



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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Estrada Empire



Woklahoma W



Draganette P

2012 KEURING REPORTS

Prima Equestrian– Mount Albert, ON

Hosts: Roy Maher and Michelle Bartlett, Show Manager: Cheryl Mayberry
Jury: Bart Henstra - Netherlands, Lana Sneddon – Indiana,
Deborah P. Harrison - California
Ringside Education – Faith Fessenden, sponsored by Prima Equestrian

The sole keuring in Canada for 2012, this location is known historically for quality jumpers, and this final stop on the tour did not disappoint. Prima Equestrian facility is northeast of Toronto in Canadian horse country. A give-away are the names of towns in the area – for example, 'Newmarket'.

Studbook/Ster Inspection - Jumpers

Two 3-year old jumper stallions were presented, both owned by Empire Stables. *Estrada Empire* (Numero Uno pref out of Majesteit keur by Nimmerdor pref) is from the same dam line as the approved KWPN stallion Lancelot. Estrada Empire earned his ster predicate. This typical Numero Uno son passed his IBOP with 75.5, showing his powerful and balanced canter. In the free jump he should show a quicker take off and more reflexes.

Empire stables also owned the best adult jumper, newly elite mare *Woklahoma W* (Guidam keur out of Elottie W ster pref prest by G.Ramiro Z pref). This mare is closely related to Grand Prix show jumper, Vindicat, who jumped at the Olympics in London with Peter Charles. Woklahoma W was very consistent in her jumping. She has very quick reflexes and is very careful, but was a little bit forward in her takeoff. She showed good athletic scope and opened in her haunches well. With 8.5 for reflexes and attitude she scored 80.5 points overall.

Studbook/Ster Inspection - Dressage

Best adult dressage horse at the keuring was *Draganette P* (Johnson out of Odette N keur pref by Houston, bred by Prima Equestrian) owned by Carolyn Couenen. This 4-year old mare passed her IBOP with her clear and active walk, good posture and cadence, and her good use of the neck in movement. By passing the IBOP Draganette got her keur predicate. Her full sibling *Elcho P*, again bred by Prima Equestrian and owned by Catherine and Darren Cole, has an uphill body and a supple and powerful trot with good technique. Because Elcho P got his ster predicate, dam Odette N got her predicate preferent.



Glowstick P



Hollanda P



Hanna-Dessa



Hocus Pocus P



Far Out

Young Horses - Jumper

The best young jumper was the well-developed, expressive gelding *Glowstick P* (Balou du Rouet out of Rolande elite by Ahorn pref) owned by Cheryl and Chris Mayberry. This well-proportioned yearling had supple movement with good technique in his gaits.

Best jumper foal was *Hollanda P*, (Voltaire pref out of Rolanda elite by Ahorn pref), bred and owned by Prima Equestrian. This filly is a good jumper type with a long neck and muscled topline. She shows good length of stride in movement, but could be more powerful. Second placed was *Harlowe* (Van Gogh out of De Naoma ster IBOP by Judgement-ISF crown). This filly, owned by Barbara Mitton, has a strong, correct body and a balanced canter. She could be longer lined for higher scores.

Young Horses – Dressage and Gelders

Best young dressage/Gelders horse was the Gelders-bred *Hanna-Dessa*, sired by Paganini crown out of Adessa keur by Koss pref. This filly foal is bred and owned by Beverley Hilton and has a very good Gelders confirmation, lots of expression, a vertical and well-muscled neck, strong topline and correct legs with quality. Her movement has good length of stride, and is supple. For Gelders movement there could be more power and more bending of the foreleg.

First in the dressage foals was the well-proportioned and expressive *Hocus Pocus P* (Uphill out of Odette keur pref by Houston keur), bred and owned by Prima Equestrian. His correct and uphill body supports his good technique in movement. First place of the 2-year old dressage horses went to the elegant filly *Far Out* (Freestyle out of Bailar SSF by Royal Prince), bred and owned by Stephanie Sitzberger. This well-developed, long-lined filly showed supple gaits, but could be more powerful.

List of first premiums:

Foals - Dressage:

- # 224 Hocus Pocus P (Uphill by Houston)
- # 222 Happenstance (Goodtimes x Contucci)

Foals - Jumper

- # 233 Hollanda P (Voltaire x Ahorn)
- # 227 Harlowe (Van Gogh x Judgement ISF)
- # 229 Heathrow KLF (Consul x Tenerife)
- # 232 Historic (Cardento x Chin-Chin)

Foals - Gelders

- # 234 Hanna-Dessa (Paganini x Koss)

Yearlings - Dressage

- # 235 Ginseng MSH (Alexandro P x Royal Prince)

Yearling - Jumpers:

- # 236 Glowstick P (Balou du Rouet x Ahorn)

2-Year Olds - Dressage

- # 237 Far Out (Freestyle x Royal Prince)



Elcho P

Reports from the Road generally feature first premium horses. More complete results will be published at a later date.

Stb/Ster - Dressage

239 Elcho P (Johnson x Houston)

Stb/Ster - Jumper

#248 Estrada Empire (Numero Uno x Nimmerdor)

IBOP - Dressage

244 Draganette (Johnson x Houston) 75, keur

IBOP - Jumper

246 Woklahoma W (Guidam x G.Ramiro Z) 80.5, elite

247 Eloma Blue Empire (Mr. Blue x Ahorn) 75

248 Estrada Empire (Numero-Uno x Nimmerdor) 75.5

DG Bar Cup for 3-Year Olds

70# 239 Elcho P (Johnson x Houston) 72.5

DG Bar Cup for 4-Year Olds

241 Denali (Idocus x Gribaldi) 70

244 Draganette P (Johnson x Houston) 75