



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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Faith



Emerald

2013 KEURING REPORTS

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Host: Shauna Cook and Sharon Telford

Jury: Bart Henstra from the Netherlands and Lana Sneddon from Indiana.

The last keuring in Canada took place at Carousel Ridge. The friendly Shauna Cook and Sharon Telford organized the keuring at this nice facility. There was a lot of set-up work at Carousel Ridge because there were IBOP classes in **three(!)** breeding directions. (six horses participated in the IBOP: four jumpers, one Gelders and one hunter).

High scoring horse of the keuring was the Gelders mare **Faith** (Koss pref x Mary Jane ster by Fabricius pref, owned and bred by A.M. Smit of Bearberry Guest Ranch). This well-muscled 3-year old mare has a really good Gelders expression with a long-lined and strongly built body. Her vertical neck is shaped well, her long withers are well developed and she has a long sloping shoulder. Her flat croup has good length and her correct legs show quality. In her IBOP Faith showed powerful movement and especially her canter was well balanced, powerful and showed good reach (scoring an 8.5). She is very willing when jumping, has a powerful take-off and shows very good scope. With an 85 for her conformation and a 79 for her IBOP Faith easily earned her keur predicate.

Awarded as best adult jumper horse of the keuring was the well-developed **Emerald** (Tangelo van de Zuuthoeve BWP x Pearl by Ferro pref, owned and bred by John and Jacquie van den Bosch of Bosch Farms). She earned her keur predicate by passing the IBOP with 75 and also received a 75 for her conformation. This long lined 4-year old mare shows good expression and is built correctly. In her IBOP she showed good use of the hindleg in the canter. She could be quicker in her reflexes, but she showed good scope and a good attitude.

Doretto (Corland keurx Wellevue M. by Quidam de Revel SF, owned by Arie and Marja Koppe of KVS Sporthorses, bred by G. Lemmers) and **Davanta van de Renville** prok (Vleut x Vavanta/Drenvilleho by Burggraaf pref, owned by Joyce Greenfield, bred by J.D. & A.J.J. Heuker) also passed their IBOPs with 76 and 75 points respectively. Doretto showed good attitude and rideability with good technique of her legs and sufficient bascule and scope, earning her the keur predicate. The careful Davanta received her elite predicate. Her powerful canter is combined with a good overview of the fences. On the higher fences she stiffened somewhat in her back. During free jumping she improved in her bascule and scored a 78.5 in the Claybrook Farms Cup.

Zinzi (Clinton erkend x Grand Slam ster by Nimmerdor pref, owned by Rachel Pergunas and bred by A. Bardeel) successfully participated in the Hunter IBOP. Zinzi showed good rideability and good reflexes for a hunter. Her technique was somewhat open in her use of her front leg and she opened sufficiently in her haunches. Zinzi showed sufficient suppleness and carefulness.



Miss-Cleopatra



Isaac Fig Newton



Shauna Cook and Bart Henstra

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

Two jumper mares that already had their sport predicates were successfully presented in the keur conformation class. The 19-year old **Miss-Cleopatra** (Faust Z x Cleopatra keur by Willow Cratic, owned by Maile de Goeij of Sunshine Meadows and bred by G. Lemmers) is roached in her loins, but is well-muscled and well kept. Also the 9-year old Berlin daughter **Zinadine T** prok (out of Indullah keur sport/sp by Abdullah, also owned by Arie and Marja Koppe and bred by H.M. & H.A. van Triest) has a long-lined body and is well proportioned. She could be more muscled in her top line, but she has a foal by her side. Miss-Cleopatra earned her Keur predicate and Zinadine T her Elite predicate.

Best young jumper foal of the keuring was the well-proportioned Bosch Blue son **Isaac Fig Newton** (out of Beasinaa keur by Pyriet, owned and bred by Doreen and Cindy Orr of Decorr Farms). This well-muscled grey colt has a good topline and expression and a long wither. Isaac Fig Newton was powerful and well balanced in his movement showing good reach and sufficient reflexes. With an overall score of 76, Isaac is currently runner up at the top five jumper foals.

Iron Will BF (Quasimodo Z erkend x Myranda keur sport/sp by Indorado keur, owned and bred by John and Jacquie van den Bosch of Bosch Farms) was ranked in second place. This long-lined, elegant colt shows good quality in his legs and showed good technique and length of stride in his canter.

First Premiums

Jumper Foals

Isaac Fig Newton (Bosch Blue x Pyriet)

Iron Will BF (Quasimodo Z x Indorado)

Izidora BF (Quasimodo Z x Goodtimes)

Ster and Keur Eligible

Jumper Mares

Emerald (Tangelo VD Zuuthoeve x Ferro) - keur eligible

Gelders mares

Faith (Koss x Fabricius) - keur eligible

IBOP, Keur and Elite

Passing IBOP - Hunter

Zinzi (Clinton x Nimmerdor) - IBOP

Passing IBOP - Gelders

Faith (Koss x Fabricius) Keur

Passing IBOP - Jumper

Emerald (Tangelo VD Zuuthoeve x Ferro) - Keur

Davanta V/D Renville ster prok (Vleut x Burggraaf) - Elite

Doretto ster (Corland x Quidam de Revel SF) - Keur

Passing Jumper Keur Conformation

Doretto ster (Corland x Quidam de Revel) - Keur

Miss-Cleopatra ster sport/sp (Faust Z x Willow Cratic) - Keur

Zinadine T ster sport/sp prok (Berlin x Abdullah) - Elite