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German National All Nations Cup Arabian Futurity Europe



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Championships

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German National Championships

Since the early days, Germany has been a competitive breeder and participant at Arabian horse shows in Europe. The German National Championships are therefore known as a show of high quality. Every year, the Friday prior to the All Nations Cup, the best of the German breed is coming to Aachen to claim the honors of being the new National Champion.

Judges for this event were Mrs. Sharszadad Amir Aslani from Iran, Mrs. Marianne Tengstedt from Denmark and Mr. Jerzy Bialobok from Poland.

The show started with a big class of filly foals. The first three scoring all the same total of points. In the end the judges choose My Magic (Magic Magnifique x DA Magnifica) - bred by Claudia Darius and co-owned by Razavi Farahmand as their winner and later also as their Gold foal champion, followed by the beautiful Ahlam A (EKS Alihandro x AS Bint Saskia) - bred and owned by the Arabesque Partnership. At the third place and later Bronze foal champion we would find Ashana al Amryan (Al Amryan x Farids Meshana) - bred and owned by Sax Arabians.

The colt class had less entries and choose AJ Nofan (AJ Mardan x AJ Noor Kwestura) as their winner and later as their Silver foal champion - bred and owned by Ajman Stud. Second in this class was Julaan al Milan (Al Milan x Justina bint Psayada) - bred and owned by Sax Arabians. Third was CBA Primus (ZT Marwteyn x Porlamar el Aryes) - bred and owned by Bouche Arabians.

The yearling fillies were up next. Maryse OS (Ajman Moniscione x Shak Shakira) - bred by Gestuet Osterhof and

owned by Karin Merkel convinced the judges to name her the class winner, scoring 90.33 points and the Gold champion at the finale junior filly championships. Second in this class with 89.67 points and later Bronze champion was Ajmana OS (Ajman Moniscione x AB Nastrapsy) - bred by Gestuet Osterhof and owned by Ajman Stud.

The yearling colts had some nice entries. Winner of the class with 90 points and Bronze champion was Inspired Asim (Ajman Moniscione x Natalia) - bred and owned by the Schick Family. Second with 89.67 points was Farid ibn Amir (Amir ibn al Amrya x Farida bint Khidar) - bred and owned by Sax Arabians.

The two years old filly class was an exciting class with the two fillies scoring quite close to each other. MS Mary Lou (WH Justice x Bajah Badiya) - bred and owned by the Malorny Family was placed first with a total of 89.33 points. Second with 89 points was Muranas Azeezah (Pysyadel x Asia BM) - bred and owned by Murana Stud.

Next to go were the stallions aged two and three. A small class won with 90 points by KB Zento (Makisa Adaggio x Kar Zarzarossa) - bred and owned by KB Arabian Stud. Later in the championships this colt won the Bronze medal. Second with 89.67 points was Martice (Al Justice x Miss Marenga) - bred and owned by Sax Arabians.

In the three years old fillies class the victory went with 89.33 points to the typy Al Justina (Al Justice x Espanna Estopa) - bred and owned by Sax Arabians. In the final junior championships she got a Silver medal. Second in this class with 89 points was Bourhani Marsica (Marajj x Psynesica) - bred and owned by Bourhani Arabians.

A big class full with beautiful 4-7 years old fillies went on

next. Winner with 90.67 points and unanimous Gold champion mare was the gorgeous *Esskbija bint Essteema* (Khidar x Essteema) – bred and owned by Sax Arabians. Second in this class with 90 points and Silver medal champion was *F Siraja* (WH Justice x F Samirah) – bred and owned by the Friedmann Family. Third with 89.67 points and later Bronze champion mare was *Pyramid Kahileh K* (Al Lahab x Bint Kahila) – bred and owned by Pyramid Stud.

The show continued with a nice class of young stallions aged 4-7 years old. Winner of this class with 90.67 points and later Gold champion stallion was the fantastic moving *Pallaton K* (El Nabila B x Pocahontas K) – bred by Murillo Kammer and owned by Gestuet Ismer. Second in this class with 90.33 points was *Al Marid* (Al Milan x Bafra B) – bred by Tomas Holubec and owned by Sax Arabians. Later in the championships he got the Silver medal. Third with 89.33 points and bronze medal winner was *Europe ibn Khidar* (Khidar x Essteema) – bred and owned by Sax Arabians.

The next class was the class of the mares aged 8 years and older. The two first placed mares both scored 88.67 points, however,



one of them had more points on type, making *Psymerra* (Psytadel x Medusa) – bred by Gestuet Osterhof and owned by the Malorny Family – the classwinner. Second was *Bel Alinah* (AAF Absolut x Wa Menteya) – bred by Marcel Merkel and owned by Andrea Keller.

The last class of the day was the one of the senior stallions. A class won with 89.67 points by the gorgeous and fantastic moving *Shakaar ibn Sanadiva* (Kubinec x Om el Sanadiva) – bred and owned by Ralf Heckenbucker. Second with 89.33 points was *Pyramid Aalin* (Ali Valentino x Pyramid set el Nil) – bred and owned by Pyramid Stud. □



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Gold Medal Champion Foals - MY MAGIC

MAGIC MAGNIFIQUE x DA MAGNIFICA - B/O: RAZAVI FARAHMAND, SORAYA C/O DARIUS (DE)



Silver Medal Champion Foals AJ NOFAN

AJ MARDAN x AJ NOOR KWESTURA
B/O: AJMAN STUD (DE)



Bronze Medal Champion Foals ASHANA AL AMRYAN

AL AMRYAN x FARIDS MASHANA
B/O: SAX ARABIANS GERMANY (DE)



Silver Medal Champion Fillies AL JUSTINA

AL JUSTICE x ESPANNA ESTOPA

B/O: SAX ARABIANS GERMANY (DE)

Bronze Medal Champion Fillies AJMANA OS

AJMAN MONISCIONE x AB NASTRAPSY

B: KARL HEINZ STÖCKLE (DE)

O: AJMAN STUD (DE)



Gold Medal Champion Fillies - MARYSE OS

AJMAN MONISCIONE x SHAK SHAKIRA - B: GESTÜT OSTERHOF (DE) - O: KARIN MERKEL (DE)

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Gold Medal Champion Colts - BOURHANI ALDEBARAN

AJMAN MONISCIONE x MF HELONA - B/O: BOURHANI ARABIANS (DE)



Silver Medal Champion Colts INSPIRED ASIM

AJMAN MONISCIONE x NATALIA

B/O: FAMILY SCHICK (DE)



Bronze Medal Champion Colts KB ZENTO

MAKISA ADAGGIO x KAR ZARZARROSA

B/O: KB ARABIANS (DE)



Silver Medal Champion Mares F SIRAJA

WH JUSTICE x F SAMIRAH

B/O: FRIEDMANN, INGE UND HANSJURGEN (DE)



Bronze Medal Champion Mares PYRAMID KAHILEH K

AL LAHAB x BINT KAHILA

B/O: PYRAMID STUD - UWE JURGEN WAGNER (DE)



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Gold Medal Champion Mares - ESSKHIJA BINT ESSTEEMA

KHIDAR x ESSTEEMA - B/O: SAX ARABIANS GERMANY (DE)

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Gold Medal Champion Stallions - PALLATON K

EL NABILA B x POCAHONTAS K - B: MURILO KAMMER (BR) - O: ISMER STUD (DE)



Silver Medal Champion Stallions AL MARID

AL MILAN x BAFRA B

B: HOLUBEC TOMAS (SK) - O: SAX ARABIANS GERMANY (DE)



Bronze Medal Champion Stallions EUROPE AL KHIDAR

KHIDAR x ESSTEEMA

B/O: SAX ARABIANS GERMANY (DE)

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All Nations Cup

The last summer days turn into the first days of Autumn, without realizing you are humming the riddle of Helmut Lotti that keeps popping up in your head.. "You'll win every fight you fight Every game you play" – and then you realize.. it is that time of the year again. The time when your skin is in constant 'goose-bump' mode and your butterflies awake in your stomach. It is the last weekend of September, the time of the All Nations Cup, Aachen – the most prestigious show of the year. People from all edges of the world unite here at the Albert Vahle Halle in Aachen, Germany to see the best of the best inbreeding of the purebred Arabian Horse.

The All Nations Cup started around the mid-seventies, long before the show commission had been founded, with an idea of the British Mrs. Annette Hedley. An idea that there should be a show for Arabian horses that extended beyond Europe. This event would be open to all nations whose stud books had been accepted by WAHO.

As opposed to other international shows, this event would include an additional scoring system for the participating nations. Points would earned by class winners, seconds etc., as well as champions and reserves, and be awarded to the exhibiting country.

In order to eliminate the advantage in numbers of the nation hosting the event, it was decided that in each class only the best horses from each nation would be able to score, and for the final result, only the best five results per nation would be used. This was to ensure that not the number of horses from each nation, but their quality, was the decisive factor in winning the Nations Cup.

Because of the good relations between Annette Hedley and Lady Harmsworth Blunt, the latter, a true grand lady of Arabian breeding, by way of the British paper "The Daily Mail" sponsored a valuable Silver cup to be awarded as a challenge trophy.

The first All Nations Cup shows were held with great success in England, Sweden, and Spain.

In 1987, after due consideration, the committee approached the German society and after the successful edition in 1984, suggested that Germany might permanently organize these shows together with the Nations Cup Committee. A treaty was set up, signed by both parties, and since 1987 all Nations

Cup shows have taken place at Aachen.

In 2001, Annette and Ian Hedley and The Hon. Mrs. Mary Ann Wragg developed the idea to award a second prize in addition to the All Nations Cup/The Lady Harmsworth Blunt Memorial Trophy, in order to honor those nations who had not only exhibited, but bred the best horses at the show.

Shortly after the realization of this idea and the completion of the Bronze, Ian Hedley, many years general secretary of WAHO, died. In his honor this new prize has been named "Major T.W.I. Memorial Trophy".

Over the years, the All Nations Cup is seen as the toughest competition in Arabian Horse showing in the world. Not only by their large numbers of entries but also because of the increasing quality presented. 2014 would go into the history books as the largest number of high scoring horses ever.

Since last year, a new scoring system was introduced. Were in the past the judges were fixed, now all judges were chosen randomly by pushing a big button at the start of each class.

Judges available for selection in the 2014 edition were Mrs. Julie Bridges from Great Britain, Mrs. Deborah Cain from the USA, Mrs. Silvia Garde-Ehlert from Germany, Mrs. Marie-Louise van Wijk from South Africa, Nashaat Hegazy from Egypt, Mr. Luiz Eduardo Moreira Caio from Brazil, Mr. Christian Moschini and Mr. Marco Pittaluga from Italy, Mr. Peter Pond from Australia and Mr. Tamas Rombauer from Hungary.

The show started early on the Saturday morning. At 8am sharp, the first group of yearling fillies entered the arena. Twelve beautiful young fillies at the start of their showing careers – all proud and extremely beautiful – almost all scoring above the 90 points. Winner of this first class with 92 points was the typy Sultana AM (Maharani HDM x Dana al Mohamadia) – bred and owned by Al Mohamadiyah Stud from Saudi Arabia. Later in the championships, she scored the Silver Medal. Second in this class with 91.92 points was Ceranova (Kabil al Shagab x Carinola) – bred and owned by Janow Podlaski from Poland. Third in this very competitive class, scoring 91.75 points was AJ Sayeda (Vervaldee x Sweet Caroline LL) – bred and owned by Ajman Stud from the UAE. At the 4th position and later Top Five filly in the final championships was the black pearl Zennyatta (Victorious LD x Love Chimes LD) – bred by Van Dyke and owned by Al Baydaa and Mai Stud from Egypt.



The show continued with yet another large group of yearling fillies. An even stronger class with most of the fillies scoring above the 91 points. Winner of this class with a striking 93 points and Gold medal winner of the yearling fillies was the beautiful AJ Sawari (Marwan al Shaqab x Siberia SA) – stepping in the footsteps of her successful sister who won the Gold medal the year before – both bred and owned by Ajman Stud of the UAE. Second in this class with 92.67 points was the moving machine Al Jazeera. This fabulous filly, sired by Kabil al Shaqab and out of Alhasa brought Goosebumps to many as she danced through the arena with her exceptional movement – making the public go wild! In the championships, this filly, bred and owned by Janow

Podlaski from Poland, make it to a Top Five position. Third in this competitive class with 92.25 points was Pustyna Kabila – another daughter of Kabil al Shaqab, out of Pustyna Malwa. This filly is bred and owned by Michalow Stud from Poland and in the championships convinced the judges to give her a Bronze medal!

Next to show were the yearling colts. Beautiful young boys representing the future of the Arabian breed. The first class of yearling colts counted seven competitors. Winner of this class, scoring a total of 93.25 points was Morion. Again a youngster sired by Kabil al Shaqab – who is truly making a name for himself as a sire. Morion is out of Mesalina and is bred and owned by Michalow Stud from Poland. In the final



championships he received the Silver medal. Second in this class with 92.17 points was Lord el Shawan (FA el Shawan x Lady Serenada) – bred and owned by Jozef Pietrzak from Poland. This colt was great fun to watch as he was leading his handler through the ring instead of the other way around, resulting in a beautiful dance and a Bronze medal in the final championships. At the third position, scoring 91.67 points we would find Valentino des Alpes (Macho des Alpes x Faf Victoria) – bred and owned by Otto Berg from France. The second group of yearling colts had only five participants. The strongest being the very typy D Mshari (QR Marc x FT Shaella) – bred and owned by Dubai Arabian Horse Stud from the UAE. Later in the championships, this lovely colt received the Gold medal. Second in this class with a total of 91.83 points was AJ Marzan (AJ Portofino x HED AB Maria) – bred and owned by Ajman Stud from the UAE. Later in the championships he received the Top Five honours. Third with 91.17 points and also awarded with the Top Five honours was Al Aseel (Van Gogh AM x Claudiaa) – bred by the Bedeker Family and owned by Alsayed Stud from Saudi Arabia.

Off it went with the two years old fillies. Beautiful young ladies showing their potential for the future. Did D Mshari win the yearling Gold champion title, the Gold championships of the junior fillies was won by his half sister D Shabla. This beautiful big moving daughter of Marajj is out of the incredible FT Shaella – who is not only the dam of both Shabla and Mshari, but also a former World Champion mare herself. With 93.08 points Shabla was second in her class but came back strong in the championship and claimed the Gold medal for her breeder and owner of Dubai Arabian Horse stud from the UAE. Classwinner with 93.25 points and later Silver medal winner was the refined Penelope KA (QR Marc x Polonia) – bred and owned by Knocke Arabians from Belgium. Third with 92.67 points and winning the Top Five honors in the final championships was the Golden girl Delights Diva RB (Ajman Moniscione x Honeys Delight RB) – bred in Brazil by De Moura and owned by Alsayed Stud from Saudi Arabia.

Next to go was a strong class of two years old colts. Most of them already successful in the showing and on their way of becoming important breeding stallions themselves. Classwinner with 92.42 points was D Khattaf (Royal Colours x D Jowan) – bred and owned by Dubai Arabian Horse Stud from the UAE. Later in the championships he took the Bronze medal. Second in this class with 92.25 points was the ultra typy RP Burj al Arab (WH Justice x Pamira bint Psytadel) – bred by Di Grazia Arabians and owned by Agmal Arabians from South Africa. Later in the championships he fight his way back in the spotlight, earning a Silver medal! Third in this class with 91.83 points and winning the Top Five honours was Prussia MI (Abha Qatar x Parada) – bred by Ambition Investments and owned by Al Mohamadiah Stud from Saudi Arabia.

The show continued with the three years old filly class. A very interesting class with also some new faces which was quite refreshing. All fillies scored quite close to each other. Winner with 92.83 points and Top Five winner was Inspired Najla (Ajman Moniscione x Natalia) – bred by the Schick Family and owned by Ajman Stud from the UAE. Second with 92.75 points and earning a Bronze medal in the final championship was the fairytale like AJ Asyad (Marwan al Shaqab x Aja Angelica) – bred and owned by Ajman Stud from the UAE. Ending up third with the same total of points was the gorgeous newcomer Shamaliah (Stival x Al Shareefab) – bred and owned by Gestuet Emaj from Switzerland. This filly was very well handled and shown by the studs own handler and it was clearly to see how much this result meant to her and the Family. Very much deserved as it was a pleasure to watch. I hope to see more of this gorgeous filly in the future!

The next class was probably one of the most spectacular and most talked about classes of the whole show – a class going into the history books as the highest scoring class ever. I must say that not everyone was pleased with the high points given. This had nothing to do with the quality of the horses and it was not about the ranking either – but seen the incredible high scores given, it left minimal space for improvement. Compared to the scores given in the past years, the scores given to all the horses in the show this year were much higher. One must agree the quality of the horses shown at the various shows in Europe and beyond has gotten more and more high and it is very hard to breed a horse these days who does really stand out from the crowd. One can say that in this class, one particular horse did stand out from the rest, scoring a historical 95.33 points. Excalibur EA (Shanghai EA x Essence of Marwan EA). Line bred on the double Ibn Estasha mare Elizja – Excalibur scored full twenties on movement – he did do a fantastic performance – almost full twenties on type and scored multiple 19.5's on head, neck and body! In the end of the day, Excalibur was chosen to Unanimous Gold Champion of the junior colts. Quite the accomplishment for his breeder Equus Arabians and his owner Las Rosas Arabians from Uruguay. Second in this exciting class with still an incredible score of 93 points was Sultan al Zobara (Gazal al Shaqab x Inra al Shaqab) – bred and owned by Al Zobara Stud from Qatar. Third with 92.25 points and Top Five winner was Psyche Keret (Khidar x Psyche Victoria) – bred and owned by Chrcynno Palace Stud from Poland.

The show continued and the quality stayed high. The 4-6 years old mares were up. Winner with 92.83 points was the big moving and ultra typy Alma al Tiglio (Ajman Moniscione x Amanda al Tiglio) – bred by Tiglio Sauro Lodetti and owned by Giancarlo Buzzi from Italy. Second with 92.75 points was Diara (Eryks x Diaspora) – bred and owned by Michalow Stud from Poland. Third with the same total of points was Mystic Antasia (WH Justice x

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LL Albufera) – bred by Stoneridge Arabiand and Oakridge Arabians and owned by Atyab Stud from Kuwait. This beautiful filly also claimed the Top Five title at the final championships. Another mare that was quite the eye catcher but unfortunately didn't make it within the first three was the fantastic moving Naples Belitze (Rohara Bacara x Rohara Bask Melody) – who made the crowd all enthusiastic and excited. Bred by Naples Arabians and owned by the Thor Family from Norway, this mare scored a total of 91.58 points.

Next to go was another fantastic group of mares. When visiting the All Nations Cup in Aachen, I always feel like Alice in Wonderland. The quality is truly mind blowing and the atmosphere is like nowhere else on any horse show in the world. This stunning group of 7–10 years old mares was no different. With 94.75 points, the incredible moving mare Pepita (Ekstern x Pepesza) wowed the crowd by scoring well deserved full 20's on movement and almost full 20's on type. Later in the championships she claimed the Silver medal. Second in this class with 93 points and Top Five winner was the ultra typy Shab Mahsima (WH Justice x Minutka) – bred by Sardar Arabians and owned by KJ Arabians from Denmark. Third with still an impressive score of 92.83 points was Psyche Victoria (Ekstern x Pallas Atena) – bred and owned by Chrcynno Palace Stud from Poland. Psyche Victoria is the dam of Third placed colt Psyches Keret in the three years old colt class the day before.

The last mare class of the weekend was the exciting class of mares aged eleven years and older. Former World champion mare and an icon in Arabian Horse breeding: Kwestura (Monogramm x Kwesta) entered the arena as a true Queen. With 20's all over the board on both type and movement and almost full 20's for head and neck, Kwestura scored a total of 94.83 points – winning not only her class but also claiming the Gold medal in the final championships. Kwestura was bred by Michalow Stud and owned by Ajman Stud from the UAE.

Second in this class was another Polish beauty – Emira (Laheeb x Embra) – bred by Michalow stud and still owned by them. She scored a total of 93.50 points and was named Bronze champion mare in the final championships.

Off it went with the stallions! Always reason for some even

more excitement! A nice group of 4–6 years old stallions danced around the arena. All convinced of their beauty and presence. One was already standing out from the rest when entering the ring. The big moving Equator (QR Marc x Ekliptyka) – bred and owned by Michalow stud from Poland – looked beautifully and with a fantastic score of 94.17 points he won his class and was later named Bronze champion with the senior stallions. Second in this class with 92.92 points and winning the Top Five honor was the typy Mouheb (WH Justice x Morning Breeze J) – bred by Klarenbeek Arabians and owned by Affi Arabians from Israel.

Next to go was the class of stallions aged 7–10 years. Another great group of stallions, won with an impressive score of 94.58 points by the beautiful and popular Eden C (Enzo x Silken Sable) – bred by the Coleal Family and owned by Alsayed Stud from Saudi Arabia. Later in the championships this ultra typy stallion won the Gold medal. Second in this class with still an immense high score of 93.58 points en Top Five winner in the final championships was Mountassar al Zobair (Khidar x Falma al Shaqab) – bred by Al Zobair stud and owned by Al Nassem stud from Babrein.

Last class of the day was the one of the senior stallions aged 11 years and older. It was a very close call as the first two stallions scored really close. The fantastic moving Rohara Baccara (Padrons Psyche x Sidia) – bred by Rohara Arabians and owned by Al Fares Arabians from Sweden – turned up the heat and made the crowd go wild. With well deserved full 20's for movement he scored a total of 93.17 points ending up as the class winner and leaving a second place to former world champion Al Lahab (Laheeb x The Vision HG) – who scored a total of 93.08 points. Later in the championships, Al Lahab came back strong, earning a Silver medal with the senior stallions.

Before the end of this very interesting edition of the All Nations Cup, some trophies were given. The highest points winner of the mares was won by Kwestura scoring 94.83. The highest points winner of the stallions was won by Excalibur EA with 95.33 points. Winner of both the All Nations Cup The Lady Harmsworth Blunt Memorial Trophy and the Breeders Cup Major TWI Hedley memorial trophy was Poland! □



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Gold Medal Champion Yearling Fillies - AJ SAWARI

MARWAN AL SHAQAB x SIBERIA SA - B/O: AJMAN STUD (UAE)



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Silver Medal Champion Yearling Fillies SULTANA AM

MAHARANI HDM x DANA AL MOHAMADIA
B/O: AL MOHAMADIA STUD (KSA)



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Bronze Medal Champion Yearling Fillies PUSTYNA KAHILA

KAHIL AL SHAQAB x PUSTYNA MALWA
B/O: STADNINA KONI MICHALOW (PL)

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Gold Medal Champion Yearling Colts - D MSHARY

QR MARC x FT SHAELLA - B/O: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD (UAE)



Silver Medal Champion Yearling Colts MORION

KAHIL AL SHAQAB x MESALINA
B/O: STADNINA KONI MICHALOW (PL)



Bronze Medal Champion Yearling Colts LORD EL SHAWAN

FA EL SHAWAN x LADY SERENADA
B/O: PIETRZAK JOSEF (PL)



Gold Medal Champion Fillies - D SHAHLA

MARAJJ x FT SHAELLA - B/O: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD (UAE)



Silver Medal Champion Fillies PENELOPE K.A.

QR MARC x POLONIA
B/O: KNOCKE ARABIANS (BE)



Bronze Medal Champion Fillies AJ ASYAD

MARWAN AL SHAQAB x AJA ANGELICA
B/O: AJMAN STUD (UAE)

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Gold Medal Champion Colts and Best in Show Male - EXCALIBUR EA

SHANGHAI EA x ESSENCE OF MARWAN EA

B: EQUUS ARABIANS - SORROCA, ALBERT (ES) - O: LAS ROSAS ARABIANS - PRINCESS LEATTITIA D'ARENBERG (UY)



Silver Medal Champion Colts RP BURJ AL ARAB

WH JUSTICE x PAMIRA BINT PSYTADEL

B: GESTÜT DI GRAZIA (DE) - O: AGMAL ARABIANS - LIEZL ELS (ZA)



Bronze Medal Champion Colts D KHATTAF

ROYAL COLOURS x D JOWAN

B/O: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD (UAE)



Gold Medal Champion Mares and Best in Show Female - KWESTURA

MONOGRAMM x KWESTA - B: STADNINA KONI MICHALOW (PL) - O AJMAN STUD (UAE)



Silver Medal Champion Mares PEPITA

EKSTERN x PEPEZA

B/O: STADNINA KONI JANOW PODLASKI (PL)



Bronze Medal Champion Mares EMIRA

LAHEEB x EMBRA

B/O: STADNINA KONI MICHALOW (PL)

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Gold Medal Champion Stallions - EDEN C

ENZO x SILKEN SABLE - B: RHONDA L. AND RHODA COLEAL - O: AL SAYED STUD (KSA)



Silver Medal Champion Stallions AL LAHAB

LAHEEB x THE VISION HG

B: ARIELA, URI (IL) - O: FRIEDMANN, INGE UND HANSJURGEN (DE)



Bronze Medal Champion Stallions EQUATOR

QR MARC x EKLITYKA

B/O: STADNINA KONI MICHALOW (PL)

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Arabian Futurity Europe

Since last year, the Arabian Futurity Europe is back at the All Nations Cup, Aachen. The AFE is an initiative for breeders of Arabian horses in Europe. The founders and members of the Arabian Futurity Europe Group are James Swaenepoel (Belgium) and Karl-Heinz Stöckle (Germany) in cooperation with Gregor Aymar (Germany) and Ward Bemong. Their goal aims to give a new impulse to Arabian horse breeding and Arabian horse events in Europe. With an excellent selection of Europe's highest quality breeding stallions, they create the opportunity to buy one of these breedings in an open auction. The horse born out of this breeding may be automatically enlisted to compete in the Yearling Futurity Competition, which renders an interesting amount of prize money. Since the last two years, breeders can also nominate their foal in case the breeding was not bought at the auction. In this case, the prize money won will be less for that particular entry.

Judges for this year's edition of the AFE were Adel el Razek from Egypt, Cedes Bakker from Holland, David Boggs from the USA, Luca Oberti from Italy, Philippe Hosay and Ronny Vosch from Belgium.

The qualifying classes were held on Friday and started with the filly foals born in 2014. There was no placing announced, only a Top Five. Within this Top Five were in catalogue order; Ero's Vanity (Vitorio TO x Raville P) - bred and owned by Monica van Duijvenbode from The Netherlands; Carmine al Khaled (Glorius Apal x Cosmopolitan J) - bred and owned by Al Khaled Farm from Saudi Arabia; the exquisite Alihandra Nur (EKS Alihandro x Aryelle el Thessa) - bred by Christina Salvatori and owned by Nur Arabians from Italy; Feuer Bellissima (Ajman Moniscione x Neva bint Volga) - bred and owned by Ivan Vieider from Italy and Alia AM (Van Gogh AM x Abba Sabiya) - bred and owned by Al Mohamadiab Stud from Saudi Arabia.

The colt was a nice class and within the Top Five were chosen: Julaan al Milan (Al Milan x Justina bint Psyada) - bred and owned by Sax Arabians from Germany and his stable mate Alimandro (EKS Alihandro x Lamana); Forelocks Voltaire (Psytadel x Vekaisa F) - bred and owned by Forelocks Arabians from The Netherlands; Matador el Jamaal (Psytadel x Mahity el Jamaal) - bred and owned

by Jean Mattens from Belgium and HG Psyglow (Psyasic x HG Sweet Love) - bred by Peter Birch and owned by Holmgaard Arabians from Denmark.

A beautiful group of yearling fillies was up next. Beautiful and confident and ready for their career in the showring and some of them already a champion. Winning the Top Five honors in catalogue order were; Mounira J (Emerald J x Magnificent Lady J) - bred by Jadem Arabians and owned by Al Muawd Stud from Saudi Arabia; MM Santana (RFI Farid x Sayonarah el Bri) - bred and owned by Mario Matt Arabians from Austria; Fahda Athbah (Fadi al Shagab x Magnolia Apal) - bred and owned by Athbah Stud from Saudi Arabia; Athbayat JJ (Ajman Moniscione x Pocahontas K) - bred by Johanna Ullstrom and owned by Athbah Stud from Saudi Arabia and the big moving Forelocks Veronique (Psytadel x Vekaisa F) - bred by Forelocks Arabians and owned by VDV Management from Belgium.

Only six yearling colts participated in the last class. Making it into the Top Five were Inspired Asim (Ajman Moniscione x Natalia) - bred by the Schick Family and owned by Inspired Stud from Germany; Shiraz de Lafon (Shanghai EA x Diacira de Lafon) - bred by Mas de Lafon and owned by Jadem Arabians from Belgium; Armani DD (Ajman Moniscione x Lady Cassandra DD) - bred and owned by DD Arabians from Belgium; Bashir al Khaled (WH Justice x Pandoraah) - bred and owned by Al Khaled Farm from Saudi Arabia and Najd AM (Abba Qatar x Dana AM) - bred and owned by Al Mohamadiab Stud from Saudi Arabia. On Saturday it was time for the final championships. First the foal championships were both the Top Five of the colt and the filly foals would compete against each other. Foal Gold Champion was Carmine al Khaled (Glorius Apal x Cosmopolitan J) - bred and owned by Al Khaled Farm from Saudi Arabia. Silver champion was Alia AM (Van Gogh AM x Abba Sabiya) - bred and owned by Al Mohamadiab Stud from Saudi Arabia. Bronze champion was the exciting Alihandra Nur (EKS Alihandro x Aryelle el Thessa) - bred by Christina Salvatori and owned by Nur Arabians from Italy. Still making it into the Top Five were Matador el Jamaal (Psytadel x Mahity el Jamaal) - bred and owned by Jean Mattens from Belgium and Forelocks Voltaire (Psytadel x Vekaisa F) - bred and owned by Forelocks Arabians from The Netherlands!

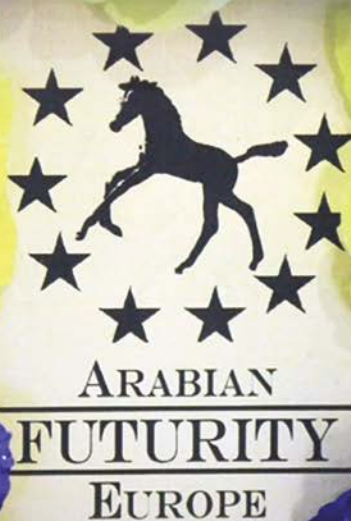
The show continued with the yearlings! Also in this



championships, both male and female compete for the final Top Five honor. Gold Medal champion was Mounira J (Emerald J x Magnificent Lady J) - bred by Jadem Arabians and owned by Al Muawd Stud from Saudi Arabia. The Silver Champion was Athbayat JJ (Ajman Moniscione x Pocahontas K) - bred by Johanna Ullstrom and owned by Athbah Stud from Saudi Arabia. The Bronze champion came from Austria! It was the beautiful MM Santana (RFI Farid x Sayonarah el Bri) - bred and owned by Mario Matt Arabians from Austria. Not receiving a medal but still

within the Top Five were Forelocks Veronique (Psytadel x Vekaisa F) - bred by Forelocks Arabians and owned by VDV Management from Belgium and Najd AM (Abha Qatar x Dana AM) - bred and owned by Al Mohamadia Stud from Saudi Arabia.

The Arabian Futurity is a great initiative and a good motivation for the breeders by putting this extra challenge to the game. The next auction to buy breedings to nominate the foals for the 2015 futurity will be held in February 2015! Don't miss it and bid on your favorite stallion! □





1st pl. TOP FIVE Foals
CARMINE AL KHALED

GLORIUS APAL x COSMOPOLITAN J
B/O: AL KHALED FARM (KSA)



2nd pl. TOP FIVE Foals
ALIA AM

VAN GOGH AM x VAN GOGH AM
B/O: AL MOHAMADIA STUD (KSA)



3rd pl. TOP FIVE Foals
ALIHANDRA NUR

EKS ALIHANDRO x ARYELLE EL THESSA
B: CRISTINA SALVATORI (IT) - O: NUR ARABIANS (IT)



4th pl. TOP FIVE Foals
MATADOR EL JAMAAL

PSYTADEL x MAHITY EL JAMAAL
B/O: JEAN MATTENS (BE)



5th pl. TOP FIVE Foals
FORELOCK'S VOLTAIRE

PSYTADEL x VEKAISA F - B/O: FORELOCKS ARABIANS (NL)

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1st pl. TOP FIVE Yearlings
MOUNIRA J

EMERALD J x MAGNIFICENT LADY J
B: JADEM ARABIANS (BE) - O: AL MUAWD STUD (KSA)



2nd pl. TOP FIVE Yearlings
ATHBAYAT JJ

AJMAN MONISCIONE x POCAHONTAS
B: JOHANNA ULLSTROM (BE) - O: ATHBAH STUD (KSA)



3rd pl. TOP FIVE Yearlings
M.M. SANTANA

RFI FARID x SAYONARAH EL BRI
B/O: MARIO MATT ARABIANS (AT)



4th pl. TOP FIVE Yearlings
FORELOCK'S VERONIQUE

PSYTADEL x VEKAISA F
B: FORELOCK'S ARABIANS (NL) - O: VDV MANAGEMENT (NL)



5th pl. TOP FIVE Yearlings
NAJD AM

ABHA QATAR x DANA AM - B/O: AL MOHAMADIA STUD (KSA)