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The British Barcelona Club celebrating '50' years 2014

BRITISH BARCELONA CLUB'S 50th ANNIVERSARY

1st British Barcelona Club, Palamos 1967

Unfortunately Squills did not carry a report of the 1967 race winner who was A.G.M. Stevens of Swindon flying 707 miles taking first place from 296 birds with a winning velocity of 849ypm. As can be seen from an advert, shown below, 45 of those birds were recorded in race time and 40% were verified. This was the first race from Palamos but as can be seen from the advert another was planned for 1968. The birds were to be transported by air with Marking on Wednesday 26th June for a liberation on Friday 28th June. Taking inflation into account the Birdage of £1-10s. would be £23.78 in today's money, Subscriptions of £1-1s. would be £16.65 and the R.N.H.U. Fee of 4s. 6d. would be £3.57.

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1968 RACE FROM PALAMOS — JUNE 28.
Air Transport. Convoyer: D. HORWOOD.
Basketing June 26 at Eastleigh up to 12 noon.
Over £800 was paid in Prize and Pool Money in 1967.

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Subscriptions £1 1s. plus R.N.H.U. Fee 4s. 6d. Birdage
£1 10s. per bird. Pools to £2 Open and Section.
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