

PRAGUE INTERCUP

EMIRATES ARABIAN HORSE GLOBAL CUP

CZECH NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

EUROPEAN CUP

INTERCUP - ECAHO CLASS A INTERNATIONAL SHOW

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he ever evolving Prague Intercup event has this year taken place over four days, 22nd-25th August, at the Prague's historic racecourse Chuchle Arena, which has been the home of this event for the past four years.

The changes in the shows this year meant that on the first day, Thursday 22nd of August, the Classic Pleasure National Championship was held in the afternoon as the first competition. The judges team invited to judge the Czech riders were Mrs. Helen Hennekens (BE) and Mr. Scott Benjamin (AU).

Continuing with the innovations compared to the previous editions of this event, where we last year enjoyed the first edition of the Amateur International Show, proving to be a great idea and a great promotion for the Arabian horse, the event has now turned a new leaf with a different show on the calendar. On Friday 23rd August, a show dedicated to small and medium breeders, the Emirates Arabian Horse Global Cup (EAHGC) began.

Thanks to the prize money made available by EAHGC, on the initiative and under the patronage of HH Sheikh Mansour bin Zayed Al Nahyan, each horse qualifying in the top 5 was awarded with a certificate of AED 5.000 (approximately $1.300~\odot$). This show and the idea are intended to encourage and stimulate the small and medium breeders with less than 15 foals per year during the last three years, to show their horses and compete, in this case on a European show scene.

This being the first year of EAHGC's existence, 10 shows around the world were held by EAHGC, with 3 of them being held in Europe. Given the success that it has created so far, we hope that this concept will also be repeated in 2025. The EAHGC in Prague, organized by the National Association of the Purebred Arabian Horses in Czech Republic (ACHPAK CR), boasted an impressive number of 60 entries, making it by far the highest number of entries out of the 3 European EAHGC shows. Invited to judge this show were Mr. Mohamed Badrawy (EG), Mr. Jerzy Bialobok (PL), Mr. Scott Benjamin (AU) and Mrs. Maria Ferraroni (IT).

With the Classic Pleasure opening on the first day, the hard work of the Disciplinary Committee also began, and the team consisted of Irena Cieslak (PL), Line Brunsgaard (DK), Suzanne Hennekens (UK) and Dr. Mohammed







Mohsen (EG). The voices of all the shows were Ms. Zuzana Slaviková (CZ) and Mr. Eric Blaak (BE), who took turns during the event speaking in two languages. Music and sound were provided yet again by Karel Zbiral (CZ), whose impressive sense of music made sure we saw these beautiful Arabian horses move effortlessly with the sound. The role of Ringmaster, made even more challenging by the scorching sun for an unusually hot summer, was entrusted to Dr. Abdelwahab Amira (UAE), who as always ensured that everything was on time and that everything ran perfectly in the ring.

The Friday's shows took place in serene tranquility, and the prize giving included not only prize money but also presents from sponsors, such as beautiful crystal custom made trophies from Halama Glass, boxes of Helissa Collagen, packages of excellent Dallmayr coffee, and more. The EAHGC show ended with the final championship with four classes awarded with gold, silver and bronze prizes, followed by the opulent Welcome Party, with dinner and live music.

On the following day, Saturday 24th August, a two-day marathon of shows ensued, starting with the ever growing

23rd Czech National Championship. This year 65 horses were entered to compete, proving a growing amount of interest by the Czech breeders/owners to show their horses. With the number of entries rising year by year, this possibly makes the Czech National Championship one of the National shows with the highest number of horses entered in a National show in Europe this year. As every year, the top 3 in each class were awarded by the ECAHO Breeders' Fund, supporting the local breeders with a certificate of 2006 each. The judges invited to judge the Czech National Championship were Mr. Allan Preston (AU), Mrs. Hellen Hennekens (BE) and Mrs. Anna Stojanowska (PL).

In the afternoon on the same day, the Prague Intercup ECAHO A International Show took over the weekend. This year the A show had a unique partnership with the Global Champions Arabians Tour (GCAT), with GCAT was not only as the partner of the show, but also as the contributor of a generous amount of prize money awarded to the gold, silver and bronze champions of the European Cup, during the Sunday's Championships. Every year the European Cup awards the champions bred and owned in Europe, separately from the international championships.

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The Prague Intercup A Show, photographed by our photographer Mr. Simone Bergamaschi, saw another 60 horses entered, consequently revealing a new team of judges consisting of Mrs. Janet Court (UK), Mrs. Sylvie Eberhardt (DE), Mrs. Martine Van Hee (BE), Mr. Jonas Salzman (KW) and Mr. George Zbyszewski (US).

Sunday morning was dedicated to the mares and the stallions in the international competition, where high quality horses were presented to the judges, guests and spectators. During the lunch break, a short game was held for all children present at the event, a team cross-country competition with wooden horses, which is becoming a tradition for the past few years. Also returning for a visit was the owner of the 'Falcon Race' with his wonderful birds of prey, including a beautiful eagle, showing their evolution in flight. A beautiful presentation of Arabian horse versatility under the saddle was also prepared for the guests, to showcase that the Arabian horse is mainly a fantastic riding horse and a faithful partner to the rider.

In the early afternoon of Sunday 25th, the Championships began, both for the International A Show and for the European Cup. The judges were presented in the arena by arriving on a wonderful carriage pulled by four black Kladrubian horses. A breed of carriage horses that is either black or white, which are a Czech National heritage protected by UNSECO.

During the Championships we saw some owners from the other shows during the Prague Intercup event, including local breeders, entering to compete at a higher level. I am certain that we will next year see even more horses at the Czech National Championship, but potentially also more local owners entering to compete in the ECAHO A International Show.

A special thank you to Mr. Drazen Lazic, the creative as well as organizational figure of the event, who patiently and professionally supported both the guests and all the media partners during the shows.

The official photographers of the event were Ms. Sylwia Ilenda and Mr. Simone Bergamaschi.





Junior Fillies Championship



ESPAJLITA M

AJ ELAF X ESPAJA BREEDER: PIOTR PODGÓRNY OWNER: PIOTR PODGÓRNY



KATARYNA AO RAOUD ALBIDAYER X KADIRA OF SINUS BREEDER: ADAM OCHMAN, POLIA ARABIANS OWNER: ADAM OCHMAN



PSYCHE ROKSANA
PICASSO DI MAR X PSYCHE OFELIA
BREEDER: KRYSZTOF POSZEPCZYŃSKI
OWNER: STADNINA KONI CHRCYNNO-PAŁAC



Junior Colts Championship



MONARCHIO

STAR FARID X MINERWINA BREEDER: WOJCIECH PARCZEWSKI OWNER: BOGDAN MAŚLANKA



KA MESSI E.S. HARIR X MALIKA J BREEDER: PAVEL KANKA OWNER: PAVEL KANKA



JAMAAL AQ Hanine al Shahania X Classic Jumana Breeder: Ing. Marina Novotna Owner: Eliska Bernardovä



Senior Mares Championship



BINDUGA

KAHIL AL SHAQAB X BIGAMIA BREEDER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI OWNER: SUWECO CZ, NINA SUSKEVICOVA



PERSIA TOUCH SW EKS ALIHANDRO X PRINCESS TOUCH W BREEDER: SUWECO CZ, NINA SUSKEVICOVA OWNER: SUWECO CZ, NINA SUSKEVICOVA



PARISANA PA EXCALIBUR EA X PALATINA BREEDER: STADNINA DĄBROWKA OWNER: PPH PARYS SP. Z O.O.



Senior Stallions Championship



PARIS

KAHIL AL SHAQAB X PALMETA BREEDER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI - POLAND OWNER: POLIA ARABIANS, ADAM OCHMAN



PETRUS PA EKSTERN X PIWONIA BREEDER: STADNINA DĄBROWKA OWNER: PPH PARYS SP. Z O.O.



NICO DE NAPOLI MARCIPAN X NISAMLA BREEDER: JK NAPOLI S.R.O OWNER: SÀRKA NEMECKOVÀ



Junior Fillies Championship



KA EL LILITH

HANINE AL SHAHANIA X EDELMIRA BREEDER: PAVEL KANKA - KANKA ARABIANS OWNER: PAVEL KANKA - KANKA ARABIANS



PRECIOUS SHARA MAGIC ANIS X PRINCESS HANAYAH BREEDER: SÄRKA NEMECKOVÄ OWNER: SÄRKA NEMECKOVÄ



WIOLETTA DC HANINE AL SHAHANIA X WIWINA BREEDER: ING. DANIELA CILOVA OWNER: ING. DANIELA CILOVA



Junior Colts Championship



KA WORTEX NEYMAR

WORTEX KALLISTE X NAF NASEEMA BREEDER: PAVEL KANKA OWNER: PAVEL KANKA



JAMAAL AQ HANINE AL SHAHANIA X CLASSIC JUMANA BREEDER: ING. MARINA NOVOTNA OWNER: ELISKA BERNARDOVÀ



WASEEM HANINE AL SHAHANIA X UVA BREEDER: JK WOOD-SERVICE TEAM OWNER: JK WOOD-SERVICE TEAM



Senior Mares Championship



S.M.A. MORWENNA

RAOUD ALBIDAYER X MAJIDAH BINT PACHA BREEDER: SOMAR ARABIANS



YALLAH HACHULA HANINE AL SHAHANIA X NAJIIB YAMINAH BREEDER: MICHAELA VOLFOVÀ & JAKUB MELNICAK OWNER: MICHAELA VOLFOVÀ & JAKUB MELNICAK



NAMBIA BLACK DREAM NADI AL KHALEDIAH X NEGMA AL KHALEDIAH BREEDER: KATARZYNA DOLINSKA WITKOWSKA OWNER: SÀRKA NEMECKOVÀ



Senior Stallions Championship



NABEEL AL KHALED

F SHAMAAL X ANSATA NILE PEARL
BREEDER: AL KHALED FARM
OWNER: ROOS-SAVIER-SCHLERETH PARTNERSHIP
IN LEASING TO MARINA NOVOTNA, AL QURQUF ARABIANS



SALEEM AO SALEEM AL RAYYAN X SHAHKIRAA BREEDER: JK WOOD-SERVICE TEAM OWNER: JK WOOD-SERVICE TEAM



SAFEEN EN VOGUE SAFEEN X SHADENA AL QUSAR BREEDER: PAVEL TUSKA OWNER: PAVEL TUSKA



Junior Fillies Championship



BIANCA OF SINUS

FADI AL SHAQAB X BALLENA BREEDER: SINUS ARABIAN STUD (SE) OWNER: POLIA ARABIANS (PL)



WILDONARA PARIS X WILDONA BREEDER: SK MICHAŁÓW OWNER: SK MICHAŁÓW



WENCEDORA HAASH OSB X WIGA BREEDER: STADNINA KONI JANÓW PODLASKI (PL) OWNER: STADNINA KONI JANÓW PODLASKI (PL)



Junior Colts Championship



IS WINCENT

EBT BEL SUBAYAN X IS WENETZIA BREEDER: ISMER STUD





PORTADO HAASH OSB X PORTIA BREEDER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI OWNER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI



Senior Mares Championship



ADELITA

KAHIL AL SHAQAB X ALTAMIRA BREEDER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI OWNER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI



WILDONA SHANGHAI EA X WILDA BREEDER: SK MICHAŁÓW OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK



ECHO ANASTAZJA
PSYCHE KERET X ECHO AURORA
BREEDER: SK CHRCYNNO-PAŁAC (PL)
OWNER: SK CHRCYNNO-PAŁAC (PL)



Senior Stallions Championship



ASCOT DD

GLORIUS APAL X LADY NINA DD BREEDER: DEJONCKHEERA D. OWNER: DR. NIELS ISMER



PARIS
KAHIL AL SHAQAB X PALMETA
BREEDER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI · POLAND
OWNER: POLIA ARABIANS, ADAM OCHMAN



PETRUS PA EKSTERN X PIWONIA BREEDER: STADNINA DĄBROWKA OWNER: PPH PARYS SP. Z O.O.



Yearling Fillies Championship

ANAGRAMMA PICASSO DI MAR X AMINATA BREEDER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI OWNER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI



Bronze



GHAILA AO MORION X GINEVRA BREEDER: POLIA ARABIANS, ADAM OCHMANN OWNER: POLIA ARABIANS, ADAM OCHMANN



HA BARBARELLA
AJ NAWASH X BIANCA AL
BREEDER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK
OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK

Yearling Colts Championship

KA WORTEX NEYMAR WORTEX KALLISTE X NAF NASEEMA BREEDER: PAVEL KANKA OWNER: PAVEL KANKA



Bronze



PARTES DOMINIC M X PROTEKCJA BREEDER: SK MICHAŁÓW STUD OWNER: SK MICHAŁÓW STUD



ASAM EL SAID. EXAGON OS X RANIYA OS BREEDER: AXEL MÜNZ OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK



Yearling Fillies Championship

HA BARBARELLA AJ NAWASH X BIANCA AL BREEDER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK







D THAW D SERAJ X D FANNANAH BREEDER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD (UAE) OWNER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD (UAE)



D ROWA
FA EL RASHEEM X D RAWYANAH
BREEDER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD
OWNER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD

Yearling Colts Championship

AB BANDAR D SERAJ X PRISCILLA OS BREEDER: AL BABTAIN STUD OWNER: AL BABTAIN STUD



Bronze



KA WORTEX NEYMAR WORTEX KALLISTE X NAF NASEEMA BREEDER: PAVEL KANKA OWNER: PAVEL KANKA



ASAM EL SAID. EXAGON OS X RANIYA OS BREEDER: AXEL MÜNZ OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK



Junior Fillies Championship



D ASERAH

AJ NOFAN X D SHIHANAH BREEDER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD OWNER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD



AJ FAHEEDAH MARAJJ X AJ FARHA BREEDER: AJMAN STUD · HH SHEIKH AMMAR BIN HUMAID AL NUAIMI OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD · NAYLA HAYEK



BIANCA OF SINUS FADI AL SHAQAB X BALLENA BREEDER: SINUS ARABIAN STUD (SE) OWNER: POLIA ARABIANS (PL)

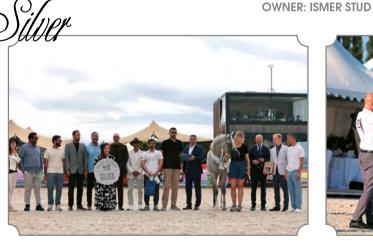


Junior Colts Championship



IS WINCENT

EBT BEL SUBAYAN X IS WENETZIA BREEDER: ISMER STUD





SAHI AL BAHYA EMERALD J X AJ SAJWA

BREEDER: AJMAN STUD · HH SHEIKH AMMAR BIN HUMAID AL NUAIMI OWNER: SULTAN MOHAMMED ALSHAMSI



Senior Mares Championship



D JUDI

AJ AZZAM X ELLE FLAMENCA BREEDER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD OWNER: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD



ADELITA KAHIL AL SHAQAB X ALTAMIRA BREEDER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI OWNER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI



WILDONA SHANGHAI EA X WILDA BREEDER: SK MICHAŁÓW OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK



Senior Stallions Championship



EKS SIRAJJ

IBN FARID X EKS BINT HELWAH
BREEDER: ELKASUN ARABIANS
OWNER: HANAYA ARABIAN STUD - NAYLA HAYEK



PARIS KAHIL AL SHAQAB X PALMETA BREEDER: SK JANÓW PODLASKI · POLAND OWNER: POLIA ARABIANS, ADAM OCHMAN



ASCOT DD GLORIUS APAL X LADY NINA DD BREEDER: DEJONCKHEERA D. OWNER: DR. NIELS ISMER







