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2007 ASAV Annual Meeting at the Rolex 3 Day Event



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

WHY SHOULD YOU BECOME A MEMBER OF ASAV?

On April 26th and 27th, ASAV held its annual meeting in Kentucky in conjunction with Rolex, held at the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington. At that time the National Membership meeting and afterward a board meeting was also held within the confines of the library of the Saddlebred Horse museum.

These were chilly days in Kentucky with a storm front having passed through. All met at the score board near the dressage arena. Lunch was entertained under the big tent. Board members and guests viewed some of the dressage events and shopped. Saturday, Daunna Sellers and her daughter Elisha Morehead were volunteers, jump judging and Michelle Detmer was a volunteer communicator at the Hammock an easy straight forward jump, 3 1/2 ft high and 6 1/2 ft wide. Other ASAV members, Kathy Papp and Karla Kerekes were working in traffic control.

Darlene Stevens also showed her Shagyas in the local Blue Grass Arabian Horse Show on Sunday. They took first prize in several categories.

I would like to remind Shagya owners, that the ASAV national endurance ride will be held at the Bryce Canyon XP on September 2nd. Michael Elias is the contact person. It is the second to last day of the five day ride, sanctioned by the American Endurance Ride Convention (AERC). The trophy will go to the winner, who will keep it for a year, and beautiful ribbons to the other competing horse and rider partnerships. The trophy base will be engraved with the owner and rider's name and horse. Next year, The National Shagya Distance Challenge will be switched to an east coast endurance event. The owner of the Shagya horse needs to be an ASAV member, and the horse has to be registered with the ASAV to compete. The rider does not need to belong to the organization.

JOIN the American Shagya Arabian Verband which has:

- * A legal 501(C-5) corporation
- * An open democratic organization
- * An organization that is aligned with ISG
- * An organization that plans for the future of the Shagya in the USA
- * Horses imported or transferred into the ASAV registry do not need to be reinspected if they were previously inspected by an ISG licensed judge.
- * The Establishment of the Anglo-Shagya Registry (the only place worldwide where this cross can be registered. Ramzes was an Anglo-Shagya. They are great horses.
- * A Youth Scholarship fund
- * Non-exclusiveness. You do not have to be a member to receive awards for performance (AERC) or (USDF), or to advertise in the newsletter or to have your opinions heard.
- * Annual meetings where clinics are presented, fellowship enjoyed and business attended to. THE 2007 meeting was in the Lexington area at the time of the Rolex. Can't get any better than this for equine entertainment.
- * A Progressive web site where you can download what ever you need to be a member or to register your horses.
- * A Computerized registry with four different books
- * An awards program for ASAV registered and nominated horses
- * The Voting Membership is only \$35.00 per year.

WIN THIS FOR 2007

Bryce Canyon XP selected for 2007 National Shagya Distance Challenge



All Shagya horses west of the Mississippi are invited to attend or any Shagya owner willing to travel. The day of the five day ride will be September 2, 2007. This ride is designed with very little trail repeat from one central ride camp. It is a favorite of western endurance riders. It will be a 50 mile endurance ride. Bryce Canyon is in Utah.

All Shagya horses competing for the cup must be registered with the ASAV and the owner must be a member of ASAV. The rider does not have to be a member of the ASAV.

Geldings can be transferred from any other ISG organization for \$5, Mares and Stallions \$10.

This is a perpetual trophy and the winner gets to keep it for one year. When the year is up the winner will get an engraved plate to put on their wall. The first winner of this trophy is Elisha Morehead riding SA Eclipse bred by Sun Arab

Stables and owned by Sarah Williams. Winning a red ribbon at this ride was SA Skat ridden by Daunna Sellers bred by Sun Arab Stables and leased by Kathy Papp.

GAZIN'S STORY

In our previous issue a beautiful horse was pictured with a caption that the story would follow in the next issue of the ASAV Newsletter. Here is Gazin's story told by his loving owner, Michaela DeCesare

My Mom bought Gazin as a yearling for me. For years I had been fascinated by the beauty and the friendliness of the Arabian horse. Gazin's Sire, Monrad ox, was the first Arabian horse in the state of Bavaria in Germany being registered for trakehner breeding. That cross was very successful.

Gazin's Dam, Gharifa, was imported from Babolna where she did lots of parades, which are very popular in Hungaria before becoming a broodmare and moving over to Germany.

Gazin competed in dressage shows in Germany and has won several ribbons. We also did some fox hunting (actually in

Germany no real fox is being chased), lots of fairs, parades and long distance riding.

In Summer 1999 I married my husband Mark from Kingston NY, and moved to the United States. Gazin flew "First Class" on a Lufthansa Cargo plane sharing his container stall with two mares.

Arriving at his new home he was greeted by a beautiful purebred white Arabian mare, Lady Hawk;

(Dam Taras Nazeera Sire Saffire). He instantly fell in Love with her.

Since then they have produced several foals that all inherited their fathers extremely good nature.

Last Year he amazed us again by babysitting his 11 week old daughter Nikita for about two months when her mother needed Colic surgery. He even shared his stall with her.

His other duties now include giving rides to our two little boys, two and four year old, and all their little friends around the farm. as well as still showing at events likes Horse Shows in the Sun(HITS) in Saugerties, NY for the "horse of the world" class.

He is now 21 Years old enjoying his semiretired life sharing stall and pasture with his beloved mare Lady Hawk.



MINUTES FOR THE FEB 18, 2007 ASAV BOD MEETING

Called to order by Killian Dill at 7 pm EST on 2-18-07
in attendance: Valerie Bullock, Killian Dill, Daunna Sellers,
Donna Coss, Darlene Stephens, and Elisha Morehead.
9-17-06 motion to approve minutes made by Sellers, seconded
by Donna Coss

Treasurer's Report:

Bill from UK for 2005, \$27.

Darlene needs to move checking account out of Cheryl's name to
Sellers and Stephens

Bullock makes motion to have Darlene sign and Sellers to be the
co-signer. Both have to sign. Morehead seconded. Unanimous
pass.

\$78 to Darlene who paid Hodges for ribbons

\$20 mis. Office fees.

\$72 for AERC paid for plaques.

\$172.63 covered a mouse for the lap top, and new embosser,
new printer, ink, seals,

\$15 postage, etc.

totaling \$352.63 outgoing

Deposited \$230 registrations. \$20 to be deposited for
nominations for Renaissance's nomination in awards program.

Membership report: Suggestion that breeders contact
everyone that have bought horses to try to get them to join.

Promotions: Coss sent out promotions as email news releases
for Anglo Shagya and has 20 more ready to go out but found out
that the best way to have the article published is to put on a CD
with history of Shagya and then photos of various horses. Sent
to all arab publications via email and will follow up with a hard
copy as well.

Arabian Breeders Network. Donna just got that will follow up.

Discussion regarding ASAV DVD and possibly printing and
selling box stationary with Donna's photos, as possible money
maker/promotions.

Valerie took logo to embroidery person she will digitize it at no
cost and make a saddle patch which we can sell for \$10 – can
designate any size, different prices for different sizes. Put on
website offer.

Awards: AERC Awards to be given are 6 plaques: High point
shagya to Piatti, High mileage shagya to SA T-Jat – 540 miles
recognized by AERC high mileage. Four other horses are
nominated to the ASAV hundred mile society Janos, Garcon,

Piatti and SW Omega.

ASAV awards in house announced at national meeting.

News Letter committee: Sellers waiting on pictures for 100
mile society and president's reports. Winter/Spring issue: feature
national meeting held at the end of April - offer advertising for
any horse, shows, etc. -

Old business: Breeding committee report – need to name a third
person besides Daunna and Darlene adding Killian. Breeding
committee to discuss inspection of two year olds – Ghandi
approval for part bred breeding and inspection of Seredy.
Discussion of membership drive.

New business: NASS merger news. They are plugging on,
probably slower than wanted to for filing. Maybe March by the
time they file for the new corporation. ISG got back and said
they didn't like the SHR name to be changed to: North
American Shagya – Arabe Registry. Everything is moving along
and they still want to talk merger.

National meeting – discussion regarding general membership
meeting and then a national convention later in the year.

General membership meeting for Rolex at Saddlebred office at
the KY Horsepark.

Coss suggested finding a registrar in KY for both NASS and
ASAV.

Coss is talking with IMBA and they are going to vote in
November quite a lengthy article put in newsletter that Donna
gave them. Several questions on forum. Donna will follow up.
Seems to be in favor of it. Some don't want to cross with
Shagyas because then they can't show in half Arab classes. But
this is only one breeder. There is a Regional show in Jefferson
WI. Coss may take a stallion up there to show in liberty class.
Anyone else is invited. Third week in August. Open show.

New business: The south Director to take Cheryl Hatcher's
place will be Elisha Morehead. Darlene makes motion, Sellers
seconds. Passed.

Michael Elias is contact for Bryce Canyon 9-2-07 National
Distance Challenge. 50 miles. "The Duck Ride" Karen Clayton
is the ride manager. Michele Detmer made up three posters.
Kilian will take with him to put at the Shagya booth and one to
Bryce Canyon booth. Michelle also designed small cards to pick
up with website information etc. Lori Baker invited Shagya
breeders to come with her at her booth.

Darlene makes motion to adjourn – Coss seconds. Meeting
adjourned 8:17 p.m.

AWARDS & PROMOTION REPORT

Promotion report to the ASAV Membership.
Committee members are Donna Coss and Daunna Sellers.

These 2006 awards were made at the AERC conference in Reno this year.

Marty Power and SA Te Jat won the ASAV high mileage award and also was 4th in the AERC National Limited Distance mileage awards.

Becky McCartney and Piatti won the ASAV high point award.

We added a new category to award our Shagya horses and riders as this year there were four horse and rider teams that did the famed 100 miles in one day ride. The HMSS is the Hundred Mile Shagya Society that had only one member, Fayette de Cameo before 2006. ASAV inducted Becky McCartney and Piatti+/, Stephanie Fine and Janos, Karen Bish and SW Omega, and Potato Richardson and SMR Garcon.

Our ASAV in house awards for Distance riding go to Marty Power and Te Jat for high point and high mileage with 540 miles. Reserve goes to Patti Betts and Renaissance.

And of course the 2006 National Shagya Distance Challenge was won in June at the Top of the Rock Ride in Clark State Forest by SA Eclipse ridden by Elisha Morehead. Lunch for all riders was cooked and served by Darlene Steven. The ride for 2007 will be at Bryce Canyon, Utah, at the XP Ride on September 2, 2007.

The ASAV 2006, Just do It, Halter Championship went to Darlene Steven and Surnay . Reserve went to Zima who is also owned by Darlene Steven.

Donna Coss did a great job of sending out press releases to hard copy and on line magazines announcing the ASAV Anglo-Shagya Registry. We had the article printed in "Apples and Oats" a slick quarterly magazine published in the Midwest.

Donna also has stayed with the Morarab Societies and gotten it one step closer to getting them to approve the use of our Shagya Arabian stallions in their breeding programs.

Respectively submitted,

Daunna M. Sellers

REGISTRY REPORT

As of April 2007:

We have 40 pure bred Shagya horses registered and three pending waiting for DNA.

We have 44 appendix Shagya horses registered.

We have 9 Sportlo horses registered.

We have 9 Anglo-Shagya horses registered.

The certificate's back was redesigned so that the seller gets the fee from the buyer and sends the certificate to the registry. That way the horses papers will be transferred when a horse is sold.

A form was also designed to go along with all certificates to explain the letter symbols used on the certificate.

The laptop computer donated to the registry by Kathy Papp was unable to handle the Heavy Horse program and all data had to be reentered on Daunna Sellers personal computer. All seems to be in working order now. Not sure how many horses were registered in 2006 as we had a huge backlog of certificates to enter and send out and most of them went out early January 2007.

The ASAV office has a back up copy of the registry files as of January 2007.

The following printout of the files as of April 2007 will accompany this report for the ASAV office files. They are also available to any member that request them.

A copy of these files as of January 2007 was sent to the NASS president, Kathy Voyer.

ASAV PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 2007

Starting balance April 2007 \$1435.60

Awards 200.00

Newsletter 200.00

Web site/promotions 300.00

Registry 150.00

Office/postage 150.00

Put into savings 300.00

Misc. 135.00

BALANCE 000.00

Submitted by: Darlene Steven April 26, 2007

Amount in account as of January 2007 \$938.42

BRAHMA'S CTR



The ride was great. Weather both days was pleasant. Brahma was excellent. It was a tough technical trail due to miles of sand washes (some of it quite deep) & rocky trails. In spite of the challenging trail & his 1st competition, Brahma's metabolics were on the money and he finished sound and relaxed. Today he was bright eyed and cantering around the pasture. It was his first over night camping experience. No worries there. Being the curious social butterfly that he is, he was in his element at ride camp. I placed 4th in Horsemanship with him in the Competitive Pleasure division, a most pleasant surprise. His willingness to please, good mind, & work ethic made him a joy to be with all weekend. He was a good representative of the Shagya breed. Our next CTR is the second week of April at the First of Spring Ride in beautiful Warner Springs, Ca. The ride is on the Pacific Crest Trail. Looking forward to it.

2007 BABY PICTURES



Unnamed colt
(Bayram x Clarian)
Bred by Shula Greatwater
Clarian is a foundation Quarter Horse Mare.



Renoir
(KS Rubin x Miss Styx)
bred by Kathy Voyer out of her Polish Arabian mare.

FARM NEWS

SUN ARABS

Good News and Bad News

Boy is it dry here in Kentucky! Hay crop is down so every ounce of energy is going into filling the hay loft where ever I can find it. Lots of equipment failures but there should not be any more tires left to blow or any more new motors quitting while running the hay elevator. At least it isn't humid....

Good news is that Bayram has a red dun son who is about two weeks old. (there is a picture elsewhere in the newsletter). And a group of horsewomen dedicated to learning to ride better are meeting at least once a month here in my arena. Darlene Steven is working to help make us become better horsewomen. Had to feed her coffee at the last secession. Read the Steven's Shagyas farm news to find out why.

STEVEN'S SHAGYAS

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Darlene is waiting for two mares to foal. Bint Ghasala who is notorius for being late-going over a month now—and Misty who likes to be on time but is following her friends leade and is a couple of weeks overdue. Darlene spends each night in her car parked near the mares stalls waking up everytime they groan, lie down, get up etc. Breeders if you have ever gone through this you understand. No wonder we had to feed her coffee.

LILLY CREEK RIDGE

I am waiting to find out IF my farm is sold—have a buyer for the 63 acres, which would allow me to stay in my home and keep 12.5 acres.

I did not breed for 2007, but decided to do some test breeding with LILY CREEK BATAAN, my BAHADUR son, who is looking very promising. He is chestnut in color, so can throw most colors. Will have bred mares for sale!

Two yearlings are going to new homes, DAMOOTS, was purchased by Kelly Kennedy as a gift for her husband, who wanted his own "Shagya"! Kelly had LILY CREEK DAKOTA, and she states, everyone who sees him is very complimentary.

LILY CREEK MYSTIQUE, is our very elegant, long legged filly by *DANTE and dam is TK mare. Katalin Schmidt, of Maple Park, Il. Katalin and her mother came to look at my property with friends, and fell in love with MYSTIQUE. Her family is from Hungary.



LILY CREEK SABLE, a 4 yr old Anglo Shagya gelding is in training with Theresa McManus in Marshall, VA. Theresa has never worked with any Shagya bred horse before, but he has impressed her immensely. He is for sale.



I also have for sale a very nice 3 yr. old filly sired by LILY CREEK STETSON, who is already 16.1. She seems perfect for eventing.

LILY CREEK TIARRA



CLASSIFIEDS

Free Classified ads for members (3 per issue)

\$5.00 Classifieds, non-members

\$10.00 Business Card Ad

\$15.00 Half Page

\$25.00 Full Page

Horses listed are from Sun Arab Stables
shagyaarabs@wmconnect.com,
859 485-4403,
web: www.shagya-arabs.com

SA Bellshazzar, 11/1997 gray appendix registered gelding. Beautiful gaits and carriage. Going undersaddle. No time to finish this guy. \$4,500

SA Just Jake, 8/2005 gray Anglo-Shagya colt, third horse of this phemonenal cross. Sold his brother and am keeping his sister. If you are interested in breeding these great crosses he would be your performing, stallion prospect. I will have to geld soon as my facilities cannot handle two stallions. \$5000 or best offer.

SA Galt, 5/2003 grey gelding. This is a really harmonious guy with flowing gaits. Very little training so you can do it your way. He will be able to do whatever task you ask of him. Get him now while the price is low, when he goes into training the price will reflect it. \$3,500

DVD & still pictures available of these horses and more upon request.

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Membership Form

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Country _____

Email _____ Home Telephone _____

There are four types of membership. FULL MEMBERSHIP entitles you to full voting privileges, a reduction in registration fees, and participation in all functions of the organization. LIFE MEMBERSHIP gives you the same privileges for life. ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP entitles you to the newsletter and keeps you abreast of what is happening in ASAV. JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP entitles the Jr. to participate in all functions of the organization, but will have no voting rights.

Membership Rates: Full \$35.00 _____ Life \$200.00 _____
Associate \$15.00 _____ Junior \$10.00 _____

Number of Shagya's owned:

How many geldings _____	1/2 shagya _____
How many mares _____	breeding approved _____
1/2 Shagya mares _____	breeding approved _____
Colts and Stallions _____	breeding approved _____
Sportlos _____	Breed _____

My Farm's Name _____

Check enclosed for \$ _____. The Postmark on your envelope will be the official date of your membership.
Mail to: ASAV Valerie Bullock, 334 N 6th Ave., Brighton, CO 80601

Please sign here _____

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Welcome to ASAV! Working together to promote the Shagya Arabian!

It's your organization. What would you like to do to help?
