



THE EAST COAST

ARABIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

2020



NSW Arabian Horse Association – 2020 East Coast Arabian Championships

The 2020 East Coast Arabian Championships was held at Sydney International Equestrian Centre on the 22nd – 25th January. Australia was still feeling the effects of the devastating fires that have afflicted the country for months, and East Coast was a chance to come together at this time and celebrate our love of Arabian horses.

The show was hot, but that's not unusual for this time of year here in Australia, we had a few cool changes that came through in the evening to relieve the heat of the day. Despite the heat, the competitors and horses were presented beautifully and the show was a huge success, often running from 8am in the morning until 8pm at night, with the saddle night on Friday running until 11pm. We had some fabulously dressed ladies and gentleman on Saturday night that highlighted our 'hippie movement' theme. As well as a number of competitors in the Fashions on the Field classes that were held on the Thursday night and for the heat and humidity these ladies and gentlemen were immaculately presented.

We were joined by USAs Mark Wharton, along with four Australian judges; Nancy Wall, Colleen Rutherford, Helen Dohan and Kate Wheatley who judged our halter classes using the five judge scoring system provided by Horse_Mark. Other judges joined us to judge some of our saddle and 'specialty' classes and included: Glenys Lilley judging our Bridle Path Hack classes; Joanne Swarbrick, judging our youth classes as well as the Future Farms 3 year old challenge, Shiranna Sash and the Freestyle to Music classes; and John Walker who had the hard task of judging the East Coast Cups.

East Coast and all our NSW AHA shows would not run so smoothly without the amazing Digital Scoring and Results system that is Horse_Mark. Results from the five judge scoring system were available almost instantly and we applied this to not only the purebred Arabians, but our vast array of derivative horses as well. This iPad scoring system is also excellent to use when working out high point awards throughout the day for our Youth competitors. We wish to thank Sabble Farm, Future Farms and Tathren Stud for their support through sponsorship and our wonderful committee who give up so much time to bring East Coast to life.

The East Coast Cups are a saddle event that is judged on an individual workout and is an event that has been associated with the East Coast Championships for a number of years and an east Coast Cup Title is highly sought after. Our winner for the purebreds this year was 'Echos of Tomorrow' owned by Robyn Rogers, and the derivative winner was W.Ellington owned by Emily Mears. The Queen of Sheba Award awarded to the top scoring purebred mare was Amber MI owned by Kylie Rees.

The Future Farms 3 year old challenge has two parts, a led and ridden section and the horse is judged on its potential as a future saddle horse. The Purebred Future Farms Challenge was won by Jalilah FF and the Derivative Future Farms Challenge was won by Buckwell Park Myth Buster. The Shiranna sash is a specialty class for Derivative saddle horses that have more than 50% Arabian blood, this years Shiranna Sash was won by Gleniph Tiramisu.

Some of our other major awards are listed below:

The East Coast Arabian Championships 2020 had a fantastic atmosphere; with our theme this year being the hippie movement of the 1960s we could really feel the positivity vibes from everyone. We hope all our competitors and judges had a great time at the show and we were so pleased to see so many smiling and happy faces. Onwards and upwards to next year and we hope to see you at our next show!



Champion Arabian Snr Stallion - RD DYNAMO (IMP USA) - Sabble Farm



Champion Arabian Broodmare - A-VITORIA FF - Sabble Farm



Champion Arabian Snr Mare - JOI EL JULIUSZ - Sabble Farm



Champion Newcomer Purebred under Saddle -
BELLA MIRELLE SBA - Sabble Farms



ARABIAN GELDING 8 YEARS & OVER / Champion Snr Gelding - ALLEGIANT MI - Re-Arty Arabians



Champion Arabian Colt 2 yrs - Marshawn - Jess Wilson



ARABIAN JUNIOR MARE 4 YEARS & UNDER 8 YR/
Queen of Sheba Award - Amber MI - Kylie Rees



Champion Arabian Gelding 4 & under 8 yrs - Allegro MI - Re-Alty Arabains



Competing in Dressage - OSO Xanrya - OSO Arabians



CHAMPION ARABIAN FILLY 3 YEARS - SIMEON SHAGAH - SIMEON STUD



Champion Arabian Gelding shown by a non pro &
Champion Yearling Arabian Gelding - Premiere FF - Re-Alty Arabains



Champion Arabian Stallion shown by a non pro - Fire Alert - Kirsty Nichols

SHOWS AND EVENTS



Champion Arabian Jnr Stallion 4 & under Byrs - Pshalomar (USA) - Phil Ryan



Champion Arabian Filly 2 years - Pshania KA - Oliva O'Cleary



CHAMPION YEARLING ARABIAN FILLY - ULYSSIA - Sheila Jones



Champion Arabian Colt 3yrs - Marc of Magnifico - Jess Wilson



Champion East Coast Cup Pure Bred - ECHOS OF TOMORROW - Robyn Rogers



Grand Champion Purebred Saddle Horse Of Show - Arabian Gelding under saddle - CHELLEASON MAGNUM'S GOLD - Cheryl Ulrich



Champion Led Partbred Arabian Gelding -
Triple Crown Led Partbred Arabian Gelding - Supreme Led Partbred
DIAMOND ROAD ABRAX - Tracy Parrington



Grand Champion Junior Arabian Derivative Breeds Halter Horse of Show
FAHRENHEIT FF - Sablee Farms



Champion Arabian 3 & 4 years under saddle - JALIAH FF - Sablee Farms

Some of our other major awards are listed below:

- **Grand Champion Youth Exhibitor: Holly Howard on Wesswood the Boyfriend**
- **Grand Champion Show Hunter Horse of Show: Butterfly FF**
- **Grand Champion Bridle Path Hack: Wishlist**
- **Grand Champion Non-Pro Saddle Horse of Show: Crack a Lackin**
- **Grand Champion Purebred Horse of Show: Chelleason Magnums Gold**
- **Grand Champion Derivative Breeds Saddle Horse of Show: Gleniph Tiramisu**
- **Grand Champion Junior Derivative Breeds Halter Horse of Show: Fahrenheit FF**
- **Grand Champion Senior Arabian Derivative Breeds Saddle Horse of Show: Faith KC**

Highpoint Youth 10 and under 14 -
WESSWOOD THE BOYFRIEND - Holly Howard



Champion Half Arabian jnr colt and supreme Half Arabian -
Tahvo FF for ReNity Arabians



Highpoint Youth Under 10 - BUMBLE BEE FF - Zai Mills





At the conclusion of East Coast I had the privilege to be able to attend a visit with judges at Simeon stud,

As a photographer this is always a highlight.

It is one of the finest running Arabian farms in Australia and is still as beautiful as the day is started.

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