



# Drinkers of the Wind

A HIGH-POINT AWARD PROGRAM FOR THE ORIGINAL EQUINE ATHLETES OF THE ARABIAN DESERT



*OT Sara Moniet RSI (Rave On Ravenwood x OT Dysara RSI), with Crockett Dumas aboard, charging up Cougar Rock in the Tevis Cup. Bred from precious Pritzlaff stock, trained and ridden by Crockett, Sara has won top honors in the Drinkers of the Wind competition for the last 3 consecutive years. Sara's awards and Crockett's exploits in endurance racing are nothing short of legendary!*

Open without cost to owners, riders, and drivers of Desert Arabian horses that are derived entirely from asil stock of the Bedouin horse-breeding tribes of Arabia Deserta. This program encourages the use of Desert Arabian horses in a wide variety of public venues in order to demonstrate their unparalleled dispositions and incredible versatility. Performance disciplines including English, Dressage, Driving, Eventing, Hunter (Pleasure and Working), Western (Pleasure and Working), Competitive Trail, Endurance, Sport Horse Under Saddle, Pony Club Rallies and Mounted Shooting are recognized ... and a second tier recognizes local and 4H competitions.

High Point Awards are awarded to the Top Ten horses earning the greatest number of points, but all participants receive a certificate recognizing their efforts to showcase the performance capabilities of the Desert Arabian horse. The name of the winning horse is engraved on a brass plaque and added to the trophy base each year.

***Details and enrollment forms are available at [www.desertarabian.org](http://www.desertarabian.org)***

Please contact the Award Secretary Susan Mayo at [susarinc1@verizon.net](mailto:susarinc1@verizon.net) for questions regarding horse or class eligibility.





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*Perpetual First-Place Trophy from the estate of Walter Schimanski*



*Aelfleah Hadhafang (Gwaihira TOS x Anduril TOS), owned by Tamara Woodcock and started by Rebecca Brown, this beautiful Blue Star mare is being campaigned by Tamara's 13 year old niece, Sheyenne Boone. "Hadha" and Sheyenne started out together over cross poles and have progressed to showing in Novice Eventing and Open Jumper Competition winning multiple championships.*



*Alara Ben Raad (Inshalla Imhotep x Shebas Moriah LHF), owned by Pamela Small is trained and ridden by Audrey Bean. This little 14 hh Heirloom (pre-RAS bloodlines) stallion competes in 3 Day Eventing against big Warmbloods ... does it barefoot ... and routinely wins!*



*Avalon Anubis (BW Ibn Faydin x Elizabeth Alia CH), owned by Jennifer Ligon, demonstrates the extraordinary value of using our geldings. His wonderful Sheykh Obeyd, Babson bred disposition and tractability are manifest with 5 year old McKenzie Bowen aboard at an Open Hunter show.*