







n May 5th and 6th the International Tulip Cup took place at the facilities of NHB Deurne, The Netherlands. Since years, this show is a favorite to all with always high quality horses. This year the judges for the show were Mrs. Sylvie Eberhardt, Mrs. Joanne Lowe, Mrs. Renata Schibler, Mr. Gianmarco Aragno.

The show started with the filly foals. Winner of this class was Forelocks Lizzy (Yack F x Lanizjka) – bred and owned by Forelocks Arabians, The Netherlands. On the second position was KAS Kiss me Kate (Dubai Pasha x Kyjarra) – bred and owned by Ad Kuijf, The Netherlands.

Next to go were the yearling fillies. Beautiful young ladies at the beginning of their show career. Winner of this class was My Fair Rose-D (Marajj x WH Marissa Rose) – bred and owned by Dion Arabians from Belgium. This little lady later was named Junior champion filly at the final championships. At the second place was Pyronia KA (QR Marc x Polonia) –

bred and owned by Knocke Arabians from Belgium.

Off it went with the young boys! Won by DA al Amino. Sired by the recently deceased El Amin and out of Riva — bred and owned by Cornelia Kolnberger, Austria. 2nd in this class was the big moving Forelocks Yucatan (Psytadel x Yarra) — bred and owned by Forelocks Arabians, The Netherlands.

The next class was a big class of the 2 years old fillies. All scoring very close! The first two placing scored the exact same total. Winning on movement was LB Gucci (Ajman Moniscione x Bess Ginger) — bred and owned by LB Arabians - Norway, later this filly achieved the silver medal at the final junior championships. 2nd in this class was Gypsy Love NA (Ever After NA x EA Gypsy Echo) — bred in the USA by Robert & Dixie North and owned by Al Jalawiyah Stud, Saudi Arabia. Later in the championship, Gypsy Love achieved the Bronze medal.





The 2 years old colts were up next. A big favorite in this class and scoring easily the highest points of the class was the colorful Calypso OS. (Ajman Moniscione x AB Nastrapsy) This youngster seems to have it all! He already won several champion titles this Middle East show season and no claimed the title of Junior champion colt. I think we will hear a lot more of this colt in the next months! Calpyso was bred by Osterhof Gestut in Germany and is in ownership of Sabankaya Select, USA.

2nd in class and later bronze champion colt was Pavorotto K.A. (QR marc x Palanga) – bred and owned by Knocke Arabians from Belgium.

The class of the three years old fillies was again an exciting class with also this time two leading horses with the same score. Winning on type was Redwood Lodge Saffiqua (Redwood Lodge Artique x Redwood Lodge Saffron) – bred by Redwood Lodge Arabians, Australia and owned by Al

Jassimya Farm Qatar. 2nd in this class was the black Ava (Vervaldee x Aziza) – bred and owned by Pat Hannay from the UK.

Last class of the day was an impressive class of 3 years old colts. Won by Makisa Adaggio (Vervaldee x Maradisha) – bred by Mr. Walsh from the United Kingdom and owned by Rebecca Mcevoy from the UK. He later took the silver medal in the final colt championships. 2nd in this class was Kalif OS (Marajj x Khaleifa) – bred by Gestuet Osterhof and on lease to Haras Stigmatas from Brazil.

In the evening, the organization of the Tulip Cup organized a barbeque at the Willibrordhaege Hotel, followed by a party that was lasting till the early morning.

A few hours later, all the grooms, trainers, owners and spectators were again to be found at the show for the next classes to follow. The first to go was the class of the 4-6



years old mares. Won by, the later bronze medal winner, ESA Naadirah Nile (Ansata Nile Nadir x Imperial Baarikah) – bred by Imperial Stud, USA and owned by Nayla Hayek from Switzerland.

2nd in this class was Noor Magidaa LDA (Mishaal HP x Illa Magida LDA) – bred in the United States by LD Arabians and in ownership of Nayla Hayek stud from Switzerland.

The class was followed by the 4-6 years old stallions. All at the start of their breedingcarreer. Winner of the class was coming from Qatar; Nader al Shaqab (WN Star of Antigua x Aliaa al Shaqab) – bred and owned by Al Shaqab stud and later the gold medal winner of the senior stallions. 2nd in the class was El Khaled (Ansata Sinan x Shahirs Abriel) – a stallion with beautiful eyes! He is bred by Sheri Soper, USA and owned by Nayla Hayek, Switzerland.

The 7-9 years old mares had only two participants. Winner of

the class was Pandoraah (Padrons Psyche x Bint Bey Shah)

– bred in the United States by Bob Boggs and in ownership
of Al Khaled Farm from Saudi Arabia. This mare was named
champion filly in Deurne back in 2006. This time she made it
till the Silver Medal in the final senior mare championships.
2nd in the class was Farhanah bint Navaronne-D (Ansata
Selman x Navaronne P) – bred and owned by Dion Arabians
from Belgium.

The 7-9 years old stallions also counted just two participants. This class was won by the big moving Al Khattab al Thani (Al Batran x Hanan al Thaniya) – bred and owned by Al Sawary Farm, Saudi Arabia.

In the final championships, this stallion won the bronze medal!

2nd in class was Monther al Nasser (Ansata Hejazi x Aliah al Nasser) – bred and owned by Al Nasser Stud from Qatar. Being placed 2nd in class, this stallion later took revenge by







being named the silver medal stallion in the final championships!

The class of the mares 10 years and older was a treat to the eye. Beautiful classic mares were shown to perfection. Winner of this class, later gold medal winner, best in show and winner of the most exotic head award was Emira (Laheeb x Embra) – bred in Poland by Michalow Stud and in ownership of Ajman Stud, UAE.

2nd in class was the big moving Abha la Luna (El Perfecto x Gual Alba) – bred by Marietta Salas from Mallorca and in ownership of Mai Stud, Kuwait.

Next to go were the 10 years and older stallions with unfortunately only two competitors. Winner of the class was the always moving Valerio ibn Eternity VI (Eternity ibn Navaronne x Hafati Vogue) — bred by Mr. Lindebringhs-Smits from Belgium and in ownership of Samsara Arabians from Belgium. 2nd in class was Pasoa (Om el Extreem x Aica) – bred by R. Verrijdt from Belgium and in ownership of M. Leenarts from The Nertherlands.

The last class of the day was maybe the most exciting one! The liberty class! A class were the horses are allowed to move free in the arena and are being judged on type and movement. Clear winner of the class with 19,5 points on type and straight 20's on movement was Magdalena Galaa (WH Justice x Mareva) – Bred by Mr. Grassi from Italy and in ownership of Simone Leo from Italy. The reserve champion tittle was for Gasir (Motamid x Braken) – bred in Spain by J. van Dyke and in ownership of Jan Calis, The Netherlands.

With this last class, a beautiful show came to an end. Well organized by the Kuijf Family, Gideon Reisel and Jopie Smarius from The Netherlands. A show where we will certainly return to next year!



Ridden Class

| | | (Khidar x Narada DA)







Liberty

Gold

MACDALENA CALAA (WH Justice x Mareva)
Simone Leo

Filly Foals

Gold (Yack F x Lani Forelocks Araf

(Yack F x Lanizjka) Forelocks Arabians





Silver

KAS KISS ME KATE (Dubai Pasha x Kyjarra) Ad Kuijf

Bronze

GIULIETTA (Hassan Ashiraf x Indiana 'T')





Junior Females

MYFARROJED

(Marajj x WH Marissa Rose) Dion Arabians





Gold

Junior Females

BCUCCI

(Ajman Moniscione x Bess Ginger) LB Arabians







Junior Females

CYPSYLOVENA

(Ever After NA x EA Gypsy Echo) Al Jalawiyah Stud





Junior Males

CALYPIOOS

(Ajman Moniscione x AB Nastrapsy) Sabankaya Select, USA



Gold





Junior Males

MAKIJA ADACCIO

(Vervaldee x Maradisha) Rebecca Mcevoy





Junior Males

PAVOROTTOK.A.

(QR Marc x Palanga) Knocke Arabians







Senior Females

(Laheeb x Embra) Ajman Stud





Gold
BEST OF SHOW
Most Exotic Head

Senior Females

PANDORAAH

(Padrons Psyche x Bint Bey Shah)
Al Khaled Farm







Senior Females

EJANAADRAHNLE

(Ansata Nile Nadir x Imperial Baarikah) Nayla Hayek





Senior Males

NADER AL SHAQAB

(WN Star of Antigua x Aliaa al Shaqab) Al Shaqab Stud



Gold





Senior Males

MONTHER ALNASSER

(Ansata Hejazi x Aliah al Nasser) Al Nasser Stud





Senior Males

ALKHATTABALTHAN

(Al Batran x Hanan al Thaniya) Al Sawary Farm

