

Nile Performance & Breeding Report 2010

International and national wins in various disciplines as in endurance, racing, and show competition were the highlights of our sport activities in 2010. Looking on our breeding activities there was sustainable success in Arabian horse breeding and we took our first breeding steps in English Thoroughbreds.

We would like to thank all our partners and friends for your confidence in our work during the past year and we hope to celebrate wonderful moments together with you next year.

Our performance review

NIL KAHZNAH - Endurance Highlight in Germany

With the overall win of the ARABIAN WORLD WIDE TROPHY, the 12 year old mare **NIL KAHZNAH** (Kubinec x Nil Nouza) cared for the most important success of our N-Line in the endurance sport. Owned by Ina Bader and ridden by Stefan Zöller, **NIL KAHZNAH**, who is a registered Premium mare in Germany, achieved the maximum of 1'220 approved kilometers within seven months. Already in 2009, she finished on 5th place in the AWW Trophy.

NIL ISHAN IBN AL SAKBE, 2006 (Al Sakbe x Nil Incipit) and NIL KARAZI, 2007 (Dormane x Kahloucha) were our two pure bred Arabian race horses. Both horses won and have been placed

Solid performance with international wins in racing of the two pure bred Arabians NIL ISHAN

horses. Both horses won and have been placed once. **NIL ISHAN IBN AL SAKBE**, owned by Patrick Glanzmann, won the EMIRATES AIRLINE STAKES, € 10'000, 1400m, which have been held during the Derby Meeting in Hamburg at July 11th 2010.



NIL ISHAN 2006 (Al Sakbe x Nil Incipit), 10 races from 3 to 4 years, 3 wins, 5 places, win sum CHF 19'350.--

NIL KARAZI graduated successfully the performance test of the Swiss Arab Breeding Society and is the eleventh horse of our breed which has won this title either in racing or in endurance. NIL KARAZI is another figurehead of our long lasting performance based breeding strategy and confirms our entitlement to a leading breeder of Arabian sport horses.



NIL KAHZNAH 1998 (Kubinec x Nil Nouza) with owner Ina Baader. Premium mare in Germany, Top Endurance Horse and halfsister of sire L.A. Nadeshnjj.





NIL KARAZI 2007 (Dormane x Kahloucha), winner as 3-year old, SZAP racing performance approved

Second place in the German Trainer Statistic of pure bred Arabian trainers 2010 for Franziska Aeschbacher



Franziska Aeschbacher – number 2 in Germany, professional race horse trainer, licensed show jumping rider, teaches and trains the Nile bred young stock as well as horses of our owners.

Professional trainer **Franziska Aeschbacher** finishes 2nd out of 29 trainers in the German trainer statistics. This second place is a nice result for us as Franziska Aeschbacher achieved it with only three starters, which means that the quota win and/or places is above average.

Inconclusive season with our Thoroughbreds

Our 6-year old **RANEB** convinced with the win of a Grand Prix in St. Moritz and a second place in Arosa. It was the third consecutive winter he was winning on snow!



RANEB, 2004 (Rainbows for Life x Radiace), 25 races, 3 wins, 13 places, Earnings CHF 32'494.-

Unfortunately, our hopes in the 3 year old filly Pride of Ireland (Sholokhov – Perima) were dashed because of breathing problems. The horse has been taken out of training.

Our breeding review

NIL NIKINIKEE – Best Horse of the Swiss National Stock Show 2010

With the wins of the titles "Best mare bred in Switzerland" and "Best in Show", the one year old QR Marc daughter out of **NIL NANA** was the highlight of the annual Swiss national stock show.



Yearling filly **NIL NIKINIKEE**, 2009 (QR Marc x Nil Nana), most successful show horse of Switzerland in 2010

A glance in her pedigree shows that her first four dams NIL NANA, NIL NOUZA, NIL NUBIA and NIL NAJADA have been champion mares themselves and have been top scored horses when presented on the show in their younger years. That is why we feel that the success of NIL NIKINIEE is not just by luck but a result of the breeding dominance of our N-Line. NIL NIKINIKEE is a daughter by first crop sire QR Marc. His impact on our N-Line hit the mark. With his first crop progeny he became worldwide renowned as a top class sire. The Polish "National Junior Female Bronze and Gold Champions" have



been won by the QR Marc daughters **PIACENZA** out of Primawera and **ZIGI ZANA** out of Zagrobla. **ZIGI ZANA** achieved at the European Championships the title of the "Junior Female Silver Champion". In the United States, The US National Champion Filly 2010 is the QR Marc daughter **MARCIENA** out of Siena Psyche.

KAHLOUCHA – First "Performance Premium mare" of Switzerland

The purely Tunisian bred KAHLOUCHA, 1998 (Zeidoun x Zannouche) got rewarded by the SZAP as Premium mare end of 2010. She is the first horse in Switzerland which achieved the "Premium title" only because of her own race performance and the performance of her progeny. KAHLOUCHA has five wins, included one Group III win and is the most successful race mare in Switzerland. She is mother of three foals, two in age of racing, KAHRMA and NIL KARAZI. Both of them passed the performance race test of the SZAP and NIL KARAZI won as a three year old when running his second race.



The SZAP Premium mare **KAHLOUCHA** 1998 (Zeidoun x Zannouche), top winning mare of Switzerland, Group winner and mother of successful race horses.

KAHLOUCHA is the seventh SZAP Premium mare of Nile Arabians and underlines in an impressive way the sustainability of our long term breeding program and the quality of our brood mares.

Nile Arabians wins the Breeder's Championship in Germany



Urs Aeschbacher *lic.oec.HSG*, *International* A-Judge of ECAHO, *licensed* showjumping and dressage rider, responsible for the breeding program of Nile Arabians

For the first time, the stud farm **Nile Arabians** takes the first place in the German pure bred Arabian breeder statistics in racing. In 2010 Nile Arabians dominated the second placed former Russian State Stud Tersk-Pyatigorsk and six French breeders. Behind the French breeders, stud farms from Germany, The Netherlands, United Arab Emirates and Sweden took the other places.

The win of the Breeder-Championship is a big success and satisfaction for us and demonstrates that also small breeders like Nile Arabians can compete on top level thanks to consequent selection and quality awareness.

DANSE DE NUIT – the first own bred thoroughbred foal



DANSE DE NUIT 2010 (Desert Prince x Nuit Crystalline), the first bred thoroughbred by Nile Arabians



Our first own bred thoroughbred is the filly **DANSE DE NUIT** by Desert Prince out of Nuit Crystalline. Her mother Nuit Crystalline has won 4 races and was one of the best sprint mares in Switzerland.



Thoroughbred horse **NUIT CRYSTALLINE** 2002 (Grape Tree Road x Nuit de Crystal), mother of Danse de Nuit and successful race horse, 22 races, 4 wins, 14 places, total earnings CHF 43'726.-

Her father Desert Prince out of the Danzig, son of the Sire of Sires Green Desert is successful sire with a total of 57 stakes wins achived by his progeny in Europe, Australia and Hong Kong. Desert Prince has brought up to now 12 group winners and 22 stakes winners. Himself, he has been a world class miler with 3 Group I wins over the mile.

The birth of DANSE DE NUIT means a new, important milestone in the 35-years old breeding history of Nile Arabians.

Franziska & Urs Aeschbacher Nile Arabians

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Sire NIL BEDOUIN

For endurance and race breeding or excellent riding horses

- Highest scored performance stallion at the Swiss stallion license (B/A/A/-)
- Racing test passed and Swiss Champion race horse 2003 2006
- 4 wins, placed on Group 2 and 3 level. Win sum ca. CHF 30'000.



born 1999 (Barour de Cardonne x Nil Tahani v. Versal)

2-years old son of Nil Bedouin NIL ASHAL



born 2008 (Nil Bedouin x Nil Abiat by Darike) in race training since Octobre 2010