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Chairman's Message: Canadian Hanoverian Society by Michael Boyd

I hope that 2009 was a good year for all our members. The recession has made life difficult for many and the horse business is no exception. The market to sell horses has undoubtedly been slow and a "buyers' market" as the expression goes. However, in talking with people in the industry I think there are signs of it picking up and next year can only be better.

On behalf of the Eastern and Western Breeders' clubs I would like to thank everyone who hosted an inspection site this year. We had just an excellent inspection tour this year with our judge from the Verband, Dr. Ludwig Christman, starting in Rockwood, Ontario on September 3rd and proceeding in order to Vankleek Hill, Winnipeg, Calgary, Pemberton and ending on September 15th in Victoria.

Dr. Christmann has written a comprehensive report on his inspection tour which you will find in this newsletter. In summary though these are the numbers from the inspection tour from all sites:

- 26 Hanoverian mares inspected and entered in the studbook.
- 8 non-Hanoverian mares inspected and accepted for the studbook.
- 17 mares completed the mare performance test.
- 8 mares achieved Elite Mare Candidate status.
- 68 foals were registered during the inspection tour.

Our base of club members seems to be growing slowly both in the East and the West, but more importantly the quality of our mares and the foals we see at the inspections continues to improve.

We are progressing slowly to get an idea of the cost to redesign the www.canadianhanoverians.com website and use this as the site for the Canadian Hanoverian Society as well as news and information from both the Western and Eastern Breeders' clubs. Technology has been changing rapidly and costs have been coming down so we hope to begin the design of the site soon and have it functioning next year.

The Verband has accepted that it would be good to train Canadian judges and we are talking with the Verband about how they would be trained and apprenticed and how the costs will be covered.

In closing, I wish all our members a prosperous New Year in 2010, good luck in your breeding plans for next spring and for those with foals on the way, I hope they all arrive healthy and safely and are potential future champions.

The Pan-Canada Inspection Tour 2009 by Dr. Ludwig Christmann

The Canadian inspection tour for 2009 was different from former years with a new schedule, more sites and an exciting new foal crop from young stallions. It demonstrated that the Canadian Hanoverian breeders are active and produce good quality horses across the country.

For the first time, the inspections in the east were combined with the Spruce Meadows masters and the Western inspection tour. Another premiere was the inspection site Parkwood stables in Rockwood, Ontario who hosted the inspection for the Toronto area for the first time. In conjunction with the Hanoverian Breeders club or Eastern Canada, the Parkinson's team did everything to make this event a great success at their beautiful farm.

A great premiere for Parkwood Stables: With judges Fritz Floto and Ludwig Christmann, the inspection started with the mare performance test, in which an impressive number of 8 mares were presented. David Markus premiered as the test rider, fulfilling his role in an exemplary manner.

Among a number of lovely mares presented, there was one that was particularly outstanding. A six-year-old Rotspon/Donnerhall-daughter Rohanna, bred and owned by Pam Talbot of Richmond Hill, received scores of eight and better for her gaits, her rideability and free jumping. After testing was complete, it was noted that her full sister Rondalet received the top scores for the entire 2008 inspection tour of the American Hanoverian Society. Other notable results included:

- The three-year-old Dauphin's Lady by Dauphin/Don Frederico, who had the best dressage scores (8.25 for average gaits and rideability). She was bred by Heike Wienecke, Gifhorn and is owned by Ferdinand Haupt, Hagersville.
- The four-year-old Elegant by Escudo/Foxhunter, who had the best jumping scores and qualified for the jumper breeding program. She was bred and owned by Christian Poschung, Guelph.

Nine mares were presented in the mare show. The high scoring mare was the Dauphin/Don Frederico-daughter Dauphin's Girl, who impressed the judges with her type, presence and an excellent trot, which will offer a lot to the dressage rider. Reserve champion was the second class winner, the four-year-old imported state-premium candidate Haya by Hochadel/Silvio, bred by Heinz Otte-Krone, Stemwede, and owned by Ted and Elaine Parkinson of Parkwood Stables. The award for the best Canadian bred mare went to Rohanna, the top scoring mare in the performance test. Elite mare candidates were Dauphin's Lady and the US-bred Sonnenkönigin by San Remo, owned by Ralph Greenwood. Additional 1a prizes went to Haya, Rohanna and the imported Romantica by Rubin Royal, owned by Donna Mac Farlane, West Luther. Furthermore,

there were a few mares inspected outside of the mare show, bringing the total number of accepted mares to nine.

The foal show had the impressive number of 18 foals. In addition to selecting an overall champion and reserve champion, for the first time separate evaluations were made for dressage and jumping bred foals. Champion jumping foal was a colt by Contendro/El Bundy, presented by Ted and Elaine Parkinson, while reserve went to a filly by Salito, bred by Christian Poschung. It was interesting to note that the dam of this filly, the Wanderbursch II mare Wanina is the granddam of the winning Contendro-colt. Once again, the champion dressage foal was bred by Kathleen Richardson from Kendal. It was a typey colt by Fidertanz, out of her SPS Ditana by Don Bosco. Ted and Elaine Parkinson received reserve champion, for a filly by Wolkenstein II/Lauries Crusador xx, who combined in an excellent way the best of the two renowned bloodlines of Weltmeyer and Lauries Crusador xx. The Fidertanz-colt was elected overall champion while the Contendro-colt received reserve.

The biggest inspection at Southlane Farm: One day later the Ottawa/Montreal area inspection took place at Southlane Farm in Vankleek Hill, a proven inspection site owned by Joe and Louise Palmer. This was the biggest inspection ever held in the Ottawa/Montreal area. It started with the foal show on Saturday afternoon, where 19 foals were presented with some really top foals. Overall champion and champion dressage foal was a lovely De Niro/Longchamp filly of Lea Wouters, Oxford Mills, reserve overall and champion jumping was a filly by Providence out of dam by Accord II, , bred by Southlane Farm. Reserve champions foals were a Brentano II/Wolkenstein colt (dressage, bred by Nathalie Poitras, St. Liguori and a Landkönig/Genever colt, bred by Southlane Farm. Providence, the sire of the top jumping foal is a four-year-old son of Provider. He is owned by Southlane Farm and Hans Schinker and was selected as a premium jumping stallion in Verden 2008. His foals were consistently good in type and movement. Another stallion with a first foal crop was Sir Wanabi by Santorini, bred in Canada by the RCMP and standing at stud with Sandra Laprise, Alfred. His two foals were pleasing and found to be especially good in the forehand.

The mare performance test had five entries, four of which were three-year-olds. All the three-year-olds were owned by Southlane Farm and were very well prepared and presented by Louise Palmer and her team. The fifth mare was the five-year-old Lanthan/Wenzel daughter La Sequoia, bred in Canada by the R.C.M.P. and presented by Alexa Hell, Ashton. The inspectors were pleased to note that more and more young mares are now being presented for the mare performance test.

The standard of the test was notably high. The top placing mare was the Stakkato/A Jungle Prince-daughter Stakkata who received a jumping score of 9, rideability score and a final score of 7.94. This Southlane Farm mare was bred in Germany by Mathilde Wrede, Cappel. Two mares followed with an identical score of 7.69: the Lanthan daughter La Sequoia who obtained consistent scores in all three parts of the test and Racel by Royal Blend/De Niro, bred by Johann Koelmann, Bad Bentheim and owned by Southlane Farm. Racel excelled with a rideability score of 8.75. In the mare show the decision was regarding which mares would receive the prestigious title "Elite". The following four mares were successful: Felicia by Florencio/Prince Thatch xx, bred by Richter and Fortkamp, Mellinghausen, Donnalaurie by Don Frederico/Lauris Crusador xx, bred by Angela Cook, Fergus, and owned by Liz Steacie, Brockville, Rahel and Stakkata. The mare Felicia who showed a very impressive trot and walk in addition was highlighted as best mare in the mare show, while Donnalaurie was reserve champion.

There is a special award from the Eastern Canadian club for the best mare of the two shows in the Toronto area and the Ottawa area. The winner will be announced at the coming annual general meeting of the club and the owner will receive this award at that time.

In addition to the horses presented in the mare show and mare performance test, several other mares also were considered, resulting in a total of 9 mares that were inspected.

The first inspection in Manitoba: Inga Hamilton and Ludwig Christmann proceeded westbound for the first official inspection in Manitoba. This inspection was organised by Kathleen Sulz, who together with Nancy Schmidt stands at stud the two Hanoverian stallions Autocrat and Wolkentanz II. The inspection however, took place on Tannenhof stables owned by Dave Toes. Four mares were presented, all of which were accepted into the main studbook. An outstanding Autocrat/Weltmeyer daughter Asia, bred by Kathleen Sulz was highlighted as elite mare candidate. The mare Wiebke MHS by Wolkentanz/Wendy bred and owned by Barbara Beckmann, Poplar Point received a la prize. Four foals were registered. The inspectors were pleased to meet very enthusiastic Hanoverian breeders in the Winnipeg area who have been breeding and supporting the Hanoverian horse for many years. The aim is now to have an inspection in Manitoba each year. With a stallion station backing up the breeding program], there should be room for continued growth.

Spruce Meadows - the spirit of international sports: Following the Manitoba inspection, the judging team changed. Inga went back home while Ludwig Christmann carried on to Spruce Meadows where he was met by Malte Kanz and Fritz Fleischmann from the Verden auction team. This inspection always has been part of the Masters tournament. The mare performance test took place at Teradan Farms. Four mares were presented, two of which were elite mare candidates from the previous year who met the necessary scores to be accepted as elite mares. Best mare in the mare performance test was four-year-old EMC Chapera by Comic out of a Warkanson mother bred and owned by Ute and Gerrit Brinkmann, New Norway. She excelled in free-jumping and in her rideability (8 in both parts).

Thursday at the Spruce Meadows Masters is traditionally Hanoverian Day featuring a mare show, foal show, breeders` meeting and a reception in the barn. Twelve mares were presented for the mare show in three age classes. From five three-year-olds, one was highlighted as elite mare - the Warkanson/Weltmeyer daughter Windhuk II, bred and owned by Ute and Gerrit Brinkmann. Two of the three four-year-olds presented, were named elite mare candidates in 2008. The class winner was the EMC Wildrose, a full sister of the three-year-old class winner. In the class of four five-year-old and older mares, one la prize was awarded for the five-year-old Hofrat/Dream of Glory daughter Hübsche. She was bred by Katrin Lüder-Kratzberg, Hildesheim and presented by Wade Campbell from Andrew, Alberta. The three class winners, two of which were sired by Warkanson, were presented to a big crowd in the international ring on the Friday. Hübsche, what means "Pretty Girl", showed that she deserved her name and was elected Champion mare. The award for the best Canadian bred mare went to the mare Windhuk II, a tribute to the late Warkanson, who truly left his mark in the Hanoverian breed in Alberta.

Ten foals were presented for the foal show: six jumping and four dressage foals. The class of the jumping foals was particularly strong, with the all foals meeting a high standard of quality. The winner of this class was a filly with lots of movement by Conteur out of the Comic daughter EMC Chapera, bred by Ute and Gerrit Brinkmann. Reserve champion also was a filly, by Valentino out of a For Feeling mother, bred by Teradan Farms, Calgary. The same farm presented the top dressage foal, a colt by Le Primeur out of a dam by Lord Sinclair, while Charlene Spengler from Okotoks presented the reserve champion dressage foal, a filly by Dampezzo/Wagner.

For the studbook inspection, a total of nine mares were presented and accepted into the main studbook.

After the foal show, the members of the Western Canadian club held their annual meeting. Mike Boyd, chairman of the Canadian Hanoverian Society came from Toronto specifically to attend this meeting. He reported on the cooperation with Equine Canada and explained, that a new website will be created, in order that both clubs can be incorporated on the website of Canadian Hanoverian Society. Dr. Christmann reported on the developments of the breed in Germany. The implementation of a microchip will be mandatory in Germany from January 1st, 2010 onward. He also informed the members that Verden is considering to alter the English Newsletter "Der

Hannoveraner" to a digital format. His statement, that the Canadian Hanoverian breeders need to add more (thoroughbred) blood to their mare bands led to a big discussion.

As in the past, the Hanoverian Society had a booth at the Spruce Meadows Equi-Fair. This year, the design of the booth was a world premiere. As the Hannoveraner Verband in Germany will re-launch its corporate design in 2010, the booth went public with its new design for the first time.

Beautiful British Columbia: The last two inspections were held in British Columbia, at Dreamcatcher Meadows in beautiful Pemberton and Beowulf Farm on Vancouver Island. A combined total of three mares were inspected and seven foals were registered. While this is not a large number of horses, the plan is to continue to hold these inspections. It was noted that there are big equestrian communities in both of these areas. As a result, it is hoped that the numbers will grow if breeders know that these inspections will be held on an annual basis.

Highlights of these inspections were the three foals of Lokomotion by Lordanos, the stallion owned by Dreamcatcher Meadows who presented his first foal crop. His foals were outstanding in type and their overall conformation. He has had a very successful year not only in the show-jumping ring, but he also was shown in dressage.

Overall this inspection tour demonstrated that the Hanoverian horse is very well established in Canada. We have dedicated breeders across the country from Vancouver Island in the West to Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia in the East. The Hannoveraner Verband will contribute to this positive development. In the last two years new inspection sites were established in B.C. and Manitoba. In order to facilitate this growth, there is a plan in place to train a few more breeding judges.

News from the West by Dan French; Albert Kley and Judy Kley

This year the Western Canadian inspection tour expanded to include a site in Manitoba. It was co-hosted by Kathleen Sulz and Dave Toews. The judging commission consisted of Dr. Ludwig Christmann and Inge Hamilton of Ontario. Dr. Christmann was very impressed by the quality of the mares and foals. He was pleased to see the enthusiasm shown by breeders in both Manitoba and Saskatchewan. He is confident that the importation of such great stallions as Autocrat and Wolkentanz II has aided this.

The Spruce Meadows Mare Show, Inspection & Foal Show was blessed by sunny skies and warm weather. There were four mares in the performance test held at Teradan Farms on Wednesday. The top mare in the test was Chapera (Comic Hilltop x Warkanson) owned by Gerrit and Ute Brinkmann of Equitop Farms, New Norway, Alberta.

The mare show and inspection took place the next morning at Spruce Meadows. Again Equitop Farms came out on top with a win in the Three Year Old Class. Their mare Windhuk II (Warkanson x Weltmeyer) took top marks and was awarded a 1A classification. Second place went to Wildfire (Warkanson x Goodwill) owned by Georg von Platen of Wetaskiwin, Alberta.

Equitop Farms continued to dominate with a win in the Four Year Old Class by Chapera (Comic Hilltop x Warkanson). They also took second place with Wildrose (Warkanson x Weltmeyer). Both of these mares received EMC title.

The older mare class was won by the imported mare Hübsche (Hofrat x Dream of Glory) owned by Wade Campbell of Andrew, Alberta. This impressive mare went on to win the Best of Show honour, and the Best Canadian Bred Mare went to Chapera of Equitop Farms.

The day continued with a foal show in the afternoon. This year the entry was large enough to enable us to have two classes- jumping lines and dressage lines. The jumper group was won by

a Conteur x Comic Hilltop filly owned by Equitop Farms. The dressage group was won by a Le Primeur x Lord Sinclair xx colt owned by Teradan Farms. The day was capped off by a meeting of the breeders and a reception hosted by the Verband and Spruce Meadows. We all look forward to next year when it is rumoured that Celle will send stallions to perform at the Masters to honour Spruce Meadows' 35th anniversary!

Dr. Christmann went on to attend two inspections in British Columbia. The first took place at Dreamcatcher Meadows in Pemberton, followed by an inspection at Beowulf Farm in Victoria. In both cases he was pleased with the mares and their foals and is hopeful that breeding will continue to grow in this province.

That's the news from the west and we wish all Canadian breeders a Merry Christmas and much success in the New Year.

Manitoba Hosts First Hanoverian Verband Inspection by Kathleen Sulz

Despite the truly wet & scary weather early in the morning of September 8th, the first Hanoverian Verband Inspection held in Manitoba was well received and well attended. We welcomed Dr. Ludwig Christmann and Inga Hamilton to Tannenhof Stables owned by Dave & Elvira Toews of McGregor, Manitoba. Four mares were inspected (3 Hanoverians & 1 Oldenburg) with the following results:

The 4 yr old Hanoverian Mare ASIA by Autocrat out of Whoopi (Weltmeyer x Lungau) bred & owned by Kathleen Sulz of Woodhaven Farms was evaluated with an overall score of 8 and deemed an Elite Mare Candidate. This mare scored a 9 for her frame and comments included "a very good walk"

The 5 yr old Hanoverian Mare WIEBKE MHS by Wolkentanz I out of Wendy (Wagner x Nimrod) bred & owned by Barbara Beckmann of Manitoba Hanoverian Stables was accepted into the Main Stud Book with comments that she was a very good quality mare, but as she was 5 yrs old she was not eligible to be an Elite Mare Candidate. Some of her scores included 8's for her head & neck.

The 4 yr old Hanoverian Mare FORTISSIMA by Feiner Stern out of Diende (Diamont x Darwin (Hann) bred by Rebecca Pennington (Cypress, TX) & owned by Colleen Beres of Melville, Saskatchewan was accepted into the Main Stud Book. This mare was the only mare being inspected that had a foal at foot.

The 3 yr old Oldenburg mare ANNA MARIA MHS by Autocrat out of Bashful Ripper xx (Bashful Cloud xx) bred & owned by Barbara Beckmann of Manitoba Hanoverian Stables was accepted into the Main Stud Book with scores of 9 for her walk and 8 for trot.

Four Foals were also inspected and registered that day by a variety of sires including, Dacaprio, Schroeder, Wonderful & Autocrat. Unfortunately the skies opened up again and because of the downpour a top foal was not selected.

Planes are underway for another inspection in 2010 and we are hoping to hold a Mare Performance test sometime in the future as well.

Top Hanoverian at Spruce Meadows

Each year, the Verband presents an award to the most successful Hanoverian in the national jumping classes at Spruce Meadows. This year Conquest of Paradiso received this award from Ludwig Christmann during the Spruce Meadows Masters.

This powerful son of Continue/Gotthardsen is ridden by the well known U.S. rider Richard Spooner. Conquest of Paradiso, a licensed stallion, was first ridden by Hugo Simon up to open jumper classes. He is bred by Helmut Lüllmann, Neerstedt.

Free Jumping Championship 2010

The free jumping championship for three and four year olds will return on Sunday March 28, 2010 to be held at the Royal Canadian Riding Academy near Newmarket, Ontario. Information on the competition, a rules and jumping chute diagram and an entry form can be found on our club website at www.hanoverianbreedersclub.com.

The competition is sponsored by Uplands Farm – In Memory of Diva. Uplands Farm is owned by Jennifer Rogers, she was the owner of the Hanoverian Grand Prix show jumper Diva by Don Juan.

North American Hanoverian Jumper Breeding Program

We encourage our breeders to participate in the Jumper Breeding Program. Historically, Canada has had a strong interest amongst our breeders in breeding for top show jumping talent. In the United States the American Hanoverian Society is very heavily weighted (by about 80%) to a breeding interest for dressage horses. However, this year we only had two mares who qualified for the Jumper Breeding Program during our inspection tour. These are: Elegant (Escudo I/Foxhunter) a four year old bred and owned by Christian Poschung of Guelph, Ontario. This mare had an average score between her scope and technique scores of 8.25. The other mare who qualified for the JBP was Stakkata (Stakkato/A Jungle Prince) a three year old mare bred in Germany and owned by Joe and Louise Palmer of Vankleek Hill, Ontario. This mare has an average free jumping score of 9.0 which was amongst the highest scores in North American.

Breeders interested in qualifying their mares for the JBP can visit the club website or the American Hanoverian Club website which is: www.hanoverian.org where complete information and a list of stallions and mares in the program may be found.

2010 Celle Semen Order

Our clubs are again sponsoring an importation of frozen semen as a service to our members from the Celle State Stud for the upcoming 2010 breeding season. The importation is open to all members, both full members and associate members.

The Celle State Stud usually posts their new list of stallions in early to mid December, although posting of the new list can be as late as early January. Members wanting to order semen must be able to access the new Celle list on the Internet after it is posted.

The list currently posted on the Celle website is dated 02.02.2009. Please wait until you see the new list posted with a date that should be sometime in December. Once Celle has posted their new list please proceed with your order. Celle adds new stallions when they revise their list and

sometimes removes stallions and may change some prices, this is why it is important to wait until the new list is posted.

Following are the instructions for accessing the list of available stallions:

Go to the website: www.landgestuetcelle.de/

Click on: the UK flag to get to the English web pages

Click on: Stallions

Click on: Frozen Semen

Click on: price list as pdf download

This brings up the list of stallions available for export to Canada. Please note there are a number of stallions that are not available for export to Canada.

I would like to receive all payments in Canadian dollars and I will forward payment to Celle in Euros. The euro/Canadian conversion is on the order form. Also, we have to pay GST on our shipment so this is added to each order as noted on the order form. Due to the costs involved we will only order a shipment if we get 30 or more doses ordered. If we do not get 30 doses ordered all funds will be returned.

If you want to order frozen semen please fill out the form and return the form with your payment to Michael Boyd at 12 Country Club Drive, Toronto, Ontario M9A 3J4.

Payment must reach Mr. Boyd by January 15, 2010. The order will then be placed with Celle, we get an Import Permit for the shipment and a dry shipper is sent to the State Stud. The shipment should arrive about mid to late March and after clearing by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency is available.

We will use GenCor again this year to receive the shipment and store it. Once the shipment has arrived and been cleared by the CFIA we will notify everyone participating in the shipment. The GenCor facility is located just north of Woodstock, Ontario. The shipping charge per dose pays for all the costs to get your semen order into storage at GenCor. When you have been notified that the shipment has been cleared by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency you will have to arrange for a dry shipper to be sent to GenCor. They will charge the dry shipper and send it back to where you would like it delivered by courier. You can also arrange to personally take a dry shipper to GenCor and they will fill it with your order.

For the breeders who are ordering from the west, please note that once the shipment is cleared we will pack your orders in one container and ship it to Alta Genetics in Calgary and notify you when it will arrive at Alta Genetics. The extra cost for shipment of the container from Woodstock to Calgary and returning the dry shipper is \$10.00 per dose as found on the order form. If a western member wants to make your own shipping arrangements do not add the extra \$10.00.

In calculating the cost of your order multiply the number of doses ordered for each stallion by the **Conversion Into Canadian \$** amount on the order form. Add the GST for the Canadian dollar total of your order plus the shipping charge for the number of doses ordered. Send your order form and cheque, bank draft or money order **payable to Michael Boyd** for the total amount.

If you have any questions regarding the shipment or would like to discuss stallion selection contact Michael Boyd at (416) 239-0624 (email: mmboyd@rogers.com). We wish all our members the best of luck in the upcoming breeding season.

HANNOVERIAN BREEDERS CLUB OF EASTERN CANADA

2010 SEMEN ORDER FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

Conversion Into Canadian \$

Tel. No.: _____

250 Euros = \$407.50

Fax No.: _____

350 Euros = \$570.50

E-Mail: _____

400 Euros = \$652.00

500 Euros = \$815.00

750 Euro s= \$1,222.50

Name of Stallion	No. of Doses	Cost Per Dose In Euros	Total Cost In Euros	Total In Canadian \$
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Total number of doses ordered _____

1. Total In Cdn. Dollars = _____

2. Add 5% for GST on the total above= _____

3. Total = _____

4. Plus shipping charge of \$45.00 per dose x number of doses ordered. No. of doses _____ x 45.00 = _____

5. If a western member add \$10.00 per dose x number of doses ordered (for shipping to Calgary) = _____

6. Total Cost of Shipment) = _____

(Please make cheque payable to Michael Boyd)

SILENT AUCTION OF FROZEN SEMEN

Dr. Axel Brockmann, the manager of the Hanoverian State Stud Celle, has graciously donated two doses of frozen semen to the Canadian Hanoverian Society in order to raise funds for the Society. The two doses are:

Escudo I (Espri/Arkansas/Woermann): Escudo I is a 1991, black, 167cm stallion and is the newly announced Stallion of the Year in Hanover. He was the winner of his stallion licensing in 1994 with a score of 115 for dressage and 144 for jumping. He is one of the best jumper sires with almost 30% of his registered mares obtaining SPS status. He has 24 licensed sons and is known for throwing very correct conformation.

Dancier (De Niro/Lancier/Espri): Dancier is a 2002, black, 166cm stallion from the best dressage bloodlines. He won his stallion licensing in 2005 with a score of 158 in dressage and 103 in jumping.

Both of these stallions are priced at 500 Euros per dose and the market value of each dose including GST and shipping is \$900.00.

Bidding Method:

Please send your highest bid on one or both of these stallions to Michael Boyd by **Friday February 26, 2010**. The winners will be contacted the next day on February 27th and notified of their winning bids.

The doses will arrive with our regular shipment and be in storage at GenCor in Woodstock, Ontario. The successful bidder(s) will be responsible for picking up the semen or shipping costs from Woodstock. The club now has two dry shippers and upon request the successful bidder can use a club dry shipper at a cost of \$50.00 plus the cost to charge the shipper and any shipping charges.

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By fax: (647) 342-0160

News from Club Members:

Steve Smith and Alexa Hell bred their 17 year old Hanoverian mare We 1 Hilary (Wenzel 1) to Autocrat in 2006 and their gelding Asterix was born in June of 2007. Asterix has successfully shown at the Eastern Ontario Breeder shows since he was a weanling. Throughout the 2009 Eastern Ontario Breeder Shows in Ottawa, Asterix consistently placed well in both the Open and Canadian Sport Horse 2 year old classes. He ended the season at the Autumn at Ashland Farms Breeder Show on September 27th winning Eastern Ontario Open Line Horse Champion High Point 2 year old with 112 points as well as the overall Eastern Ontario Line Horse High Point Champion.

South Lane Farm: by Joe Palmer

Providence produces 2 foal Champions in his first year of breeding out of 10 foals.

1 out of a Acord II mare bred by South Lane Farm

Dr Christman remarks, "a very nice elastic filly with very good type and a lot of power."

1 out of a Davignon mare bred by Foxwood farms in the US.

Judges remarks "Two colts shared top honors for the day... However, the three-week-old colt (Providence/EM Davoness/Davignon) showed better type and conformation. A long-lined, modern type colt, he also had unusual dignity and presence for such a young foal."

Home bred Savanna - Sandro Hit / Genever showed with great success in the 4 yr old FEI classes last year winning almost every class shown in Canada and finishing 2nd at Dressage at Devon in the American bred division and 4th in the open classes. She will continue on to the 5 yr old FEI classes in 2010

If you enjoyed the larger version on the English Hanoverian magazine and found the articles interesting please send a thank you to Dr Enno Hemple who is in charge of marketing ehempel@hannoveraner.com

South Grey Hanoverians: by Suzanne Hess

Our 9 yr old Hanoverian mare "Galena" by Goldschlaegar out of Waldfee by Wendekreis is only at the beginning of her u/s show career. She was shown once last year and this year she went to three events, as well as qualifying for the Provincial Championships. The results of her shows were as follows:

July 4th, 2009 - Checkmate Horse Trials - 1st

July 26th, 2009- Cedar Run H.T. - 2nd

Sept 5/6- Headwaters Provincial Championships - 3rd in Division, 1st in Adults

Sept 12 - Checkmate Horse Trials - 3rd

November 28th, OHTA Y/E Awards: 2nd overall
3rd in the Adult division

As well, our 8 yr old Hanoverian mare Vesta by Viva Voltaire out of Waldfee came out of our broodmare band and went to the Dressage at Palgrave show in August where she received the very good dressage score of 63.3%. She is now in foal to Cabardino.

NorthSpring Acres Inc. is finally pleased to announce the arrival of **GRANDOM** to Southern Ontario. GRANDOM stood for many years at Rainbow Equus Meadows in California.

GRANDOM(Grannus x Domspatz x Senat) is a 16.2H, Black Hanoverian Stallion. Grandom is was only Elite Hanoverian Grannus son in the U.S. He is fully licensed and approved for breeding by The American Hanoverian Society, The German Hanoverian verband (AHS & VhW) Oldenburg/ISR and the Belgium Warmblood Paardenstamboek (BWP). We are also in the process of activating GRANDOM with the CWHBA.

From the legendary sire Grannus, producer of many successful GP horses and out of a very strong multiple GP and stallion producing dam line comes the Black 16.2H Stallion, GRANDOM. Grannus produced the international stars Top Gun, Imperial, Grannush and Grand Slam etc. With a lifetime total of well over five million DM so far, the offspring of this glossy black Hanoverian stallion including seven Olympic horses and more than 60 approved stallions that have made him one of the greatest sires in the world.

GRANDOM was licensed and stood several years in Belgium before moving to Hanover. GRANDOM was approved for breeding based on performance and was shown and bred at the same time while in Belgium. GRANDOM has won and placed from the start: Modified Division Champion at Santa Rosa, Modified division Res. Champion at Rancho Murieta, Winner Carousel

Medal and Res. Almaden Medal at Rancho Murieta. Besides wins over fences GRANDOM was winning and placing in hunter U/S classes.

GRANDOM's offspring are very uniform, even though they were out of a large variety of mares. They have beautiful front ends, nice round top lines, excellent shoulder angles and very good usage of the hind end. They are well behaved and easy to handle.

Several of his talented offspring have been sold internationally. GRANDOM sired the stallion, Granny Smith, who qualified for the Bundeschampionat as a 5 yr old with some very good scores entering 6th out of 155. He was selected for the prestigious PSI auction in '04 where he sold for \$90,000. Besides talented jumping horses GRANDOM produces hunters. He has a very even jumping style and a nice ground-covering trot, from the shoulder, with little knee and hock action. GRANDOM has been very successfully bred with both TB mares as well as Warmblood mares. In 2008 the mares Ghiselle and Galapagos R both passed their performance test and Galapagos R was excepted into The Hanoverian Jumper Breeding Program.

We are offering an Introductory Stud Fee for GRANDOM in 2010. If Booked in November/ December, his Stud Fee is \$1050 (includes a \$300 Booking Fee and 1st Collection) for Fresh Cooled Semen with a LFG. Offering a Multiple Mares Discount as well! Frozen semen will also be offered at an excellent price. Please direct all inquires to Andrea Phillips at annie_dressage@hotmail.com or Phone 519-699-4644.

Miscellaneous

Frozen Semen for Sale: 1 dose each of:

Hotline (Hofrat / DeNiro) - Licensing and SPT Champion; Reserve 6 Year Old Danish Riding Horse Champion \$850

Riccione (Regazzoni / Arogno / Bolero) - "10" for rideability, competing successfully at I1 \$850

San Rubin (OLD - Sandro Hit / Rubinstein) - 2005 Bundeschampion \$500

In storage at University of Guelph; purchaser pays shipping.

Contact: K Richardson at 905-983-9587; or email sunnydays@sympatico.ca.

FOR SALE: Ten professionally matted and wood-framed pictures of the founding Celle Stallions. \$800 for the entire matching and beautiful Hanoverian set.
Ph: 705-656-1771 or equi_pro@yahoo.com

Club Website - Horses For Sale: We remind our members that they can list horses for sale for free on the club website. Our webmaster is Joe Palmer and additions or deletions to Horses for Sale on our website are made four times a year on December, March, June and September 15th. As well, ads that are more than six months old will be deleted and to remain on the site, must be resubmitted by these dates.

Dry Shippers: The club owns two dry shippers which are available for rent to club members at \$50 per use of two weeks or less, plus all shipping charges. Contact Michael Boyd at mmboyd@rogers.com or (416) 239-0624.

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