

ATAA Newsletter

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2016 Rare Breeds Show and ATAA Conference, June 14th, 15th and 16th, Lexington, VA

June 14th, 15th and 16th was the Rare Breeds Show with the 15th as our Akhal-Teke Breed Day. We had 34 purebred Akhal-Tekes and 4 Akhal-Teke sporthorses compete. There were a few more registered, but they were scratched for one reason or another. We had, by far, the largest contingent of horses there; I think I saw that the Caspians had 7 horses there and the other breeds were only 1 to 4 or so (not totally sure at this point). We were so busy in the Reel Arena that we didn't get to see any of the other breeds competing, unless they were in the Jumper, Hunter, Historical Costume and Dressage classes, which all took place in the Reel Arena.

We had some wonderful volunteers come (THANK YOU, couldn't do it without you!). Here

are a few and I hope I don't miss anyone:

Caroline Dudkowski - she was our outstanding volunteer, being a huge part of planning, hotel search, awards, classes and everything else before the actual show. At the show, she was our Jump Crew (several of us helped her out, but she did the lion's share of setting up, taking down, etc.) AND she showed a horse and helped the Shenandoah Crew. I think she won a few of her classes too!

Betsy Wandler - Betsy was our announcer for all three days and was handling 2 different radios going 2 different places, making class announcements, giving warnings in the barn for upcoming classes, coordinating with our in-gate person and the judge. I think she might have a *continued on page 3*

Dressage at Devon!

The ATAA's next promotion is sponsoring a class at Dressage at Devon. Our Chairperson for this event is member Trisha Urban. Trisha writes:
So what is Dressage at Devon?



Dressage at Devon is the most prestigious dressage competition in the hemisphere. Held from September 27 -

October 2nd, and located in Devon, Pennsylvania, it is an international rated dressage show as well as the largest open breed show in the world. Recognized internationally as a rated dressage show, it was and has been one of the Olympic qualifying events for FEI dressage.

The show is broken down into two types of classes, the breed division and performance classes. In the breed division, horses are judged on movement conformation. More than

Thank you to all Rare Breeds Show Exhibitors, Volunteers and Spectators!

Our next promotion: Dressage at Devon!!!

Watch the ATAA website for more information.

[Akhal-Teke Association of America - ATAA News](#)

29 breeds are represented. Most classes are shown in hand at a walk and trot.

The performance classes ridden under saddle and are a dressage test. The highlight of the show is the Grand Prix musical freestyle class where horse and rider "dance" to music with incredible power and grace. Competitors are not only from across the country but across the world.

The Akhal-Teke will have its first ever own breed *continued on page 5*

Spotlight on Member Volunteers

We've had several wonderful volunteers lately and we would like to say thank you to them! We would like the ATAA to be a friendly and active organization and we run by volunteers! This issue we'd like to recognize:

Caroline Dudkowski, Illinois, did a fantastic job on the Rare Breeds Show She was not only a valued member of the Show committee, but she checked out the possible hotels for us, found and ordered awards for us, found a jump course designer, was the jump crew at the show and designed the Show survey! Caroline was our ATAA Volunteer Award winner and it was well deserved!

We had several other people that were huge helps for the Rare Breeds Show. This is the sort of effort that takes a lot of hours from a lot of people. I will try not to miss anyone;

- Tish Saare:** Judge Coordinator
- Betsy Wandler:** Announcer for all 3 days of the show.
- Donna Haselow:** In-Gate and warm up arena
- Cindy Economou:** In-Gate and Out-Gate
- Carol Sease:** Scribe for Jumpers/Hunters
- Andy Hastings:** Scribe for In-Hand and Dressage
- Jonathan Jones:** Ribbon Runner
- Jennifer Newman:** Out-Gate
- Jessica Drake:** Designed a Show Logo for us and found a T-shirt printer
- Katie and Ashley Pinney:** SANA Show Secretaries

A HUGE Thank you to our volunteers; it can't happen without you!

Of course, thanks go out to the Board of Directors and the rest of the Rare Breeds show committee for all your hard work and dedication over the years.

ATAA News

Silent Auction: Once again, we did a Silent Auction at the ATAA Conference. As this was at the Rare Breeds Show and finished during the Equus Survival Trust banquet, we hoped to get lots of bids. I did not take online bids this year, as I did last year. We made a lot of money, but it was a huge pain in the behind for me, shipping items back to my house and then shipping them to the lucky bidders. I just didn't have it in me with everything else going on (Rare Breeds Show). We had some VERY nice items donated, including several lovely Turkmen items (a necklace, 2 sets of earrings, a gold pin, 2 embroidered bags and a lovely woman's robe) from member Shirley Schulz, an original painting donated by Donna Haselow, along with some Turkmen earrings.



A signed copy of a new book by Michael Anders, which has a really great chapter on Akhal-Tekes.



A pillow and an ornament from The Painting Pony



An original Racecourse Painting, Donated by Eugene Bialek



A handmade crocheted square, Crafted and donated by fiber artist Tram Nguyen



And, a wool throw with a horse advertisement on it, donated by Jonathan Jones:



We ended up making \$420, even though not all items sold. Some will go up on the ATAA website and some might be used as prizes for upcoming events. Check it out at www.akhal-teke.org

New Members since April:
 Trisha Urban, Individual, PA
 Lori Raab, Friend, WA
 Erin Hafla, Friend, MT
 Jackie Hafla, Ind, MT
 Mary Fischer, Friend, CA
 Cindy Economou, Friend, FL

Rare Breeds Show Budget

ATAA BOD voted to add in \$6000 if necessary.

- Expenses:
- Venue: \$1750
- Judge (airfare, car, stipend) \$1954.57
- T-shirts: \$618.08
- Banners: \$142.37
- Ribbons: \$385
- Other Awards: \$1158.18
- Misc: (lunches, shipping, etc.) : \$466.74
- AGM Banquet: \$360.69
- Total = \$6835.63

- Income:
- Sponsorships and Donations: \$2856
- Entry Fees: \$2435
- Banquet Fees: \$450
- T-shirts: \$135
- Friends Membership: \$15
- Silent Auction: \$420
- Total= \$6311

Income – Expenses = \$6311 – \$6835.63 = \$(524.63)

There are still a few receipts outstanding, but those shouldn't amount to all that much.



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career possibility there! Betsy also helped with set up of the show office and the ATAA booth and kept me sane all week!



Betsy, hard at work!

Jennifer Newman - Jennifer was there Tuesday and was our Out-Gate person, letting exhibitors out of the arena.

Donna Haselow - Donna shared In-Gate duties, although I think she pretty much did it all on Wednesday and Thursday. She kept exhibitors coming into the arena smoothly and the warm up arena safe.

Carol Sease - Carol was our scribe on Tuesday and showed a horse and helped the Shenandoah crew the other two days.

Andy Hastings - Andy was the judge's scribe on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Cindy Economou- helped at the In-Gate and the Out-Gate.

Jonathan Jones - our ribbon runner, he kept the ribbons separated and brought the awards out to all the exhibitors.

Katie and Ashley Pinney, were the SANA show secretaries, but they also took pity on me and did a lot of our show tracking, figured out the AT Most Versatile Teke and Teke Sporthorse.

And the horses! Oh my! 38 of the most gorgeous horses in and out of the arena all three days! The exhibitors did a great job showing them, the horses looked fantastic and it seemed as if everyone had a pretty good time.

We had a few 'learning experiences' mostly at the beginning of the show, but our exhibitors were gracious enough to understand we aren't pros. I think things went fairly well, we have some ideas on how

to do things better for the next time (!) we do something like this.

Our Most Versatile Akhal-Teke was the stunning stallion Kurizma, from Shenandoah Farms in VA who was also the Rare Breeds Show Most Versatile Horse. Our Most Versatile AT Sporthorse was the lovely Arslana from Greystone Equestrian Center in IN.



Kurizma and Sabine Desper, Tom Crockett photo



Arslana and Eron Owens

Our Annual General Membership meeting had 33 people attend this year, see the Meeting Minutes in this newsletter and online.

The Silent Auction didn't have as much bidding as was hoped, even though we had some excellent items donated. It just wasn't in the best place for people to see it.

We did an 'Inspection Roundtable' on Thursday afternoon with Dr. Molly Nicodemus heading it and came up with some excellent insights. We will be working on some recommendations to be brought to the BOD and membership within the next few weeks.

All in all, it was a very good week, with lots of gorgeous horses, lovely people, hard work, good food and fun!

Minutes from the 2016 General Membership Meeting.

2016 ATAA General Membership Meeting, Virginia Horse Center, June 14th, 2016

Called to order at 7:04 pm
Roll Call: Secretary, Tish Saare, Director at Large: Cathy Leddy, Tish Saare, Jack Saare, Alyssa Saare, Betsy Wandler, Jonathan Jones, Ruth Heilgeist, Eron Owens, Hayden Owens, Kevin Wallin, Phil Case, Sabine Desper, Josh Robinett, Shirley Schulz, Cindy Economou, Jennifer Newman, Jacque Munn, Deb Bowker, Donna Haselow, Andy Hastings, Carol Sease, Beth Holigar, Molly Nicodemus, Chelsea Urman, Madeline Lucroy, Melanie Lucroy, Olwen Busch, Caroline Dudkowski, Emily Digny, Kiki Osborne, Wanda Demarshal, Carol Sease, Billy Pope
Reading of Unapproved Minutes of the previous General Membership Meeting: Cathy Leddy

MOTION: Betsy motions to approve minutes. Tish seconds. Approved.

Presentation of Officer and Committee Reports:

President's Report: Catrina Quantrell, read by Cathy Leddy: 'Thank you all for coming out for the Rare Breed Show to compete volunteer or just be a spectator and I am sorry that I was unable to join you all this year. It has been a great year with sponsorships events and member evolvment and I want to thank everyone that has stepped up and volunteered made suggestions and are going out shoe casing and/or competing their Akhal-Tekes.

I love opening Facebook and seeing all the posts in the different Akhal-Teke pages and seeing photos and videos of ATs competing in all different disciplines across the world. I personnel enjoyed the Polo photos from a few weeks back! I had never heard of anyone using Tekes in Polo before and it was really neat seeing them out there.

I hope everyone enjoys themselves at the Rare Breed Show and stays cool! I cannot wait to see photos and videos from the event.'

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Treasurer's Report: Amrita Ibold, read by Tish Saare:

Treasurers Report (1/16 - 6/16)

Current Balances:

Checking: \$3295

Savings: \$6313

CD: \$10,214.97

Total: \$19,822.97

Income Total: \$7459.25

Details:

ATAA Banquet: \$59.40

Class Entry: \$2329.50

Donations and Sponsorships: \$2597.96

DVD sales: \$12.00

Membership: \$2004.47

Junior: \$25.54

Ranch: \$875.78

Individual: \$771.42

Friend: \$331.73

Horse Registration: \$455.82

Transfer of Ownership: \$176.22

Horse Registration: \$289.60

Expenses Total: \$6619.05

Details:

Advertising: \$3370.55

Advertising: \$653.08

Awards: \$350

Conference Expense: \$954.57

Insurance: \$611

Printing and Mailing: \$406.78

Supplies: \$201.27

Web hosting: \$71.80

Balance: \$840.20

To Savings: \$500

Ending Balance: \$340.20

Registrar's Report: Amrita Ibold, read by Cathy Leddy: 15 completed registrations so far this year. Our biggest slow down issuing certificates is people not sending in all their things.

We have a pile of at least 20 pending, some of these horses are getting older....and still the paperwork isn't done. In some cases, this is a problem with their offspring wanting to register and having to wait for the parents to finish. Otherwise it is a smooth process for those who deliver everything at once.

Secretary's Report: Cathy Leddy. 2016 Membership

7 Lifetime members, 31 Individual Members, 12 Ranch members, 1 Family member, 3 10 year memberships (1 international), 21 Friends members, 0 Junior member, 3 international members 19 new members. Last year's membership was 67, this year 78 at this time. Very few 2015 members did not renew

36 went to 'Go Green' 54 get their Newsletter via email and wanted other mailings as paper.

78 members as of June 14th, 2016

Website Report: Amrita Ibold

Newsletter Report: Cathy Leddy, 2 newsletters done so far this year, would love more member submissions!

Awards Committee: Catrina Quantrell/Betsy Wandler: Read by Betsy: Winners received a \$50 gift certificate to Dover's. Discipline Awards will be given out later in the year after the show season.

Nominations for the Volunteer

Achievement Award:

***Caroline Dudkowski, Winner. Also nominated:** Keira Wickliffe Berger, Jessica Drake, Amrita Ibold, Eron Owens, Catrina Quantrell, Tish Saare, Marilyn Titschinger, Betsy Wandler

Nominations for the Publicity

Achievement Award:

***Tim Floyd, Winner. Also nominated:** Deb Bowker, Terri Fender, Amanda Humphreys, Amrita Ibold, Cathy Leddy, Tish Saare, Gretta Teets

Nominations for Golden Achievement

Award:

***Jas Shearer-McMahon, Winner. Also nominated:** Shirley Schultz

Nominations for Leadership

Achievement Award:

***Cathy Leddy, Winner. Also nominated:** Amrita Ibold

Incentive Awards: Betsy Wandler and Catrina Quantrell. Read by Betsy: For the Incentive Program: We have a much larger pool of money this year with \$1000 to give away to participants. Have not seen any entries yet this year but still plenty of time. Quick reminders please send information of horse rider recognized show placing (if in the ribbons) and 2 photos to Catrina at godscavalry@gmail.com to be entered in the pool for the incentive program. Horse must be registered and rider or owner a member in good standing. If you have not signed a release for the ATAA to use your photos, please let Catrina or Cathy know and they will send a release out to you.

Thank you and best of luck in the show season.

Promotions Committee: Tish Saare: Western State Horse Expo just done, Tish is starting an animated website called TekeTales.com

Rare Breeds Show was a success!

Lots of work, but also many thanks from lots of people.

Dressage at Devon is our next promotion, we will look into sponsoring classes at other large shows/venues.

Farm Reports: Cathy Leddy, Jonathan Jones, Shirley Schulz, Jacque Munn, Eron Owens, Tish Saare, Jennifer Newman, Deb Bowker, Donna Haselow, Andy Hastings, Betsy Wandler, Phil Case, Sabine Desper

Silent Auction: Cathy Leddy: Didn't do as well as hoped, as it was far away from the exhibitors and spectators. There were some really nice items donated. We made \$420, Thank you to all donors and bidders! Thank you's will be going out soon.

Old Business:

Survey: Brief talk about how we've used the survey to guide our BOD actions

Incentive Fund: Overview of last year's very popular Incentive Fund by Betsy Wandler

New Business:

2016 Rare Breeds Show: It did very well, with 43 horses signed up (5 scratched) and excellent volunteers and exhibitors. We will do a 'Best Practices' retrospect for it for the next time!

2016 Dressage at Devon: Trisha Urban is chairing it, have at least 6 horses coming for the class.

2017 Annual Conference: Maybe at the 2017 DAD? Will look into hotels, etc.

Grading/Inspection: We will have an Inspection Roundtable led by Dr. Molly Nicodemus on Thursday afternoon. Everyone is welcome to come and participate.

Betsy asks: Is anyone interested in her doing another ATAA Yearbook, like she did in 2012-2013?

Motion: Betsy motions to adjourn at 8:41 pm. Carol Sease seconds. Approved.

Thank you to all Rare Breed Show exhibitors, volunteers, sponsors and spectators!



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division at Dressage at Devon. The class will be shown in hand. All ATAA registered Akhal-Teke horses will be eligible to show in this class- from yearling to stallion. The prestigious nature of the show can be very intimidating but all you need to show in the class is a white polo shirt, khaki pants, and running shoes.



Young horses can be show in a halter with mare by their sides, older horses are shown in just a bridle. If you are not comfortable showing your horse in hand or not able to keep up with your horse's trot, you can hire a handler to show your horse for you.

I STRONGLY encourage people to show at this show - not only is it a true honor to step foot with your horse at this show grounds but is an incredible opportunity for the Akhal-Teke breed to be promoted and recognized across the WORLD ... to bring back the breed's fame from the days of the Olympic dressage...Akhal-Teke *Absent. Be a part of history!*

Questions

How much does it cost to show at Dressage at Devon?

Entry fees for the breed classes were \$45 last year. There was an additional charge of \$30 for non-USDF members and \$16 for USDF members. Stabling fees are \$50 per day with additional charge for shavings if needed.

How do I show my horse in hand? Here is a great video about showing in hand by Michael Bragdell. He is the head trainer of Hilltop Farm, Inc. Michael has handled hundreds of horses at breed shows around the country and has won numerous Championships. I had the pleasure of meeting Michael and training with him during a handling clinic - very down to earth person encourages each person and horse, regardless of breed, to be their best.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yZkG8o6PgnA>

I can't braid, does my horse need to be braided? There are professional braiders that can be hired for about \$75 per mane. Given the breed standard of having a roached mane, I do not think that it would be inappropriate if only showing in the Akhal-Teke class.

I live pretty far away, how would I get my horse to Devon? I highly recommend using the website movemyhorse.com to get a quote from competing horse haulers without expensive commissions of Uship.

When are entrees due? Typically Opening date of the show is the end of July and closing date is September 1st. 2016 dates have not been posted yet.

Want to know more! Go to dressageatdevon.org for more information or email Trisha Urban at urbanhideawayfarm@netzero.com



Giles & Katrina Ardiel
info@akhalvalleyfarms.com



'Voices on the Wind', is the story of a young colt and his journeys across space and time; visiting strange lands, clashing on dangerous battle fields, and entertaining at the courts of kings' There is a great chapter on the Akhal-Teke! Written by Michael C. Anders.

<https://www.amazon.com/Voices-on-the-Wind-Michael-C-Anders>

<http://www.barnesandnoble.com/w/voices-on-the-wind-michael-c-anders>

BOD meeting May 26, 2016

Call to order, 8:00 pm, Conference call

Roll call: Tish Saare, Catrina Quantrell, Jas Shearer-McMahon, Betsy Wandler, Amrita Ibold, Pat Johnson, Cathy Leddy

Reading of last year's minutes and approval.

Motion: Betsy motions to approve, Amrita seconds, Approved.

Old business:

How to retain members -Membership is rising, most old members did renew. Quite a few new ones. Facebook, emails to membership are excellent. Annual Report has been very popular. Awards are great, Molly is interested in helping with grading, set up something at the conference maybe Thursday evening, have her tell us what to do. Use old grading info and give it to her. AT movement is very important. Email frameworks to Tish using old info and what other breeds do. Continue to look at survey to tell us what our members would like.

Lifetime members, how to see if they still want to receive information from us; send letter to people we haven't heard from in years with SASE asking them to please send back 'email only' or paper, so we don't waste our time.

New members; bring zip drive to RBS, special deal for RBS? Discussion.

Motion: Jas motions Friends members electronic only membership if signed up during RBS \$15 Second: Tish and Betsy Approved.

Rare Breeds Show Report-Silent Auction/on Facebook/Website? Cathy will try to get items up, no promises. At this point, most items are paid for and we're about \$1000 in the red, but post entries could make that up. Well under our budgeted \$6000 needed from the ATAA.

Raffle for early renewals/membership? Getting people to renew early, keep it up.

New Business:

Logowear – Smartpak \$150 for digitizing /Dovers no cost in Dover, vs Cafepress vs us- us running it. Cathy will look into different On Demand store fronts and report to BOD.

Motion: Tish motions to put logo at Dovers (free) and items on website through Cafepress. Second: Pat seconds. Approved.

Agenda for General Membership Meeting; Agenda looks good.

Awards – should we do outside awards? What sorts? Discussion: Must be a member to get awards.

Motion: Betsy motions, the ATAA will not offer outside awards to non registered Tekes or nonmembers. Second: Catrina approved.

Strategic Plan – Pat, wants to put it together. Will put together an outline.

Grading/breed standard discussion; ask Molly if she'll help us with it. Jas and Cathy have old stuff, Tish has a slideshow on conformation, etc.

Pat suggests: Ask Molly about assembling a team to grading and how to support it. Thursday night at the RBS?

Geldi, Jas says she might be able to see if he could come, Klimuk would be great, Ask Molly if someone like that would be good. Building on

successes. Possibly looking at other people, such as Clara de Vos, Katarina Jacob.

Need to come up with a vision for Molly to follow, old stuff, new stuff.

Jas and Cathy can spearhead this and everyone can pitch in. Have at least suggestions by RBS.

Motion: Tish motions to adjourn at 8:38, Jas seconds adjourned.

Finding Delphi: UPDATE

We posted this on social media (Facebook) and Delphi's original owner contacted Gail! Delphi turns out to be a Teke sporthorse that was never registered. This is one reason to register ALL your horses!! We were lucky with Delphi, another rescue who is a Teke sporthorse that wasn't registered hasn't found his parentage yet.



Greystone Equestrian Center proudly offers for sale:



Gyzyl Godiva – 2015 filly by Gidasp out of Russian Trakehner mare, \$7500



Aldura – 2014 purebred filly, Gidasp x Altamir, \$40,000 negotiable to the right home

Greystone Equestrian Center, Lebanon, Indiana www.irus-stables.com
Greystone.eowens@gmail.com or 574-360-5953

2016 Western States Horse Exposition – Sacramento, CA

Pleasant Grove Akhal-Tekes and Deb Bowker represented the Akhal-Teke Association of America (ATAA) at the 2016 Western States Horse Exposition in Sacramento on June 10 - 12. We showed seven pure bred Akhal-Tekes at the Expo – a great showing. Most folks had never seen an Akhal-Teke in person before and to be able to show them seven horses at once was a lot of fun. Horses in attendance from Pleasant Grove Akhal-Tekes included three-year-old stallion, Kevlin, four-year-old mare, Kooski, and three-year-old filly, Ivy. Deb Bowkers mares Pri and Alajoz and yearling filly Kismet were also in attendance. Laura Reich brought her two-year-old gelding Aydin Kaan as well. With the exception of Kooski, who attended the Expo as a yearling, none of the horses had ever been to a large show or exposition before. They all did amazing!

The crowds were great and the interest in the Akhal-Tekes was very high. Even when our breed demonstration was at an odd time – say, fifteen minutes after the shopping portion of the Expo closed and during the time when everyone was jockeying to get a good seat for the Pat Parelli demonstration – we still had the bleachers full to watch the Akhal-Teke demo. The interest at the barn and the breed walk was great too. Instead of the majority of folks saying ‘Akhal what?’, we were getting a lot of ‘Oh – I have heard about this horse but have never seen one!’ or ‘Yes, I came specifically to the barns to see this breed.’ There was definitely an increased interest and breed awareness from when we attended the Expo with the horses three years ago.



Alajoz ridden by Brandi Esteves and Pri ridden by Abby Riley
With the assistance of trainer Brandi Esteves, and riders Abby Riley and Laura Reich (who all did a great job and really are wonderful), we showed Pri and Alajoz under saddle during the breed demonstration. The first day they were a little nervous, but by the second day they were acting like old pros. They were side passing, turning on the haunches, doing gorgeous collected canters and extended trots. They really showed the audience what great minds Akhal-Tekes have and of course they looked stunning in the process. All of the horses just glowed under the California sunshine.



3-year-old stallion Kevlin and Tish Saare

The rest of the horses were shown in hand – a four-year-old, two three year olds, a two-year-old, and a yearling. We walked and trotted the youngsters around the arena demonstrating the smooth Akhal-Teke gaits and the willing and solid Akhal-Teke minds. Even three-year-old stallion, Kevlin, moved smoothly around the arena with very little stallion attitude and showed the crowd how well behaved he could be. We had a lot of help with handling the youngsters. Handlers included Katie Surrent, Amanda Brunson, Amy Dumas, Holly Zech, Abby Riley, Deb Bowker, and myself. Jack Saare did a great job helping out behind the scenes, shuttling horses, helping with the booth, and of course wrangling a toddler while mommy was in the arena showing or chatting with people about the breed. A huge thanks to everyone that helped out – we could not have done it without each and every one of you!

We also had a booth inside one of the main exhibition halls. We set up a nice display and handed out information on the Akhal-Teke. We had the most recent HorseFlicks video playing on a loop and the large Akhal-Teke banner hung high behind the table. This was one of two-year-old Alyssa Saare's favorite things to do at the Expo – talk to people about her pretty horses. It turns out that having a two-year-old handle the booth is a great marketing ploy.



People stopped to chat with the cute kid and ended up learning about a breed they have never heard of before. It really was quite entertaining to watch.

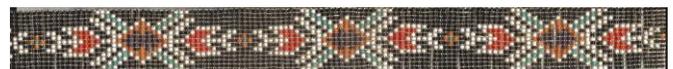
The Event was great for breed publicity. We even made it in the Sacramento newspaper! There was a photo of Deb and me giving yearling filly Kismet a bath, with a

short caption about the Akhal-Teke in the Sacramento Bee on June 11th:

<http://www.sacbee.com/entertainment/living/pets/article83272237.html> (our photo is number 2 of 6 in the online version). We also had photographer Susan Arnot video and take photos of the horses during the Saturday breed demo. A few of her photos are included. I will put more up on the Pleasant Grove Akhal-Tekes website: www.pleasantgroveakhaltek.com and I will put up a YouTube link for the video as soon as it is available.

The Akhal-Teke breed demo at the Western States Horse Expo was a great success. We were able to introduce hundreds of people to the breed and were able to demonstrate what great and steady horses they are. I would like to encourage anyone that has an Expo or large promotional show in their area to consider attending and showing off your Tekes. Feel free to contact me on information about promotional materials, ideas for funding your demo, or any other questions you may have.

Tish Saare
ATAA Promotions Chair



2016 Rare Breeds Festivale Results

Akhal-Teke Day at the Rare Breeds Show June 14th, 15th and 16th, Lexington, VA at the Virginia Horse Center

Judges: Dr. Molly Nicodemus, Akhal-Tekes, Jumping, Hunters and Obstacles. **Mrs. Tracey Smith-Oliver, Dressage. Mr. Ben Pittman, Best Unshod foot ATAA Show Coordinator: Cathy Leddy, Awards/Jump Crew; Carol Dudkowski, Announcer: Betsy Wandler, Judge Coordinator: Tish Saare, In-Gate: Cindy Economou and Donna Haselow, Out-Gate: Jennifer Newman and Cindy Economou**
Scribes: Carol Sease and Andy Hastings. Ribbon Runner: Jonathan Jones
Overall Event Coordinator: Victoria Tollman, Assistant Coordinator: Nancy Phillips. SANA Show Secretary: Katie Pinney

Junior In-Hand Champion: Kunitra, Shenandoah Farms, VA.

Reserve: Andana, Shenandoah Farms, VA

Best NA Bred 3 years and older: Anikit, Shenandoah Farms, VA

In-Hand Championship 3 years and older: Anikit, Shenandoah Farms, VA.

Reserve: Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, VA

Top Dressage Scores: Up to 1st Level: Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, VA.

2nd Level and Above: Adamek, Shenandoah Farms, VA

AT Sporthorse: Arslana, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN.

Most Versatile Akhal-Teke: Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, VA

Most Versatile Akhal-Teke Sporthorse: Arslana, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN

Overall Show Most Versatile Horse: Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, VA

Rare Breeds Show Results Tuesday, June 14th, 2016

Judge: Dr. Molly Nicodemus, Mississippi

Over Fences: Horse Open Jumper (up to 8 Fences)

Class #108 - 1'6 to 1'9" OPEN FENCES

1. #157 Suleyka (Akhal-Teke) owned by Shenandoah Farm
2. #169 Gahar (Akhal-Teke) owned & ridden by Eron Owens/Greystone Equestrian Center.

Class #109 - 2' to 2'3" OPEN FENCES

1. #158 Kurizma (Akhal-Teke) owned by Shenandoah Farm
2. #108 Harwich Attila (Lippitt Morgan) owned by Michelle Scott
3. #157 Suleyka (Akhal-Teke) owned by Shenandoah Farm

Class #110 - 2'6" OPEN FENCES (2'6" spread)

1. #104 Gulki (Akhal-Teke) owned by Madeline Lucroy
2. #158 Kurizma (Akhal-Teke) owned by Shenandoah Farm
3. #108 Harwich Attila (Lippitt Morgan) owned by Michelle Scott
4. #P160 Arslana (Teke Sporthorse) owned & ridden by Eron Owens Class

#111 - 2'9" OPEN FENCES (2'9" to 3' spread)

1. #159 Adamek (Akhal-Teke) owned by Shenandoah Farm
2. #104 Gulki (Akhal-Teke) owned by Madeline Lucroy

Class #112 - 3'3" OPEN FENCES (3'3 to 3'6 spread)

1. #159 Adamek (Akhal-Teke) owned by Shenandoah Farm

AKHAL-TEKE AND AKHAL-TEKE SPORTHORSE CLASSES, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15TH

Judge: Dr. Molly Nicodemus, Mississippi

COSTUME CLASSES

#136, 137, 138: Best Rider/Handler Costume, Best Horse Costume, Best Rider/Handler:

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#105 JBK Gulkusi, owned and handled by Jacque Munn, NC, Best Rider/Handler costume- embroidered garment bag
#161 Gidasp, owned and ridden by Eron Owens, IN Best Horse Costume- embroidered garment bag

1. #157 Suleyka, owned by Phil Case, Handled by Sabine Desper, VA Best Overall Costume- embroidered garment bag
2. #161 Gidasp, owned and ridden by Eron Owens, IN 2nd place Overall Costume
3. #105, JBK Gulkusi, owned and handled by Jacque Munn, NC 3rd place Overall Costume
4. #104, Gulki, owned and ridden by Madeline Lucroy, IN 4th Place Overall Costume
5. #106 Galadrielle, owned by Jacque Munn, handled by Cathy Leddy WA 5th place Overall Costume

Akhal-Teke: In-Hand

#139 Get of Sire: SPONSORED BY GREYSTONE EQUESTRIAN CENTER, LEBANON, IN

1. #155 Agades Group, Shenandoah Farms, VA, Kurizma, Anikit, Andana, Anduma
2. #177 Anikit Group, Shenandoah Farms, VA, Gilinia, Zarana, Kunitra

3. #167 Gidasp Group, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN, Aldura, Gyzyl Godiva
4. #109 Goklen Group, Greystone Equestrian Center IN, Gulki, Arslana, Gahar, Goshen
5. #114 Gindarkh 13 Group, Central Asian Equines, VA, Delguli, Kermanshah Sierra, Samovar, Adamek
6. Mergen Group, Central Asian Equines, VA, Mydama, Mylakat, Kiergen

#140 Produce of dam: SPONSORED BY ALICE CHAPMAN, MONROE, WA

1. Agniya Group, Shenandoah Farms, VA, Surgan, Adamek, Anikit
2. Guana-Kosteka Group, Central Asian Equines, VA, Mylakat, Sidana, Gulkana
3. JBK Gulkusi Group, Oasis Akhal-Tekes, NC, JBK Gulkusi, Galadrielle
4. Altamir Group, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN Gulki, Aldura, Gahar

1st and 2nd in each class below qualifies for Akhal-Teke Junior Champion

#141 Akhal-Teke Weanlings and Mares w/foals of 2016: Cancelled

#142, 143, 144 Akhal-Teke Yearlings and 2-year-old Fillies and Colts: Extra prize for winner SPONSORED BY SAXON HORSE ENTERPRISES LTD, BC, CANADA, GRETTE TEETS, CONROE TX, AND PLEASANT GROVE AKHAL-TEKES, PLEASANT GROVE, CA

1. #175, Kumitra, Shenandoah Farms, VA
2. #176, Andana, Shenandoah Farms, VA
3. #177, Zarana, Shenandoah Farms, VA
4. #167, Aldura, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN

#145 Akhal-Teke Junior In-Hand Championship (2 years and under): SPONSORED BY CANDEO LLC, BUCKINGHAM, VA

Champion: #175, Kumitra, Shenandoah Farms, VA
Reserve: #176, Andana, Shenandoah Farms. VA

#146 Akhal-Teke Sporthorse fillies and colts/geldings under 3 years: SPONSORED BY OLWEN AND PETER BUSCH, JACKSONVILLE, FL

1. #168 Gyzyl Godiva, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN
2. #178, Gilina, Sabine Desper, VA

#147: Akhal-Teke Sporthorse mares and geldings, 3 years and up: SPONSORED IN HONOR OF ALLEGRA STECK AND GINDARKH 13

1. #180, Kyra Nerys, Liz Morgan, VA
2. #160, Arslana, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN
3. #116, Kermanshah Jalil, Central Asian Equines, VA
4. #119, Kermanshah Sierra, Central Asian Equines, VA

Thank you to all our wonderful exhibitors, volunteers, sponsors and spectators!

**1st and 2nd in these classes qualify for Akhal-Teke In-Hand Championship 1-10 place, cooler and plaque to winner*

#148 Akhal-Teke Best North American bred over 3 years (conceived and born in N. America)*: SPONSORED BY CASCADE GOLD AKHAL-TEKES, SNOHOMISH, WA

1. #155, Anikit, Shenandoah Farms, VA
2. #158, Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, VA
3. #154, Khan, Shenandoah Farms, VA
4. #159, Adamek, Shenandoah Farms, VA
5. #153, Anduma, Shenandoah Farms, VA
6. #109, Goshen, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN and Cascade Gold Akhal-Tekes, WA
7. #114, Samovar, Central Asian Equines, VA
8. #104, Gulki, Madeline Lucroy, IN
9. #152, Saruhan, Shenandoah Farms, VA
10. #106, Galadrielle, Oasis Akhal-Tekes, NC
- #169, Gahar, Greystone Equestrian Center, #105, JBK Gulkusi, Oasis Akhal-Tekes, #181, Gulkana, Olwen Busch, #157, Suleyka, Shenandoah Farms, #173 Kiergen, Shenandoah Farms, #174, Surgan, Shenandoah Farms, #182, Sidana, Central Asian Equines, #183, Dushka, Central Asian Equines, #113, Delguli, Central Asian Equines

#149 Akhal-Teke Geldings and Stallions 3 years and up *: 1-6 place SPONSORED BY CHRIS CHENERY AND THE CADFAEL GROUP, VA

1. #155, Anikit, Shenandoah Farms, VA
2. #158, Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, VA
3. #154, Khan, Shenandoah Farms, VA
4. #159, Adamek, Shenandoah Farms, VA
5. #153, Anduma, Shenandoah Farms, VA
6. #109, Goshen, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN and Cascade Gold Akhal-Tekes, WA
- #169, Gahar, Greystone Equestrian Center, #189 Mylakat, Central Asian Equines, #152, Saruhan, Shenandoah Farms, #114, Samovar, Central Asian Equines, #104 Gulki, Madeline Lucroy, #173 Kiergen Shenandoah Farms.

#150 Akhal-Teke Mares 3 years and up*: 1-6 place SPONSORED BY CHRIS CHENERY AND THE CADFAEL GROUP, VA

1. #106, Galadrielle, Oasis Akhal-Tekes, NC
2. #179, Inarra Sera, Melissa Altman, NC
3. #123, Merdana, Shenandoah Farms, VA
4. #182, Sidana, Central Asian Equines, VA
5. #181, Gulkana, Olwen Busch, FL
6. #113, Delguli, Central Asian Equines, VA
- #105, JBK Gulkusi, Oasis Akhal-Tekes, #118, Mydama, Central Asian Equines, #124, Thaya, Shenandoah Farms, #157, Suleyka, Shenandoah Farms, #117, Guana-Kosteka, Central Asian Equines

#151 Akhal-Teke In-hand Championship- sponsored by EST, but an AT sponsor may add to the prize: **SPONSORED BY CENTRAL ASIAN EQUINES, LEXINGTON, VA**

1. #155 Anikit, Shenandoah Farms, VA
2. #158, Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, VA
3. #106, Galadrielle, Oasis Akhal-Tekes, NC
4. #179, Inarra Sera, Melissa Altman, VA

Akhal-Teke: Ridden

#152: Ridden Sporthorse Mares and Geldings 4 years and up: **SPONSORED BY PARRIS CROOKS, PINEVILLE, WY**

1. #160, Arslana, Greystone Equestrian Center, IN
2. #116, Kermanshah Jalil, Central Asian Equines, VA
3. #119, Kermanshah Sierra, Central Asian Equines, VA

**1st and 2nd in these classes qualify for Akhal-Teke Ridden Championship*

#153 Akhal-Teke Ridden Stallions and Geldings, 4 years and up*: **SPONSORED BY SCOTT SEARS, SCOTLAND, CT**

1. #158, Kurizma, Shenandoah Farm, VA
 2. #159, Adamek, Shenandoah Farms, VA
 3. #152 Saruhan, Shenandoah Farms, VA
 4. #104, Gulki, Madeline Lucroy, IN
- #154, Khan, Shenandoah Farms, #173 Kiergen, Shenandoah Farms

#154: Akhal-Teke Ridden Mares, 4 years and up*: **SPONSORED BY GODSCAVALRY RANCH, JEREMY AND CATRINA QUANTRELL, CENTERVILLE, WA**

1. #157, Suleyka, Shenandoah Farms, VA
 2. #123, Merdana, Shenandoah Farms, VA
 3. #181, Gulkana, Olwen Busch, FL
 4. #113, Delguli, Central Asian Equines, VA
- #105, JBK Gulkusi, Oasis Akhal-Tekes, #124, Thaya, Shenandoah Farms

#155 Akhal-Teke Ridden Championship- sponsored by EST, but an AT sponsor may add to the prize.: Leather lead **SPONSORED BY SILVER HILL AKHAL-TEKES, BILLINGS, MT**

1. #158, Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, VA
2. #159, Adamek, Shenandoah Farms, VA
3. #157, Suleyka, Shenandoah Farms, VA
4. #123, Merdana Shenandoah Farms, VA

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Thursday, June 16th Dressage

Judge: Mrs. Tracey Smith-Oliver

Dressage Placings (by Levels and scores, not tests):

Intro Level

#124, Thaya, owned by Shenandoah Farms, ridden by Carol Sease. Intro B, 68.75

#118, Mydama, owned by Central Asian Equines, ridden by Allegra Steck. Intro B, 66.25

#107, Harwich Blue Ride (Lippitt Morgan), Lynne Michelle, Scott, Intro A, 62.5

#113, Delguli, Central Asian Equines/Allegra Steck, Intro B, 60.9

#124, Thaya, Shenandoah Farms, ridden by Carol Sease, Intro C, 60.75

Training

#158, Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, TR Test #2, 73.46

#158, Kurizma, Shenandoah Farms, TR Test #3, 72.2

#123, Merdana, Shenandoah Farms, TR Test #2, 60.7

#162, Lapado Julo Kalumet (Canadienne), Christiane Ferland, Tr Test #1, 60.4

#123, Merdana, Shenandoah Farms, TR Test #1, 58.25

First Level

#159, Adamek, Shenandoah Farms, 1st Test #3, 73

#104, Gulki, Madeline Lucroy, 1st Test #2, 63.1

#160, Arslana, Greystone Equestrian Center, 1st Test #3, 62.6

#108, Harwich Attila (Lippitt Morgan), Lynne Michelle Scott, 1st Test #2, 58.75

#108, Harwich Attila, Lynne Michelle Scott, 1st test #1, 58.1

2nd Level

#159, Adamek, Shenandoah Farms, 2nd Test #1, 68.63

#159, Adamek, Shenandoah Farms, 2nd Test #2, 66.53

Open Obstacles: Judge, Dr. Molly Nicodemus

Class #241 Open Obstacles In Hand

1. #105 JBK Gulkusi, Jacque Munn
2. #171 Garrighyll Harry Brown, Steven Waddell, Fell Pony
3. #157, Suleyka, Shenandoah Farms, AT
4. #172, Garrighyll Payden, Bruce Ebnnet, Fell Pony
5. #163, Kristull Obsidian, Anne Lawrence, Caspian
6. #140, Gewels, Carissa Holinaty, Newfoundland Pony

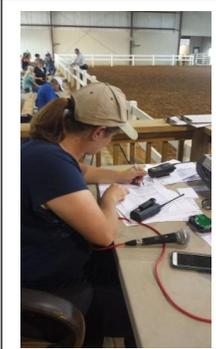
Class #242, Open Obstacles Ridden or Ground Driven, Horse and Pony

1. #162, Lapada Julo Kalumet, Christiane Ferland, Canadian Horse
2. #131, Scaffelpike Back in Black, Brandy Murry, Fell Pony
3. #140, Gewels, Carissa Holinaty, Newfoundland Pony
4. #121, Roandale Gay Lad, Meg Robbins, Dales Pony
5. #171, Garrighyll Harry Brown, Steven Waddell, Fell Pony

Rare Breeds Show Montage



Some of the Awards from the RBS and the volunteer T-shirts



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RBS Judges conferring



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Member Competition Results!



Arion (El Lameh Amir < Arabian > x MV Kiyasa < AT >) Fort Howes Endurance Ride, Ashland Montana Completed LD (25 miles)
Owned by Natalie Schneider, Ridden by Betsv Wandler



Amanda Humphreys and AT sporthorse Resilience at the Foxcatcher 50 on April 9th, 19th place



Amanda Humphreys and AT Sporthorse Resilience at the Old Dominion No Frills 55 on April 22nd, 11th place.



Amber Erickson reports that she and her Teke Sporthorse mare, Ophelia Kkan did a 25 mile CTR at Kettles and Bits ride on May 7th. We got 3rd place HW, she did awesome. June 13th, First place and High point at the ApDRA 25-mile competitive trail ride this weekend! It was super-hot and humid, almost 90 degrees.



Laura Spear and AT Sporthorse Diesel: June 4th: Inavale One Day Horse Trial Beginner Novice- 7th



Laura Spear and Diesel June 24-26th Inavale Recognized 6th place
Photo by Irina Kuzmina

From Tim Floyd: "Kuli" is taking a year off from Endurance to improve his Dressage skills. Here renowned trainer and USDF Gold Medalist, German Schneider, is schooling him on the basics. Kuli hopes to compete in multiple disciplines. Of his current Dressage training, Kuli said, "I really love the freedom and open trail of Endurance, and I love kicking Arab butt. There's nothing like it. But I am also enjoying the challenge of Dressage."

German rode Kuli at the end of last year and has started again this year. "If this horse had thumbs he could cure cancer," he said of Kuli's intellect. "He's super smart and super athletic." And of Kuli's attitude, German said, "The word 'no' isn't in his vocabulary"



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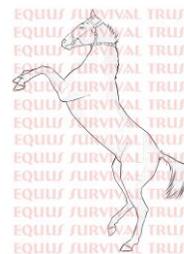


MV Mele-Chus is his first foal, a lovely perlino colt, correct conformation and good size. He is sold

For more information about breeding to Merdan or about our other Akhal-Tekes, contact: Jas Shearer-McMahon 2935 W County Road 82 E, Livermore, CO 80536 970-493-1773 endurintekes@gmail.com

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ATAA Awards given out at the Equus Survival Trust banquet, Wednesday, June 15th, 2016

Guidelines and Rules:

The awards outlined below are for **ATAA members only**. *Exception: see Junior Achievement*

The President or Vice-President may be asked to step in for a tie-breaker (or another committee member not personally involved in that particular award if it involves president or vice-president)

All awards will be chosen based on nominations from ATAA members (please send a paragraph or two explaining why the individual person and/or horse should be chosen for that award).

An individualized award will be given out to achievement award recipients (1 recipient per category)

Achievement Awards:

Nominations for the Volunteer Achievement Award: A member that donates their time by helping out in any way to promote the breed and/or the registry.

***Caroline Dudkowski, Winner. Also nominated:** Keira Wickliffe Berger, Jessica Drake, Amrita Ibold, Eron Owens, Catrina Quantrell, Tish Saare, Marilyn Titschinger, Betsy Wandler

Nominations for the Publicity Achievement Award: Any registered horse or member who brings the breed and/or registry into the public eye (example: magazine article, newspaper, television, etc.).

***Tim Floyd, Winner. Also nominated:** Deb Bowker, Terri Fender, Amanda Humphreys, Amrita Ibold, Cathy Leddy, Tish Saare, Greta Teets

Nominations for Golden Achievement Award: A member >60 years old that has actively promoted, volunteered, or somehow contributed to furthering the breed or registry.

***Jas Shearer-McMahon, Winner. Also nominated:** Shirley Schultz

Nominations for Leadership Achievement Award: A member in the registry that shows great skills in leadership, ambition, promotion, and teamwork amongst fellow members.

***Cathy Leddy, Winner. Also nominated:** Amrita Ibold

*****The discipline section of the ATAA awards will be given out the beginning of October (after the show season!), further information will be posted on the website and in the next newsletter. Nominations for the discipline awards will be due by September 10th at midnight.*****

Incentive Awards Program 2016

The incentive program will only be available for people competing in recognized events (we have been discussing this and look forward to comments from our members in regard to schooling and or open shows) If you have comments, please send them to Catrina, email address below.

To participate:

- 1) Must be a member in good standing with the ATAA
- 2) Horse competing must be registered with the ATAA either as a pure or part bred.
- 3) Send in 2 or more pictures from the event (must be 375kb or bigger) (if you placed please send a picture with your ribbon and/or prize)
- 4) Sign a release that the ATAA may post photos and results to our website and use photos in promotions for the ATAA
- 5) Email the link to the results page for the event

At the end of the year the ATAA will send you a check, so the more you compete the larger your share of the "jackpot" will be. The amount you receive will be divided out of the set amount in the awards fund and therefore will depend on how many people participate in the incentive program. The incentive program does not depend on you placing or earning points, it is completely about competing in recognized events in all disciplines and sending in the above listed information to the association.

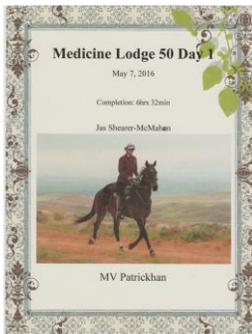
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More Competition Results!

June 19 at 2:08pm - Sherwood, OR , Devonwood-
Susan Presson & Sensational Scooby in the Training
Division. Placing: 1st / Score: 33.8



Aspen Farms HT, Susan Presson and Sensational
Scooby, AT Sporthorse



Jas Shearer-
McMahon and MV
Patrickhan, Medicine
Lodge, May 7th,
Hyattsville, Wyoming
50 miles, 5th place



Jas Shearer-
McMahon and MV
Patrickhan,
Shamrock Ride,
July 1, 55 miles
finished middle of
pack because I am
not fit yet!



Jas Shearer-
McMahon and
MV Patrickhan,
Shamrock Ride,
July 2, 30 miles,
finished 9th and
had a great ride!

Teke Tales- New Website by Tish Saare

Over the past few years I have been trying to come up with an idea to engage children's interest in the Akhal-Teke. So, in an effort to expand awareness of the Akhal-Teke to the upcoming generations, I have put together a kid's website called Teke Tales. I have taken five of our horses and turned them into cartoon characters. Children can follow the stories of each of the horses online. The website will include brief weekly updates (always with a fictional twist of course) on what the horses have been doing and monthly short stories starring the horses. The stories mix real Akhal-Teke horse photos with characters and lesson-based stories. The stories are targeted for about the four year to nine-year-old age range. If the site is successful, I may add information for older children and teenagers...but, one step at a time!



There will be a small subscription fee for access to the updates and the stories because I need to pay the cartoonist for their monthly illustrations, but, the subscription fee is less than what you would buy a kids book for in the store and you will get much more than a story. I will also post free educational material on the site. This will be general horse information, Akhal-Teke information geared toward kids, coloring pages you can print, and maybe even reading comprehension questions for those parents that are really looking for an educational experience for their child.

So, take a fun fictional trot with your favorite horse breed and check out Teke Tales at www.teketales.com Right now the website is in demo mode because there isn't much on the site yet (and I haven't figured out how to link the subscription link to the payment info – yes, this will definitely be a learning experience for me!). Even once the subscription portal is functioning, only the stories and updates will require a subscription. The educational material will always be free. Please feel free to check out the site and share the information with anyone that you know that has kids. They don't need to be Teke enthusiasts.... they just need to have kids that like cartoons (have you met one yet that doesn't?). The idea is to expose children and parents to the breed and to create an interest in the breed from a young age. The kids of today will be the stewards of the Akhal-Teke tomorrow!

Classified Ads

AWARDS

Make sure you and your horses are eligible for awards this year! Check out the ATAA website under awards <http://www.akhal-teke.org/awards-programs.html> Discipline Awards will be presented after the show season in September/October and USEA and AERC Incentive awards to be presented at their yearly conferences.

Horses For Sale

For Sale: Magaryf (Maruk X Fergan) 2008 Purebred Buckskin Stallion. Has been started under saddle. Galadrielle (Miril X JBK Gulkusi), 2012 Purebred Buckskin Filly; Miss Nike, 2011 Bay AT X Arab cross filly; Ra'isa, 2012 Bay AT X Arab filly. All Ak Sakal line. Details on DreamHorse or Equispot.com. Website: www.oasisakhal-tekes.com. Email: jacquemunn@aol.com.

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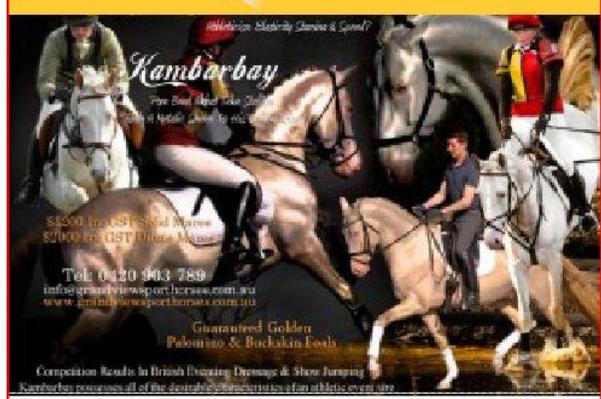


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