



*These remarks are for a snapshot in the lifetime of these horses. We encourage owners and breeders to attend keurings whenever possible for further evaluation of their horses, their breeding goals and breeding directions.*

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*Fandango*



*Elena Zeta Jones*

## 2013 KEURING REPORTS

### Silver Hill Stables – Austin, TX

September 17, 2013

Host: Sandra Heinrichs

Jury: Arie Hamoen from the Netherlands and Lana Sneddon from Indiana.

Education: Faith Fessenden from Nevada

Today makes the 7th time that long-time breeder and KWPN-NA member Sandra Heinrichs has hosted a keuring. Lori Barrett and Shane Lawrence worked very hard to have the ranch ready.

The expressive and athletic gelding **Fandango** (Rousseau x Marmie's Promise xx by Theprimeminster xx, owned and bred by René Riddle of Wrenwood Farm & Stables) was the best mature dressage horse today. This long legged gelding stands 1.75 and is light footed especially in the trot with good bending in his legs. He will earn his ster when he fulfills his requirements.

The 9-year old mare **Zoe** (Taxateur x Symphony by Juventus, owned and bred by Evelyn Angelle of Symphony Sporthorses LLC) showed good, correct development, which raised her conformation score to 75 points and gave her not only the ster predicate but also made her eligible for keur. This, combined with already having earned her sport predicate in dressage, made her a Keur mare today.

**Daystar** (Rousseau x Always Me xx by Alwasami xx, owned by Bridget Brownfield and bred by René Riddle) trotted her way to a ster predicate with her expression and power. The canter could show more balance but was powerful.

The 3 year old mare **Fancy** (Contango pref x Madeira ster by Roemer pref, owned and bred by Jan Richardson of Castle Creek Ranch) has a rectangular model with a long neck that could have had more shape. She showed correct movement, especially in her walk and trot.

The foal class had an easy winner. The well-developed and correct Ampère daughter **Izarra** (out of Preference-ISF ster by Jonggor's Weyden, owned/bred by Tricia Veley of First Flight Farm) is beautiful in her type with excellent expression which she also used in her movement.

Also a first premium was given to the well-developed **Icon SHS**, a son of Sonntagskind out of Karina keur (s. Ekstein). He shows enough length of stride but could be more powerful. This colt is owned and bred by Sandra Heinrichs of Silver Hill Stables.

During the IBOP **Elena Zeta Jones** (Donates x Magnanamous by Rolls Royce, owned and bred by Drs. Susan and Richard Howard of Reiterhof) showed good rideability with a well-balanced canter and a very active walk. She shows enough bending in the hind leg but could show more expression in the front leg. She passed her IBOP with 76 points. In the DG Bar Cup this very rideable mare is in 2nd place in the 4-year old division.



*Izarra*



*Sandra in camouflage.*

*Reports from the Road generally feature first premium or 'stand-out' horses.*

## **First Premiums**

### **Dressage Foals**

Izarra (Ampère x Jonggor's Weyden)

Icon SHS (Sonntagskind x Ekstein)

## **Ster, Keur and IBOP**

Daystar (Rousseau x Alwasmi) - ster

Fancy (Contango x Roemer) - ster

Zoe sport/dr (Taxateur x Juventus) - keur

### **Ster Quality Geldings**

Fandango (Rousseau x Theprimeminster) - ster quality

### **IBOP**

Elena Zeta Jones (Donates x Rolls Royce) - IBOP