/Distance Point - Town race is from
Give the race a unique Race Name - Your Race program
Select the Type of Race - Normal - Additional - Special

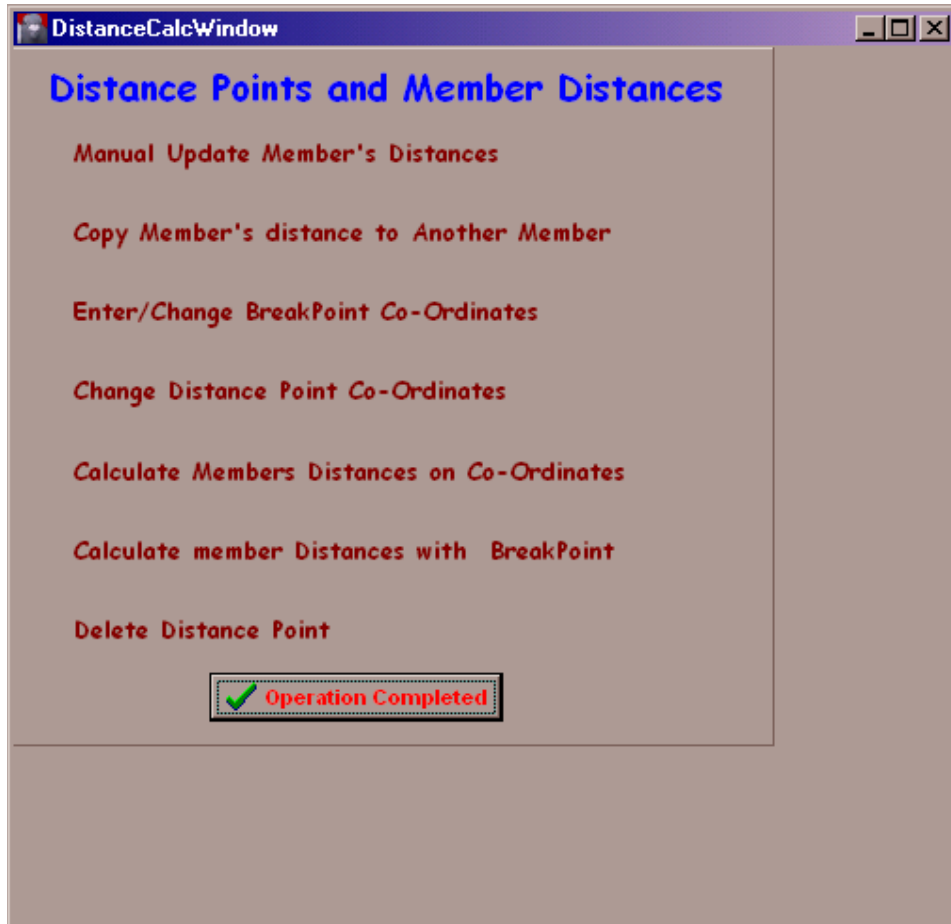
Delete Change

 Add New Race Station / Distance Point

 Addition of New Races Completed

D.3 Calculate the distances

It will be done automatically when you click on “Calculate member distances on Co-Ordinates”, if the liberation point & members loft co-ordinates are fill in.



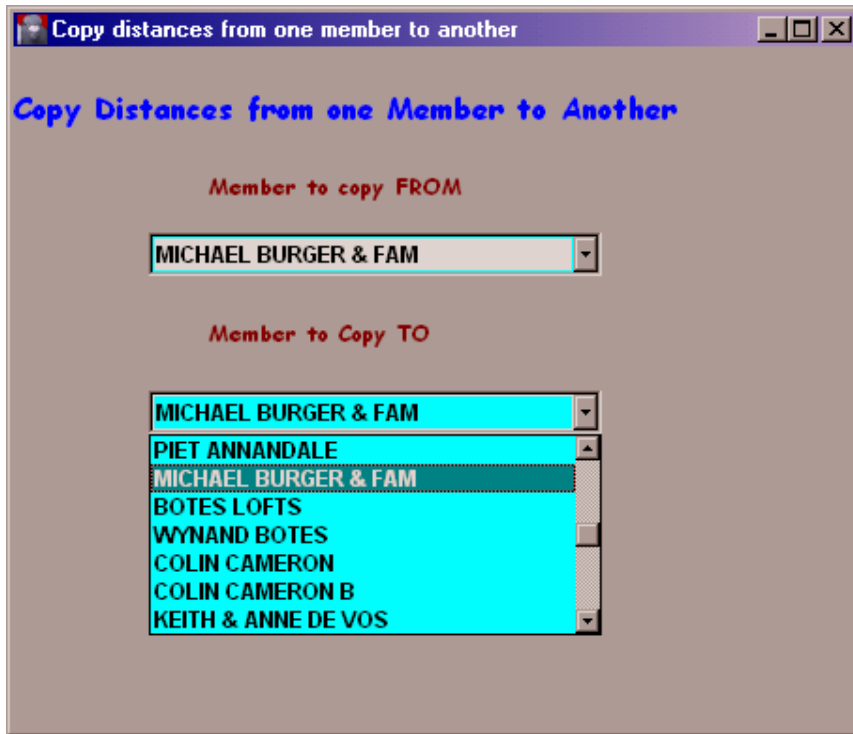
E. Updating Member distances.

The rest of this document is “Screen dumps” to show you some of the features of Winbird. Read your instruction on the program as you progress. Although the program is complicated with many functions, it will help you to get results easily.

The screenshot displays the 'Member Register' application window. The main title is 'Updating of Member's Register'. On the left, there is a form for updating member details. The 'Member Code' is set to 'N105'. The 'Club Name' is 'BENZING'. The 'Member First Name' is 'BOET' and the 'Member Last Name' is 'NASSER'. There are input fields for 'Latitude' (25, 46, 50.4) and 'Longitude' (28, 15, 59.3). Below these are fields for 'Address 1' through 'Address 4', 'Postal/Zip Code', 'Home Telephone', 'Work Telephone', and 'Cell Phone'. At the bottom of the form are three buttons: 'Close', 'Process', and 'Delete'. On the right, there is a 'View of Member's Register' window showing a table of members. The table has columns for 'MemNo', 'MemberName', and 'Gr OrgName'. The member 'N105 BOET NASSER' is highlighted in blue. Other members listed include M111, M113, M129, M137, N205, P102, P133, S102, S109, S138, S238, T115, V103, V113, V119, V140, V167, V190, and V198.

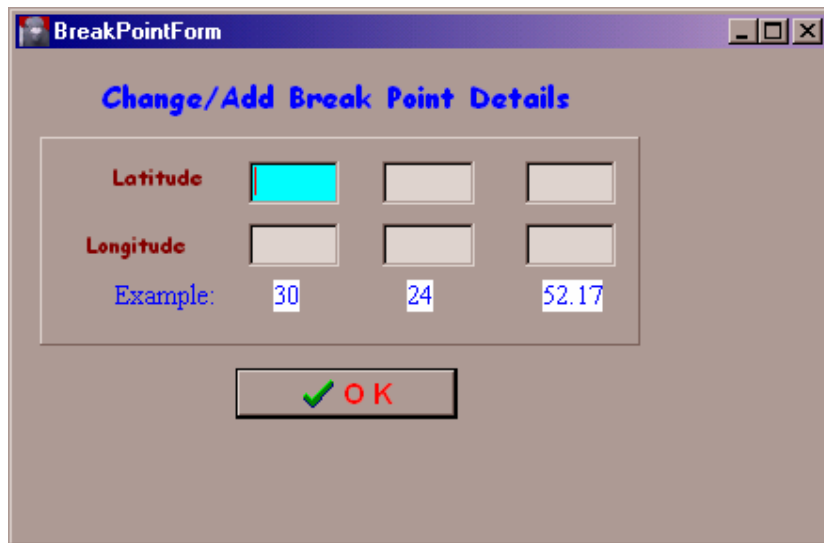
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This is the screen to change detail of a specific member if needed. Remember to recalculate the distances if his co-ordinates changed.



This you can use if you do not have the distance of a member, remember to use it to the new persons disadvantage. (Shorter distance than in real terms!!)

F. Break Point.



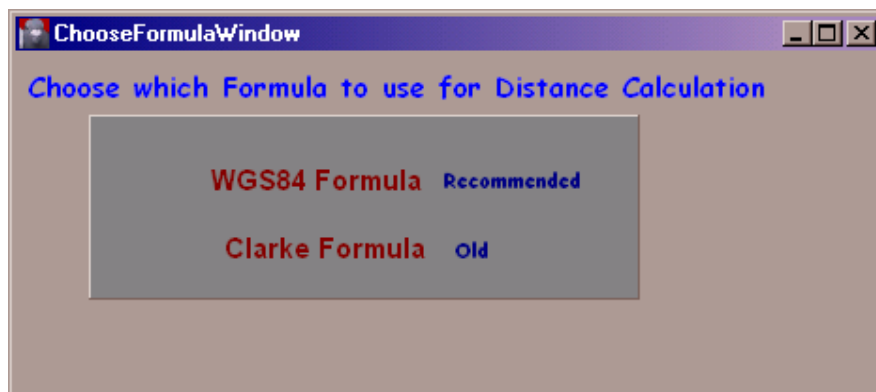
The image shows a software dialog box titled "BreakPointForm". The main heading inside the dialog is "Change/Add Break Point Details". There are two rows of input fields. The first row is labeled "Latitude" and has three empty text boxes. The second row is labeled "Longitude" and also has three empty text boxes. Below these fields, there is an "Example:" label followed by three text boxes containing the values "30", "24", and "52.17". At the bottom center of the dialog is a button with a green checkmark icon and the text "OK".

Only to be used when you use a breakpoint for the distance calculations.

G. Change Distance Point



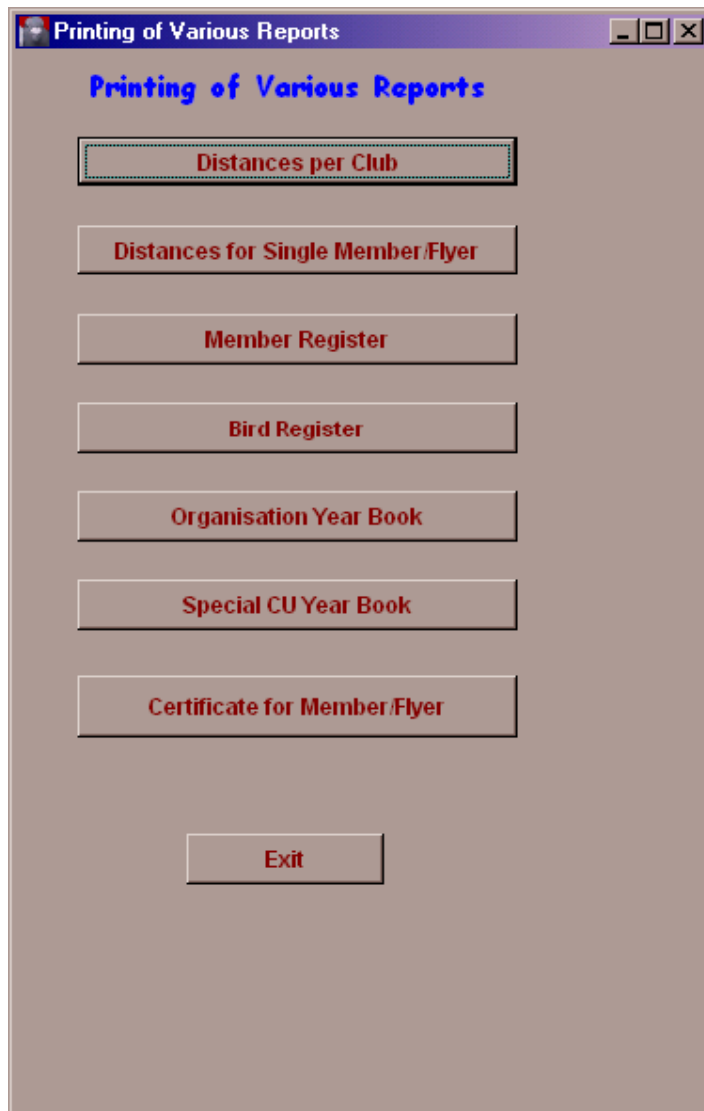
If you cannot release the birds at the correct liberation point, you can change the co-ordinates of the race point just remember to recalculate afterwards.





To remove a distance point / race station.

H. Printing of Various Reports



This is some of the fixed reports. The next few pages show some examples.

Print Preview

Distances for BENZING

MemNo	Member/Flyer	BLOEM20	BLOEMFO	GLEN	VENTERS	WINBURG
		28.59.55.9	29.7.7.4	28.56.33.3	28.4.51.5	28.29.48.5
		26.16.25.6	26.16.10.3	26.19.49.4	27.7.29.6	27.0.9
A110	PIET ANNANDALE 25.49.20.9 28.11.51	400.076	411.958	391.956	271.966	319.119
B131	MICHAEL BURGER & FAM 25.46.4.3 28.15.49.7	408.548	420.385	400.414	280.145	327.209
B152	BOTES LOFTS 25.45.27.1 28.16.18.7	409.940	421.773	401.804	281.518	328.574
B165	WYNAND BOTES 25.45.27.1 28.16.18.7	409.940	421.773	401.804	281.518	328.574
C101	COLIN CAMERON 25.45.49.5 28.15.9.8	408.423	420.277	400.294	280.121	327.213
C201	COLIN CAMERON B 25.45.49.5 28.15.9.8	408.423	420.277	400.294	280.121	327.213
D110	KEITH & ANNE DE VOS 25.48.25.9 28.18.41.8	407.038	418.781	398.876	278.134	325.040
D143	P J DE BRUIN 25.49.50.5 28.14.54.6	401.698	413.506	393.555	273.155	320.186
D159	CHOPPIES DE WAAL 25.46.1.3 28.16.38.7	409.280	421.099	401.140	280.778	327.812
F104	DERICK FERREIRA & SEUN 25.49.47.1 28.15.31.6	402.285	414.080	394.138	273.669	320.677
G116	BARRY GRIESEL 25.47.42.1 28.17.40.4	407.385	419.160	399.232	278.648	325.611
G126	HENNIE GROENEVELD 25.45.52.5 28.15.6.8	408.302	420.156	400.173	280.003	327.096
G129	GOOSEN FAMILIE	409.658	421.383	401.492	280.657	327.524

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Distances for MICHAEL BURGER & FAM

Race Station	Distance
BLOEMZOPE	408.548
BLOEMFONTEIN	420.385
GLEN	400.414
VENTERSBURG	280.145
WINBURG	327.209

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Member/Flyer Register for BENZING

MemNo	Member/Flyer Name	Address	Home Telephone	Work Telephone	Cell Phone
A110	PIET ANNANDALE				
	BENZING				
B131	MICHAEL BURGER & FAM				
	BENZING				
B152	BOTES LOFTS				
	BENZING				
B165	WYNAND BOTES				
	BENZING				
C101	COLIN CAMERON				
	BENZING				
C201	COLIN CAMERON				

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Bird Register BENZING

Mem Code	Member/Flyer Name	Ring Band No	Sex	Colour
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	00 SATHU 1145		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	00 SA 15920		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	00 SA 15931		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	00 SA 15934		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	99 SA 17106		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	99 SA 17119		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	98 SA 1751		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	98 SA 1759		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	98 SA 1775		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	98 SA 1946		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	99 SA 3947		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	99 SA 3949		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	99 SA 3951		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	99 SA 3958		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	99 SA 4037		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	96 SA 44765		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	97 SA 51563		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	00 SAGRPA 6111		
V167	VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE	00 SAGRPA 6116		

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CUYearWindow

CU Yearbook Administration System

✓ Advertisements

✓ Club Results - Old birds

✓ Band List

✓ Address Register

✓ Club Results - Young Bird

✓ CU Bands

✓ Loft Registration

✓ OK

✗ Close

Advertisement
List the advertisements you have received and control the administration with regards to Layout, Payment and Contact person

Address Register
Import or Manually enter the detail for every flyer in the CU. The best way is to request Clubs to send you the file named Member Register DB. This will have all the flyers for that club. You can view and amend this data. You can request all clubs to send this database to you which you can combine here and then check on the numbers for affiliation fees and other purposes. Together with the Bird Registration this can provide you with a nice tool on your web site.

Each Club **MUST** create two Schemes called 'Old Birds' and 'Young Birds'. For these Schemes they select all the race that apply to Old and Young Birds respectively. Then all they need do is send the file 'SchemeRaces Db' and the program will pick up the correct races for Old and Young Bird Races.

They must obviously send all the race files as well. As many of these race files will have the same file name, a separate directory for each Club must be opened to store the files on the side of the CU. Thereafter the CU need only Import the races into the Year Book combined file.

Band List
This need to be entered manually.

CU Bands
This also has to be entered manually.

If all the Clubs enter all the band numbers for every flyer at the beginning of the season, they can send the file 'BirdRegister Db' and then you will have an electronic record of all the band numbers. This data base you can place on your web site and anyone can then at any time access this database for birds Lost and Found. They can thus directly contact the owner. At the same time this database can be run against the official band record to pick up discrepancy between the two.

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BENZING

Achievement DIPLOMA

Certificate of Positions flown by VAN STADEN EN VENNOTE in 2001

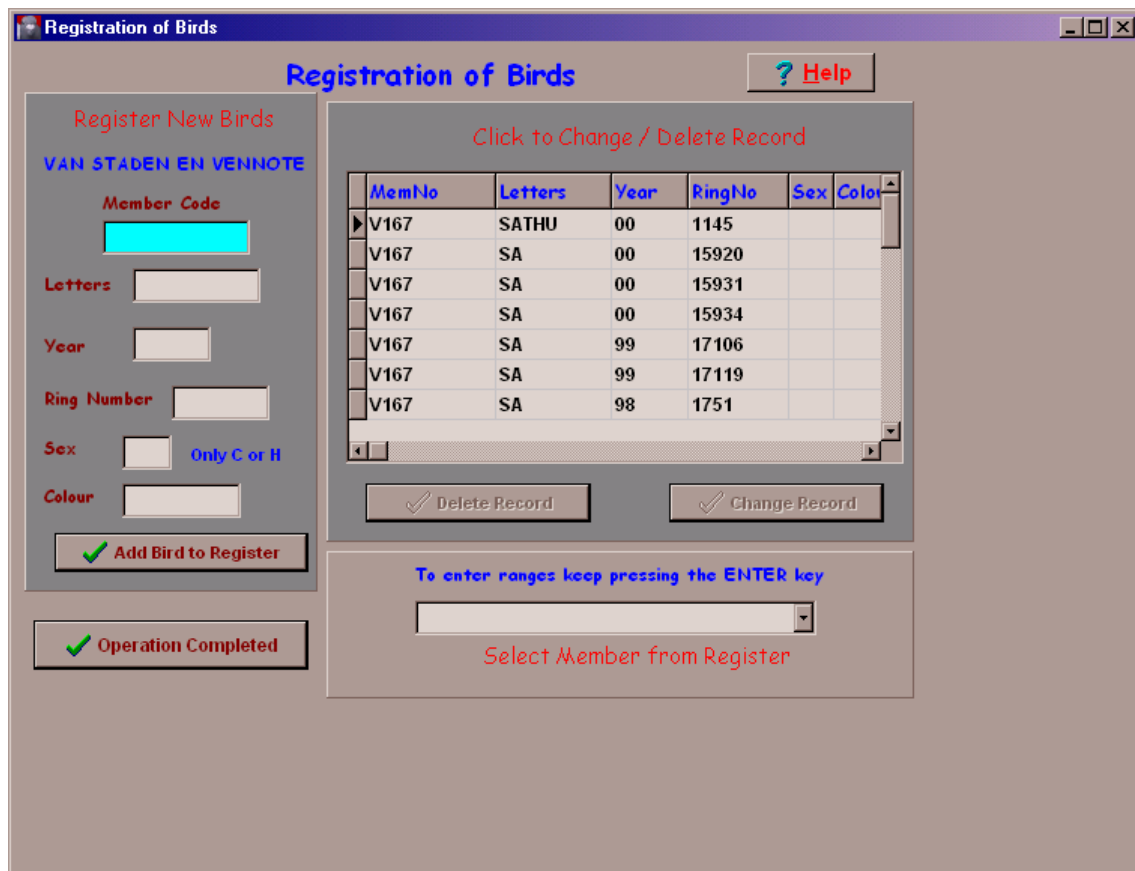
Ring Band No	Pos	Velocity	Distance	Birds	Members	Race Name
00 SA 15931	1	1286.8788	319.012	32	32	WNBURG 2 JO
00 SA 8123	1	1574.9619	392.475	330	34	GLEN JO
98 SA 1752	1	1577.3780	400.622	0	0	BLOEMFONTEIN 2 OPE
99 SA 3947	1	1315.2618	319.012	0	0	WNBURG 2 OPE
99 SA 3958	2	1577.2744	400.622	0	0	BLOEMFONTEIN 2 OPE
00 SAGRPA 6117	2	1451.3647	272.002	300	30	VENTERSBURG 1 JO
98 SA 1775	3	1311.9263	319.012	0	0	WNBURG 2 OPE
00 SA 15931	5	1320.3425	319.012	0	0	WNBURG 1 JO
00 SA 15934	5	1549.3665	392.475	330	34	GLEN JO
99 SA 3958	6	1141.0653	272.002	280	28	VENTERSBURG 2 OPE
00 SA 15934	8	1309.8612	319.012	0	0	WNBURG 1 JO
99 SA 3951	8	1550.1162	400.622	0	0	BLOEMFONTEIN 2 OPE
99 SA 3947	9	1137.2495	272.002	280	28	VENTERSBURG 2 OPE
00 SA 15920	10	1433.5167	272.002	300	30	VENTERSBURG 1 JO
00 SA 8123	11	1208.1652	319.012	333	34	WNBURG 3 JO
96 SA 44765	11	1540.8304	272.002	260	26	VENTERSBURG 1 OPE
99 SA 17119	11	1224.5253	412.416	281	29	BLOEMFONTEIN 1 OPE
99 SA 3951	12	1540.3941	272.002	260	26	VENTERSBURG 1 OPE
99 SA 3951	12	1310.4860	319.012	290	29	WNBURG 1 OPE
99 SA 3947	13	1223.9801	412.416	281	29	BLOEMFONTEIN 1 OPE
00 SAGRPA 6111	13	1295.7620	319.012	0	0	WNBURG 1 JO
00 SAGRPA 6111	14	1265.6060	319.012	310	32	WNBURG 2 JO
00 SA 15931	15	1117.1507	272.002	295	30	VENTERSBURG 2 JO
99 SA 7832	15	1222.4684	412.416	281	29	BLOEMFONTEIN 1 OPE

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I. Registration of birds

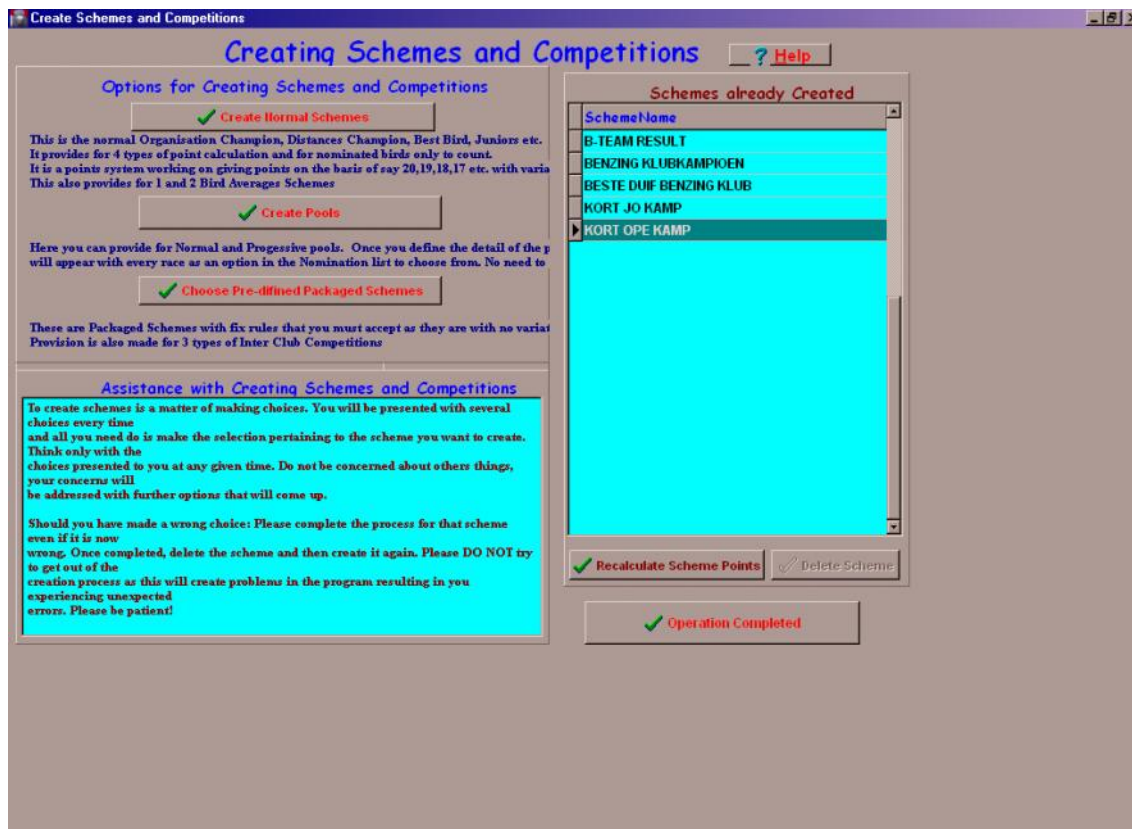


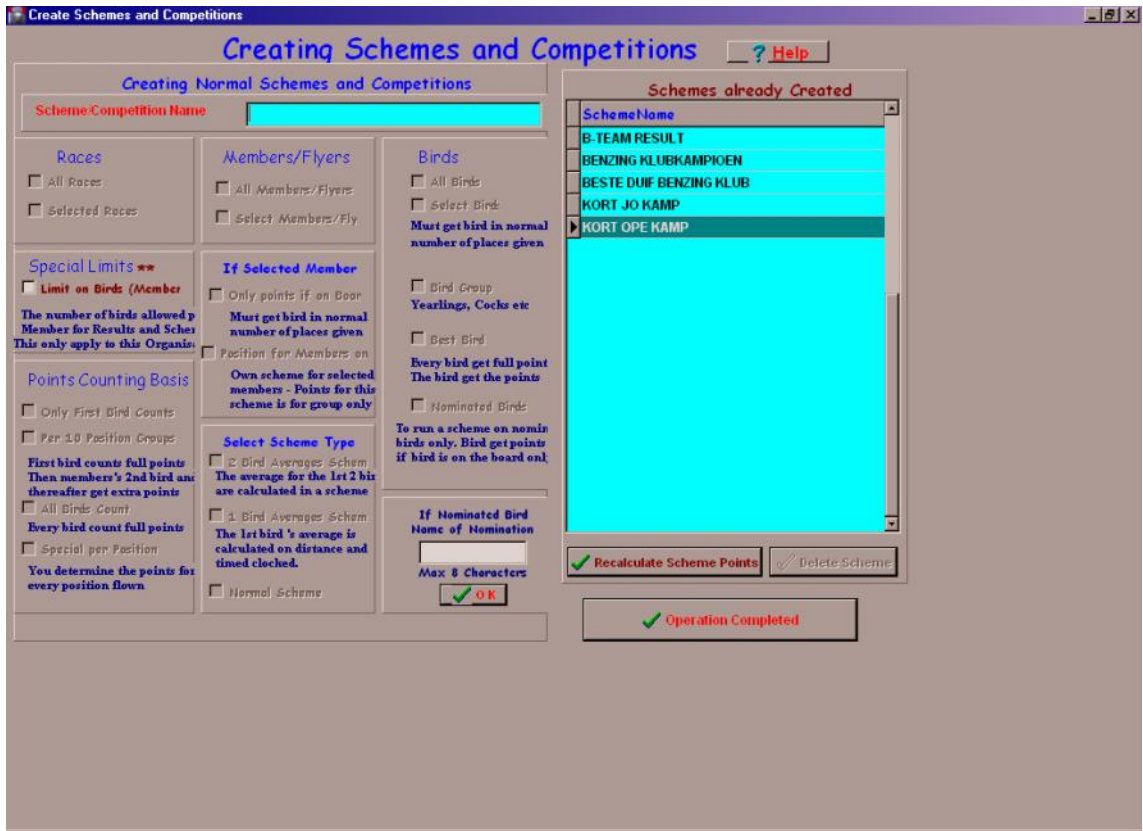
This section you must use if registration of birds are needed.



J. Creating schemes and competitions

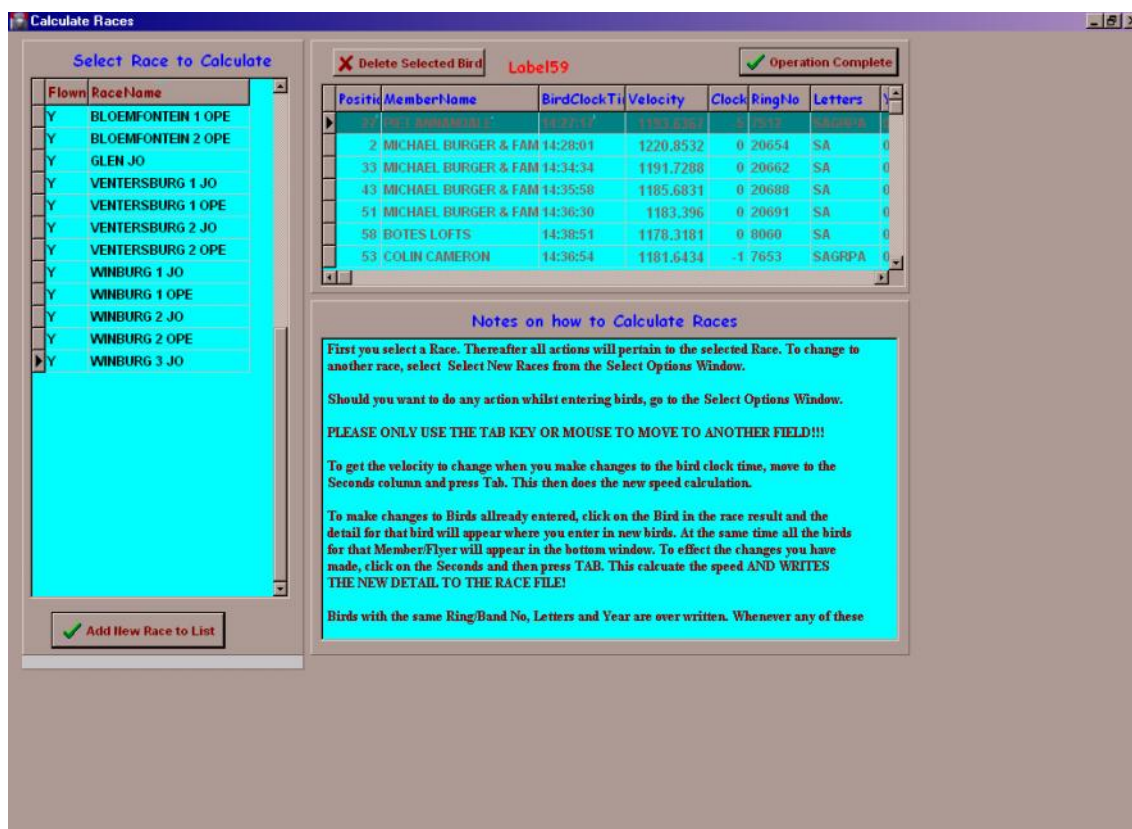
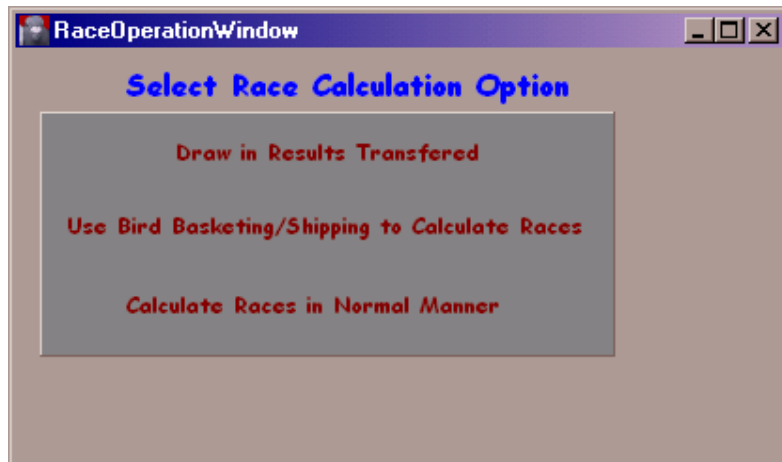
This section is where you must set up your schemes and competitions for your own club and/or union, combine etc. Just follow the instructions on the screen.





K. Race calculation.

This section is what you will find when calculating a race. Clubs will use “Normal Manner”, while unions /combines will probably “Draw in results” from different clubs.



Calculate Races

Release Details

Release: _____
 Weather: _____
This is a full description: Wind, Weather etc
 Arrival: _____
 Weather: **BENZING**
 Members: _____
 Birds: _____

Add Release Details

Delete Selected Bird **GLEN JO** Operation Complete

Positi	MemberName	BirdClockTi	Velocity	Clock	RingNo	Letters	
1	VAN STADEN EN VENNOT	14:09:11	1574.9619	-1	8123	SA	0
2	A J MENT JIES FAMILIE	14:15:44	1558.1988	-1	7852	SAGRPA	0
3	COLIN CAMERON	14:17:54	1552.0489	-1	7666	SAGRPA	0
4	BOET NASSER	14:17:20	1551.5613	-1	7453	SAGRPA	0
5	VAN STADEN EN VENNOT	14:13:18	1549.3665	-1	15934	SA	0
6	PIERRE JOUBERT	14:18:38	1545.1875	0	6430	SAGRPA	0
7	DERICK FERREIRA & SEUI	14:15:33	1542.3127	0	9085	SA	0

Add Clock Detail

Clock Started: 21:00:00
 Date: 04 July 2001

Clock Stopped: 19:00:00
 Date: 04 July 2001

Birds Released: 08:00:00
 Date: 04 July 2001

Clocked: 04 July 2001

Night Time: 00:00:00

Add Clock Detail

Member Code: _____ **GLEN JO**

Birds Shipped: 0

Distance: 414.08

Clock Variation: 0

Date Clocked: _____ Night Time: _____

Number	Letters	Year	Colour	Sex	Hour	Min	Sec	Velocity
4179	SA	99			14	20	37	1233.7885

Birds already entered for Member Flyer

Pos	RingNo	Letters	Year	BirdCol	Bir	Hour	Minu	Sec	Velocity	Nom

Calculate Races

Options to Choose from

- Get Member Flyer
- Select Clock Detail
- Select Nominations
- Select a New Race
- Release Detail for Race
- Add New Clock Detail
- Add/Delete Nomination
- Change Clock Variation

Delete Selected Bird **GLEN JO** Operation Complete

Positi	MemberName	BirdClockTi	Velocity	Clock	RingNo	Letters	
1	VAN STADEN EN VENNOT	14:09:11	1574.9619	-1	8123	SA	0
2	A J MENT JIES FAMILIE	14:15:44	1558.1988	-1	7852	SAGRPA	0
3	COLIN CAMERON	14:17:54	1552.0489	-1	7666	SAGRPA	0
4	BOET NASSER	14:17:20	1551.5613	-1	7453	SAGRPA	0
5	VAN STADEN EN VENNOT	14:13:18	1549.3665	-1	15934	SA	0
6	PIERRE JOUBERT	14:18:38	1545.1875	0	6430	SAGRPA	0
7	DERICK FERREIRA & SEUI	14:15:33	1542.3127	0	9085	SA	0

Select Bird for VAN STADEN EN VE

RingNo	Letters	Year	Sex	Col
3951	SA	99		
3958	SA	99		
4037	SA	99		
44765	SA	96		
51563	SA	97		
6111	SAGRPA	00		
6116	SAGRPA	00		
6117	SAGRPA	00		
8119	SA	00		
8121	SA	00		
* 8123	SA	00		

Member Code: V167 **VAN STADEN EN VENNO** **GLEN JO**

Birds Shipped: 0

Distance: 392.475

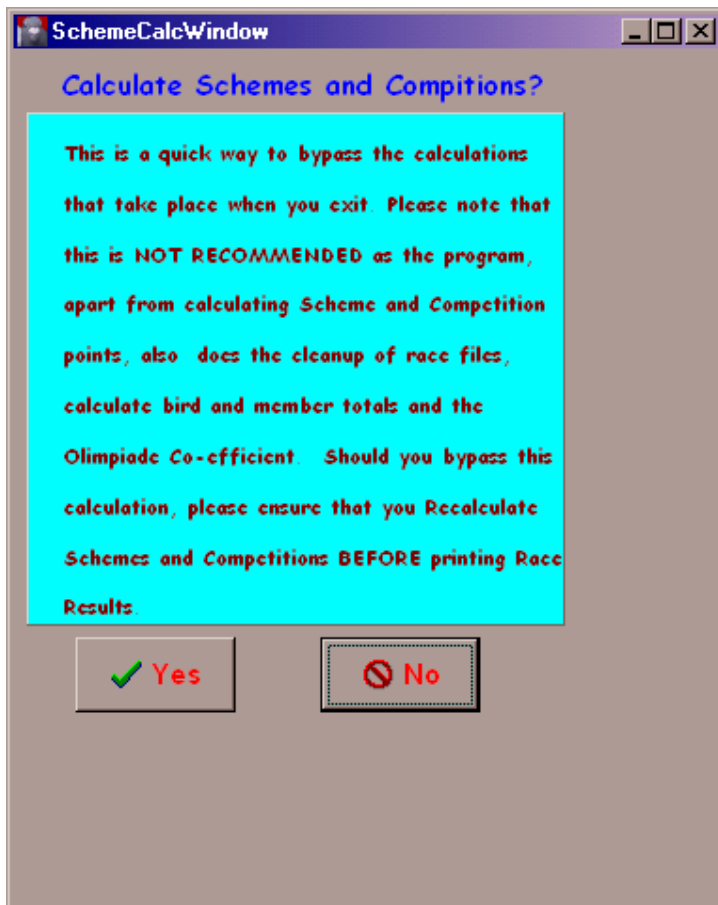
Clock Variation: -1

Clock Started: 06/29/2001 19:00:00
 Clock Stopped: 06/30/2001 19:15:00
 Date Clocked: 06/30/2001 Night Time: _____

Number	Letters	Year	Colour	Sex	Hour	Min	Sec	Velocity
8123	SA	00			14	09	11	1574.9619

Birds already entered for Member Flyer

Pos	RingNo	Letters	Year	BirdCol	Bir	Hour	Minu	Sec	Velocity	Nom
1	8123	SA	00			14	09	11	1574.9619	
5	15934	SA	00			14	13	18	1549.3665	
17	15931	SA	00			14	16	35	1529.541	
69	6111	SAGRPA	00			14	22	49	1493.2657	
82	15920	SA	00			14	25	05	1480.4976	



Do not skip this option after a race, as this will recalculate all the competitions again.

L. Basketing / Shipping of birds

BBasketWindow

Basketing/Shipping of Birds

1. Select Race

MemNo	MemberName
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Add New Race to List

2. Select Members to use in Short List Below

MemNo	MemberName
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Use Delete

4. Enter Basketing Detail

Enter RingNo/BandNo

Race Rubber Band No Panel6

Accept Detail

Nominations and Pools

Existing Nominations

Select Nominations from List to Add to Bird Entered

MemNo	RingNo	Letters	Year	Sex	Ca
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3. Selected Members Short List

MemNo	MemberName
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Bird Registration

Allocate Basket Numbers

Print Member Basketing List

Transfer Between PC's

Basketing Completed

Detail on Bird to Basket

Should bird not be the correct one on Number only make final selection here before clicking Accept

MemNo	RingNo	Letters	Year	Sex	Ca
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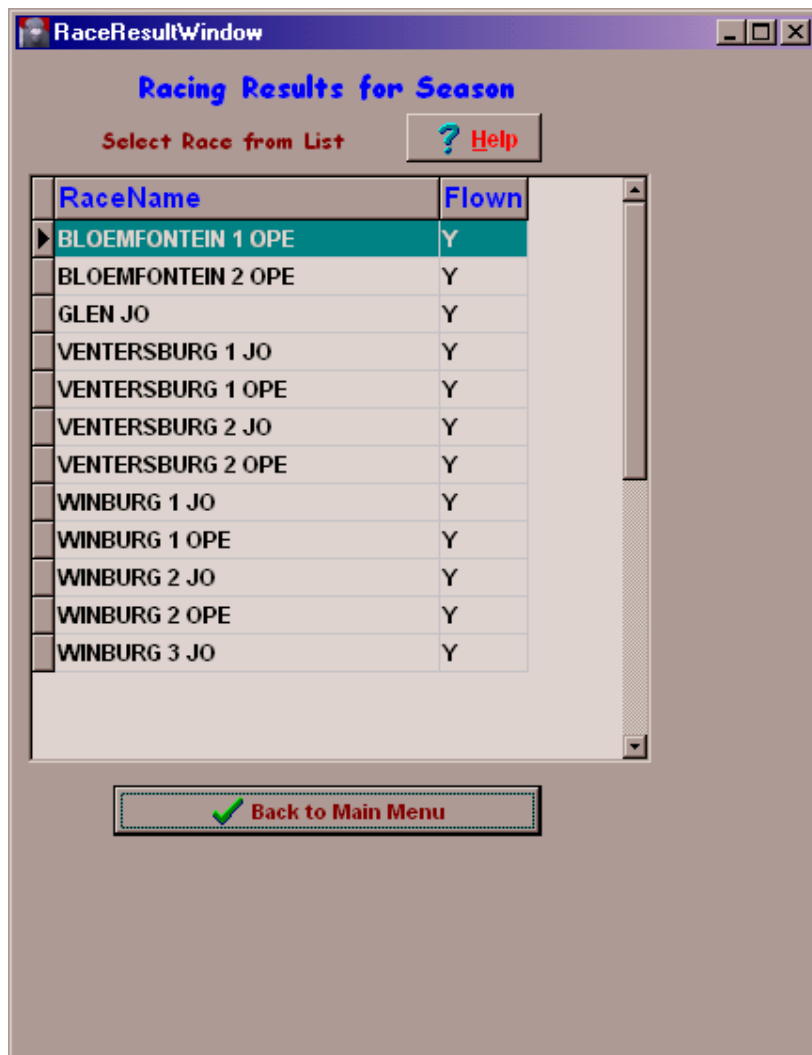
Birds Basketed for Member Label32

To remove Bird: Select Bird and press CTRL DEL

MemNo	RingNo	RaceBand	Basket	ClubNo
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This is used by some organisations when they ship birds.

M. Printing of a race result.



Printing of a race result. Select your race. Fill in the detail required.

Select Nominatons Print Options

Enter Number of Places to View/Print Bird and Member Numbers

Number of Places mm/dd/yy

GLEN JO RaceDate 06/30/2001

Select where to print Pools and Nominations

Nominations
 Print Directly after Race Result
 Print as a separate page

Normal Pools
 Print Directly after Race Result
 Print as a separate page

Progressive Pools
 Print Directly after Race Result
 Print as a separate page

Members Birds
 Total for Organisation 0 0

To change total: Change Organisation Members and Birds

OrgName	Members	Pigeons
BENZING	0	0

Effect Changes Made

Print Normal Race Result Print Scheme Race Results

Put in the amount of positions to be printed.

Print Preview

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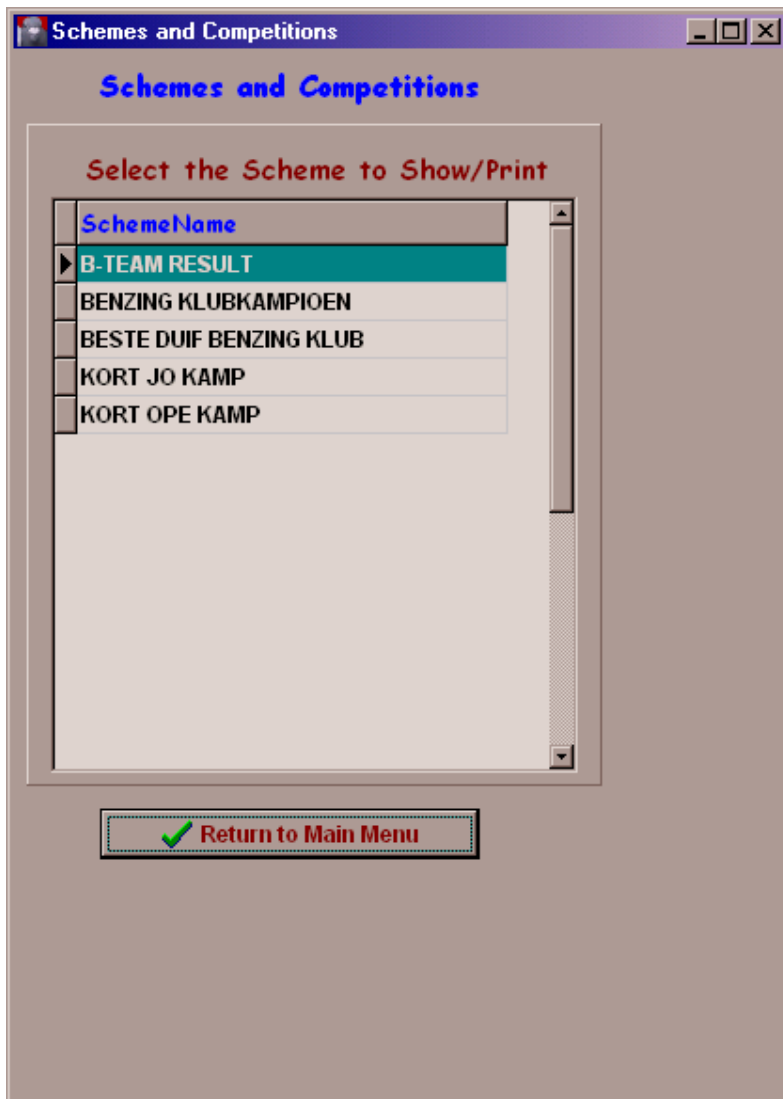
BENZING
GLEN JO

Race Date: 06/30/2001 Members/Flyers: 0 Release Weather:
 Release Time: 10:00:00 Birds: 0 Arrival Weather:

Pos	Co-Eff	Member/Flyer Name	Ring	Band No	Col	Sx	Brd	Distance	Var	Clocked	ToWin	Velocity	Nom
1		VAN STADEN EN VENNOT	00	SA	8123		0	392.475	-1	14:09:11	0:00	1574.9619	
2		A J MEINTJIES FAMILI	00	SAGRPA	7852		0	398.504	-1	14:15:44	2:40	1558.1988	
3		COLIN CAMERON	00	SAGRPA	7666		0	400.294	-1	14:17:54	3:40	1552.0489	
4		BOET NASSER	00	SAGRPA	7453		0	399.289	-1	14:17:20	3:45	1551.5613	
5		VAN STADEN EN VENNOT	00	SA	15934		0	392.475	-1	14:13:18	4:06	1549.3665	
6		PIERRE JOUBERT	00	SAGRPA	6430		0	399.637	0	14:18:38	4:47	1545.1875	
7		DERICK FERREIRA & SE	00	SA	9085		0	394.138	0	14:15:33	5:16	1542.3127	
8		A M TROMP	00	SA	56705		0	391.413	0	14:14:02	5:31	1540.7939	
9		CHARL & PAULA STANDE	00	SAGRPA	7218		0	401.930	-1	14:21:01	5:41	1539.7849	
10		ALAN JORDAAN & FAM	00	SA	15777		0	395.264	1	14:16:47	5:45	1539.3694	
11		MICHAEL BURGER & FAM	00	SAGRPA	6733		0	400.414	0	14:20:22	6:00	1537.8850	
12		ALAN JORDAAN & FAM	00	SA	15800		0	395.264	1	14:17:37	6:34	1534.3896	
13		KAS KOEKEM OER B	00	SAGRPA	5972		0	395.493	-1	14:18:09	6:59	1531.9492	
14		KAS KOEKEM OER B	00	SA	56332		0	395.493	-1	14:18:11	7:01	1531.7514	
15		A VISSER & FAM	00	SA	16007		0	401.012	-2	14:22:06	7:21	1529.8408	
16		DAVE & ELLA	00	SAPAFEDB311			0	392.192	3	14:16:27	7:23	1529.5488	
17		VAN STADEN EN VENNOT	00	SA	15931		0	392.475	-1	14:16:35	7:4	1529.5410	
18		COLIN CAMERON B	00	SA	17624		0	400.294	-1	14:22:38	8:19	1524.0781	
19		CHARL & PAULA STANDE	00	SAGRPA	7224		0	401.930	-1	14:23:43	8:19	1524.0208	
20		CHOPPIES DE WAAL	00	SA	20643		0	401.140	-2	14:23:13	8:21	1523.8374	
21		CHARL & PAULA STANDE	00	SAGRPA	7234		0	401.930	-1	14:23:47	8:23	1523.6356	
22		MICHAEL BURGER & FAM	00	SA	20636		0	400.414	0	14:22:54	8:29	1523.0658	
23		KAS KOEKEM OER B	00	SAGRPA	7906		0	395.493	-1	14:19:53	8:43	1521.7320	
24		A VISSER & FAM	00	SA	18003		0	401.012	-2	14:23:33	8:46	1521.4246	
25		A VISSER & FAM	00	SA	16058		0	401.012	-2	14:23:36	8:49	1521.1360	
26		CHOPPIES DE WAAL	00	SAGRPA	6706		0	401.140	-2	14:23:58	9:05	1519.5081	
27		DERK KRUGER	00	SA	44472		0	399.288	1	14:22:49	9:06	1519.3414	

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Your result.



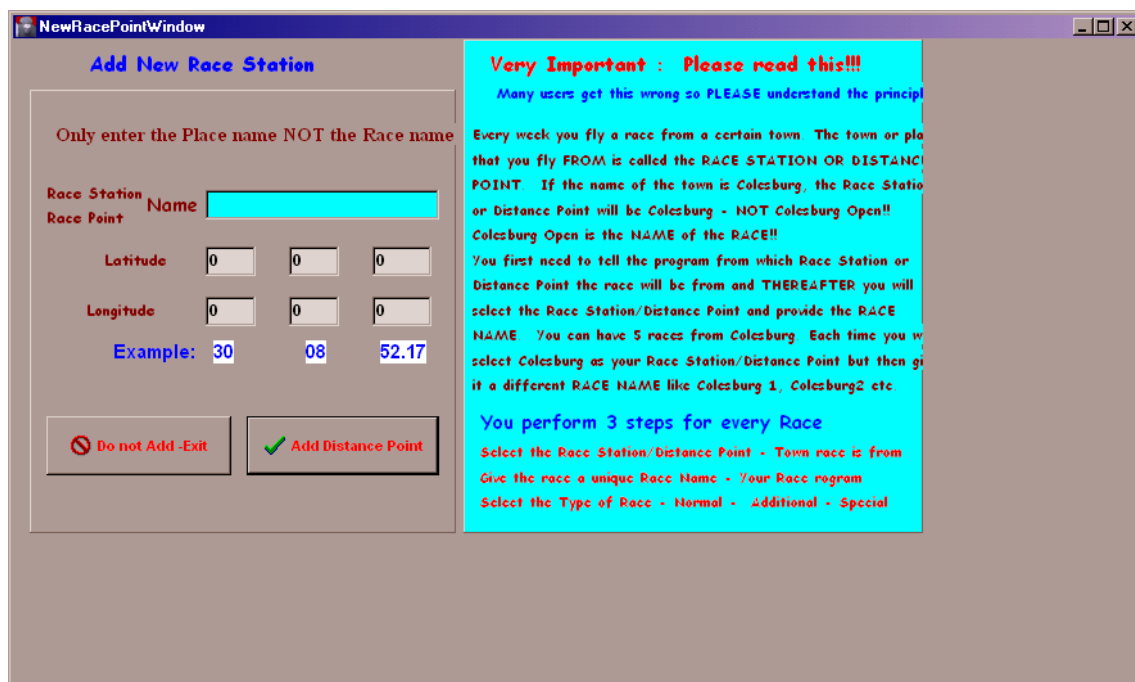
The same way you can print your scheme result.

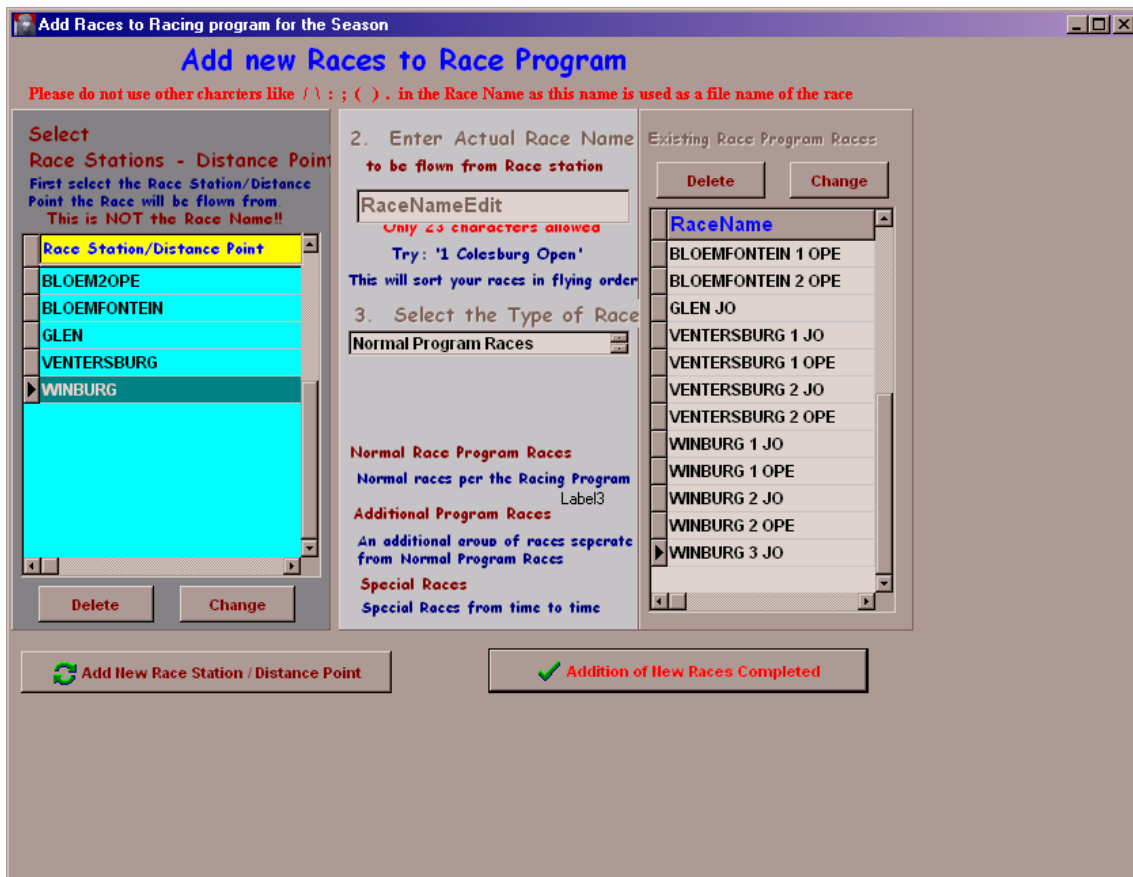
N. Add or change the race program

This part explains the addition or change to your race program.



Add a new race station.





Add a new race after the race station was added.

Delete a race, but you cannot after it was flown!




Change the name of a race.


ChangeRacesWindow

Click on Race Name to Change
Races flown cannot be Changed

RaceName	Flown
BLOEMFONTEIN 1 OPE	Y
BLOEMFONTEIN 2 OPE	Y
GLEN JO	Y
VENTERSBURG 1 JO	Y
VENTERSBURG 1 OPE	Y
VENTERSBURG 2 JO	Y
VENTERSBURG 2 OPE	Y
WINBURG 1 JO	Y
WINBURG 1 OPE	Y

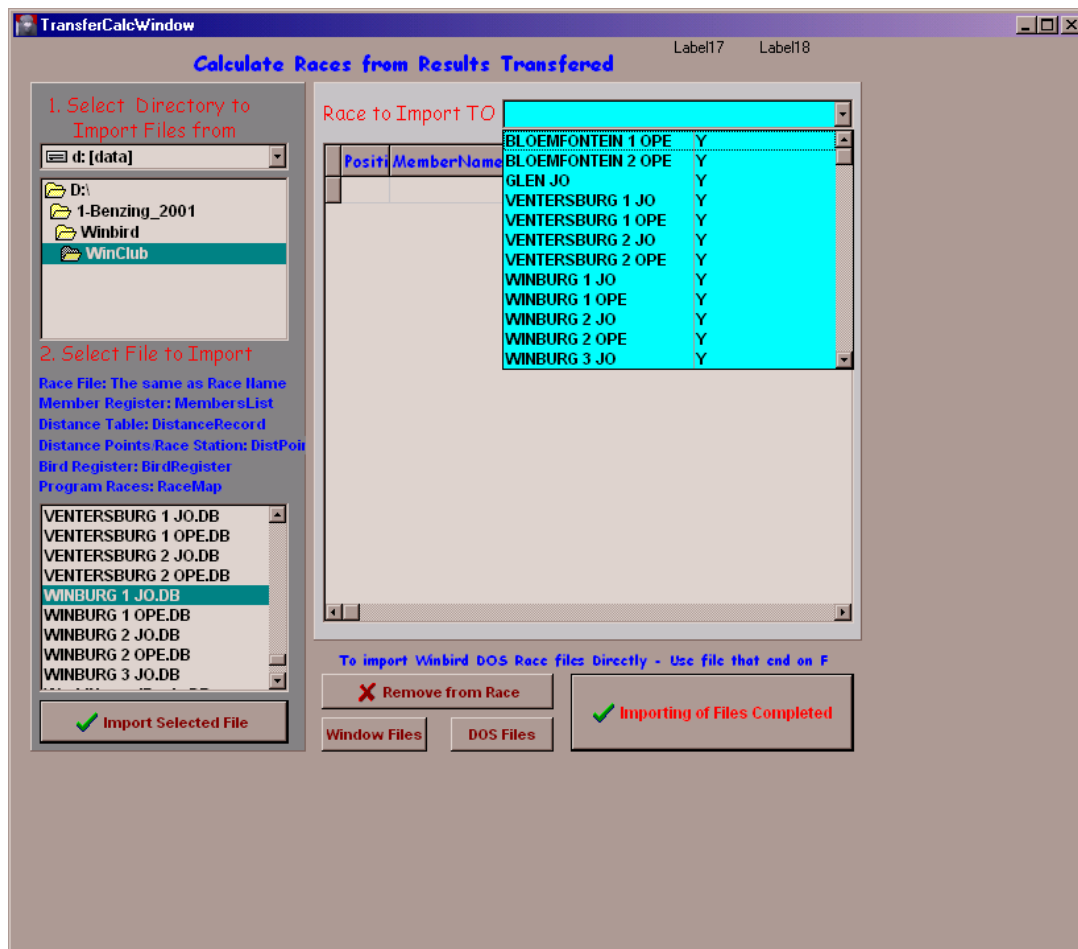
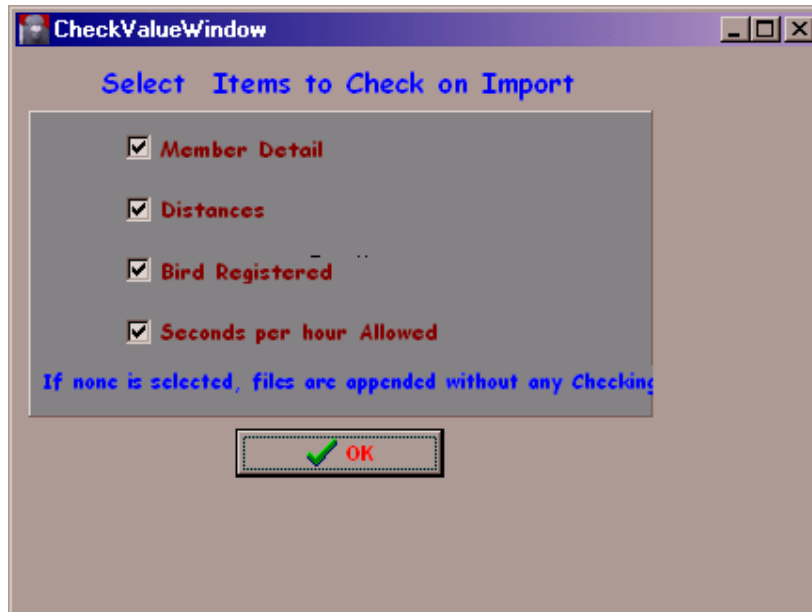
Enter New Race Name

 Change to Race Name Entered

 Changing of Names Completed

O. Transfer of results

You decide what detail you want to transfer with your results to the higher organisation. This section shows some "Result transfer" screen dumps.



ResultTransferWindow

Transfer of Racing Results

The Race Files to send is ONLY the file that ends on DB not the 9 other files with the same name

1. Ensure that the following detail is correct

STIFFY/FLOPPY disk drive Letter Only

E - Mail for CLUB

E - Mail for DIV/SECTION

E - Mail for FED/UNION

E - Mail for COMBINE

Races/Files selected to be transferred

Click on File to remove from List

- Add Member Register
- Add Distance Record
- Add Race Points (With Race co-ordinates)
- Add Program Races
- Bird Register

Please connect your PC to your service provider BEFORE sending E-Mail out from here

2. Select the Races to Transfer

RaceName

- BLOEMFONTEIN 1 OPE
- BLOEMFONTEIN 2 OPE
- GLEN JO
- VENTERSBURG 1 JO
- VENTERSBURG 1 OPE

Transfer Completed

3. Select Where to send Results to

Transfer to STIFFY/FLOPPY

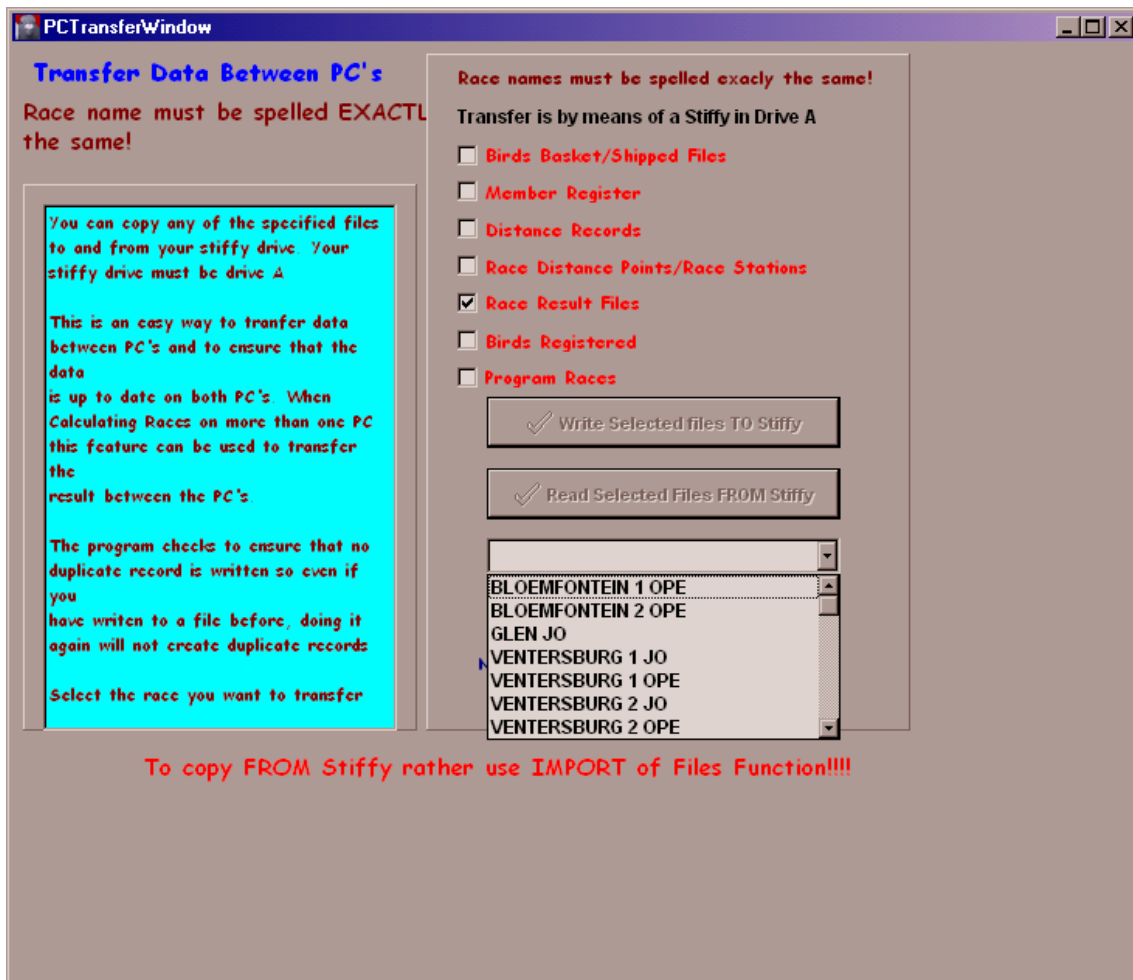
E - Mail to CLUB

E - Mail to Division/Section

E - Mail to FEDERATION/UNION

E - Mail to COMBINE

E - Mail to NATIONAL WEB SITE



You can transfer data between PC's.