



Invitation for entry

**OPEN EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS
for PUREBRED ARABIAN HORSES**

affiliation number 127-2019/ITA

European
CHAMPIONSHIP
2019

**26th and 27th October 2019
at**

**Società Sportiva Paradiso SSD
Via Ceolara 4, Caselle di Sommacampagna (Verona), ITALY**

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CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES 14th OCTOBER 2019

Judges Hamza, Ahmed (EGY)
Ismer, Mark (GER)
Neubacher, Manfred (AUT)
Rota, Pierluigi (ITA)
Schibler, Renata (SUI)
Stojanowska, Anna (POL)
Taha Al Hussein, Sufian (PLE)

Disciplinary Committee Brunsgaard, Line (DEN)
Mrs Keyser Christine (NOR)
Mascagna, Laura, Dr. vet. (ITA)
Teobaldelli, Gianpaolo, Dr. vet. (ITA)

Sampling vet Zappulla Francesco (ITA)

Ringmaster Hamad, Mohammad (EGY)
Ludi Ivo (ITA)

Speaker Blaak, Eric (NED)
Boschini, Mirjam (ITA)
Results Eva Simona (ITA)

Livestream www.arabianessence.tv

Vet. Service (USL)	Dr Trevisani Gianluigi +39 338 2163226 (costs are to be covered by the exhibitor)
Farrier	De Togni Giorgio +39 349 2219739 (costs are to be covered by the exhibitor)
Emergency	Medical service will be available throughout the show. Dr. Mora Marco - +39 348 7676404

EAHSC Rules	The European Championships for Arabian Horses are governed by the Rules for Conduct of Shows (2019 version) established by the European Arab Horse Show Commission. Blue Book 2019 is fully applicable.
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Conditions of Entry for halter classes	<p>Open to horses that are registered at birth in a WAHO recognised studbook of a European Country (as defined in Art. 3.2 of the Constitution of ECAHO), and</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • breeder and owner must be person(s) with European nationality • breeder and owner must be a company exclusively owned by person(s) with European nationality • breeder and owner must be a Stud farm exclusively owned by person(s) with European nationality • breeder and owner must be a Stud farm exclusively owned by a European government (state stud) • breeder does not need to be owner of the horse • no co-ownership is allowed with a person without European Nationality or a company or a studfarm that is owned by a person or entity without European Nationality • studbook registration of ownership must be at least 6 months before the date of the show
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Qualification for halter classes	<p>All horses except yearlings should have qualified at an ECAHO affiliated show in one of the following ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st to 5th place at an A or B or National Championship Show • 1st to 5th place in Yearling class at a Title or A Show • 1st to 3rd place at a C National or C International or European Show. • 1st to 2nd place at Specific Origin Shows <p>Horses that at any time are or were registered in countries which are not Members of ECAHO may also qualify at other shows accepted by the EAHSC, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a title of Champion or Reserve Champion or “TOP TEN” at the US Nationals
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- a title of Champion or Reserve Champion or a 1st place at the US Scottsdale Competition
- a title of Champion or Reserve Champion in US “Regional” competitions
- a title of Champion or Reserve Champion or 1st to 3rd place in an official National Championship show
- 1st to 3rd place at the US Las Vegas show

Yearlings do not need to qualify for these shows.

Only open halter classes will be considered.

Qualification and registration will be checked. National Registries will be responsible for confirming the registration.

Entries must present relevant registration certificate

Classes

1. Filly foals born in 2019
2. Colt foals born in 2019
3. Yearling Fillies (born in 2018)
4. 2 years old Fillies (born in 2017)
5. 3 years old Fillies (born in 2016)
6. Mares 4-6 years old (born in 2013 – 2015)
7. Mares 7-9 years old (born in 2010 – 2012)
8. Mares 10 years old and older (born in 2009 and before)
9. Geldings
10. Yearling Colts (born in 2018)
11. 2 years old Colts (born in 2017)
12. 3 years old Colts (born in 2016)
13. Stallions 4-6 years old (born in 2013 – 2015)
14. Stallions 7-9 years old (born in 2010 – 2012)
15. Stallions 10 years old and older (born in 2009 and before)

No class may be split unless there are more than 10 horses entered. Combination of a class with the next age group of the same sex is permitted if the number of entries for the class is below three.

In the event of the number of entries being over-subscribed, preference will be given on the basis of first come first served in respect of entry forms received.

In mare classes foals will NOT be allowed to accompany their mothers into the ring.

For the presentation of the class, the participants will enter the ring in numerical order as mentioned in the catalogue.

**Method of Judging
halter classes**

5 Topics - 20 points with half-points.
Each judge gives 1-20 points for the following criteria:
a) type, b) head & neck, c) body & topline, d) legs, e)
movement.

**Qualification system
for Championships**

The top 50 % of each class minus one, but not more than 5
horses qualify to the Championships
example: 5-6 starters → places 1 – 2 qualify
 7-8 starters → places 1 – 3 qualify
 9-10 starters → places 4 – 5 qualify
 11 and more starters → places 1 – 5 qualify

**Rules for Ties
in Classes**

In the event of a tie in the qualifying places of a class, the higher
place will be given to the horse with the most points for type. If
there is still a tie, the higher place will be given to the horse with
the most points for movement. Failing a decision on either of
these, one judge chosen by ballot will name his preference.

Championships

Yearling Female Championship (class 3)
Junior Female Championship (classes 4 and 5)
Senior Female Championship (classes 6, 7 and 8)
Yearling Male Championship (class 10)
Junior Male Championship (classes 11 and 12)
Senior Male Championship (classes 13, 14 and 15)

In case of enough entries, the show organize may open the
following Championships:
Foal Championship (classes 1 and 2)
Gelding Championship

Rules for Championships Open method

The Gold, Silver and Bronze medal winners will be selected from
amongst all the horses which have qualified in their respective
classes for each championship.

The number of horses qualified from each class will be officially
announced by the show organizer in the schedule and the show
catalogue.

1. The Championships will be judged as follows:
 - a. All the horses qualified for the championship will
enter the ring and line up according to the numerical
order of their catalogue numbers.
 - b. The horses will be judged individually, standing and
trotting.

- c. Each judge will nominate his choice for gold silver and bronze medals together at the same time, from amongst all the horses qualified for the championship.

Points will be given to the nominated horses as follows:

- A horse nominated by a judge for Gold Medal will receive 4 points.
- A horse nominated by a judge for Silver Medal will receive 2 points.
- A horse nominated by a judge for Bronze Medal will receive 1 point.

The Gold Medal will be awarded to the horse with the most votes for Gold Medal Champion. In case of an equal amount of vote for Gold Medal Champion, the Gold Medal will be awarded to the horse with the highest number of championships points.

From the remaining horses:

The Silver Medal will be awarded to the horse with the highest number of championship points.

The Bronze Medal will be awarded to the horse with the 2nd highest number of championship points.

In the case of a tie, the Rules for Ties in championships will be followed.

The judges will not discuss the horses.

2. A fourth horse will be selected, which will become the Bronze medal winner should one of the three medal winners be disqualified. If this exhibit is not apparent from the voting papers, the judges will be asked to nominate one. This horse will not be announced. In the event that two or more of the medal winners are disqualified, no further substitution will be made.
3. All horses that qualify for their respective Championships must take part in the Championship. Unless a certificate from the DC veterinarian is produced, failure to compete will disqualify the horse from the show, with its record of score and class placing being deleted and the horse being disqualified from showing for the period of one year as from the date of the show. In the event of a disqualification, horses placed behind the disqualified horse will move up a place in the class. Should a horse be sent out of the ring by the judges or taken out by the handler for any reason, it will be deemed to have taken part in the championship.
4. All horses that are awarded a medal in their respective Championships must take part in the Championship

prizegiving ceremony. Unless the DC decides otherwise in which case any representative of the horse may accept the medal without the horse being present, absence of the horse or any representative to appear in the prizegiving ceremony will disqualify the horse from the show with its record of score in the class and championship placing being deleted and the horse being disqualified from the showing for the period of one year from the date of the show. In the event of a disqualification, all horses placed behind the disqualified horse will move up one place in the Championship.

5. All horses that qualified for their respective Championship must remain at the showground until after their Championships.

Rules for ties

In the event of a tie in the championships, the higher place will be given to the horse with the highest total points in the qualifying classes. If there is still a tie, the rules for ties in qualifying places will be applied.

Foal classes

- a) Foals may not compete in EAHSC Championships, nor will they qualify for any future Title or A Show.
- b) EAHSC Rules will apply.
- c) Foals must have a minimum age of four weeks at the date of the show, and must be shown at foot (with the dam) up to 6 months of age. Orphaned or rejected foals under six months may not be shown.
- d) The use of metal halters and halters with metal chains is forbidden.
- e) A comparative judging system is recommended.

Foals - for identification purposes:

Foals under six months shown in foal classes with their own mother need no special documentation, but the mother must have all necessary documents.

Foals over six months shown without their dam, foals from Embryo Transplant or foals with foster mothers which are shown in foal classes and do not yet have a passport, must be micro-chipped and in possession of a copy of the official Stud Book Registration form, showing the micro-chip number and the graphic description of the foal.

Prizes and Rosettes

All horses competing will receive a rosette.
ANICA's trophies for 1-5 placed horses of each preliminary classes.
Gold, Silver and Bronze Champion will receive a trophy.

Prize money 1. - 5. placed horse in each halter class will receive 500 € each as donation from ECAHO Breeders' Fund (with exception of Gelding and Foal classes)

Gold Medal champions will be awarded by ANICA with 1000.00 € each.

REGULATIONS

Entries and closing dates The closing date of entries is **14th October 2019**. Late entries are not accepted. Entries and stable reservations must be made on the appropriate forms. For each horse separate entry form is needed.

Documents A photocopy of the vaccination certificate and the presently valid registration document and pedigree showing name of horse, sex, date of birth and graphic description as well as qualification must accompany the entry for each exhibit so that errors in the catalogue and allocation of horses to classes are avoided. Where the year only is given for date of birth, horses will be deemed to have been born on 1st January.

The entry form must be accompanied by a copy of the identification document of the person who signs it.

Applicable rules Blue Book 2019 is applicable in its entirety.

For all applicable rules please visit www.ecaho.org, Download section / Blue Book 2019

Conditions of Payment payment must arrive with horse entry form
- *all bank expenses are at exhibitors charge*
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Entry Fees	Entry fee per halter exhibit (1 box included in the entry fee)	€ 300,00 (VAT incl.)
	Service box	€ 250,00 (VAT incl.)

The above stabling charges cover up to 5 nights as detailed below.

Entry forms should be posted to the Show secretary
segreteria@anicahorse.org
 fax +39 (0) 521 800212

There will be no refund of entry fees, except when an entry has to be refused because the show is being over-subscribed.

Sponsoring class and championships	Winner horses will be awarded by special prizes. We would like to ask you to be the sponsor of an honorary prize on this occasion. * <i>Breeders logos have to be sent to ANICA high quality by email or USB key.</i>	
PLATINUM Sponsorship euro 15.000,00	2 VIP table sector A 4 laminated advertising pages inside catalogue 2 Championship sponsorship 2 classes sponsorship 2 banner on the megawall 1 logo on arabian essence livestream of the show 1 vip parking 1 logo inside catalogue on the sponsors page. 1 logo on the mega wall	
GOLD Sponsorship euro 10.000,00	2 VIP table sector A (1 first and 1 second row) 4 pages inside catalogue 1 Championship sponsorship 1 classes sponsorship 1 banner on the megawall 1 logo on arabian essence livestream of the show 1 vip parking 1 logo inside catalogue on the sponsors page. 1 logo on the mega wall	
SILVER Sponsorship euro 7.000,00	1 VIP table sector A 4 pages inside catalogue 1 Championship sponsorship 1 classes sponsorship 1 banner on the megawall 1 logo on arabian essence livestream of the show 1 vip parking 1 logo inside catalogue on the sponsors page. 1 logo on the mega wall	

BRONZE Sponsorship
euro 5.000,00

1 VIP table sector A
2 pages inside catalogue
2 classes sponsorship
1 banner on the megawall
1 logo on arabian essence livestream of the show
1 vip parking
1 logo inside catalogue on the sponsors page.
1 logo on the mega wall

GREEN Sponsorship
euro 3.000,00

1 VIP table sector A
1 page inside catalogue
1 class sponsorship
1 vip parking
1 logo inside catalogue on the sponsors page.
1 logo on the mega wall

RED Sponsorship
euro 1.500,00

1 horse BOX
1 extrashow presentation (2/3 minutes) of one horses
The horse hat must have the qualifications required as per the access at the European Championship
1 page inside catalogue

Advertising

Take the opportunity to put an advertisement into the show catalogue of this famous international show event. This is a great chance for you to present your high quality horses and your stud farm. High quality format to be sent before 14 of October to segreteria@anicahorse.org - (21 x 29,7 – format A4)

4th of Cover	€ 1.000,00
2nd or 3rd of Cover	€ 800,00
Inside colour page	€ 300,00

Advertising your Stud with your Stud-logo And or banner On the megawall

Take the opportunity to put your stud logo on the megawall **of the show arena**. High quality format to be sent before 14 of October to segreteria@anicahorse.org - (21 x 29,7 – format A4)

Stud logo	€ 200,00
Banner (Size about 3 meter x 1)	€ 800,00

Stabling

Stabling available 5 nights (arrival 23 October- departure 28 october)
Shavings will be supplied. Exhibitors are expected to bring their own forage. Hay and extra shavings will be available for purchase 10,00 € each

Arrival at the latest

Competitors must arrive at latest on **Friday 25th October before 18.00 hrs.** If delayed, please inform the show Office to make special arrangements for your late arrival.

Horses must be put into the boxes allocated to them.

ANY EXHIBITOR'S HORSE OCCUPYING STABLING NOT ALLOCATED TO IT, (THUS PREVENTING USE OF THE STABLE BY THE RIGHTFUL OCCUPIER), WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE FOR THE DURATION OF THE SHOW.

Please, **Indicate on the GENERAL ENTRY FORM** your eventual need for box allocation, we'll do all our best to accommodate you, anyway we can not guarantee it as we reserves the right to arrange the boxes according to service needs.

Doping Tests

Medication testing of all Champion Gold Medal winners is compulsory. Any horse may be tested at the discretion of the DC. All medication testing will be conducted according to EAHSC Rules for Medication Control.

Cruelty

Excessive whipping, excessive stimulation by noise, excessive circling of the horse, intimidation, use of electric shock devices and infliction of pain by any means are forbidden in all parts of the showground or stable areas, at all times.

Abusive shanking is not permitted.

The above actions will be sanctioned.

Handlers

Handlers must be in possession of a valid Handlers' permit. Handlers are expected to be smartly dressed.

Protests

Protests will be handled in accordance with EAHSC Rules for Disciplinary Committees.

Control of qualifications

Qualifications will be checked against the EAHSC list of results. Competitors may enter horses that they hope will qualify after the closing date of entries and before the date of show provided that:

- a. They make their entry and pay their entry fee and stabling charge (if any) before the closing date of entries.
- b. They supply proof of show result with which they qualified
- c. They understand that if the horse fails to qualify, it may not be exhibited, and no refund of entry fee or stabling charge will be made.

Vaccination against EI All horses must have received their equine influenza vaccinations in accordance to the regulations as described in the BLUE BOOK 2019, IV. Addendum.

Liability disclaimer The organisers shall not be liable for death, injury, disease or damage to any person, horse or property howsoever caused. It is, furthermore, an express condition of entry that each entrant shall indemnify the organisers against all actions, costs, claims, demands or liability whatsoever arising out of any action in which he or she may be concerned.

Dogs Dogs are welcome but they must be kept on a lead. Mandatory.

Charges for admission	Spectators	free
	Car parking	free
	Catalogue	free
	Parking space (with connection for energy) for caravan, truck or camper	€ 10,00 incl VAT

Changes The organisers have the right to cancel all arrangements at their discretion in the event of a force majeure.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL PARTICIPANTS!!!