

Breeding at Farm

Penn State University Horse Barn

1. **Expected Arrival Date:** _____.
2. **Completed Form B, “Mare Disclosure/Information” required :** The mare owner agrees to submit completed Form B, “Mare Disclosure/Information” either prior to or upon arrival of the mare on the premises of the breeding facility.
3. **Fees for on the farm breeding:** There will be a \$175 Chute Fee for all mares bred on the farm. This includes routine palpations, inseminations (for mares being bred artificially), and HCG if necessary. All other veterinary reproductive procedures deemed necessary will be charged separately. The initial chute fee covers the first two heat cycles for that mare if necessary. An additional chute fee of \$100 will be charged for each additional heat cycle for which the mare is at the farm during the current year. If rebreeding is necessary, new chute fees will be assessed in the following year as per the new breeding contract.
4. **Payment of fees:** The balance of the breeding fee \$_____, chute fee, accrued board, veterinary expenses, mare care, farrier expenses, and other related charges shall become due and payable prior to or at time of pick up of the mare.
5. **Mare Care and Board:** Charges for mare care will be \$14 per day for mares with foals and \$12 per day for mares without foals. The mare owner hereby states that he/she has inspected the premises of the breeding farm, including the facilities in which the mare is to be kept and is satisfied with their condition, upkeep, and safety. The mare owner agrees that the standard of care to be imposed upon the farm is that of ordinary care of a prudent horse owner.
6. **Mare Owner Responsibilities:** The mare owner agrees to provide the farm with a reasonable and sufficient opportunity to settle the mare; at least two heat periods. The mare owner assumes all responsibility for pregnancy testing. The mare owner agrees to have their mare pregnancy checked within forty-five days from the date of last breeding and notify the farm of the results within five days from the date of the pregnancy check. The mare will be given, at the mare owner’s expense, Rhinopneumonitis vaccinations during her fifth, seventh, and ninth months of gestation or the live foal guarantee will become null and void.
7. **Mare Owner Warrants:** Mare/Mare and foal is, to the mare owner’s knowledge, free from transmittable illnesses or diseases. The mare shall be halter broke and reasonably safe for handling and breeding. **MARES THAT ARE NOT HALTER BROKEN WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.** Rear shoes shall be removed. All mares shall be accompanied upon arrival by a negative COGGINS TEST dated within the current calendar year and a veterinary health certificate dated within two weeks indicating a current vaccination status for RHINOPNEUMONITIS, INFLUENZA, TETANUS TOXOID, RABIES, STRANGLES and EASTERN/WESTERN ENCEPHALOMYELITIS. The mare owner will also present the results of a reproductive exam performed by their veterinarian. Procedures performed will be at the discretion of the mare owner’s veterinarian. Mares not accompanied by a certificate will be vaccinated shortly after arrival at the farm at the expense of the mare owner. The mare owner authorizes the farm, to perform any routine reproductive veterinary services, (such as but not limited to palpation) as the farm veterinarians may deem reasonably necessary. Depending on the stallion that the mare is booked to and at the Farms discretion, the mare may be bred either naturally or via artificial insemination.

Form B ~ Mare Information/Disclosure Statement ~ Breeding at Farm Penn State University Horse Barn

Mare Name: _____ Registration # _____

Service Stallion: _____ Year of Birth of Mare: _____

Designated value of Mare: _____

Is the mare a maiden? **YES** **NO**

If "no" to the above question, was the mare bred last year? **YES** **NO**

If "yes" to the previous question, and mare is barren; please describe breeding season events (Use additional sheet if necessary): _____

Has mare delivered a prior foal? **YES** **NO** If yes, how many? _____ Last year mare foaled: _____

If foal accompanies Mare; state date foaled: _____

Has foal been dewormed? **YES** **NO** Date & Type: _____

Mare ~ State date of last vaccinations as follows:

Eastern/Western Encephalomyelitis _____ Rhinopneumonitis: _____

Influenza: _____ Tetanus Toxoid: _____ Rabies: _____

West Nile: _____ Strangles: _____

Date & Type of last dewormer: _____

Current Negative Coggins Test dated: _____

If any Pre-Breeding Veterinary procedures have been completed, please advise & provide copies of records. State any special dietary, farrier or veterinary medications/services required of the mare or foal. (Mare owner agrees that Farm may surcharge or reject mare if such special services listed below are practically prohibitive). Also state any medical history of horse that is pertinent: _____

State any habits of Mare to be aware of: _____

State any known allergies to feeds: _____

State Current Feeding Program ~ Type of Grain/Hay, if Pellets (Brand) & Amounts: _____

We feed Blue Seal Hunter Pellets and either grass or alfalfa hay. You may bring your own feed, however; we cannot offer any discounts on mare care rates.

In the event of colic or life threatening illness of Mare and/or Foal, all means available as instructed by attending veterinarian will be utilized to save said Mare/Foal, including surgery. If mare owner chooses to refuse specified treatments; it is described as follows: _____

Is mare insured? **YES** **NO** If yes, state name of Insurance Company: _____

Policy No.: _____ Insurance Ph: _____

Please provide a copy of the insurance stall card for our records.

Mare Owner/Lessor: _____

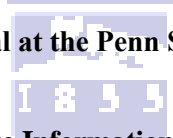
Full Address: _____

Daytime Ph: _____ Evening Ph: _____

Cell Ph: _____ E-mail address: _____

Alternate Contact & Phone in Event of Emergency:

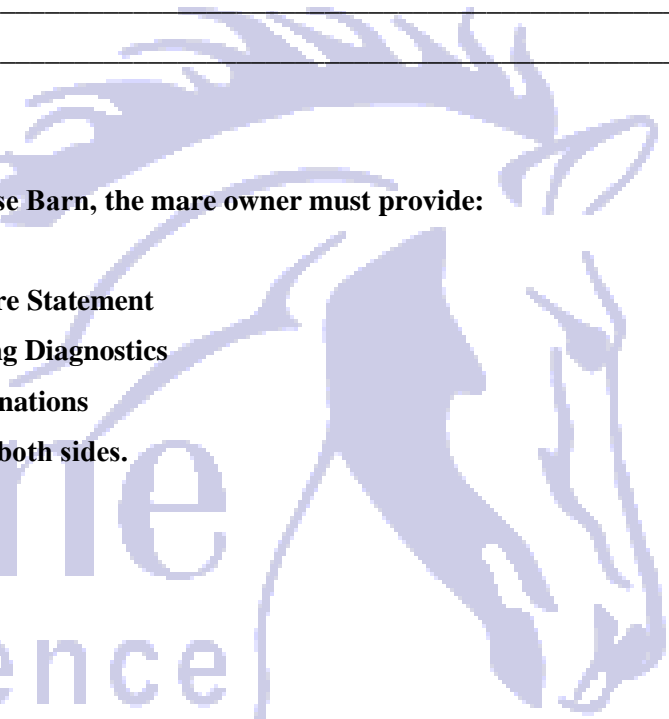
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Prior to the mare's arrival at the Penn State Horse Barn, the mare owner must provide:

- ✓ **Form B, Mare Information/Disclosure Statement**
- ✓ **Copy of Negative Coggins & Breeding Diagnostics**
- ✓ **Copy of Vet Certified Current Vaccinations**
- ✓ **Copy of mare's Registration Papers both sides.**

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Signature of Mare Owner/Lessor _____ Date: _____

The Pennsylvania State University _____ Date: _____