

Stallion Service Contract

◆ Mare Owner Information ◆

Owner's Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Daytime Phone:		
Nighttime Phone:		
Fax Number:		
Servicing Stallion:		
Stallion Service Fee:		

◆ Mare Information ◆

Mare's Name:	Registration#:
Mare's Color:	Mare's Type:
<input type="checkbox"/> Barren <input type="checkbox"/> Maiden <input type="checkbox"/> In Foal, due approximately _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Paid by check number _____ minus _____ Booking Deposit	
Fee _____ minus _____ = _____ Balance Due <small>Booking Deposit</small>	
<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ Shipping and Handling per Shipment	
<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ Veterinary Cooled Semen Processing Fee per Collection	
<input type="checkbox"/> Check # _____	

This contract entered into on the date of acceptance, by and between the designated mare *owner* and stallion *breeder* who mutually agree to abide by the following terms and conditions:

- Owner agrees to breed the listed mare to the servicing stallion for the specified service fee which includes a nonrefundable booking deposit of \$ _____.
- During the term of this contract, and during any return, breeder, will provide all services in accordance with accepted standards.
- Owner's account must be paid in full prior to any shipment of cooled semen. A breeder's certificate will be issued following the birth of the foal.
- Breeder offers a _____ guarantee if the mare does not settle or produces a foal that is stillborn. A collection fee and shipping and handling charge per shipment of semen will apply. Breeder is held harmless from all liability, and owner is entitled to a free return service the following year only if all services have been performed by a licensed veterinarian and under these conditions:
 - Breeder must be informed of any foal death within 7 days, and of miscarriage within 30 days by certified letter, return receipt requested.
 - Mare must be ultrasounded for pregnancy within _____ days following each breeding, and in October before the breeding reports are due.
- Should the stallion die, become unfit for service, or be sold, the breeder's liability is discharged fully by the return of the balance of the service fee for inability to breed or rebreeding with cooled semen. Owner reserves the right to substitute another mare the following year if the listed mare dies.

◆ Additional Conditions for Mares Bred With Transported Cooled Semen ◆

- The Stallion Service Fee and container deposit (if any) must be paid in full prior to shipment by certified/cashier's check.
- A fee _____ is charged per collection to cover veterinary costs for collection and processing. Breeder's responsibility is to ship semen in viable condition to the mare owner. Mare must be inseminated on the date of delivery by a licensed veterinarian. The semen may be used only for the designated mare.
- Stallion is DNA'd. Semen analyzed and tested for sperm count and motility. Collection and packaging procedures meet and/or exceed industry standards.
- All shipping and delivery fees are at owner's expense. *Requests for semen must be received no later than 8p.m. Pacific Time* prior to a regularly scheduled breeding day. A \$ _____ fee will be charged to cover the shipping and handling per shipment.
- A shipping container can be provided on request. *The container must be shipped back to the breeder by overnight carrier within _____ from its receipt or the contract will be voided.*
- Owner assumes the unavoidable risks inherent in all horse-related activities, including, but not limited to; accident, theft, illness, death, loss, damage and injury to semen, shipping container, owner's horses(s), owner, and family members. Owner agrees to look solely to his insurance for compensation for any such loss, and further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless, the stallion breeder his family and employees.
- In the event it becomes necessary to refer debts arising from this contract to an attorney for collection, or if suit is instituted hereon, owner agrees to pay all reasonable court costs and attorney's fees incurred in the suit or collections. Payment past due thirty-days (30) will be considered as a default and breeder is entitled to a possessory lien against owner's horse(s) and foal.
- Owner further agrees that this contract is made and entered into in the County of Yolo in the State of California, and that it shall be interpreted, enforced and transacted under the laws of said state, and within the designated county, regardless of the manner of breeding solicitation.
- Owner's signature on this contract certifies that (s)he has read and fully understands all of the terms and conditions outlined herein, and accepts this contract as a legal and binding instrument on behalf of the owner, owner's heirs, successors and assigns. This agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties. No other agreements, whether verbal or implied, are included. This contract may not be transferred or assigned.

◆ Special Conditions ◆

◆ Signatures ◆

Signature of Mare Owner/Agent _____
 Breeder Signature _____
 Accepted on _____
 Deposit/Fee _____ 200__
 *This contract is for the _____ season

◆ Please sign and return both pages of this contract with your Booking Deposit and a copy of the Mare's registration papers. ◆



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