XXXII SPAIN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP of Arabian Horses Segovia, September 2011, 17th and 18th

Ith the help of different entities, as Environment Ministry, Diputación de Segovia, Junta de Castilla y León and Caja Segovia, and the special collaboration of Al Shahania Stud (Qatar), has taken place on the facilities of Centro Ecuestre de Castilla y Leon in Segovia, Spain, the thirty-second National Championship of Arabian Horses.

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Fifty four horses were presented in the ring on the weekend of 17th to 18th of September.

The quality of the horses shown and the way they were shown by the handlers, Spanish and European, was much better that other years, a lot of public attended and the organization was almost perfect.

The Classe started Saturday with classificatory categories, where the judges, Jerzy Bialobok (Polish), Christian Bourrassé (France), Manfred Neubacher (Austria) and Renata Schibler (Switzerland), gave points to the younger categories in the morning, and the seniors categories in the afternoon. On Sunday morning the Championships took place.

In the first class, yearling fillies the first prize went to ABHA TAJ (Alfabia Damascus x Abha Mudira) from Ganaderia Ses Planes, who also took the Silver Medal on Sunday.

ABHA SALINA (Alfabia Al Bustan x Abha Lorena) also from Ganaderia Ses Planes ranked first in the two years old class, and KALIOPE EA (WH Justice x Kudola Kossack) of Yeguada Garcia Ferrero, ranked second.

In the third class an outstanding filly, got the Gold Medal and the best points of the show. Her name is FM NEFERTARI (BS Specific x Resaca) of Bidasoa Stud. Thanks to her charisma, FM NERFERTARI scored three twenties, two in type and one in movements.

In the same class than FM NEFERTARI was the Junior Bronze Medal ABHA RAHIMA (Alfabia Damascus x Gual Basoramm) of Ganaderia Ses Planes.





In the first class yearling colts neither ABHA TAMIH (Alfabia Al Bustan x Abha Karouan) of Ganaderia Ses Planes, who ranked first nor FLAVIO DE LUC (Alfabia Al Bustan x Abha Jawharah) of Garcia Ferrero Stud, was second, received any medals on Sunday.

Instead, in the two years old colt class a lovely ABHA SHADIR (Marwan Al Shaqab x Abha Ghazali) of Ganaderia Ses Planes was first and received the Gold Medal for Junior Colts. He is the full brother to ABHA PALMA, European and World Champion Filly in 2008, and in 2009 US Reserve National Champion. ABHA SHADIR is also a full brother to ABHA MAHARANI, who was Gold Medal in the Senior Mares at this show. Going back to the Junior Males Championships BESS KILANO (Milano x Bess-Bashirah) of Risco de Las Vegas Stud, received the Silver Medal.

On Saturday afternoon there were only four classes, two of mares, from six to seven and over and the same in regards to the stallions.

FILLIES CHAMPIONSHIP

GOLD

FM NEFERTARI

(BS SPECIFIC X RESACA) Yeguada Bidasoa

Memorial Excmo. Sr. D. Pedro Salas Garau trophy: Horse junior with best score Yeguada ADOS trophy: Best in show



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SILVER

ABHA TAJ

(Alfabia Damascus X Abha Mudira) Yeguada Ses Planes



BRONZE

ABHA RAHIMA

(Alfabia Damascus x Gual Bassoram) Yeguada Ses Planes



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COLTS CHAMPIONSHIP

GOLD

In the younger mares the first prize went to ABHA QAWATIN (Gazal Al Shaqab x Vishah El Ludjin) of García Ferrero Stud, who also received the Silver Medal. She is a lovely mare who the public loved for her great charisma.

In the second class, hotly contested, were the Gold and the Bronze Medals. Only 0.25 points separated the first and the secondm who were ABHA MAHARANI (Marwan Al Shaqab x Abha Ghazali) of Ganaderia Ses Planes, who won with 92 points, and received the Gold Medal and ABHA KATMANDOU (El Perfecto x Abha Yamir) the property of Mardaras brothers, who was second in the class with 91,75 points. She received the Bronze Medal and highest score in movements.

Very though were the senior males classes. In the 4 to 6 years old class, the horse who was first, ABHA PESHAWAR (Marwan Al Shaqab x ZT Ludjkalba) of Ganaderia Ses Planes was Silver Medal, and the horse who ranked two in the same class, was Bronze Medal, ABHA ORIX (ZT Magnanimus x Alisheeba) of Sierra Gorda Stud.

ABHA SHADIR

(Marwan Al Shaqab x Abha Ghazali) Yeguada Ses Planes



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SILVER

BESS KILANO (MILANO X BESS BASHIRAH) Yeguada Risco de las Vegas



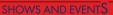
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BRONZE

ABHA RIYADH

(Alfabia Damascus x Abha Maharani) Yeguada Ses Planes







And a big surprise came in the last class, a wonderful stallion, unknown for almost everybody, was first in his class, best head and Gold Medal. He is GUAL GHORKI (Khidar x Gual Tessa) of L'Eresta Stud, Mallorca.

In summary, the XXXII Spanish Nationals had a lot of quality, professional organization and amazing facilities of the Centro Ecuestre de Segovia, who soon will inaugurate an indoor ring, the second largest in Spain, which will allowed them to held competitions all year round.

The weather was fantastic, if you have never visited the magnificent town of Segovia, Patrimony of Humanity, you are invited to do it in 2.012, where the Spanish Nationals Championship will be held again in September.

MARES Championship

GOLD

Ministerio de Medio Ambiente y Medio Rural y Marino trophy: Mare champion

ABHA MAHARANI

(Marwan Al Shaqab x Abha Ghazali) Yeguada Ses Planes





SILVER

ABHA QAWATIN (GAZAL AL SHAQAB X VISHAH EL LUDJIN)

Yeguada García Ferrero



BRONZE

ABHA KATMANDOU (EL PERFECTO X ABHA YAMIR)

Hermanos Mardaras

A.E.C.C.A. Trophy Horse with best movements



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STALLIONS CHAMPIONSHIP



GOLD

Memorial Duque de Veragua trophy: Horse with best head S.M El Rey Cup: Stallion Champion

GUAL GHORKI

(KHIDAR X GUAL TESSA) Ganadería L'Eresta





SILVER

ABHA PESHAWAR

(Marwan Al Shaqab x ZT Ludjkalba) Yeguada Ses Planes



Bronze

ABHA ORIX

(ZT Magnanimus x Alisheeba) Yeguada Sierra Gorda



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SPECIAL PRIZES

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A.E.C.C.A. Trophy Horse with best movements ABHA KATMANDOU (El Perfecto x Abha Yamir) Hermanos Mardaras

Memorial Marquesa Viuda De Diezma trophy

Horse born and breed in Spain, with Spanish lines FANÁTICO (Suspiro x Campana)

Arabians Leila

Memorial Excmo. Sr. D. Pedro Salas Garau trophy

Horse junior with best score

FM NEFERTARI (BS Specific x Resaca) Yeguada Bidasoa

Memorial Duque de Veragua trophy Horse with best head GUAL GHORKI (Khidar x Gual Tessa) Ganadería L'Eresta

Yeguada ADOS trophy Best in show FM NEFERTARI (BS Specific x Resaca) Yeguada Bidasoa

Jefatura de Cría Caballar trophy Best breeder

Yeguada Ses Planes

Al Shahania Stud cup Best stud Yeguada Ses Planes

Ministerio de Medio Ambiente y Medio Rural y Marino trophy

Mare champion ABHA MAHARANI (Marwan Al Shaqab x Abha Ghazali) Yeguada Ses Planes

S.M El Rey Cup Stallion Champion GUAL GHORKI (Khidar x Gual Tessa) Ganadería L'Eresta

Memorial D. Fernando Moreno de Borbón trophy Best national handler Vicente Villa Castilla (Tito)





