

# Georgantzis farm's Arabian Stud

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*In the beautiful country of Greece, a big farm for Arabian purebred and endurance horses is located very close to the Aegean Sea, not far from the touristic area of Thessaloniki.*

*The farm is being managed by Constantinos Georgantzis. After having managed a popular bar and restaurant in the center of the village for many years, Constantinos is now fully concentrated on his horses. His farm is the base of around 50 horses. All of them individually loved and cared for.*

*The farm is open to visitors all day long and everyone is welcome to watch the everyday farm activities such as basic horse care and grooming, feeding, cleaning, shoeing and of course the training of the horses. Furthermore, in the beautiful area of the farm, you have the opportunity to enjoy your coffee, drinks and try the delicious dishes of Georgantzis' cuisine.*

*This wonderful place is also offered for organizing special events, such as birthdays and other events. People can also enjoy a ride with the horses or a chariot ride. Inside the farm, the young visitors will be delighted to discover a big playground, especially created for them.*

*The main activity at Georgantzis is the endurance racing. Besides being an active and successful endurance team themselves, they also organize several endurance events starting at their farm. They are competing in endurance races starting from 30km up to 160km races.*

*Another important activity is the breeding barn. Georgantzis Arabians is the biggest stud farm of purebred Arabian horses in Greece. With around 11 broodmares and 7 stallions, they breed around 4/5 foals a year.*

*The mares are mainly Russian bred and are descent of stal-*



Mabruk



Constantinos Georgantzis at the international show in Milan with Talitha Bakker of Arabian Stud Europe.

*lions like Balaton, Pobeditel and Gordon.*

*The stallions are of really good quality. One of them is coming from Ismer Stud of Germany. His name is Marathon and is born to be a leader. The perfect representative of strength and proportion. A strong presence, the perfect position of the tail and its fantastic movement are some of its characteristics. He is a son of Gugand (Monogramm) and comes out of Mariszka by Chopin.*

*Another sire at the farm is the blond Russian stallion Mabruk. A son of Balaton out of Magnitka by Gips. His beautiful face, the big expressive eyes, a smooth muscular body and the flexible and full of charisma motion were transmitted through his offspring. His most important gift is his character, which wins over a lot of peoples' hearts. His offspring know how to impress the audience and move in a breathtaking way. The first foals of Mabruk were sold in every corner of Greece and it is also well known that, as its father Balaton did, Mabruk transmits its own unique attributes.*

*A stallion with a totally different pedigree is the beautiful grey stallion Nessos. A Straight Egyptian stallion with an impeccable pedigree. Born at the farm of Georgantzis, he is already the 5th generation born there! A son of Madkours Impuls out of Nashita by Siam. He is in training for endurance and will have his first 60km race next month!*

*He already claimed the endurance title 'horse with the best condition' in a previous race. A real king of everything he owns. It is like a crown jewel, able to pass on to its descendants the most amazing characteristics.*

*Another important stallion arrived at the Greek stables in 2011. A stallion of new bloodlines, internationally acclaimed.*



Raffael el Than

His name is Raffael el Than. He is bred by La Movida Stud from Austria and now in proud ownership of Georgantzis Arabians. He is sired by Jonathan el Ludjin by Ludjin el Jamaal and is out of the All Nations Cup champion mare Reza el Bri by CH el Brillo. Raffael has an extreme face and super movement. His first foals will be born next year and the expectations are high!

Besides having their own horses, every year, Georgantzis Arabians takes in leasing some new high quality stallions to improve their breed.

One of them that the farm took in leasing and that is still resident at the Greek farm is multi show champion Aja Shakakhan. The son who shares the greatest similarity with its sire, Scottsdale and National USA champion FS Bengali. Aja Shakakhan was bred at the Aja Arabian Farm in the United Kingdom and is in ownership of the Kossack stud in Holland.

At Georgantzis Arabians, Aja Shakakhan sired beautiful foals with great substance and movement.



Aja Shakakhan

Another stallion that came from the Kossack stud in Holland is the young Psychotic Kossack. Son of Psytafel (Padrons Psyche) and out of the multi champion mare Pribaltika by Balaton. Before leaving to Greece, this colt achieved the title of National Reserve champion colt of Holland! Psychotic is in co-ownership with the Kossack stud and will breed his first mares next year!

For the upcoming breeding seasons, another promising stallion is on lease to Greece. His name is ASE Myandour. Bred in Belgium and the very first son in Europe by the US National champion Marhaabah (Marwan al Shaqab). His dam is the multiple show champion and timeless beauty Dakaree by US National Champion Dakar el Jamaal.

ASE Myandour is a young boy who is destined to follow its parents footsteps. He is big, with an amazing neck, gorgeous eyes, a tiny muzzle, good body and an incredible disposition and laid back character. The plan is also to bring him in endurance training in the next years!



ASE Myandour

One of the latest additions of Georgantzis Arabians is a young grandson of Gazal al Shaqab. His name is ASE Stivallo. Bred in The Netherlands and sired by Stival out of the Russian bred Amal-Charikliia. This young colt is born in 2010 and will leave on lease to Greece in the summer of 2011 and will be the future chief sire of the farm.

With this strong line-up of quality breeding stallion and strong broodmares, the breeding program of this Greek farm is destined to be of great success!

With its first participation at the International show in Milan last weekend, we are certain to hear a lot more about them in the nearest future!