

4.- 6. June 2010 WTC Wiener Neustadt



Austrian National Championships & International Austrian Championships Sports Arabians

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After a very long period of rain and cold weather, the first weekend with warm sun. Not only the weather was phantastic also the numbers of participants where as high as never before.

40 nominated horses, 219 starts during two and a half days, shows clearly that the new rule accepted in the Austrian National Equestrian Federation rulebook, that each rider is allowed to nominate as many horses as possible to ride for him, eqal in the Championships, was highly accepted.

There where also new faces to be welcomed. Young talents could show there ability. First time not only Dressage and the whole Westernsection. as - Pleasure, Reining, Trail, Horsemanship, Westernriding, Freestylereining & Polebending where offered, Showjumping was also organized, max hight 1,10m, speed & faults, indoorarena and technical wise very difficult built.

Friends from Denmark, Polen and Germany where here. They where very experienced and well trained but last exept one Champion Title – Traditionale Arabian Riding Sonja Dries & Malik Ibn Muscateal - all stayed in Austria. Great succes fort he Austrians and the Sportprogramm of VVÖ.

Two extraordinary horses where unbeatable:

ESTELLA by Mezalians ridden by Tina Kropik and owned by Ing Wirth was simply a class for her own in Dressage. ESTELLA won every competition she starts in as they are: Junior Preliminary Test, Intermediaire I, Prix

St. Georg. After one year foaling break a great success for this two!

KAILASHI by Mandan, also a team with lots of success in the last years. Hannah Friedl 15 years of age road the very difficult Trails in an extremely good manor much higher class as all others. But not only Trail also Western Pleasure and in the end also Western All Around Champion Titles she won There where nobody from the other riders – very good ones – like this pair.

MAGIC MAGIR & Reinhard Hochreiter new in the event of the pure bred Arabians was the Best in Austrian National Reining and beat the Champion of last year Gerhard Hairas with Shiney Muscaleana, SHINEY MUSCALEANA won the International Austrian ChampionTitle Reining and could show her high performance quality.

The showground where the Austrian Nationals are organized since many years is a very famous and wellknown Western location. WTC Schulz is often the houst of European Championships NRHA Reining. The Show Jumping parcours was technical wise very difficult. VVÖ promotes the Show Jumping and there where many participants there but they need all three days to come in the last day to a good result. PADISHAH the new horse of Marion Schulz won Intern. & National Austrian Championship after the polish Team where eliminated. Silbermedale was won by a wellknown old team KHEN SAABIS NASHITA after a foaling break of a year & Stefan Hirnböck.



Sandra Wagner & WIZARD two newcomers in the Championships showed of a very high quality of All Around and became with a total of very good results International Austrian All Around Champion Classic.

PADRON KHEN SAABI & again Stefan Hirnböck, always in Dressage short behind Estella was not only in the medals in Dressage, the competition Classic Pleasure is there speciality and the Title International & National Austrian Champion Classic Pleasure was there. Classic Pleasure is in the same way as Traditionale Arabian Riding a competition the rider loves. This groupe competitions where all horse are together in the arena, not separated by sex, are more difficult to ride than in the first moment it looks like Traditionale Arabian Riding, an

also very popular Class in traditional original arabic Costumes also a pleasure competition, all together in a groupe following the announcement of the ringmaster was won by AARON Ibn CHALEF & Susanne Schuh in Austrian National Championship and in Intern. Austrian Championship Sonja Dries & MALIK IBN MUSCATEAL GER, was Champion. Both riders with a very good ride and very pretty costumes.

The Organizer of the event, the Austrian Arabian Breeders Association (VVÖ), should be thanked very much. Without the very generous sponsoring during long time the Austrian Arabian Sport horses would be not on this high level they showed.

Estella

National & International Austrian Champion Dressage



Malik Ibn Muscateal

International Champion
Traditional Arabian Riding



National Champion
Traditional Arabian Riding

Aaron Ibn Chalef



Padischah

National & International
Champion Show Jumping



Aaron Ibn Chalef

Ladies Side Saddle



National Champion Reining

Magic Magir



Kailashi

and 15 years old Hannah Friedl

National & International Champion All Around Western &
International Trail &
Intern. Western Pleasure



International Austrian Champion Reining

Shiney Muscalena