

Visiting
Dr. Hans Nagel
and
Katharinenhof Stud
with...

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Directly following the 2014 All Nations Cup in Aachen, Germany, I had the honor of being a guest of Dr. Han Nagel at his famous Katharinenhof Stud. Certainly, it was one of those life changing experiences that could forever influence the path of one's own breeding direction. Dr. Nagel is well known as one of the world's most important breeders. But he is also held in high es-

teem for what he has contributed to the Arabian horse world at large through his fierce advocacy of the horse itself, as he has taken on leadership roles in many of the world's most important positions.

A visit to Katharinenhof should be on every breeder's to-do list. In our current breeding world, there are very few opportunities to witness the kind of generational influence that is



present at his farm. Additionally, to hear Dr. Nagel explain in detail his goals as a breeder with each horse, while also offering objective critiques is a priceless education.

It was also quite touching to witness the strong love and pride he shares in his herd. Dr. Nagel truly loves his horses and expressed a strong bond with his mares, never referring to them as "broodmares," but rather "Mamas." He shared

that he particularly enjoys seeing his horses move at liberty—and, for me, it was an honor to experience this with him.

Image on opposite page: NK Nadeer (NK Hafid Jamil X NK Nadirah) 2005 stallion with handler Remigiusz Szewczyk

Image above: NK Hind (NK Jamal El Dine X Helala) 2004 mare





· NK Nizzam (NK Hafid Jamil X Nadirah) 2014 colt



NK Ninniffee (Jamal El Dine X NK Nariman) 2007 mare



NK Nerham (NK Jamal El Dine X NK Nabeelah) 2008 mare



NK Lateefa (NK Kamar El Dine X Muneera Al Ariba) 2012 filly



NK Lateef (NK Nadeer X NK Lubna) 2012 filly



NK Nizzam (NK Hafid Jamil X Nadirah) 2014 colt



NK Nadira (Adnan X Nashua) 2000 mare



NK Lina (NK Kamar El Dine X Muneera Al Ariba) 2010 mare



NK Ninnifée (Jamal El Dine X NK Nariman) 2007 mare



NK Lateef (NK Nadeer X NK
Lubna) 2012 filly



Liesa Tempelmann with NK
Horus (NK Hafid Jamil X NK
Hind) colt



Dr. Nagel's secretary Claudia Janssen and Dr. Nagel



Rafael Pluskota, Dr. Nagel and Remigiusz Szewczyk

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