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Crabbet Celebration XXVI Show Bill in the works!

Crabbet Celebration XXVI will be **August 16, 17 & 18**, 2019 at Harford Equestrian Center in Bel Air, MD. Save the date!

We will once again partner with Eastern Amateur Arabian Horse Show Circuit.

We plan to have the Show Bill distributed in the next week to ten days.

Volunteers are needed!

East Coast Championships will be held August 1-4, and Sport Horse Nationals will be held September 2-7. Therefore, ECAHS moved to the mid-August dates in hopes of avoiding conflicts.

—CCXXVI Judges—

Dick Dady will judge Breed and Performance and Lauren Annett will judge Dressage and Sport Horse In-Hand. Robbi Pruitt will talk about Endurance and Trail.

▶ ECAHS Achievement Awards 2019

If you, or someone you know, will be entering any of the following events, please consider entering the ECAHS Achievement Awards. Entry forms can be found at the event website or by contacting Vivian Mack at vmack53@wildblue.net.

Biltmore Challenge, May 3~4 & 5 [See results later in this newsletter.](#)

Old Dominion Equestrian Endurance Organization Ride, June 7~8

Coates Creek Challenge, June 29~30

The Tevis Cup, July 20

East Coast Championships, August 1~2~3~4

AHA Distance National Championships, October 25~26~27

▶ 2019 Honorees

Lifetime Achievement Award

Robbi Pruitt
Culver, Oregon

Hall of Fame

Robert & Barbara J. Carlson
Homestead, Florida

The Ronald Dow Family
Belfast, Maine

Benefactor of the Breed

Linda Tellington-Jones
Sante Fe, New Mexico

Dr. Matthew & Winkie Mackay-Smith
White Post, Virginia

▶ 2019 Membership Directory Updates

If you have not returned your updated stock list info, please do so asap. If you need help, please contact Vivian Mack at vmack53@wildblue.net. Please help us make the Directory useful by keeping your information as current as possible.

▶ ECAHS Membership Renewals Past Due

ECAHS Membership dues cover January 1 through December 31 of each year. Please see the 2019 Membership Application Form included in the Newsletter along with a list of Benefits you receive as a member.

If you have any questions, concerns or comments about membership, please contact Carolyn Hasbrook. Her email address is twinbrook_arab@yahoo.com or call 515-231-8805.

Checks and completed forms should be mailed to:

John Bobb, ECAHS Treasurer
Whispering Hope Farm
86 White Road
Columbia VA 23038-2868

Farm News-Spring Foals!

Foals are either on the ground or are on the way! Let us hear from you about your new arrivals.

Randy Stoneback Arabians has three new little ones, two fillies by Almarah Mr Dream and one filly by SSA Jawad PC.

Bill and Sharon Noonan welcomed a colt named The Renaissance Man (Amr Garity X Rose of Traleee) in honor of Pete McNeil. His barn name will be Pete. See Pete's write-up later in the newsletter.

Ads needed for Show Program & Directory

If you are interested in placing an ad in the Show Program or Directory, please contact Vivian Mack at vmack53@wildblue.net.

There are also a couple of pages left in the 2020 Calendar.

10% Discount for ads placed in Program & Directory	Price	Quantity	Total
Show Program	B&W		
Business Card Size	\$20		
Half Page	\$50		
Full Page	\$90		
Inside Front Cover (Full Page)	\$110		
Inside Back Cover (Full Page)	\$110		
Back Cover	\$125	Sold	
Annual Directory	B&W		
Business Card Size	\$20		
Half Page	\$50		
Full Page	\$90		
Inside Front Cover (Full Page)	\$110		
Inside Back Cover (Full Page)	\$110		
Back Cover	\$125	Sold	

▶ John W. Sims Youth Challenge is Back for 2019!

Exciting news! There will be a \$500 scholarship awarded to the 1st Place Winner of the Senior Division of the Youth Challenge. Details are included in this newsletter and can also be found at www.ecahs.org, click on Jack Sims Youth Challenge.

ECAHS members, please consider being a mentor for a participant. It is rewarding for the youth and the mentor and promotes the knowledge and interaction with Crabbet Arabians that we hope will last a lifetime.

Biltmore Challenge 2019 Results

All rides sanctioned with AERC; SERA; SEDRA; 100-Mile Ride with AHA

The 26th running of the Biltmore Challenge was held May 3-5, 2019 at the Biltmore Equestrian Center, located on the grounds of George Vanderbilt's historic Biltmore Estate in Asheville, NC. The following people entered the ECAHS Achievement Awards to receive an ECAHS neck ribbon if they placed the highest in their chosen division.

Meg Sleeper, riding Syrocco Madrigal-654878 (Syrocco Troubador X Syrocco Blair) placed 4th in the 100 Mile ride. Syrocco Madrigal is 55.54% Crabbet and was bred and is owned by Meg.

Alayna Hay placed 13th in the 25 mile ride on BR Satevis-631301 (ZT Raashaqa X Tashi Tarika) and is 33.94% Crabbet. BR Satevis is owned by Steven Hay and was bred by Barbara Horstmeier.

There was actually a four-way tie for 1st place in the 50 mile ride. Both Kate Bishop (a junior rider) and Tom Hags (a senior rider) had entered the ECAHS Achievement Awards and both placed 1st. Kate Bishop was riding LR April Breeze-636066 (Bold Soldier X Brown-R Missy) owned and bred by Linda Crandell. LR April Breeze is 71.09% Crabbet. Tom Hags was riding Indian Reinman-629933 (Czar Nickolas X Dancing Sunlight) and is 66.70% Crabbet.

Patricia Gowen participated in the 30 and 50 mile ride. She was the highest placed entry in the 30 mile ride on PW September Hero+/-590243 (Belesemo Chance X Bahia Almas Zaman) who is 49.21% Crabbet. PW September Hero+/- is owned by Patricia and was bred by James or Virginia Agnew.

Mike Bostic on SVA Verafy-654939 participated in the 75 mile ride and finished 13th. SVA Verafy (SF Veraz X AR Chats Meow) is 37.75% Crabbet and is owned by Mike and was bred by Horace D. & Betty R. Penny. Cheryl Van Deusen, a new ECAHS member, is the owner/breeder of Hoover The Mover-613218 (Ebony Masterpiece X RC Rose) ridden by junior rider Kate Bishop who completed the 75 mile in 4th place. Hoover The Mover is 30.39% Crabbet.

We hope to get some pictures and comments from the riders for our next newsletter.

The Eastern Crabbet Arabian Horse Society

Promoting the use and preservation of Crabbet Arabian bloodlines around the world since 1994.

The Eastern Crabbet Arabian Horse Society was formed in late 1994 for the expressed purpose of promoting the purity, beauty, utility, tractability and versatility of Arabian horses descending from the Crabbet sources.

Membership Application

January 1-December 31, 2019

(Check One)

- One Year Family/Farm Membership - \$45 - two votes (via PayPal \$47.75) ☐
 Three Year Family/Farm Membership - \$125 (via PayPal \$131.75) ☐
 One Year Individual Membership - \$30 - one vote (via PayPal \$32.00) ☐
 Three Year Individual Membership - \$85 (via PayPal \$89.75) ☐
 One Year Youth Membership - \$10 - no vote (via PayPal \$11.00) ☐
 Introductory Membership - \$15 - no vote - First Year Only (via PayPal \$16.00) ☐

Name: _____

Farm Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Fax #: _____

E-mail: _____ Web Site: _____

If you are interested in serving on a committee, check any that interests you:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Show | <input type="checkbox"/> Futurity | <input type="checkbox"/> Publicity | <input type="checkbox"/> Fund Raising |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality | <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter | <input type="checkbox"/> Archives |
| <input type="checkbox"/> By-Laws | <input type="checkbox"/> Nominating | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> Certification |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honoree | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth | <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation | <input type="checkbox"/> Crabbet Celebration |

Make checks payable to: **ECAHS** or send your payments via

 **PayPal** to ECAHS@hotmail.com

Questions or Comments: Call Carolyn Hasbrook at 515-231-8805 or Email twinbrook_arab@yahoo.com

Send completed form & check via mail to: **John Bobb, ECAHS Treasurer**
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Benefits of ECAHS Membership

People often ask "What benefits do I get for ECAHS Membership?"

Here are just a few:

- Mentoring by Crabbet Breeders and Owners with many years of experience.
- Opportunity to build lasting friendships with people of common interest.
- Inclusion in the Annual ECAHS Directory to help spread the word about you and your horses.
- Access to the ECAHS membership to help you sell your horses.
- Access to the ECAHS membership to help you locate a new horse.
- Monthly Newsletter with educational articles and member news.
- ECAHS certification of your horses at a discounted rate.
- ECAHS Website (ecaahs.org) and Facebook Page
- ECAHS items available on Cafe Press
- Access to the ECAHS archives.
- Opportunity to mentor a youth through the John W. (Jack) Sims Youth Challenge.
- Opportunity to participate (in person or by conference call)

The is CR Enchanted Tessie.

(Gulastras Splash x TB Royl Encantres)

**A mare by one of Robbi Pruitt's stallions, Gulastras Splash.
Robbi is our Lifetime Achievement Award winner this year.
She will be Honored at The ECAHS Celebration in Belair, Maryland on August 17th
and 18th.
Please plan to attend!!!**





The Renaissance Man

The definition of a renaissance man is: A person with many talents or areas of knowledge.

My friend, Pete McNeil, was a true Renaissance man. He was a very successful businessman, a musician (piano and violin) and artist (drawing and painting) and an outstanding Arabian Breeder. When you talked to Pete, he made you feel like the most important person in the world. He did all of this while raising a large and wonderful family.

I acquired a stallion and two mares from Pete and Paula. One of the mares is Rose Of Traleee, an Outrageousss daughter out of Scarlett. She had her first foal on May 19th. A really nice colt by Amyr Garity. Sharon and I are naming him "The Renaissance Man" in honor of Pete. His barn name is Pete.

Raoul Baxter and Pete were very good friends. They would talk frequently, usually about Arabians as often as once or twice a month. One lived in California and one in Kentucky but the distance did not stop them from being very close friends. When I first told Pete that I lived on the other side of town from Dr. Richard Stoneback, the first thing he said was Amyr Count Radames. He was very aware of Dick's breeding program.

It is ironic that Amyr Garity, the sire of The Renaissance Man, is by Great Gainey, a colt bred by Raoul Baxter and out of Amyr Gold Danna, a mare bred by Dick Stoneback. It is just icing on the cake that Amyr Count Radames is also in Amyr Gold Danna's pedigree. Amyr Gold Danna is like a highlight reel of Dick's breeding program, Amyr Count Dorsan, Amyr Doreen, Amyrs Grand Count and Amyr Count Radames. She has six crosses to Rissalix. This is an outcross for Pete's program but I think a very compatible one.

Sharon and I really like this colt and feel that Pete would be happy and proud that his namesake is by an Amyr stallion whose sire came from the Raoul Baxter program.

After entirely too much rain, spring is finally under way (if a bit soggy) here at Faerie Court Farm. Our stallion, FCF Oberons Vanity, went to his first USDF show of the season on Memorial Day weekend. He showed under USEF S/FEI 5* judge, Axel Steiner, in one of his 3rd level test 3 classes. Mr. Steiner is notorious for scoring very conservatively. Obie earned a 64.625% from Axel Steiner which was 2nd place in a class of mostly WBs! (Obie was the only Arabian.) At this same show, Obie did his first 4th level test where he earned a 66.974% and 1st place!



His trainer, Catie Waterman, feels that Obie is ready to move up and show at the FEI Prix St. Georges level this season! So at his next show in the middle of June he will show at both 4th level and debut at PSG! Catie LOVES him and is excited about his future. She believes he is capable of good Grand Prix work with a few more years of correct training.

Catie is so impressed with Obie and my other Crabbet-related Arabians that she is sending out an e-mail to many of her contacts in the dressage world promoting these horses as highly suitable and capable mounts for many amateur riders.

I was not able to be at the show at the end of May because Thom and I were on foal watch. We are delighted to announce that on May 26th at 3:50 am FCF As You Wish delivered a bay filly by FCF Oberons Vanity. This filly is a keeper! She is fearless and friendly with great structure and a fluid mover at just a few days old!



This filly is the second time we've done this cross. In 2017, Wish had a chestnut colt by Obie, FCF Thors Valor. In keeping with the Norse theme of that name and also honoring our beloved bay mare, AF Joyva, who we lost at 27 years old in 2013, we are considering naming this filly FCF Freyjas Joy.

Arabian Horse Fantasy Pedigree

	*SILVER VANITY AHR*22555 Grey 1950	ORAN GSB*1076 Chestnut 1940
		SILVER GILT GSB*1162 Grey 1943
	AF VANITY'S REPEAT AHR*208969 Grey 1980	
	SILVER MOONBEAM AHR*62472 Grey 1970	*SILVER MOONLIGHT AIIR*53652 Grey 1949
		HALASTRA AHR*12092 Grey 1957
FCF OBERONS VANITY AHR*628688 Grey 2006		
	OPALO AIIR*330169 Grey 1986	*BARICH DE WASHOE AHR*33206 Chestnut 1965
		BRUMARBAS JEWELL AIIR*65155 Grey 1970
	BRUMARBA CALLISTO AHR*476203 Grey 1991	
	BEAU KET AHR*93078 Bay 1973	COMAR BAY BEAU AHR*24184 Bay 1963
May 26 2019 bay filly		POMONA LIZA AHR*23144 Grey 1962
	NAIBARA BLAZE MAN AIIR*504878 Chestnut 1993	XANADUS CAMELOT AHR*60563 Bay 1969
		SILVER SP CHIANTEL AIIR*83692 Bay 1972
	AAA LEGEND OF THE SEAS AHR*599885 Chestnut 2002	
	HSA SEAMIST AHR*536348 Grey 1996	CKA SEA BISCUIT AHR*483628 Chestnut 1992
FCF AS YOU WISH AIIR*638452 Chestnut 2008		AAPLUS BEYSEAMIST AHR*463089 Grey 1990
	AULRAB AHR*194466 Chestnut 1979	AURAB AHR*12488 Chestnut 1957
	RIEBA AHR*477441 Chestnut 1990	ALARIEHA AHR*34649 Chestnut 1965
	AURIEHA AIIR*154595 Chestnut 1976	AURAB AHR*12488 Chestnut 1957
		ALARIFHA AHR*34649 Chestnut 1965

We are also glad the Jeanne Duffie's foal by Obie and out of AM Bright Warrior is thriving now after a rough start. He looks like a lovely colt, and Jeanne reports that he is incredibly sweet.

A few days before our filly was born, the first Shagya-Arabian foal by Obie was born just 1 ½ miles up the road out of an elite imported Hungarian bred Shagya-Arabian mare. I visited the filly when she was three days old and noted that she is very balanced and athletic. She is currently chestnut with a blaze and 4 stockings. I was not able to get a close enough look to see if she will gray.



Warmest wishes to all our ECAHS friends --- Dawn & Thom Jones-Low Faerie Court Farm Ferrisburgh, VT