



بطولة أبوظبي الدولية لجمال الخيل العربية
Abu Dhabi International Arabian Horse Championship

Abu Dhabi International Arabian Horse Championship 2024 (ECAHO Tittle Show)

Show Program

Day 1, 22nd February 2024 at 02:00pm

1	1A Fillies (1 Year Section A)
2	1B Fillies (1 Year Section B)
3	1C Fillies (1 Year Section C)
4	2A Fillies (2 Years Section A)
5	2B Fillies (2 Years Section B)
6	3 Fillies (3 Years)

Day 2, 23rd February 2024 at 02:00pm

7	4A Mares (4 - 6 years Section A)
8	4B Mares (4 - 6 years Section B)
9	4C Mares (4 - 6 years Section C)
10	5A Mares (7 Years and Above Section A)
11	5B Mares (7 Years and Above Section B)
12	6A Colts (1 Year Section A)

Day 3, 24th February 2024 at 02:00pm

13	6B Colts (1 Year Section B)
14	7A Colts (2 Years Section A)
15	7B Colts (2 Years Section B)
16	8 Colts (3 Years)
17	9A Stallions (4 - 6 Years Section A)
18	9B Stallions (4 - 6 Years Section B)

Day 4, 25th February 2024 at 02:00pm

19	9C Stallions (4 - 6 Years Section C)
20	10A Stallions (7 Years and Above Section A)
21	10B Stallions (7 Years and Above Section B)

Championships

1. Yearling Fillies Championship
2. Fillies Championship
3. Mares Championship
4. Yearling Colts Championship
5. Colts Championship
6. Stallions Championship

SHOW RULES

The show will be governed by the rules for conduct of shows established by the ECAHO.
ECAHO Affiliation 017-2024/UAE

Entry Conditions and Qualifications:

All Arabian horses registered in WAHO approved studbook by closing date of entries.

All horses including yearlings should have qualification at any ECAHO affiliated shows in one of the following ways from 01/01/2022:

- 1st to 5th place at World Championship or Title Shows
- 1st to 3rd place at A International Shows or B International Shows
- 1st to 3rd place at National Championships
- 1st to 2nd place at B National Shows, C National Shows, C International Shows, European Shows or Specific Origin Shows

Horses registered in countries which are not Members of ECAHO must either qualify in an ECAHO affiliated show or may qualify at other shows accepted by the EAHSC, such as:

- a title of Champion or Reserve Champion or "TOP FIVE" at the US Nationals
- 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 World Cup show

The organizing committee reserves the right to limit the total number of entries per show.

Medication Control:

Doping test of all Gold Medal champions is compulsory and all entered horses will be subject to doping test according to ECAHO rules at the discretion of the DC.

Judging system

Horses will be judged by judges with 5 Topics system with the half point

Marks from 1 to 20 for type

Marks from 1 to 20 for head and neck

Marks from 1 to 20 for body

Marks from 1 to 20 for legs

Marks from 1 to 20 for movement

The highest mark as well as the lowest mark of each category will be eliminated.

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Rules for Ties and Championships

Rules for Ties in Qualifying Places

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. If the highest and lowest points are eliminated, only the remaining points for type and movement are considered in the tie break. Failing a decision on either of these, one judge chosen by ballot will name his preference.

Rules for ties in Championships

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 the highest and lowest points are eliminated, only the remaining points for total, type and movement are considered in the tie break. If there is still a tie, the rules for ties in qualifying places will be applied.

Championship Procedures (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 is 1st to 3rd places.

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.

During the prizegiving ceremony, the horse may only be on the lead of the designated handler or substitute deemed capable at the discretion of the ringmaster/DC.

5. In Title and A shows all horses that qualified for their respective Championship must remain at the showground until after their championships.