# Prince Sultan Bin Abdulaziz INTERNATIONAL ARABIAN HORSE FESTIVAL

# AL KHALEDIAH FARM-TEBRAK RIYADH, SAUDI ARABIA

### 23-25 JANUARY 2020

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In a winter weather, unusual also for Saudi Arabia in this period of the year, the 12th edition of the most important Saudi A class Ecaho event "PRINCE SULTAN BIN ABDULAZIZ INTERNATIONAL ARABIAN HORSES Festival" was held reaching for the first time 350 entered horses. Considering the big number the show was split in 3 days.

The show took place on 23rd, 24th, 25th January and the day before the show was dedicated to races in the great hippodrome winning a great prizemoney of more than 2.000.000,000 Saudi riyal (500.000 eur).

Every year the event has been becoming bigger and bigger. Young artists exposed their artworks in a venue created on the occasion of the show. Many stands proposed local handicrafts products joining the streetfood stands and the ones dedicated to henné make up, all together in the big area dedicated to families and relax.

Special thanks to the Festival Chairman HRH Prince Khaled bin Sultan bin Abdulaziz and all the board of Directors and special thanks goes to the Organizer for the amazing job made during the event. We would like to thank the General Supervisor: HRH Prince Fahad bin Khaled bin Sultan, the Festival Manager: Mr. Salah Al Ali, and Festival Staff.

Saudi Arabia improves the social status in terms of public structures like the new subway, that connects the capital



Riyadh to the outskirts, the under roads and buildings for the people.

HRH Prince Mohammad Bin Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud is restructuring Saudi Arabia's economy as he officially announced introducing "Vision 2030", the country's strategic orientation for the next 10 years, in order to reach a sustainable development. And this year there will be the G20 in Riyad, another special event that will bring the highest European political offices to Saudi Arabia.

This wonderful event has given the chance to breeders and owners from all over the world to meet here in a lavish venue, enjoying an exceptional lunch served at the table by Marriott Riyad Diplomatic Quarter catering.

A rich amount was given to the Arabian horse show, giving prize to the first five of each class and in the championship for gold, silver and bronze medals. For the three Yearlings medals 400.000 SAR, for the three Juniors medals 700.000 SAR, for the three medals seniors 1.250.000 SAR and for the 4 classes of Desert Bred 110.000 SAR. This is a very important prize money.

Competing in this show small and bigger breeders had many chance to be awarded and for this reason every year the entered horses are many.

This year 350 horses divided in 16 classes reached the showground to try to be medalists.

Judges selected for this edition became 10 considering the large number of horses: Mrs. Marianne Tengstedt (Denmark), Mrs. Anna Stojanowska (Poland), Mrs. Ann Norden (Sweden), Mr. Mohamed Oussidhoum (Morocco), Mrs. Maria Ferraroni (Italy), Mrs. Christina Valdes (Spain), Mr. Urs Aeschbacher (Switzerland), Mr. Eric Gear (France), Mr. Gianmarco Aragno (Italy) and Dr. Nikolaus Jung (Germany).

The Disciplnary Committee was composed by Dr. Malak Benamar (Morocco), Dr. Paolo Teobaldelli (Italy), Dr. Niels Ismer (Germany), Mr. Turki Mohammed AlMuqbel, Dr. Saad Abdullah Al Qassim and Dr. Bassem Badr (both from Saudi Arabia). Ring Masters were Mr. Gerard Oben (Belgium) and Mr. Waleed Al Haddadi (Kingdom of Saudi Arabia), always cheerful and patient.

As always Mr. Jamal Abdallah was behind the scene making all set up and arrangements and facilitating the travel of judges and festival guests, as well as import of international horses participating from over 12 countries.

As a speaker's voice is the keys of the success of a show, on this occasion were invited the most charming voice in the world: Mrs. Nabila Al Ali from Kuwait.

Live streaming and official scorer by Mr. Marco Vignato (Arabianessence).

A big show, this wonderful Festival is dedicated to the purebred Arabian horse and to all the lucky people invited on that occasion.

As always, our magazine "TuttoArabi" was proud and grateful to be among the people who had the chance, during these last 22 years, to be witness of big shows like "Al Khalediah Festival" in Saudi. We have made our best contribution to by using the media to fix on the precious paper of our magazine what happened and happens every day around the world about Arabian Horses, also by publishing the pictures taken by the professional photographers who use to work with us.

We thank them for the work they do in the arena, wherever they are now.

Now I leave you to the pictures of our photographer Mr. Alessio Azzali (alessionese@libero.it)  $\Box$ 

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# Handlers































# YEARLING FILLIES



# Gold Medal Champion FAREHAN

D SERAJ X ELLE FLAMENCA B/O: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD

#### AJ AL BRRAQAH 5

FA EL RASHEEM x FELICIA RLC B/O: AJMAN STUD





### **Bronze Medal Champion**

**DANAH ALSAYED** 

ALEXXANDERR x DELIGHT'S DIVAH RB

B: KHALID SAEED ABDULLAH ALSAYED - ALSAYED ARABIAN HORSE STUD - O: ABDULWAHAB SAEED ABDULLAH ALSAYED



# YEARLING COLTS



# **Gold Medal Champion**

AJ SABRAN

AJ KAFU x AJA CAPRICE

B/O: AJMAN STUD

#### HALEEM AL ENAYA

NAYROZ ALENAYA x SAMAR ELENAYA B/O: TARIG BIN MOHAMMED E ENAYA - ENAYA STUD





## **Bronze Medal Champion**

QAISER AL TINHAT

EXCALIBUR EA x STEPHANA W B/O: ABDULLAH FAHAD DAKHEL ALHAQBANI ALDOSARI - AL TINHAT STUD



# JUNIOR FILLIES



# Gold Medal Champion D JUDI

AJ AZZAM x ELLE FLAMENCA B/O: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD

#### **ADWAA AL ARAB**

EMERALD J x HK JOJO RLC B/O: ALI BIN MOHAMMED ALI AL ALI - AL ARAB STUD





### **Bronze Medal Champion**

D SHIHANAH

FA EL RASHEEM x D SHAHLA B/O: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD



# JUNIOR COLTS



### Gold Medal Champion D NAYEL

FA EL RASHEEM x D NAWAL

B: DUBAI ARABIAN HORSE STUD - O: SHAIKH SAEED BIN MAKTOUM BIN JUMA AL-MAKTOUM

#### **ADMIRAAL**

 $\label{eq:emerald} {\sf EMERALD}\ J\ x\ {\sf HANIYYAH}$  B: MOHAMMED ABDULLAH AL SOBAIE - AL MUAWD STUD -





### **Bronze Medal Champion**

DOSAR ALSAYED

VALIDORO x DELIGHT S DIVAH RB B: KHALID SAEED ABDULLAH ALSAYED - ALSAYED ARABIAN HORSE STUD - O: ABDULWAHAB SAEED ABDULLAH ALSAYED



# SENIOR MARES



# Gold Medal Champion PEPITA

EKSTERN x PEPESZA

B: SK JANOW PODLASKI - O: AKMAL STUD

#### MALIKAT AL MOLUK

MAMELUK X ASALAT AL HALA B: HALAWA KHADER - O: ALKHASHAB STUD





## **Bronze Medal Champion**

ANOUD AL JALAWIYAH

SHAEL DREAM DESERT x DAY DREAN J

B: H.P. TURKAI BIN FAHED BIN MASHARI AL SAUD AL JALAWIYAH STUD - O: MESHAL ABDULLAH ALI ALDUHAYM - AL RMHA STUD



# SENIOR STALLIONS



## **Gold Medal Champion**

E.S. HARIR

AJ DINAR x TF MAGNUMS MAGIC

B: SHEIKH ABDULLA BIN MAJID ALQASSEMI O: ALSAQRAN ARABIAN HORSE STUD

#### **EQUATOR**

QR MARC x EKLIPTYKA B: SK MICHALOW - O: GHAZI BIN BASHIR AL OTAIBI - AL MOKHLDIAT STUD





# **Bronze Medal Champion**

**WORTEX KALLISTE** 

SHANGHAI EA x MIRWANAH KALLISTE B/O: KALLISTE ARABIANS

# People



























## KSA DESERT BRED FILLIES 3 yrs & under



### **Gold Medal Champion**

#### DOHAIMAH ATHBAH

DREA II x ZAHRAT KHADEEJAH B: ATHBAH STUD - O: MOHAMED ZAID MOHAMED ALTAMIMI



#### Silver Medal Champion MANARAH ATHBAH

KHERAISAN ATHBAH x MANAYER B: ATHBAH STUD O: HRHP AHMAD BIN ABDULAZIZ BIN ABDURAHMAN AL SAUD



# **Bronze Medal Champion**SALMA ABO NASYAH

SAQER DIRAB x SATIEAH B: ABDULLAH BIN ZAID AL TAMIMI O: MOHAMED ZAID MOHAMED ALTAMIMI

## KSA DESERT BRED COLTS 3 yrs & under





#### **Gold Medal Champion**

#### **BALSAM ATHBAH**

KHALEEL DIRAB x MANAYER B: ATHBAH STUD - O: HRHP AHMAD BIN ABDULAZIZ BIN ABDURAHMAN AL SAUD



#### Silver Medal Champion EZZ AL AARIDH

LAITH DIRAB x EYDAH VI B/O: MAJID BIN HASSEN AL GHASHYAN - AL AREEDH STUD



# **Bronze Medal Champion**MEKHASEM

ALAHNAF x KHASRAH B: PRINCE TURKI BIN FAHAD BIN MUHAMMED - NEJD STUD O: TURKI BIN MOHAMMED ZAID AL-SHAIBANI - SHIBHA AL JAZEERA STUD



# KSA DESERT BRED MARES 4 yrs & older



# Gold Medal Champion BADWEAH AL THALITHAH

DREA II x NOURAH VII B: CUSTODIAN OF TWO HOLY MOSQUES KING ABDULLA BIN ABDUL AZIZ AL SAUD-JANADRIYA FARM O: MAJID BIN HASSEN AL GHASHYAN - AL AREEDH STUD



# Silver Medal Champion AL MAJDH

LAITH DIRAB x MAJEEDAH B/O: MAJID BIN HASSEN AL GHASHYAN - AL AREEDH STUD



# **Bronze Medal Champion**MAWADDAH

B: ATHBAH STUD O: HRHP AHMAD BIN ABDULAZIZ BIN ABDURAHMAN AL SAUD

# KSA DESERT BRED STALLIONS 4 yrs &older





### **Gold Medal Champion**

KHERAISAN ATHBAH

DREA II x MANDOUBA B: ATHBAH STUD - O: HRHP AHMAD BIN ABDULAZIZ BIN ABDURAHMAN AL SAUD



# Silver Medal Champion LAITH DIRAB

REZAIQ x LAYAN DIRAB B: KING ABDUL AZIZ ARABIAN HORSE CENTER AT DIRAB O: MAJID BIN HASSEN AL GHASHYAN - AL AREEDH STUD



#### Bronze Medal Champion KATTIB AL JANADRIYAH

KHALEEL DIRAB x FALHAA II B: CUSTODIAN OF TWO HOLY MOSQUES KING ABDULLA BIN ABDUL AZIZ AL SAUD-JANADRIYA FARM O: NAWAF TURKI MOHAMMAD AL SADYRI - ALMASSARA STUD













