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North American Shagya-Arabian Society's
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Center, above, The imported stallion *Olivero (Taib Gazlan x Obeya) with owner Shannon McCracken and the ISG Judges participating on the NASS Inspection Tour: Adele Furby, Dr. Kathy Richkind and Hallie Goetz, in Ontario, Canada.
Left, High-scoring mare, Sylvan Star AF, four year old mare by Starwalker, out of Shagya's Sisu AF by *Shandor
Right, High-scoring stallion, Rising Star, four year old stallion by Starwalker, out of Ramona AF by *Oman

At Chris Evans' in Ontario, Canada we saw the only Sarvar PFF offspring we would see on this inspection. Sarvar is by *Shandor and out of Sonja AA, the dam of the two full sisters Saroya and Salome which we saw in Olympia. Chris's mare, LC Diva Dance, a tall and elegant mare, is out of an Arabian mare. Chris says he particularly treasures this mare's calm disposition.



LC Diva Dance (Sarvar x Dynamos Dancer ox) checking out Adele's gloves in the brisk morning air.

Our other stop in Ontario was hosted by Shannon McCracken, who presented two stallions which we approved. The older, *Olivero, is a German import and his pedigree is packed with well-known and well-respected ancestors. His sire, Taib Gazlan, is a son of Tibor, bred by Mrs. Pack in Germany. Tibor's sire is

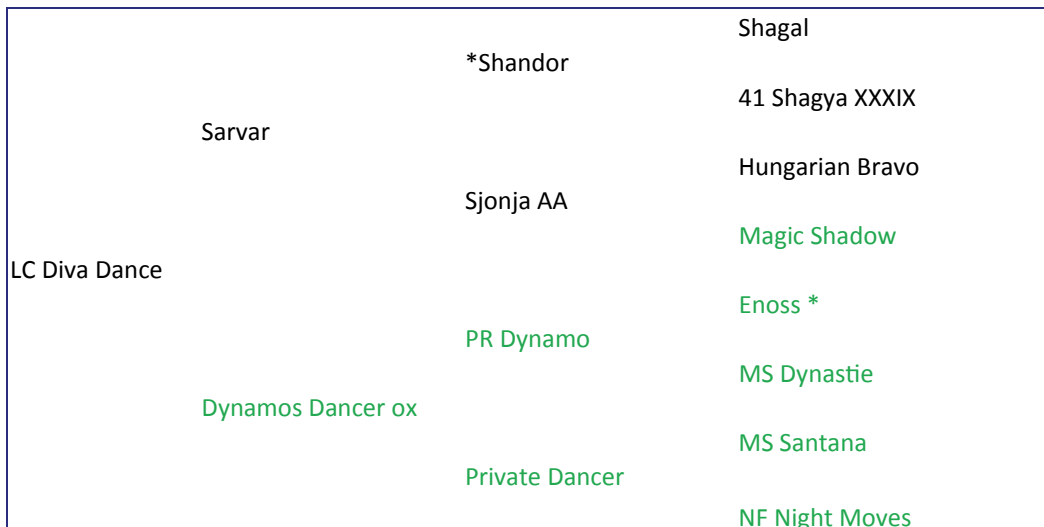
LC Diva Dance's pedigree and family



Sire: Sarvar PFF (*Shandor x Sjonja AA) Photo Donna Coss



Dynamos Dancer ox (PR Dynamo x Private Dancer). Photo Donna Coss.



*Olivero's pedigree and family



Obeya (Navarra x Oya)



Taib Gazlan (Tibor x Nadine)



Navarra (Saphiro x Nedda)



Nasrallah (Bartok x Nedda)



Nedda (Jussuf VII x 288 O'Bajan X)

the well-known Gazal VII son, Bartok, a classically-bred horse of Babolna bloodlines, whereas his dam Tatjana represents a complete outcross. Tatjana was a chestnut mare from Romanian bloodlines (Mangalia), mostly Koheilan, Hadban, and Gazal. I remember when I first saw Tatjana at Mrs. Pack's in 1986. Mrs. Pack showed us Tatjana and explained that it was a new experiment to try this Romanian bloodline. Tatjana went on to have a number of very successful offspring by several different stallions of Mrs. Pack's-- a very successful experiment indeed!

Taib Galzan's dam Nadine is a classically-bred mare of Babolna lines. Her sire Nasrallah is by the above-mentioned Bartok and out of the famous Jussuf VII mare Nedda, while her dam, Ayda was bred by Ulla Nyegaard in Denmark. You can find Ayda in the dam line of many of the best contemporary Shagyas--she was by Koheilan I, Bab, (*Aminah's sire), and out of an O'Bajan X daughter, both of whom have Shagya-line dams.



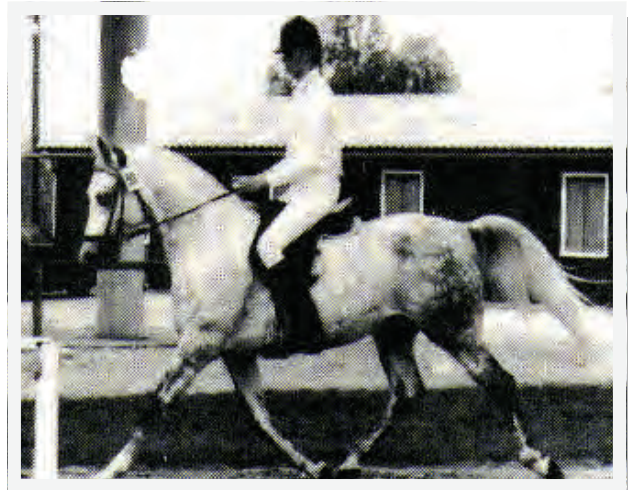
Shannon McCracken and Olivero.
Photo H.Goetz

*Olivero's dam Obeya is by Nasrallah's maternal half-brother Navarra (both are out of Nedda). Like Nasrallah, Navarra's sire is a Gazal-line stallion, Saphiro, who was a Gazal VII grandson. Obeya's dam Oya is sired by another Ulla Nyegaard-bred stallion, the O'Bajan I (and O'Bajan X grandson) Edhem, and out of 48 Siglavy Bagdady VI. You may recognize 48 Siglavy Bagdady VI as the dam of Shagal (and thus the paternal grand-dam of *Shandor). Oya's dam Dalileh was Topolcianky-bred, a Koheilan II daughter out of 45 Rasim I-5. Originally exported to Denmark by Ulla Nyegaard, she spent much of her breeding career in Germany.

All in all *Olivero's pedigree represents a mixture of many classic bloodlines, mostly from Babolna but also with the Romanian outcross on the sire side and the Slovakian outcross in the motherline. No particular bloodline predominates, so it can be seen as more of a "balanced" pedigree. It will be interesting to see his offspring.



Navarra at his HLP



Saphiro

2012 NASS Inspection Tour Evaluations: Numbers are for: Type, Head, Neck, Body, Legs, Walk, Trot, Canter

Franklin, TN: Judges: Kathy Richkind, Hallie Goetz

Ontario, Canada host Chris Evans:

Judges: Adele Furby, Kathy Richkind, Hallie Goetz



Niabe AF #ShA-08-260 (KB Omega Fahim++++// ox x *Nicolette by O'Bajan I-10)

Four year old purebred Shagya-Arabian mare.
Breeder: Dave Bulecheck, Adele Furby, lessee, Owner, Rebecca Blair
Height: 15 hh 3/4", 154 cm., Girth: 69 in., 175 cm., Cannon: 18 cm.
Scores: 7,8,7,7,7,7,8,8, Average 7.375. Approved for Book I
A lovely medium-framed young mare showing Arabian influence, with a friendly calm expression and feminine head. Undeveloped neck leading into good withers. Shoulder a little steep, topline a bit rough at the moment, loin area is a bit long. Legs with adequate bone. Walk showed strong hind end and with correct movement in rear, and good use of back, a bit toed out in front. Energetic trot with good rhythm and occasionally moving freely in front. Canter forward and ground-covering.

Lily Creek Diva Dance #P-ShA-99-219 (Sarvar PFF x Dynamos Dancer ox by PR Dynamo)

Thirteen year old Part-Shagya-Arabian mare.
Breeder: Jody and Donna Coss, Owner, Chris Evans
Height: 15.3 hh 3/4", 162 cm., Girth: 74 in., 188 cm., Cannon: 20.5
Scores: 8,8,9,6,7,8,7,7, Average 7.5. Approved Book I Appendix
A tall, elegant Part-Shagya-Arabian mare with long lines showing Arabian influence. Well-mannered, calm, showing good character. A rather long dry head on an excellent, long, well-carried neck, well set on a long, slightly steep shoulder. Deep body, prominent withers, good saddle area. The coupling is a little rough, the croup rather short, high-set tail. Hindquarters a little short. Good legs and bone, slightly under-angulated in hindquarters and hind legs. Long walk with good overstride, with good use of back. Medium-sized trot and canter.

Ontario Hostess Shannon McCracken:

Judges: Adele Furby, Kathy Richkind, Hallie Goetz



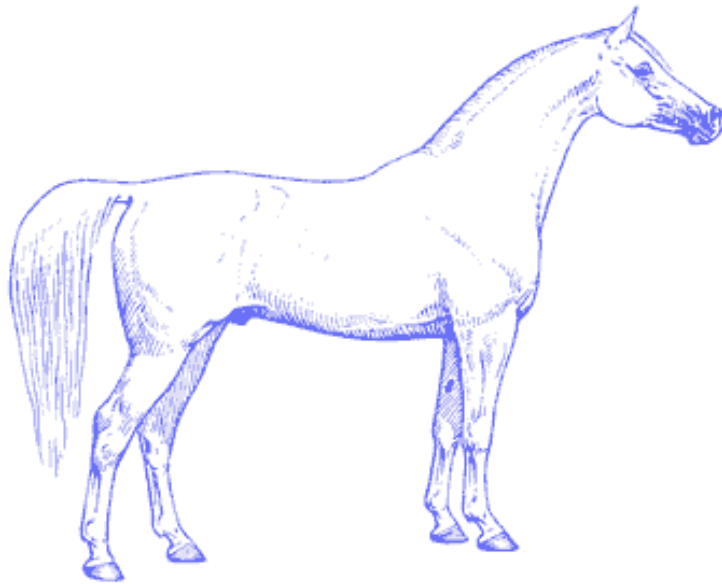
***Olivero #ShA-06-280 (Taib Galzan x Obeya by Navarra)**

Eight year old purebred Shagya-Arabian stallion.
Breeder: Walter Trautermann, Owner, Shannon McCracken
Height: 15.1 1/2 h, 156 cm., Girth: 71.5 in., 182 cm., Cannon: 19
Scores: 8,8,7,7,7,7,7,7, Average 7.25. Approved for Book I
A medium-sized Shagya stallion with a calm, cooperative demeanor. A straight profiled, masculine head with a fine, somewhat small eye, set on a well-set but undeveloped neck with good length; the underline is a bit strong. Good body with good shoulder, well-formed withers extending well into the back. The loin is smooth but a bit long. Good legs with very good joints and bone, toeing out a bit. Good medium-size walk, fluid, but a little close. Medium-sized, smooth trot and canter. Shows adequate ability in free jumping and improved with each pass.

Darshan LCR #ShA-09-281(*Dante LCR x SW Selabration x*Oman)

Three year old purebred Shagya-Arabian stallion.
Breeder: Donna Coss, Owner, Shannon McCracken
Height: 14.3 1/2 hh, 151 cm., Girth: 69 in., 175 cm., Cannon: 19
Scores: 7,7,7,7,7,8,8,7, Average 7.25. Approved for Book I
An appealing young Shagya stallion of medium frame, and calm demeanor. An attractive head with a kind eye, set on a mid-length neck. Good smooth body with prominent withers and good saddle area. Legs with good bone, long forearms and short cannons in front; hind legs lack angulation and hind pasterns are too sloping. Long elastic walk with good use of back and neck. Springy, long trot with good freedom in shoulder. Good canter for his age. Showed good scope and bascule in free jumping, still developing

Purebred Shagya-Arabian Society International



NASS is proud to have been the ISG-member Shagya-Arabian Registry for over 25 years, and continues its compliance with the strict international breeding rules which maintain the outstanding beauty, nobility, and performance qualities of this historic breed.

The umbrella organization of the national Shagya-Arabian breeding societies of: Bulgaria, Denmark, Germany, France, Croatia, Netherlands, Norway, Austria, Romania, Sweden, Switzerland, Spain, Czech Republic, Hungary, the USA, and Venezuela as well as the State Stud farms of Kabuik (Bulgaria), Babolna (Hungary) and Topolcianky (Slovakia).

The purpose of the ISG is the coordination of Shagya breeding in the cooperating countries from the point of view of the breeding aim, and the preservation of the purity of breed, as well as the advancement of the Purebred Shagya-Arabian breed.

The ISG represents internationally the interests of the Shagya-Arabian breeders, and maintains standards for the publishing of the studbooks to its members. These national studbooks require recognition by the Purebred Shagya-Arabian Society International--the ISG.

The Shagya-Arabian is an exclusive Arabian breed originating over 200 years ago in the Austrian-Hungarian Monarchy. The Shagya-Arabian is a noble, versatile and able sport horse suitable for hobby and competition, endurance riding, and hunting, as well as western riding and carriage driving.

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