

ELRAN



by Sarah Mets ■ photos by Jan Kan

Again, well organised by Mr Josy Everars and Mrs Kristel Van den Broek, The Elran Cup at the beautiful Castle of Alden Biesen, Bilzen, Belgium, proves to be the place to be for Arabian horse fans around the globe. The weather was fantastic and so were the horses!

A well considered judgepanel with Mrs Marianne Tengstedt from Denmark, Mr Tomasz Tarzynski from Poland, Mrs Claudia Darius from Germany and Mr Raouf Abbas from Egypt did their best to choose the best..

The first champion of the weekend was a Unanimous gold for the very pretty GHAAALIYA (S.M.A. Magic One-Gezaana) b/o by Mrs Julie Kennedy in the Foal championships, followed by silver champion FORELOCK'S YINX (FS Reflection - Forelock's Jessie) b/o by Forelocks Arabians and bronze title for KAS VINCE (Emerald J - Veeda MAF) b/o by Mrs Wenche Roefs.

Junior Fillies championships, very tough, but well deserved unanimous Gold for AJ SAWARI (Marwan Al Shaqab - Siberia SA) b/o By Ajman Stud, with ARLA AL BAYDAA (Ajman Moniscione - Ra Marwans Legacy) bred by Premier Breeders LLC and owned by Albaydaa stud, on her heels.. and BINT SEDUCTION HBV (Wh Justice - Seduction HBV) bred by Haras Boa Vista and owned by Alsayed stud for the bronze.

D ARGHAD (Fa El Rasbeem - Krystal Tiara) bred by Dubai Arabian horse stud and owned by AHA Alnughaimish

proved to earn the gold in the Junior colt championships, a silver for MAGNUMS VOLCAN KA (Qr Marc - FS Magnum's Madonna) b/o by Knocke Arabians and a bronze for PHARAOH HBV (Psyche HBV - RFI Sophie al Maktub) bred by HBV Farm and proudly owned by Al Baydaa Stud.

Next up was the Senior Mares championship where MAYASAH AL NAIF (Ashbal Al Rayyan- Adal Al Naif) bred by Al Naif Stud and owned by Nayla Hayek took the gold title, a silver title for NOOR MAGIDAA LDA (Mishaal HP - Illa Magidaa Lda) bred by Mr Dan and Louise De Rousseau and also owned by Nayla Hayek, and Bronze for black pearl AVA (Vervaldee - Aziza) bred by Mr Pat Hannay and owned by Al Thumama Stud.

The last championship, the big boys, the senior stallions, was won by EQUIBORN KA (QR Marc - Espadrilla) b/o by Knocke Arabians, silver champion ADHAM SAQR (Imperial Madori - Ameera Saqr) bred by by Saqr Stud and owned by Al Farida Stud, and bronze champion KHALED AL HAMAD (Ajman Moniscione - Magnificent PPA) bred by Miss Nina Novembre and owned by Sheikh Hamad Khaled Al Sabah.

The last and popular "Crowds Favourite" was very exciting.. Ultimately won by EQUIBORN KA (QR Marc - Espadrilla) b/o by Knocke Arabians, A BELGLAN WIN!

Thank you Josy and Kristel for the fantastic weekend, nice presentations and see you all next year! □





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AJ SAWARI

Gold Medal Junior Fillies

MARWAN AL SHAQAB X SIBERIA SA
B-O: AJMAN STUD





ARIA AL BAYDAA

Silver Medal Junior Fillies

AJMAN MONISCIONE X RA MARWANS ELYGANCE
B: PREMIER BREEDERS LLC - O: AL BAYDAA STUD



BINT SEDUCTION HBV

Bronze Medal Junior Fillies

WH JUSTICE X SEDUCTION HBV
B: HARAS BOA VISTA - O: MR. KHALID & MR. ABDULWAHAB ALSAYED STUD



D-ARGHAD

Gold Medal Junior Colts

FA EL RASHEEM X KRYSTAL TIARA

B: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD - O: A H A ALNUGHAIMISH





MAGNUMS VOLCAN KA

Silver Medal Junior Colts

QR MARC X FS MAGNUM'S MADONNA
B-O: KNOCKE ARABIANS



PHARAOH HBV

Bronze Medal Junior Colts

PSYCHE HBV X RFI SOPHIE ALMAKTUB
B: HBV FARM - O: AL BAYDAA STUD





MAYASAH AL NAIF

Gold Medal Senior Mares

ASHHAL AL RAYYAN X ADAL AL NAIF
B: AL NAIF STUD - O: MRS. NAYLA HAYEK





NOOR MAGIDAA LDA

Silver Medal Senior Mares

MISHAAL HP X ILLA MAGIDAA LDA

B: MR. DAN & LOUISE DE ROUSSEAU - O: MRS. NAYLA HAYEK



AVA

Bronze Medal Senior Mares

VERVALDEE X AZIZA

B: MR. PAT HANNAY - O: AL THUMAMA STUD





EQUIBORN KA

Gold Medal Senior Stallions
Best Belgian Participant
Crowds Favorite

QR MARC X ESPADRILLA
B-O: KNOCKE ARABIANS





ADHAM SAQR

Silver Medal Senior Stallions

IMPERIAL MADORI X AMEERA SAQR

B: SAQR STUD - O: AL FARIDA STUD



KHALED AL HAMAD

Bronze Medal Senior Stallions

AJMAN MONISCIONE X MAGNIFICENT PPA

B: MISS. NINA NOVEMBRE - O: SHEIKH HAMAD KHALED AL SABAH





GHAALYIA

Gold Medal Foals

SMA MAGIC ONE X GEZAANA
B-O: MRS. JULIE KENNEDY





FORELOCK'S YINX

Silver Medal Foals

FS REFLECTION X FORELOCK'S JESSY
B-O: FORELOCK'S ARABIANS



KAS VINCE

Bronze Medal Foals

EMERALD J X VEEDA MAF
B-O: MRS. WENCHE ROEFS

