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# **ARABIAN HORSE DAYS**



### 41<sup>st</sup> Pride of Poland Sale 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> of August, 2010 - Janów Podlaski Stud

# The Measure of Success

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hen the final scores were tabulated, the results were astounding: of the forty horses earning the prestigious title of World Top Ten Champion, thirteen were Polish in origin. Incredibly, one third of the most elite collection of Arabian horses in the world representing breeding success from around the globe were bred by the renowned State Studs and the thriving private breeders of Poland.

This success was most profound in the Senior Mare Championship, in which seven of the Top Ten Mares were Polish-bred. These incomparable results followed unparalleled accomplishment in the Friday qualifier for the eldest of the senior mare competitors. In an industry first, the awards presentation line-up in this class was comprised exclusively of mares from the Polish State Studs, with five highly decorated Michałów-bred daughters of MO-NOGRAMM in first through fifth place and the former European Champion PALMETA from Janów Podlaski in sixth. Inevitably, the World Champion Mare was crowned from amongst this spectacular collection. For the second time in her stellar career, the incomparable KWESTURA was awarded top honours, including awards for Highest Score of the Show, the Most Beautiful Head and for the Best Movement.

Of the Polish-bred mares honoured as World Top Ten Champion, three of the very best competed for proud new owners: FALLADA for Mr. Paul Gheysens of Belgium, ELANDRA for Mrs. Shirley Watts of the United Kingdom, and KWESTURA for Sheikh Ammar bin Humaid Al Nuaimi, Crown Prince of Ajman, for the United Arab



Emirates. Not only were all three bred in Michałów and daughters of international sire of significance MONO-GRAMM, each had been a former high seller and main attraction of the annual Pride of Poland auction.

A closer look at the pedigrees of the complete list of 2009 World Champion winners reveals the influence of Polish breeding to be monumental. With the exception of the Straight Egyptian competitors, every single entry earning the title of World Champion Top Ten owes a portion of their accomplishment to Polish ancestry. Centuries of tradition and commitment made manifest in the breeding and competitive success of today. A powerful testament to the enduring impact and profound legacy of the Polish Arabian horse

### Enduring Success is Defined by Results

In terms of results and relevance, there is only one global leader in the realm of Arabian horse auctions – the Pride of Poland. From modest beginnings in the late 1960s, the annual sale has evolved into the single most important auction for Arabian horses anywhere in the world and the most accurate barometer of the economic climate of the industry. Now into the fourth decade, momentum continues to grow each year as new sales records are established and the list of satisfied international breeders and buyers expands to reach the far corners of the globe.

As was overwhelmingly evident at 2009 World Championships, Poland is all about magnificent mares – show mares, broodmares and promising debutantes – mares that continue to grow more beautiful each year and prove capable of consistently producing world class excellence as well as achieving top honours at the most elite interna-



tional competitions long after their contemporaries have faded from the spotlight. Each year, a new collection of magnificent mares is offered to the established breeders and eager enthusiasts of the international Arabian community. Amongst the main attractions such as former glamour queens KWESTURA, FALLADA and ELANDRA, there are dozens of undiscovered gems just waiting for the opportunity to set the standard and achieve enduring impact and influence for insightful breeders and fortunate breeding programs around the world.

#### Success Deserves Celebration

At no other event is the celebratory nature of the Poles and the Arabian horses they love more apparent than at the Polish National Championship Show. Adrenaline charged and overflowing in international show ring superstars, the National Show runs across all three days of the Polish Arabian Horse Days event held at Janów Podlaski – Poland's undeniable Mecca of the Arabian horse. Without fail, rising stars are sure to be discovered, established achievers duly rewarded, breeding trends firmly established, notoriety claimed and record books rewritten. For the human counterparts in attendance, expect smiles of immense pride from the dedicated breeders and spectacular presentations of authentic Arabian type from the handlers, as well as passionate involvement and enthusiasm from spectators and supporters that will buoy your spirits and inspire your dreams. In terms of entertaining spectacle and world-class quality Arabian horses from beginning to end, there is no better National Championship anywhere in the world.

#### Success Begins with Vision

Nowhere is the guiding vision of the Polish breeding program more evident than in the breeding parades at the State Studs. A fitting conclusion to Polish Arabian Horse Days, the breeding parades allow each of the Directors

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to showcase an impressive collection of the most elite international achievers and esteemed breeding horses, while affording international visitors the opportunity to discover the depth and breadth of the centuries-old Polish breeding program. In an inspired blend of tradition and innovation, you will discover familiar names of many of the world's most influential sires insightfully crossed upon and masterfully layered within the established dam families of Polish breeding, granting visitors new perspective on the continued quest for Arabian excellence. The most intimate of all the Polish Arabian Horse Days activities, the breeding parades provide the chance to get up close and personal with the horses and the people that make Poland special and unique in our global community. From the ever increasing promise of Białka to the awe inspiring scope of achievement at Michałów and the historical significance of Janów Podlaski, the annual post-auction breeding parades offer a rare glimpse into the soul of the Polish Arabian horse. Prepare to be enlightened, to be inspired, to be left wanting to know and discover so much more...

#### Success Awaits

Success is always enjoyed best when it is shared. Nowhere is the celebration of the continued success of the Polish Arabian horse more enjoyable than at Polish Arabian Horse Days. We warmly invite you to share in this unique experience. Prepare for tradition, for spectacle and for world-class quality. Expect to be inspired, to be challenged, to be changed. Create your own success this August – it begins in Poland. Be a part of Polish Arabian Horse Days 2010.

#### 2010 Pride of Poland Highlights

There is certainly something for everyone in the 2010 Pride of Poland Collection. Janów Podlaski's broodmatron extraordinaire PILAR is unquestionably one of the main attractions. A former Polish National Champion and the best producing daughter of the all-time leading Polish Dam of Champions PIPI, PILAR already has five international champions to her credit including former Pride of Poland high sellers PIETA & PINTA, as well as Scottsdale Reserve Champion, World Cup & US National Top Ten, & Polish National Best in Show superstar PIN-GA. PILAR is also a direct granddaughter of the immortal World & European Champion PILARKA, beloved the world over as the iconic mare of her generation and best remembered now as the great-grand dam of international standard bearer PIANISSIMA.

The MONOGRAMM daughters of Michałów have been shattering records in the show ring, in the breeding barn and on the auction stage for well over a decade. For-



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mer Pride of Poland high sellers include PALESTYNA, ELANDRA, GEHENNA, FALLADA and the incomparable KWESTURA, who broke all records in 2008 by selling for €1.125 million. Two more of the MONOGRAMM elite are offered in 2010 – the ultra-dynamic DEMONA – dam of Polish National Champion DRABANT, and the elegant WYBORNA – dam of international champion WKRA. Two MONOGRAMM granddaughters, GALA-TEA & ERREUZA - both blessed with his exemplary quality, refinement and attitude, are amongst the best of the young mares in the collection.

Two of the very best privately-bred mares add considerable prestige to Pride of Poland 2010. The elder PRIMA-DONNA, is a gorgeous well conformed daughter of living legend PADRONS PSYCHE, and a member of Janów's premier "P" family of champions through US National Champion PENICYLINA and Polish National Champion PEKTYNA & PENTODA. The enchanting SOTIKA is very representative of the high standard of excellence expected in the best get of supersire WH JUSTICE. Long necked ultra-feminine and very refined, SOTIKA is destined for greatness in all endeavours.

Classic Polish aficionados will fall in love with HEKLA. Ethereal and feminine, with an uncommon aristocratic presence and ultra-refined dryness, HEKLA resembles a masterwork painting come to life. Not only is her look utterly classic, so is her pedigree – many of the all-time Polish greats can be found in the first four generations of her pedigree. Tail-female she is a member of the acclaimed ARFA dam family, the eldest sibling in the legendary triumvirate that included the immortal BASK & BANDO-LA.

Two other Janów-bred mares are amongst the classics. BAJGORA is a full sister to BATYSKAF – Polish National Champion Stallion, Polish Racehorse of the Year & former auction high seller at \$450,000. Big, bold and broody, BAJGORA is an alluring mare with a powerful trot and classic Polish appeal. The magnificent maiden AGUSTA can claim heritage in both the "A" & "P" cornerstone families of Janów Podlaski. Sired by Polish Na-





tional Champion PIAFF, AGUSTA is one of the youngest daughters of the beloved ALBIGOWA, broodmatron supreme and the best producing daughter of the legendary ALGERIA. Noble and refined, with superlative structure and dryness, AGUSTA promises to live-up to her aristocratic heritage.

For those seeking superstars in the making, look no further than the most spectacular collection of EKSTERN daughters ever assembled at public auction. All are blessed with their sire's exotic type, superb body and topline, dynamic athleticism and commanding charisma. 2009 Pride of Poland high seller PINTA was just the prelude. Expect incredible size, scope and enchanting presence from PUSTYNNA TĘCZA & WILGA, extravagant athleticism and arresting beauty from ETYKA & BATAWIA, as well as feminine allure and maternal confidence from EMETYNA, PERITA & PAPAYA.

The daughters of EUKALIPTUS are the foundation upon

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which nearly all the great modern success of the breeding program is built. Very few of these great mares remain in Poland; two of the most royally-bred are offered to the discriminating breeder this August. EMIGRA is the final full sister to Polish legends EMIGRANTKA, EMANACJA & ELANDRA, daughters of "the Pearl of Michałów" EMIGRACJA, to whom international superstars EL DORADA, EMANDORIA, EMIGRANT, ELANDRA, EMANDA, EMONNA, EMIRA, EMANOR & EMILDA all trace. Janów's lovely ALTEA is a member of the elite "A" family of champions through ALGERIA – "Queen of Janów" and "the Million Dollar Mare".

The Polish-bred daughters of GAZAL AL SHAQAB have unquestionably raised the standard of Arabian mare excellence around the globe, best proven by World, European, US National & World Cup Champion EMANDORIA and the ever-dazzling dual-European Triple Crown/Polish National Best in Show winner PIANISSIMA. Three opportunities to share in this success are available in 2010: the regally-bred, undiscovered gem PAMPA, Białka's large framed, long necked NATEA, and Michałów's simply stunning EBLA – Lot. 1, an international superstar just waiting for her chance in the spotlight. One of the very best GAZAL sons is another 2010 highlight. Polish National Junior Champion EL AZEM boasts a classic Polish pedigree with a distinct GAZAL AL SHAQAB phenotype. The influence of the Straight Egyptian LAHEEB has been profound over the last decade. World Champion GALI-LEA, All Nations Cup Champion EMIRA, Polish National Champion POGANIN and Pride of Poland stars SIKLA-WA, ELLISARA & ELOIDA all attest to the importance of the Polish-bred LAHEEB get around the globe. Three of his characteristically ethereal white, ultra-feminine and distinctly maternal daughters rank amongst the best of the 2010 collection: ARIADNE, DEBOWA GÓRA & PERCEPCJA.

The daughters of EMIGRANT are prized by breeders around the world as mares of exceptional femininity, refinement, noble elegance, dryness and classic Arabian type. Like 2009's extraordinary EUSCERA, EFUZJA & PELGRIMA are mares who have proven their worth as producers and possess unlimited potential for creating the best of the next generation. A full sister to EMIGRANT – EL HAZA – as well as a granddaughter – PETRARA –

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are also blessed with a generous dose of EMIGRANTKA greatness, especially her feminine charm and her trademark trot.

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The commitment to excellence amongst Polish private breeders is evident in both ERMINA and GADNES. Both are members of classic Michałów dam families: ERMINA through EMIGRACJA to Milordka and GAD-NES through GILZA to Gazella. The feminine and exotic

#### **PRIDE OF POLAND - BROODMARES** Colour Born

Name EBLA bay ARIADNE grey PRIMADONNA PUSTYNNA TĘCZA AGUSTA brown WILGA grey EFUZJA HERMIONA grey PILAR grey GALATEA grey BAJGORA SOTIKA DEBOWA GÓRA grey PĚLGRIMA grey ETYKA DEMONA chest. NATEA ALTEA bay PAMPA grey BATAWIA chest. GADNES d.bay WYBORNA chest. HEKLA PERITA bay ERMINA chest. **EMETYNA** PAPAYA grey **EMIGRA** grey CARUZA **ERREUZA** PALMERA WISEŁKA chest. PERCEPCJA PETRARA grey CYROLKA EL HAZA grey

Sire Gazal Al Shaqab Laheeb Padrons Psyche Ekstern Piaff Ekstern Emigrant Metropolis NA Fawor Angor Pamir WH Justice Laheeb Emigrant Ekstern Monogramm Gazal Al Shaqab Eukaliptus Gazal Al Shaqab Ekstern Psytadel Monogramm Primo Ekstern Galba Ekstern Ekstern Eukaliptus Wachlarz Galba Pesal Ganges Laheeb Poganin Pesal Ararat

Dam/by Eberia/Ecaho Argentyna/Partner Pelargonia/Alegro Pustynna Tarcza/Pamir Albigowa/Fawor Wenessa/Egon Elfina/Pamir Herca/Pesal Pipi/Banat Gehenna/Monogramm Bajeczka/Bandos Słonka/Wojsław Dabrowica/Endel Perfuzja/Batyskaf Etalanta/Europejczyk Dalida/Probat Nutella/Pers Algora/Probat Palestyna/Monogramm Barka/Ararat Gracea/Etogram Wybranka/Piechur Harpia/Ernal Perforacja/Ernal Echidna/Ararat Esina/Sinus Psyche/Eukaliptus Emigracja/Palas Carina/Pesal Errara/Monogramm Pilica/Fawor Wilnianka/Tallin Perturbacja/Eukaliptus Perga/Emigrant Cyma/Eukaliptus Emigrantka/Eukaliptus

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ERMINA is a daughter of World Champion GALBA and a granddaughter of the universally adored ELANDRA – Scottsdale Champion, US National Reserve Champion & Twice World Top Ten Mare. The elegant and enchanting dark bay GADNES is sired by international sire of significance PSYTADEL, and blessed with the long neck, large dark eyes, powerful athleticism and proven productivity of her dam line.

Look no further than Pride of Poland 2010 for the next major step in your breeding and/or show program. Chart your path to success with the celebrated tradition of excellence and proven genetic strength of the Polish Arabian horse. Destiny awaits... D

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ALENA	grey	200
BINT MOLETA	grey	200
CHAOS ARTEMIDA	A bay	200
CYMINKA	grey	200
EDIA	grey	200
EKA	bay	200
EKLEMIRA	grey	200
EKSETA	chest.	200
ELEBI	grey	199
EMFORIA	bay	200
ENERYDA	grey	200
EOLA	grey	200
EQUITA	bay	200
ERYDIA	grey	200
EUSKOMA	grey	200
FABIRA	grey	200
FLOTYLKA	grey	200
FUMELIA	chest.	200
GIOCONDA		200
MANRESA	grey	200
NEGRA	grey	200
NIMBA	grey	200
NOC	grey	199
ORLANKA	grey chest.	200
PAPUA	chest.	200
PASJONATA		200
PASYWA	bay	200
PELE	bay	200
PENSACOLA	grey	200
PERNACJA	grey	200
PERNACJA POMPOSA	grey	200
SABINA	grey	199
WIZYTACJA	grey	199
WIZIIACJA	d.bay	195

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Breeder/Owner Janów Podlaski Falborek Arabians

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#### **SELECTION SALE -SIRES & STALLIONS**

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Name ABBAR EL EMADIK **EMBERK EMIRRON ERONISSIMO** WEMBLEY ZADŽAL EL AZEM

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- Sire Salar Sanadik El Shaklan Gazal Al Shaqab Poganin Magnum Psyche Galba Piaff Gazal Al Shaqab
- Dam/by Abba/Pesal Emanta/Pamir Emantka/Eukaliptus Embella/Monogramm Eronia/Emigrant Wilga/Ekstern Zgadula/Fawor El Fatha/Entvk
- Breeder/Owner Białka Falborek Arabians Michałów/Agnieszka Kozłowska Michałów Stanisław Redestowicz Michałów Roch Arabians Janów Podlaski