



Pigeon Diagnostics

Improving Health - Improving Performances

Who Are We?

Pigeon Diagnostics is a service based in Belfast, set up for the pigeon fancier, by a pigeon fancier to help develop and maintain a healthy race team.

What We Do?

We analyse pigeon droppings and throat swabs to accurately identify common ailments such as Round & Hairworm, Coccidiosis, Yeast, Canker (Trichomonas) and other useful indicators of respiratory infection that can have a detrimental effect on pigeon health.

The Benefits:

Savings for sometimes unnecessary, often expensive products frequently used routinely for the treatment of common ailments/diseases.

Saving time lost due to periods of illness and treatment, when the pigeons cannot be raced.

A guide to preventing over-treating, which often results in the rapid and unseen development of secondary infections.

A check to see if previous treatments/products used have been effective.

Full test kits are posted out **FREE –
You will find full payment information on the website**

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What is Pigeon Diagnostics?

- Pigeon Diagnostics is a service, based in Belfast, set up for the pigeon fancier, by a pigeon fancier to help develop and maintain a healthy race team.
- Our aim is to provide an accurate screening service for the fancier to get the best performances out of their race team by improving and maintaining pigeon health.
- Working for over 15 years in the laboratories in RVH and having completed an honours degree in Biomedical science I now have more time and the opportunity to pursue this interest of mine further.
- All results given to you my fellow fanciers is based on 6 years of me identifying these ailments initially for my father and I and later for some top fanciers from all over Ireland, including some National winning lofts.



"I had my birds all treated regularly with a well known product. But when my birds were tested soon after the treatment had finished they were found to be heavily infested which proved the product I was using was inferior". – Joe Brown, Blackwatertown WE

"A must before the racing season and essential before all major Nationals & Classics". – Geoffrey Douglas, Wilton Cross HPS

"Using Pigeon Diagnostics monthly I have seen a great difference in the birds health, here in the lofts at the North Coast Classic". – Sean Diamond, NCC Lofts Coleraine

"Sent birds droppings to Ryan on many occasions and what a very good service he provides will defo set you on the right track. Thanks for all your help. All the best Ron". – Ron Fewings, Rathnew

"My birds never raced well until Ryan came up and checked them over. Ever since that they took off straight away. I had four consecutive club wins and won over £1,000 in prize money in the 2012 young bird season". – Ned Russell, Hillsborough & Maze

What are the Advantages of using Pigeon Diagnostics

1. An Immediate identification of pathogens. All samples are tested on the day of arrival and fanciers are informed of the findings by phone. The following day a written report is posted together with another free test kit..
2. Saving money for sometimes unnecessary, often expensive products frequently used routinely for the treatment of common ailments/diseases.
3. Reducing time lost due to periods of illness and treatment, when the pigeons cannot be raced.
4. A guide to prevent over-treating, which often results in the rapid and frequently unseen development of secondary infections, eg fungal yeast infections.
5. A check to see if previous treatments/products used have been effective.

Why use Pigeon Diagnostics?

- All personal information shared with Pigeon Diagnostics remains totally anonymous and any results given are based on your own individual loft's findings and what I would do myself to treat my own birds.
- By monitoring their effect on racing performance and comparing any feedback given to me from fellow fanciers this has allowed me to formulate and quite accurately predict;

- How fast certain treatments work?
- How long to use certain products when a range is given for recommended treatment. For example, "3 to 5 days", does this mean 3, 4 or 5 days?
- How soon after treating certain ailments can you expect racing results to return?

A Full Test Kit includes:

- 2 x dropping sample bags
- 2 x throat swabs
- 1 x information sheet.
- 1 x specimen bag.
- A self addressed envelope (postage not included).

Other Options Available:

- 1 x swab = £5.00 / €7.00
- 2 x swabs = £10.00 / €14.00
- 1 x dropping sample = £5.00 / €7.00
- 2 x dropping sample = £10.00 / €7.00
- 1 x swab + 1 x dropping sample = £10.00 / €14.00
- 1 x swab + 2 x dropping sample = £15.00 / €20.00
- 2 x swab + 1 x dropping sample = £15.00 / €20.00
- 2 x swab + 2 x dropping sample = £15.00 / €20.00

Upon receipt of a kit containing samples for testing, you will receive a phone call detailing any findings, allowing the immediate administration of any medication if required. The following day a written report and another free test kit will be posted out to you.

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