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WADEE AL SHAQAB

(MARWAN AL SHAQAB X OFW MISHAAHL) 2010 STALLION







MENTON





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PALMARES

2010 Qatar National Champion Junior Male

2011 Qatar National Champion Gold Junior Colt

2012 Al Khalediah International Arabian Horse Championship Gold Champion Colt

2012 Menton Champion Junior Male, Highest scoring Male and Best in Show Male

2012 Paris World Champion Junior Male

2017 Menton Unanimous Gold Champion, Best Head Trophy and Best in Show Male

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They say that lightning doesn't strike twice – but Wadee Al Shaqab certainly proves that it does! A full brother to World Champion Stallion Kahil Al Shaqab, Wadee Al Shaqab took the title of World Junior Male Champion a year after his brother, and his return to the show-ring this year on the first weekend of July on the beautiful beaches of south France surely set everyone alight.

Foaled in 2010, Wadee Al Shaqab is owned and bred by Al Shaqab Member of Qatar Foundation, in Qatar. He is a son of their incredible stallion, Marwan Al Shaqab (ex Little Liza Fame by Fame VF) who is, in turn, out of their brilliant Gazal Al Shaqab (Anaza El Farid x Kajora by Kaborr), the foundation of one of the greatest stallion lines in the world. Looking to the damline, Wadee Al Shaqab is out of the lovely OFW Mishaahl (Mishaah x OFW Balarina by RSD Dark Victory). She is a true dam of distinction having produced several champions for Al Shaqab Stud including the beautiful Sultanat Al Shaqab, named Silver World Champion Filly in 2015 among her many titles.

From the moment he was born, Wadee Al Shaqab was special, something that was made apparent at his first show, the Qatar National Championships. There, he was crowned Junior Male Champion in spite of being less than a year old and competing against three year olds. The following year, Wadee Al Shaqab returned to the Qatar National Championships once more, and was



again victorious.

As a two-year-old, Wadee Al Shaqab was awarded the Silver Junior Male Champion title at the prestigious AI Khalediah International Arabian Horse Festival, an ECAHO A show, and this would be the only time he did not win the title outright. The following month, Wadee Al Shaqab returned to Qatar, this time for the 2012 International Arabian Horse Championships. There, he was named Gold Junior Male Champion and this award would signal the start of a tremendous string of results that season. At the Mediterranean and Arab Countries Championships in Menton, Wadee Al Shaqab was awarded the Gold Junior Male Championship title. In addition, he was the highest-scoring male of the show, and was the Male Best in Show. No small achievement for a three-year old, up against strong competition! From there, the most glorious show stage of all called, that of the Paris World Championships. There, just a year earlier in 2011, Wadee Al Shaqab's full brother, Kahil Al Shaqab, had taken the









prize of Junior Male World Champion. Expectations were high, but this incredibly showy bay took it all in his stride and was named Junior Male World Champion, with the bright lights of Paris shining down upon him.

Wadee Al Shaqab is a tremendously charismatic stallion, and he has already proven produced several winning progeny. With his exotic looks and tremendous presence, he has passed these attributes on to his offspring, and they are winning around the world. Having had a break from the show-ring after years dedicated just to breeding, with 130/120 breedings per year mantaining great shape and condition, now, aged seven, Wadee Al Shaqab returned to the arena again this season. His first show was the Mediterranean and Arab Countries Championships in Menton where he was victorious once more, handled as always by Giacomo Capacci.

He reached a brilliant success being First in class with 93.63 and then, in the final championship, Unanimous Gold Champion.

Everyone was able to enjoy his return to the show-ring in Menton, where he













won his second golden title. There, many people cheered for this lovely young stallion as part of 'Wadee Team'. Wadee Team Members participated in the Wadee Lottery organized by Tutto Arabi and Al Shagab and the winner, picked by Sh. Hamad Al Thani, won the trip to Qatar to attend the Qatar International Show 2018. In addition to that, everybody in Menton was able to participate in Wadee Game, trying to guess the score awarded to Wadee in the class. Six lucky winners won a prizemoney by Al Shaqab. Wadee Team Members supported Wadee Al Shaqab in live at the show or through live streaming and also sending their positive comments to FB. Now after this additional success by Wadee Al Shaqab, that Wadee Team is sure to grow as the year progresses, and Wadee Al Shaqab continues with his winning ways.

All eyes, however, will be on Paris at the end of the season, and just as older brother Kahil Al Shaqab would go on to take the World Champion Stallion title, expectation will be high for Wadee Al Shaqab to follow suit.



