

Sports News

Busafar races to endurance victory

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AL Khalidiya Stables rider Ali Busafar finished on top in the Final Endurance Race of the Season for the Crown Prince Night Endurance Cup.

Busafar clocked 4:51.52 minutes in covering the 120-km race at an average speed of 24-kmph.

He was followed by Al Zaeem Stables rider Yaqoob Al Hammadi and female rider Shaikha Najla bint Saqr Al Khalifa in second and third places respectively.

The event was held under the patronage of Crown Prince, Deputy Supreme Commander and First Deputy Prime Minister Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa and organised by Bahrain Royal Equestrian and Endurance Federation (Breef).

Shaikh Isa bin Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, son of the Crown Prince, and Breef president Shaikh Faisal bin Rashid Al Khalifa awarded the winners.

Shaikh Isa hailed His Majesty King Hamad for his constant support to sports in the kingdom. He also praised the continuous support of the Crown Prince to equestrian and endurance sports.

Appreciation

Shaikh Isa also expressed his appreciation to chairman of the Supreme Council for Youth and Sport (SCYS), president of Bahrain Olympic Committee (BOC) and honorary chairman of Breef Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa, SCYS first deputy chairman and Bahrain Athletic Association president HH Shaikh Khalid bin Hamad Al Khalifa and the Breef president for their endless efforts to improve and promote sports in the kingdom.

Shaikh Nasser and Shaikh Khalid appreciated the patronage of the Crown Prince and stated that the race witnessed a high level of competition.



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