

KUWAIT

International Arabian Horse Championship

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At the beginning of February Tutto Arabi was invited to attend the Kuwait International Show which this year has celebrated its 7th edition.

This is year the expectation was very high as the show was nominated as an A show and competitors arrived to Kuwait from all parts of the Nation, from Saudi Arabia and Qatar.

Kuwait City is the capital and largest city of Kuwait. Kuwait City is the political, cultural and economic center of Kuwait. It is considered a global city. Kuwait City's trade and transportation needs are served by Kuwait International Airport, Mina Al-Shurwaik (Shurwaik Port) and Mina Al Ahmadi (Ahmadi Port). Kuwait City has a hot desert climate and is one of the hottest cities in the summer on earth.

During February the climate was perfect to organize the

show, and the horses enjoyed to show themselves in the stunning outdoor arena.

Arabian horse breeding in Kuwait reached a great level and we had also the chance to attend many open days organized during the Festival.

The show event was organized in the amazing equestrian center Bait Al Arab.

When you think about a show in Kuwait immediately you think about Bait Al Arab and the show Director Mr. Abdullah N. Albraihi who as always organized the show the best way.

Perfect schedule, impeccable catering, the best service for Media and he took care of competitors and officials with dedication.

Kuwait now has reached a global level in maintaining, improving and promoting the Arabian Horse Breed.

Many new studs were created in the last year and many





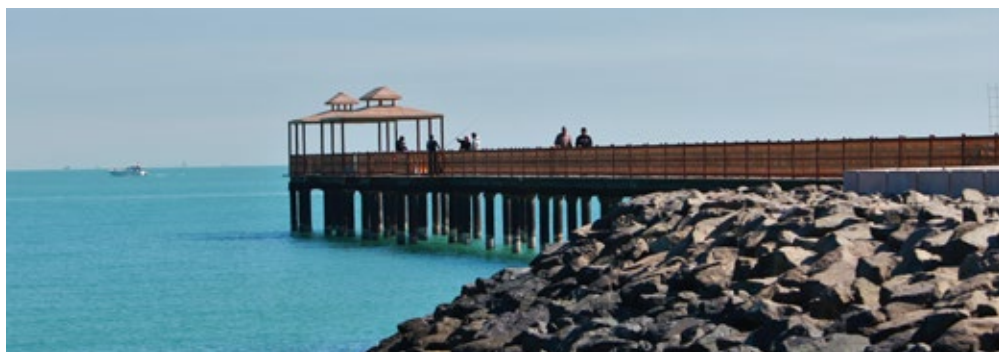
others will born soon.

People in Kuwait are very friendly and we felt immediately welcomed, we are looking forward to attend the next show edition.

Up to 800 spectators in total, making for a terrific atmosphere, and successful management had attended to every details and made the event a pleasure throughout for international and national participants. One of the highlights was the show arena, where technological perfection outperformed even the uppermost standard that audience, press, and participants might have expected to find.

The show and the Open House tour made visiting a small but very important country as Kuwait which was a real unique experience.

During the two day show we had the chance to see 290 horses and we have to tell that the quality was really outstanding





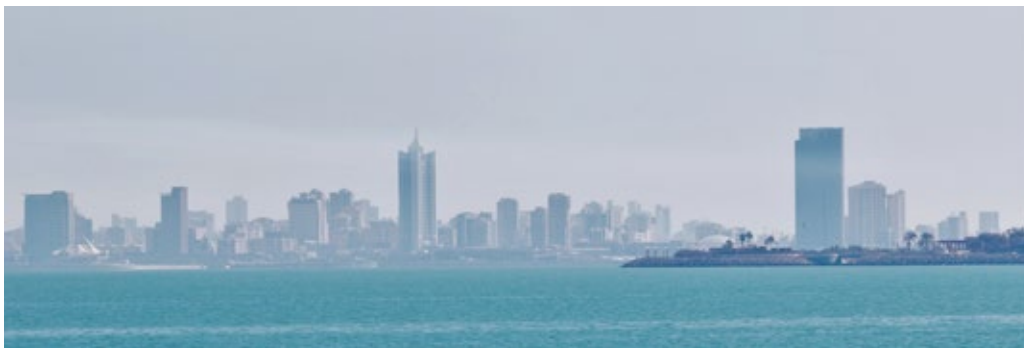
in most of the classes.

Thank you to all the Organizer, Arabian Horse Center – Bait Al Arab, its Chief Director, Sheikha Sarah Fahad Al Sabah, to the Committee Members and their Chairman Alaa Hamad Al Roumi, to the event manager Mr. Abdullah N. Albraihi, who curated also Public Relations, Marketing and Operations. Thanks to the judges invited for the edition: Jerzy Bialobok from Poland, Manfred Hain from Germany, Helen Hennekens van Nes from Belgium, Jaroslav Lacina from Czechia, Christian Moschini from Italy, Richard Petty from USA, Peter Pond from Australia, Anna Stojanowska from Poland, Christine Valdez from Spain. Thanks to the



Ringmasters peter Hagemann from Germany and Waleed Al Haddadi from KSA, to the announcers Nabila Al Ali from Kuwait and Abdulla Al Barmaki from Jordan.

Enjoy the pictures by our photographer Alessio Azzali. □



GOLD CHAMPION YEARLING FILLIES



GHALLIBA AL SHAQAB

HADIDY AL SHAQAB | SHARIFA AL SHAQAB
B/O: AL SHAQAB MEMBER OF QF

GOLD CHAMPION YEARLING COLTS



ALIYAAR AL WAWAN

FADI AL SHAQAB | PSYNECIA SPA
B/O: ALI MATAR AL WAWAN



GOLD CHAMPION JUNIOR FILLIES



RSHEDIAH ALKHASHAB

EKS ALIHANDRO | SYMPHONY OF LOVE
B: PSYNERGY ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENTS LLC
O: AL KHASHAB STUD

GOLD CHAMPION JUNIOR COLTS



RD HARENAADO

HARIRY ALSHAQAB | DM ENDLESS ROMANCE
B: MURRAY OR SHIRLEY POPPLEWELL
O: BASSAM AL SAQRAN

GOLD CHAMPION SENIOR MARES



DONNA MOLTA BELLA SRA

DA VALENTION | RD FABREANNA
B: DAN AND MAUREEN GROSSMAN
O: BASSAM AL SAQRAN

GOLD CHAMPION SENIOR STALLIONS



FADI AL SHAQAB

BESSON CAROL | ABHA MYRA
B: HOROLD OR DOLLY ORR MICHAEL BYATT
O: AL SHAQAB MEMBER OF QATAR FOUNDATION







YEARLING FILLIES



SILVER CHAMPION JUDE MS

ABHA UBANGUI | JJC LOURDES
B: MANDARA ARABIAN HORSE STUD - O: AL KHASHAB STUD



BRONZE CHAMPION GHAZL AL KHASHAB

SHAKAR PEGASUS | MAJEEDAH CF
B/O: ALKHASHAB STUD

YEARLING COLTS



SILVER CHAMPION TAYAMON AL SHAQAB

MARWAN AL SHAQAB | FARAH AL SHAQAB
B/O: AL SHAQAB MEMBER OF QF

BRONZE CHAMPION IBN ZAYDOUN

CADENCE PA | PLATINUM PA
B: PEGASUS ARABIANS
O: FALAH HUSSAIN FALAH



JUNIOR FILLIES



SILVER CHAMPION MENWAH AL SHAQAB

WADEE AL SHAQAB | MISS EL POWER JQ
B/O: AL SHAQAB MEMBER OF QF



BRONZE CHAMPION SULTANAH AL ARJA

A JERICO | PA PERDITA
B: J FRANK OR SARA R CHISHOM
O: ABDULAZIZ AL SHURAIAN

JUNIOR COLTS



SILVER CHAMPION SULTAN GK

WW STIVALLEA | AL MAGNA
B: KESSEM BORAN - O: AL BABTAIN STUD

BRONZE CHAMPION D ARGHAD

FA EL RASHEEM | KRYSTAL TIARA
B: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD
O: KHALED AL NUGHEMSHE



SENIOR MARES



SILVER CHAMPION MALIKAT ALMOLUK

MAMELUK | ASALAT AL HALA
B: HALAWA KHADER - O: AL KHASHAB STUD



BRONZE CHAMPION FARAH AL SHAQAB

AL ADEED AL SHAQAB | SWF VALENCIA
B/O: AL SHAQAB MEMBER OF QF

SENIOR STALLIONS



SILVER CHAMPION EXCALIBUR EA

SHANGHAI EA | ESSENCE OF MARWAN EA
B: EQUUS ARABIANS - O: BASSAM AL SAQRAN

BRONZE CHAMPION SARI ALO WANAH

ALFONZO | OFW ANNICA
B: ABDULLAH NASSER AL KHALDI
O: ABDULLATEEF ALRUSHIDI





