



ROMA

"Caput Aegypti"



The First

**STRAIGHT EGYPTIAN
ARABIAN HORSE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP**

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Rome, historically known as 'Caput Mundi', hosted the first "STRAIGHT EGYPTIAN ARABIAN HORSE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP" - 2012. It was a great honour for Tutto Arabi to be present.

Rome finally made possible a venue that had been dreamed of for years, studied and created by the Italian "patron" Dr. Francesco Santoro. He, his wife and two other very important ladies from the world of Shows - Mme Christianne Chazel and Mme Dominique Briot - impeccably organized the venue that was held in the spectacular Hippodrome "Le Capannelle".

D.ssa Laura Mascagna did a remarkable job. Her hard work was extremely important for the success of the event. She took care of the secretarial work and of the wonderful prizes and was always ready to help with anything that was needed with charm and charisma.

The female categories took place on Friday 5th October; the male categories followed on Saturday. The Final Championship and the assignment of special trophies were held on Sunday. The comparison evaluation system was used, with preference for the winner. The Top Five rule was also applied making it possible for horses in second place in their categories to compete for first place in the Final Championship. This was greatly appreciated by everyone. This first edition had an exceptional team of Judges: Mr. Manfred Hain from Germany, Mr. Nashaat Hegazy, Mr. Nasr Marei and Mr. Ali Shaarawi from Egypt, Mr. Pierluigi Rota from Italy, Talal Al Meheri from Kuwait and Mr. Ferdinand Schweser from Switzerland, President of the "Pyramid Society" - the European Association of Egyptian thoroughbreds. Mike Ashmore from Great Britain was the Speaker. The music was by maestro Hassan Valsan, well known for his part in important shows like the World Cup in Paris, the Menton and Vichy shows, and many others. Mr. Cristian Moschini - assisted by Mr. Marco Frezza - was Ring Master.

Now that we have taken a look at the "technical" side of the show, I would like to describe the wonderful place that hosted the venue. The "Le Capannelle" Hippodrome is one of the most beautiful and one of the oldest hippodromes in Italy. The VIP area was next to the grandstands. 30 VIP tables were prepared and the excellent catering service made sure there was no lack of food or drink at all times. Behind the VIP area was a special area for breeders



and for the public. The show schedule was always respected. The categories started at 10 a.m. and finished at 4 p.m. There was a short lunch break in the restaurant in a lovely garden just behind the VIP area.

I would like to thank - also on behalf of the Organizers - the many sponsors for their presence, for registering so many beautiful horses and for believing in this significant show reserved for the Arabian Horse par excellence. This show was very important for Italy, but it was also an opportunity for SE horses and their valuable ancient and esteemed pedigrees to have an extra "space" totally dedicated to

them. Up to this year, competition between SEs only took place within the European Championship in Lanaken, Belgium, which is now no longer a World Cup.

The Rome World Cup completes the natural cycle of shows giving added importance to the European Championship in Lanaken and, of course, to SE Horses.

During the venue, Dr. Francesco Santoro organized an auction in favour of a very prestigious, old and important Stud in Egypt: the EL ZAHRAA STUD of Cairo. We are all aware of the tragedies that hit Egypt this year. A new sad chapter of history has been written. A civil war that is still not over is seriously damaging the population and all the public and private structures of the country. Thanks to the sale of artwork by the Italian artist Paola Marinangeli, Euro 16,800.00 was donated to the above mentioned Egyptian Stud.

I think that in the future this show will not only be an important competition, but also a great opportunity for people to meet up and, while observing the most beautiful SE horses in the world on show, develop new ideas and raise funds to help all those who are in need at the time and who aren't as lucky as we are. Then they will all return to their respective countries carrying in their hearts the memory of a unique event in the 'eternal city'.

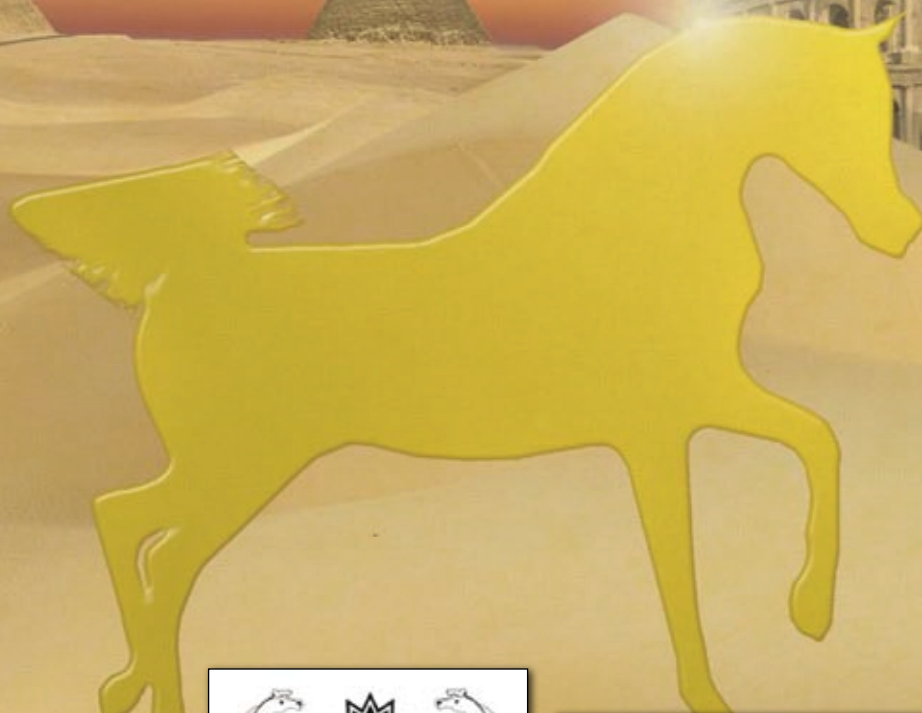
I will now let the images of two other important personalities - photographers Erwin Escher and Laure Munsch - "do the talking". Their beautiful images bring colour and prestige to our magazine.

If you wish to see the films that were shown in streaming by Arabian Essence and check the detailed results, you may look everything up on www.arabianessence.com or www.straightegyptianworldchampionship.com Enjoy and... see you again in Rome"!!! □



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FUTURITY FEMALE

Champion



Lei My Star

AL AYAL AA X MAGIC SORAYA - B&O: ARABIAN STARS

FUTURITY MALE

Champion Colts



Amir El Nile

AJMAL MAGHREB X ALISHA EL NILE - B&O: EL NILE EGYPTIAN STUD

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BEST IN SHOW

Male

F Shamaal

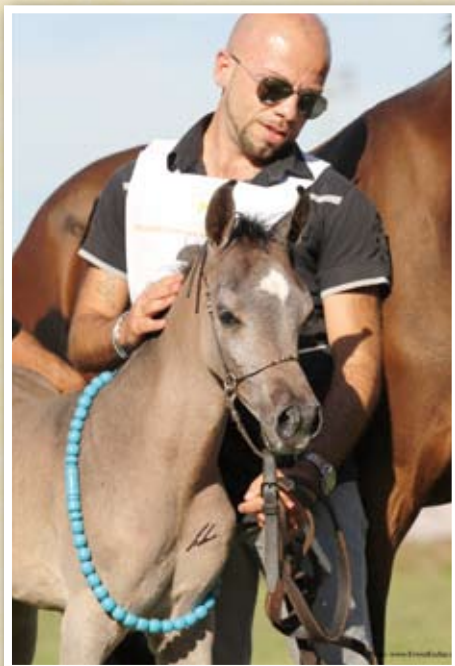
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BEST IN SHOW

Female

Nabeela Saqr

TALLHSMAN X ANSATA NAFISA
B&O: SHEIKH ABDULLA BIN KHALID
BIN HAMAD AL THANI - AL WAAB FARM



BEST HEAD *Female*

Lei My Star

AL AYAL AA X MAGIC SORAYA
B&O: ARABIAN STARS



BEST HEAD

Pse Atlanta

NADEER EL JAMAL X IMPERIAL BAREZZA
B: PRESTIGE BVBA
O: AZ. AGR. PEPPOLONI CRISTINA

BEST BREEDER AND OWNER IN THE SHOW

Prestive Bvba
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Ashhal Al Rayyan

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B: AL RAYYAN FARM

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