



INTERNATIONAL B-SHOW EMERALD *Trophy*

by Helen Hennekens-van Nes ■ photos by Jan Kan

The 12th edition of the Emerald trophy is traditionally held on the first weekend of July.

This year it was held on the 2nd and 3rd of July. Organizer Kay Hennekens has lots of experience organizing shows like this and it was with great pleasure to welcome so many great horses to Brecht from so many different countries.

Judges team were Ms. Leslie Connor from the USA Mr. Alan Preston from Australia Mr. Cedes Bakker from the Netherlands Mr. Mark Ismer from Germany and probationer Ms. Martine van Hee from Belgium. It was a show with lots of preparations of the terrains due to the bad weather the weeks before. The showing was despite all the

rain in good condition and there was only a 3 minute shower the rest of the day the weather was nice.

The show started with the Gelding class which was won by the young horse Pistorius by EKS

Alihandro bred and owned by Atbah stud of KSA and shown to the win by Nicolas Frere with a total of 90,52 pnts. Second to him was Prince Psyche by Psyches Image R bred and owned by Ess Jay Arabians from the UK shown by Sian Beeley with a total of 89,90 pnts.

The class to follow was the Yearling filly class with lots of nice and typey entries. High quality horses at this show with good scores overall. This class was won by H Emalee H by Jaipour el Perseus bred in the US by Hennesy Arabians. She is owned by Al Shaqr stud from KSA. She scored a total of 90,73 pnts and was shown by Frederik van Sas. Runner up in this class was El Naaylah AO by Makisa Adagio bred and owned by Arabian Obsession from Belgium with a nice score of 89.90 pnts shown by Glenn Schoukens.

The two year old filly class had 7 entries with some lovely fillies that could move.

The class winner was Malikat el Moluk a pretty grey by Mamluk bred by Alt Arabians from Israel and owned by Al Khashab stud from Kuwait with a score of 91,88. She was shown to the win by Frederik van Sas. Second to her was Bint Seduction HBV by WH Justice and bred by Haras Boa Vista from Brazil and owned by Al Sayed Stud KSA with 91,58 pnts shown by Glenn Schoukens.

Three year old filly class was won by the lovely grey JB Precious. She is by Al Fakhir and is bred and owned by Oppreva Arabians from Sweden. Shown to 89,43 pnts by Johanna Ullstrom. Followed by Grenada al Borak a nice grey filly by Moby J bred and owned by Gideon Reisel shown by Chris van Schalkwijk. She scored 88,75 pnts.

The foal classes were the next to follow. Starting with the filly foals.

The class was won by an adorable filly named Fadhila J sired by Emerald J bred and owned by Jadem Arabians from Belgium. She scored 91.04 pnts. Shown by Frederik van Sas. Second to her was Forelocks Yinx by Fs Reflection bred and owned by Forelocks Arabians. She was shown by Tom Oben and scored 90,1- pnts.

The colt foals was won by Galliano J by Shiraz de Lafon Bred and owned by Jadem Arabians and scored a nice 90,3 pnts, Shown by Frederik van Sas. Second to him was Kas Vince by Ajman Moniscione bred and owned by Wenche Roefs and shown by Juan Murillo. This little grey colt with the cute face scored 89,38 pnts.

Following the foal classes was the Foal Championships.

Gold Medal was won by Fadhila J for Jadem Arabians

Silver Medal was won by Forelocks Yinx for Forelocks Arabians

Bronze Medal was won by Galliano J for Jadem Arabians.

The Yearling colt class started and there were 6 entries in this class again with high quality.

What a super class to watch.

Winner was Mansour AM by EKS Alihandro bred and owned by Al Mohamadia from KSA

Shown to 91,15 pnts by Philippe Looyens. Second to him was Dahab UMM by MCA Magnum Gold bred by Moell & Moell Arabians and owned by Schoukens Training Center from Belgium shown by Glenn Schoukens with 90,52 pnts

The two year old colt class had only 2 entries and was won by the lovely chestnut colt Magnums Volcan KA by QR Marc. Owned and bred by Knocke Arabians from Belgium with 91,15 pnt. Shown by Glenn Schoukens. 2nd place was for SJ Afzal by Fever Najih owned and bred by Ess Jay Arabians from the UK and shown to 88,54 pnts by Sian Beeley.

Just like the previous class there were only 2 entries in the 3 yrs old colt class.

Winner was Nadir dello Jato by Shanghai EA bred by Dario La Milia and owned by AL Mai Stud from Kuwait. Shown by Rafael Curti. He scored 90,33 pnts. Second in this class was Gigi L Amoroso by Ajman Moniscione bred and owned by Wenche Roefs from Belgium and shown by Juan Murillo.

There was a lunchbreak which gave spectators plenty of time to rest and visit the stables of Flaxman Arabians.

After lunch there is the traditional Young Handlers class.

There were some very nice entries and every child was accompanied by an adult to guide

Them in the ring. The class was won by Niels Wilms with Estarda by Ekstern. Owned and bred by Peter Wilms. All other entries received a 2nd place. They were given a nice bag with brushes and a nice trophy or medal and ribbon of course. This class has the most fans of the day.

Senior classes started with the 4 – 6 yrs old mare class. Lovely mares entered. What a good quality mares were shown here. Classwinner was Valentino's Angel ML by DA Valentino bred in Australia by Mulawa Arabian Stud and owned by Al Mohamadia Stud from KSA shown to 93,23 pnts by Phillippe Looyens. This mare had the highest score of the show. Second to her was the pretty mare Fer Lisaline by Gual Ghorki bred in Mallorca by Ferrero Stud. Owned by Javier Echarrri from Spain. She scored 91.67 pnts and was shown by Glenn Schoukens.

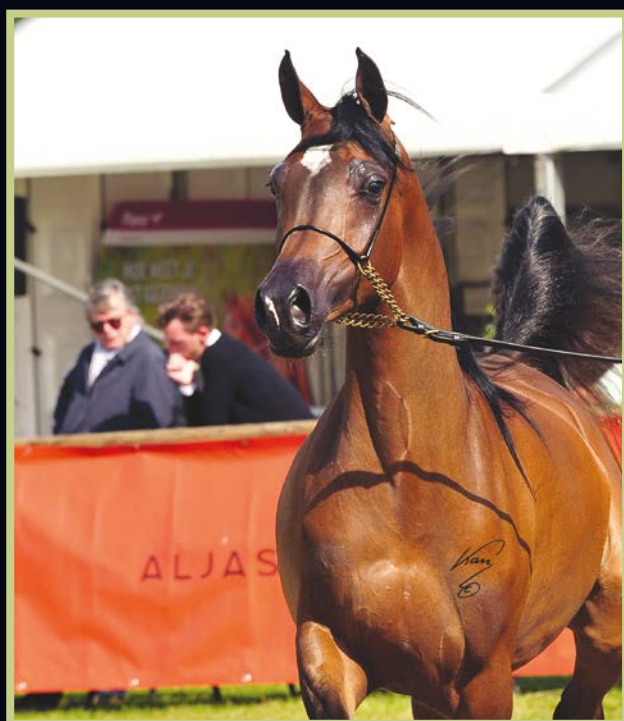
Next class was the class for the 7-10 yrs old mares, The winner was Makisa Moulin Rouge by WH Justice bred by Mrs. L. Walsh and owned by Al Baydaa Stud from Egypt. She was shown to 90,73 pnts by Rafael Curti. Second to her was the pretty mare Mawie Star by Om el Bendigo bred by Fontanella Arabians from Italy and shown by Tom Schoukens to 90,21 pnts.

The 11 yrs and older mare class had only 2 entries and was won by the 16 yr old GAA Millenia by Magnum Psyche bred by D. Gilligan from the USA and owned by Lutetia Arabians from France. She was shown by Juan Murillo and scored 90 pnts. Second to her also with 90 pnts was Nesj el Khisaya by Khidar owned and bred by Nesj Arabians from Belgium. She was shown by Rafael Curti.

The stallion classes were next to follow. Starting with the 4/6 yrs old stallions. Classwinner was the very typey grey stallion BB Jawhar el Than by Raffael el Than bred by Mrs.

Bakker and owned by Mrs. Zeevenhoven. He was shown by Tom Oben and Jawhar scored 91,11 pnts. Second in this strong class the trottingmachine of this show Nader Zaman el Shajer by Om el Bellissimo bred by Janow Podlaski from Poland and owned by Sheik Ali Naser Al Ali Asabah. He scored 90,83 pnts and was shown by Frederik van Sas.

The class of 7 yrs and older stallions only had 2 stallions that came forward. Winner was the pretty white stallion AR Fayyim by Valerio Ibn Eternity bred by Mrs. Lopez Y van Bremen and owned by Mrs. Van Heiningen. Fayyim scored 89,69 pnts and was shown by Aurid Muskee. Mrs van Heiningen also received a special award for most loyal participant. Second in this class was the oldest horse participating in the show. Amoroso de Salvadora was shown to 88,54 pts by Peter Wilms. Amaroso is by Arabian Beauty and was bred by the Maxwell family and is owned by Suzanna Hayward from France. □



ZENOBIA KA Best Belgium Bred

MIKADO KA X ZAFIA D'ELZENWALLE
B-O: KNOCKE ARABIANS



VALENTINO'S ANGEL MI Best in Show

DA VALENTINO X ALWAYS AN ANGEL
B: MULAWA ARABIAN STUD
O: AL MOHAMADIA STUD



MALIKAT EL MOLUK

Gold Junior Mares

MAMELUK X ASALAT AL HALA / B: ALT ARABIANS - O: MR. MUBARAQ HAMDAN AL KHASHAB



BINT SEDUCTION HBV

Silver Junior Mares

WH JUSTICE X SEDUCTION HBV
B: HARAS BOA VISTA - O: ALSAYED STUD



H EMALEE H

Bronze Junior Mares

JAIPUR EL PERSEUS X H EMANDIA H
B: FRANK HENNESSEY
O: SHEIKH ABDUL MOHSEN BIN ABDUL MALIK AL SHEIKH



MANsour AM Gold Junior Stallions

EKS ALIHANDRO X ABHA PALMA / B-O: AL MOHAMADIA STUD



MAGNUMS VOLCAN Silver Junior Stallions

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



NADIR DELLO JATO Bronze Junior Stallions

SHANGHAI EA X GS FUTURA
B. LA MILIA DARIO - O: AL MAI STUD



VALENTINO'S ANGEL MI Gold Senior Mares

DA VALENTINO X ALWAYS AN ANGEL / B: MULAWA ARABIAN STUD - O: AL MOHAMADIA STUD



FER LISALINE Silver Senior Mares

GUAL GHORKI X MIRIJA AL SAHAB
B: GANADERIA YEGUADA FERRERO
O: MR JAVIER FERNANDEZ ECHARRI



MAKISA MOULIN ROUGE Bronze Senior Mares

WH JUSTICE X SHF MINNIE PEARL
B: MR. L. WALSH - O: AL BAYDAA STUD



BB JAWHAR EL THAN

Gold Senior Stallions

RAFFAEL EL THAN X BB JHADENZ / B: E. BAKKER-BERENDSEN - O: KARIN ZEEVENHOVEN



NADER ZAMAN AL SHAJER

Silver Senior Stallions

OM EL BELLISSIMO X NIMBA
B: SK JANOW PODLASKI
O: SHEIKH ALI NASER AL ALI AL SABAH



AR FAYYIM

Bronze Senior Stallions

VALERIO IBN ETERNITY VI X AICHA SVA
B: I.M.M. LOPEZ Y VAN BREEMEN
O: MIRIAM VAN HEININGEN



EUROPEAN AMATEUR CUP EMERALD *Trophy*

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For several years Kay Hennekens has been organizing his Emerald Trophy in Brecht on the terrains of Molenveld Stud in Belgium. This year again just like previous years he is doing something more for his amateurs. Under the flag of AlJassimya Farm a very nice show was put together for amateurs of all levels to give them a very nice show. Judges were: Mrs. Ann Green from the UK Mrs. Karin Zeevenhoven from Germany and Mrs. Eline Raes from Belgium. Classes were judged with the regular point system but with 2 extra scores to give one for harmony which is the relation between horse and handler and the other score was the technical presentation of the horse. So a competitor could score in a lot of different ways.

The show started with the Novice Gelding class with 6 entries. The class was won by Fa Emerald by Kar Tiburon bred and owned by Flaxman Arabians and shown to the win by Priscilla de la Ruelle with a total score of 90,6 pnts.

2nd in the class was Fajro RJ by Gloriet Psyche bred owned and shown by Joyce Rosowski with a score of 88,81. 3rd in the class was Fa Dubai by Niyashin also bred by Flaxman Arabians and owned by Sabien Ruysevelts and shown by Evi Verstrepen with 88,57 pnts.

The class of amateur geldings only had one entry which was Fa Mikhail a nice bay 2 yrs old by Black Diamond Ida bred and owned by Flaxman Arabians and shown by Marwan Ben Nasr to a nice score of 90,12 pnts.

Experienced Geldings was a nice class with 3 horses which had been champion before in some other shows. The class was won by Emirzo by Enzo bred in Poland at Michalow state stud and owned by Flaxman Arabians shown by Koen Hennekens to a score of 90,83 pnts. Second to him was Aclass Kossack by Pristice Kossack bred in the Netherlands by the Kossack Stud and owned by Flaxman Arabians shown to a

score of 90,60 pnts by Marwen ben Nasr. 3 rd in this class the former Silver European Champion gelding Prince Psyche by Psyche Fire Edition R bred and owned by Ess Jay Arabians from the UK shown by Sian Beeley to 88,45 pnts.

As there were so many entries for the Novice mare class the class was split in two according to age. First class were the older girls all 10 yrs and older. Very nice group of horses with 7 mares in this class. Winner was GAA Millenia by Magnum Psyche at the age of 16 yrs old bred by D. Giligan in the US and owned by Lutetia Arabians from France. Shown by Isaac Duran with a score of 89,88 pnt. Second in this class was F&M Umajka by AF Umoyo bred and owned by F&M Arabians from Holland shown by Femke Maat she received 89,64 pnts and was the second oldest mare in this class with 15 yrs. 3 rd in this class was AJM Amba by AJM Amirash bred by Mrs Mayr from Germany owned and shown by Heidi Rottiers from Belgium. This beautiful black mare received 88,81 pnts.

Class B of the novice mares was won by Blush Bint Eternity D by Eternity Ibn Navaronne D bred by Dion Arabians and owned by Nesj Arabians. Shown by Yenthe Everars. Very nicely done is such a big class. This was Yenthes debut in the showing and he did really well. He scored 90,12 pnts a score to be proud of. 2nd pl was for Om el Batala Alaam by Alfabia Ajib bred by OmelArab in the Usa and owned by Flaxman Arabians. Shown to 89,76 pnts by Priscila de la Ruelle. 3rd in this class with 88,57 pnts was Bint Shaila by Jaro D Eversam bred in Denmark by Marianne Tengstedt owned by Ils van Dun and shown by Jozef Verboven. What a joy to watch this class with 7 competitors of all ages all very fanatic and having so much fun. Most of these handlers were coached by some professional handlers such as Johanna Ullstrom, Juan Murillo and Peter Wilms who put in lots of effort to guide these amateurs.

Next class was the class for Amateur mares 4 entries. The class was won by A Dream of Kossack by WH Justice owned and bred by the Kossack Stud from the Netherlands shown to 90,95 pnts by Tjerry Den Hartog. Well done at the age of 17 yrs. Second year Tjerry has showing experience. 2nd to him was Estarta by Ekstern owned and bred by Peter Wilms shown by his son Niels Wilms. She scored 89,64 pnts. 3rd was Elita also an Eksten daughter owned and bred by Agmal Arabians from South Africa shown to 89,52 pnts by Rebecca Uggeldahl.

The Class of Experienced Amateur mares had one entry only. Dorsenia by Kabsztad bred in Poland by Michalow state stud and owned by Flaxman Arabians was shown by Koen Hennekens to a score of 91,31 pnts.

Novice stallions had one entry only a very pretty pinto with

a nice score of 88,33 pnts.

A Q'T Guy by Klepholms Ikarios bred and owned and shown by Jessy Looockx had a very busy day as he was also entered in the trail in hand class later on.

Amateur stallions was a fun class to watch as there were two entries which are both of very good quality. The class was won by Esfahan a bay by Ekstern bred in Poland by Janow Podlaski state stud and shown to the win by Koen Hennekens with 92,14 pnts. 2 nd to him was the very impressive chestnut stallion Primeval Kossack by Stival bred and owned by the Kossack Stud from The Netherlands. Very well shown by Tjerry Den Hartog. He received 90,71 pnts

The next class was for the Experienced amateur stallions which had one entry only. Amaroso de Salvadora 18 yrs young by Arabian Beauty bred in the UK by The Maxwell family and owned by Suzanna Hayward from France. She showed him to a nice score of 88,93 pnts.

After this class was the lunch break and the program continued with the classic pleasure class. The pleasure classes were judged by Mrs. Paulette Zorn from the Netherlands and Mr. Marc Somerhausen from Belgium. The Classic Pleasure class was won by the bay mare Aviv Shakira by Bas Safari bred by Marieke Westra and owned and ridden by Kelsey den Exter.

She scored 12 pnts in total. Second to her was the big chestnut gelding Cuba by Arben bred by G.Hoogerwerf and owned by Anja Dopper ridden by Vera Dopper with a total of 10 pnts.

3rd in this class was the fleabitten mare Manresa by Werbum bred in Poland by Michalow state stud and owned by Agmal Arabians from South Africa ridden by Rebekka Uggeldahl with 8 pnts.

Next up was the Western Pleasure class. Same judges team. Only 3 in the class which was won by Ashraf al Shams by Ajman Moniscione bred by Sax Arabians in Germany and owned and ridden by Canisia Romani. Very nice impressive chestnut gelding with good movements.

2 nd in this class was Yanour Hayati a bay stallion by JK Catalyst bred owned and ridden by Yildiz Horsten from the Netherlands. 3 rd in the class was Kas Jack a chestnut gelding with very special blue eye. He is by Kubinec and was bred by Ad Kuyf. Owned by Julie Gebruers.

After a short break to change clothes etc we had the Hunter Pleasure class with 2 competitors. This class is very exciting to see as it is ridden very forward and with lots of good motion. Winner in this class was Yanour Hayati the bay stallion owned bred and ridden by Yildiz Horsten from the Netherlands. Nice score as she also started in the previous class.

2nd was WW Indih, a very nice Qr Marc daughter bred by W Arabians in Sweden and owned by Haras Sahara from Brazil. Ridden by Stefanie Bovens.

Next up were the foal classes. One entry in the Novice foal class. Catan a palomino pinto colt foal by A Qt Guy bred and owned by Anke van Damme and shown by Remco van der Vliet. He scored 88,93 pnt. In the experienced foal class also one entry. F&M Meshia by BB Escondido bred and owned by F&M Arabians and shown by Isa vd Sluis. Very well done with a score of 89,88 pnts.

A big class of novice junior fillies entered the ring with 8 fillies.

This nice class was won by MP Jawa al Jassimya a nice bay yearling filly by WH Justice bred in the US by Mindy Peters and AlJassimya Farm, owned by Flaxman Arabians shown to the win by Priscilla de la Ruelle. She scored 90,6 pts. 2nd in this strong class was Forelocks Fiorenza by Bashir al Shaqab. Bred and owned by Forelocks Arabians and shown by Isa vd Sluis. She scored 89,29 pnts. 3rd in this class was Agmal Dayita by RP Burj al Arab bred and owned by Agmal Arabians and shown by Michele Boelen. She got a nice score of 89,17 pnts.

Amateur fillies had 4 entries this class was won by F&M Karmaya by Kubay Khan bred and owned by F&M Arabians and shown by Isa vd Sluis. Very well done at age 15 yrs. She scored 90,24 pnts. Second to her was CNC Phyns Poezie by Poker owned and bred by CNC Arabians and shown by Cristina Doornberg. Nice good moving bay filly she scored 88,93 pnts.

3rd in this class was Shablaa JJ by Borsalino K bred and owned by Johanna Ullstrom shown by Simon Bollengier. She scored 87,86 pnts.

3 entries in the Experienced filly class. Winner was Akanza Kossack by Kanz albidayer. Bred by the Kossack Stud in NL and owned by Iman Polami. Shown by Tjerry Den Hartog with 89,88 pnts. 2nd was Forelocks Ynicon by Bashir al Shaqab bred and owned by Forelocks Arabians and shown by Wendy Delvalle to 89,52 pnts. 3rd was Shakara by Sharahm bred by Agmal Arabians and owned and shown by Nathalie Gerard. She scored 88,33 pnts.

Novice colt class also had only 3 entries Small classes but good quality and good competition. The whole atmosphere was very relaxed with people supporting each other etc. Nice it still excites. Winner was Wanderos as son of Shanghai EA bred by Pawel Redestowicz in Poland and owned by Paul van Craenenbroeck in Belgium Shown by Sien Buedts. Wanderos scored 88,23 pnts. 2nd was Kanz's Krepido by Kanz Albidayer bred by Veronique van Roie and owned and shown by Erwin Beyens. He scored 87,26 pnts 3rd was

A Dream Shalimar a nice palomino colt by Shamael Apal bred and owned by Arabian Dream Horses Shown by Sophie Joseph. He scored 86,79 pnts.

Only one entry came forward in the amateur colts. Fa Munir by GH Meknes was bred and owned by Flaxman Arabians and shown by Marwen Ben Nasr scoring 89,52 pnts.

Experienced colts had 3 entries and the class was won by TA Kaifaz by Sharahm bred and owned by Tarenas Arabstuteri from Sweden shown by Stefanie Bovens to 89,11 pnts. 2nd to be was the chestnut colt from the UK. SJ Afzal by Fever Najih bred and owned by Ess Jay Arabians and shown by Sian Beeley. 3rd in this class was Gigi L Amoroso a nice grey colt by Ajman Moniscione bred and owned by Wenche Roefs shown by Isaac Duran from Spain to 88,21 pnts.

After all the in hand classes the showring was transformed into a nice trail parcours for the trailclass in hand. We had 15 entries and 7 horses were placed in the ribbons. Very nice new class with a lot of fans who have been practicing the whole winter on several locations across Belgium to get to know this discipline.

1st place Chalitchandara Blue Moon by RA Moon Ibn Tarok D bred by Pieter Begets and shown and owned by Ginny van Gestel. This combination also won the trail class under saddle which was very well done and Chalitchandara is an example of how it should be done.

2nd place Ashraf al Shams by Ajman Moniscione bred by Sax Arabians and shown and owned by Canisia Romani.

3rd place AJM Amba by AJM Amirash bred in Germany by J.Mayr and shown and owned by Heidi Rottiers.

Last part of this long day were the Championships. For these 3 championships only the first placed horses come back to compete against each other.

Best in Show Novice: MP Jawa alJassimya by WH Justice bred by AlJassimya Farm and Mindy Peters from the US owned by Flaxman Arabians and shown by Priscilla de la Ruelle.

Best in Show Amateur: Esfahan by Ekstern bred by Janow Podlaski State Stud owned by Flaxman Arabians and shown by Koen Hennekens

Best in Show Experienced : Dorsenia by Kabsztad bred in Poland by Michalow State stud and owned by Flaxman Arabians and shown by Koen Hennekens.

This show had a fun atmosphere and people really had support from each other. Thanks to all the officials , ringstewards, judges, dc's for making this happen. A very nice event to look forward to again in the future. □



MP JAWA ALJASSIMYA

Best of Show Novice - Highest Points

WH JUSTICE X PAGENTRY EA / B: ALJASSIMYA FARM - O: FLAXMAN ARABIANS



ESFAHAN

Best of Show Amateur

EKSTERN X EL FATHA / B: SK JANOW PODLASKI - O: FLAXMAN ARABIANS



DORSENIA

Best of Show Experienced Amateur

KABSZTAD X DOMBRA / B: MICHALOW STUD - O: FLAXMAN ARABIANS



CHALITCHANDRA BLUE MOON

Trail in hand - Trail ridden

RA MOONN IBN TAROK D X BLUE EYES / B: PIETER BEHETS - O: GINNY VAN GESTEL



AVIV-SHAKIRA Classic Pleasure

BAS SAFARI X JA-VENICE / B: M. WESTRA-MEYER - O: KELSEY DEN EXTER



ASHRAF AL SHAMS Western Pleasure

AJMAN MONISCIONE X ESSTONIA / B: SAX ARABIANS KAYHAN - O: CANISIA ROMANI - BRIELLE



YANOUR HAYATI

Hunter Pleasure

JK CATALYST X YENTL / B: YILDIZ ARABIANS - O: YILDIZ HORSTEN-WAALWIJK

SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

