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The town of Ströhen is located in Germany and more precisely in Lower Saxony. Countryside as far as the eye can see cultivated with strawberries and blueberries, green meadows where herds of cows can be seen grazing. One of the main attractions of the region is the Tierpark zoo, built entirely by the Ismer family. First to see a real animal paradise in those 350 hectares of unused land was Mr. Rolf Ismer who put down the first roots in 1959. Later, his son Holger together with his wife Almuth developed the farm and zoo for another 50 years. Today the Tierpark is a tourist destination for many families and visitors. Among the various breeds of animals raised by the Ismer family is the Arabian horse. To date there are about 200 of them, including many morphology champions.

Meanwhile, the Zoo grows, three wonderful specimens of elephants belonging to the Errani family are added, Italians by origin and particularly attached to these three elephants to seek and find asylum at the Tierpark to protect them and continue their activities. With the Zoo and breeding also grows the Ismer family, with the sons Nils

and Mark and the daughter Ann. Nils, the former graduates in veterinary medicine and member of the Executive Committee of the ECAHO. Mark an esteemed business executive in the food industry and an Ecaho Class A judge. Ann is working in Dubai in a big equine hospital.

With their work in the Arabian horse business they were able to begin to organize a first Arabian horse show inhouse. About 20 years have passed since that day and the show, unlike many others I attend during the years, has never changed! This is the special feature of these shows, yes these because for the past few years two have been held at the same time: one called the "European Show," intended for horses owned and bred only by people of European nationality. The second, "International B show" is for all horses entered even with foreign passports from outside the EC. Personally but especially for our magazine Tutto Arabi, it is a privilege and an honor to be part of the official team of this event for many years. It is not easy to put into words the uniqueness of this Arabian Horse Festival, the magic of being inside a Zoo, of having the chance to take a walk in nature, mingle with families and



children who enthusiastically watch a monkey or a cheetah or other animals. It is a show that has its own history, its own personality and is all to be discovered, especially for those who have never experienced it, for those who have not had the pleasure of being present as three giant pachyderms carry the smiling but terrified jury on their backs inside the ring. Everything and more is Ströhen's Show!

The invited judges for "The European Show" that took place on the day of July 16 were Mr. Scott Benjamin from Australia, the host Mr. Holger Ismer, Mr. Jonas Salzman from Kuwait and finally H.H. Sheikha Fatima Bint Hazza Bin Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahian from UAE who honored us once again with Her presence.

Sixty-eight horses entered for The European Show and as many for the International B show, about 125 horses in total. The first show, with perfect timing by the Ring Master - Mrs. Lizette Svensson (Sweden) presented the 13 classes until 4 p.m. in the afternoon, after which with another jury the second event began. Also perfect were the

tight timings that supported the three DCs - Mrs. Line Brunsgaard (Danmark), Mr. Farhang Fazeli (Iran) and Dr. Vet. Mohammed Hammad (Egypt). Dr. Gianmarco Aragno (Italy), Mrs. Joanne Lowe from Great Britain, Mr. Allan Preston from Australia and Mrs. Anna Stojanowska from Poland were invited to judge the second event.

The day on the 17th saw all the other International B categories in the ring, and immediately after the lunch break the respective championships were held. This whole show was accompanied, presented and set to music by two great voice and music specialists, Mr. Eric Blaak from Netherlands and Mrs. Alizée Huet from France. The scores and streaming are from Arabian Essence, another all-Italian entity like our Tutto Arabi magazine that for years through its pages has been taking you around the world to discover new and historic shows.

Special thanks of course go to the Ismer family but also to Mrs. Yvonne Habermann who has been supporting us for years! ■

Filly Foals





INAYAH

(EL GERONIMO X INDIANA T) BREEDER: J.G. LIEFERS-VRIENDTS OWNER: J.G. LIEFERS-VRIENDTS



CNC MAJESTIC DREAM (A.F. ACAPULCO X A.F. MAJESTA) BREEDER: S LUFTING

OWNER: S LUFTING



Junior Fillies Championship





LILY MARIE NWA

(FA EL RASHEEM X MAGDALINA NWA) BREEDER: NWA ARABIANS OLE LARSEN OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD NAYLA HAYEK



MARAMA DA (FA EL RASHEEM X MYSTICA MAGHI) BREEDER: SC DANUBIUS ARABIANS SRL OWNER: SC DANUBIUS ARABIANS SRL



BIANCA OF SINUS (FADI AL SHAQAB X BALLENA) BREEDER: SINUS ARAB STUD OWNER: SINUS ARAB STUD

Junior Colts Championship





CBA ISMAEL

(WADEE AL SHAQAB X ELENA EL ARYES) BREEDER: MR CLAUS BOUCHÉ · BOUCHÉ ARABIANS OWNER: MR CLAUS BOUCHÉ · BOUCHÉ ARABIANS



RASHEED DA (FA EL RASHEEM X AV DONASSAI) BREEDER: DANUBIUS ARABIANS SRL OWNER: DANUBIUS ARABIANS SRL



DUCATTI (MANSURAT RB X SILVER MARTINA BJ) BREEDER: MR & MRS E J JONES OWNER: MR & MRS E J JONES

European Show

Senior Mares Championship







BINDUGA

(KAHIL AL SHAQAB X BIGAMIA) **BREEDER: SK JANOW PODLASKI**

OWNER: SUWECO CZ, NINA SUSKEVICOVA



ALTE DROGA KA (OR MARC X ALTONA)
BREEDER: MR. GHEYSENS - KNOCKE ARABIANS
OWNER: BEMBOM ARABIANS



BG FAIDA (RFI FARID X BG MAHIRA) BREEDER: BEN GOOSSENS & PRIVILEGE SFO OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD NAYLA HAYEK

European Show

Senior Stallions Championship





M.M. SHALIMAR

(M.M. JABARI X M.M. SANTANA)

BREEDER: MARIO MATT

OWNER: ADAM OCHMAN, POLIA ARABIANS



HYPNOTIC IBN ETERNITY-D (ETERNITY IBN NAVARRONE D X WH MARISSA ROSE) **BREEDER: DION ARABIANS** OWNER: RAY VAN BROEKHOVEN



PARAGON JJ (NABUCCO K X JV PIERANGELI) BREEDER: JOHANNA ULLSTROM OWNER: GH AL SHAMAL STUD



CBA ISAURA

(CBA ILLIAS X CBA ILONAH EL HALEEM) BREEDER: MR CLAUS BOUCHÉ - BOUCHÉ ARABIANS OWNER: MR CLAUS BOUCHÉ - BOUCHÉ ARABIANS



CNC MAJESTIC DREAM (A.F. ACAPULCO X A.F. MAJESTA) BREEDER: S LUFTING OWNER: S LUFTING



INAYAH (EL GERONIMO X INDIANA T) BREEDER: J.G. LIEFERS-VRIENDTS OWNER: J.G. LIEFERS-VRIENDTS

Junior Fillies Championship





D JAHRAA

(EXCALIBUR E.A. X D JAWAHER) BREEDER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD OWNER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD



MALIKAH ALBIDAYER (RAOUD ALBIDAYER X AJA ATHENA) BREEDER/OWNER: SHEIKH MOHAMMED BIN SAOUD ALQASSIMI



FADWA DEL PALAZZOTTO (FA EL RASHEEM X D FEDDAH) BREEDER: AZ. AGR. IL PALAZZOTTO DI CAPECCI PAOLO OWNER: PETRA MULDER / PEKA ARABIANS

Junior Colts Championship





WASEEM AL BAHYA

(AJ MARZAN X AJ WAFAA) BREEDER: KHALED AL OMAIRI

OWNER: ALWED ARABIANS & ALJUMAN STUD



D FAREI (EXCALIBUR EA X ELLE FLAMENCA) BREEDER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD OWNER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD



D RASEL (FA EL RASHEEM X LADI VERONIKA) BREEDER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD OWNER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD

Senior Mares Championship





DNAWASY

(FA EL RASHEEM X D NAWAL) BREEDER: DUBAI ARABIANS HORSE STUD

OWNER: DANUBIUS ARABIANS



RAZAN ALBIDAYER (SMA MAGIC ONE X QAMAR ALBIDAYER) BREEDER: ALBIDAYER STUD OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD NAYLA HAYEK



ANAWERA (PIAFF X ALTAMIRA) BREEDER: STADNINA KONI JANOW PODLASKI OWNER: SUWECO CZ, NINA SUSKEVICOVA

Senior Stallions Championship





RD HARENAADO

(HARIRY AL SHAQAB X DM ENDLESS ROMANCE) BREEDER: MURRAY OR SHIRLEY POPPLEWELL OWNER: AL ZOABI STUD



SM AZRAFF (FARAA AL SHAQAB X LC PSYCHESFINESSE) BREEDER: EL TRESOR S A OWNER: AL NAYFAT STUD



LAWRENCE EL GAZAL (GAZAL AL SHAQAB X LARA EL LUDJIN) BREEDER: LA MOVIDA ARABIANS OWNER: LA MOVIDA ARABIANS























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