ASIL CLUB

Internationale Gemeinschaft zur Erhaltung und Pflege des Asil Arabers
International Association for the Preservation and Rearing of the Asil Arabian

INVITATION TO THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2020

Dear Asil Club Members,

we would like to invite you to our Annual General Meeting. Unfortunately, Corona is making things difficult for us as well.

Compared to the luxury event at Schloss Bückeburg and the lovely meeting at the Buschfort family's Kauber Platte Stud, we have to make many concessions and keep our distance. So, we are forced to issue a rather subdued invitation to meet on

Saturday, 5th September 2020
at the Van der Valk Hotel, Markt 4 (GPS: Jacobistraße),
31134 Hildesheim.

Those interested in world heritage (**Group A**) will have the opportunity to visit the world heritage sites at 2:00 p.m. Hildesheim has much to offer, including the historic market place (with the *Knochenhaueramtshaus*, the finest half-timbered house in the world). Group A will meet at 2:00 p.m. outside the *Van der Valk Hotel*, and proceed from there to the cathedral (with its 1,000-year-old rose bush), the impressive St Michael's Church and the historic town quarter with its half-timbered houses.
For those wishing to see horses (**Group B),** we are planning a presentation at Schloss Söder, where at 2:00 p.m. horses from the Olms Hamasa Stud and other asil studs in the area will be shown. Around 3:00 p.m. we will depart for Hildesheim. Both groups will meet at the *Van der Valk Hotel*, where we have reserved the Wollenweber Hall. We will meet for a coffee around 3:45 p.m.; around 4:30 p.m. the meeting will begin with its presentations and formalities (see enclosed agenda). Relaxed get-together in the evening, if there is sufficient interest (see attachment). On Sunday those who are interested can walk the beautiful "Laves Culture Trail" around Derneburg Castle, a walk of some 2.5 kilometres.

Since we have to ensure sufficient distance in the meeting hall due to the precarious situation, we will need to know who is coming by 20th August, and also who is going to take part in activities A and B. We must have your decision as quickly as possible (see enclosure).

Yours

Senator e.h.
Dr. h.c. mult. W. Georg Olms
Chairman

Dipl.-Ing. Georg Thierer
Vice-Chairman

ENCLOSURES

Agenda, registration form, hygiene instructions, hotels

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AGENDA

4th September, 2:00 p.m. Board meeting via video/telephone conference

Saturday, 5th September 2020

Group A Culture
2:00 p.m. Departure from Van der Valk Hotel at the historic market place to **walk to the world heritage sites** Cathedral (1,000-year-old rose tree), St. Michael's Church, historic town quarter.

Group B Horses
2:00 p.m. **Presentation of horses at Schloss Söder**
31188 Holle OT Söder (Please park your car on the verge along the pasture, not at the castle!!)
Commentary: N.N.

All participants

appr. 3:45 p.m. **Registration and reception** of members, Van der Valk Hotel, Wollenwebersaal, Markt 4 (GPS: Jacobistraße), 31134 Hildesheim, Tel. +49-(0)5121-3000

Coffee break

appr. 4:30 p.m. **Asil Club Annual General Meeting**

- Annual report and presentation by the Chairman
- Treasurer's and auditor's report, approval of the actions of the board and the treasurer
- Approval of new members
- Miscellaneous, incl. *The Straight Irani Asil Arabian – Gudrun Waiditschka* (subject to approval)

appr. 5:30 – 6:00 p.m. Chairman's report on the UNESCO application

We will plan an informal get-together with a meal if there is sufficient interest. Please refer to the registration form.

Sunday, 6th September 2020

Those who are interested can walk along the beautiful "Laves Culuture Trail" around Derneburg Castle through the former gardens of the Earl of Münster, designed by his master builder G.L.F. Laves. Guided one hour tours for groups can be booked for an inclusive fee of € 50, starting from the *Van der Valk* Hotel (upon agreement).

Programme subject to change.