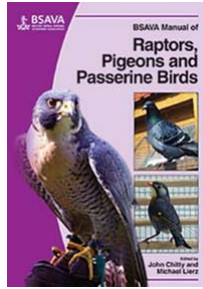


BSAVA MANUAL OF RAPTORS, PIGEONS AND WATERFOWL



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This book updates completely the information on birds of prey and pigeons and doves found in the BSAVA Manual of Raptors, Pigeons and Waterfowl, published twelve years ago. The advent of the new BSAVA Manual of Farm Pets, which encompasses waterfowl, has allowed a change in focus to feature passerine birds in detail for the first time.

The Manual starts with the all-important area of husbandry for the three groups, including those kept as working birds as well as ornamental and pet species. More general topics, such as handling, examination, diagnostic procedures and surgery are dealt with across the groups, with notes as required on specific differences. An excellent chapter is included on endoscopy and endosurgery - a major technique for avian patients.

The specialist section on raptor disease is very detailed, including an in-depth chapter on foot disease, especially bumblefoot. Recent interest in captive breeding is reflected in detailed chapters on reproduction and paediatrics. The sections dedicated to pigeons and passerine birds look at birds at both the individual and flock level.

A wealth of international expert authors, and the BSAVA Manual trademark practical approach and superb full-colour images throughout make this book a wonderful addition to the practice bookshelf.

DESCRIPTION:

Introduction. **Husbandry.**

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2. Pigeon Husbandry and Racing Management.
3. Passerine Bird Husbandry and Show Management.

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12. Endoscopy, Biopsy and Endosurgery.
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21. Paediatrics and Behavioural Development and Disorders.
22. Gastrointestinal Tract Disease.
23. Feather and Skin Diseases.
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