

# MARE MANAGEMENT CONTRACT

1. I hereby agree to breed my mare \_\_\_\_\_ Reg. # \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Reg. # \_\_\_\_\_ for the **2018** season at Arnold Reproduction Center (ARC) in Weatherford, Texas. All veterinary work performed on the mare, including but not limited to hormonal regulation, routine worming and vaccinations will be an additional charge to the Mare Owner. Mare Owner agrees that ARC may examine the mare for normal breeding conditions, and may perform such other services as deemed necessary, to prepare mare for breeding at Mare Owner's expense. Mare Owner is responsible for all fees pertaining to courier/transportation of the semen from other breeding facilities or the courier/transportation of the mare to an off-site facility for breedings contracted to off-site stallions. If breeding to multiple stallions; please list all stallions on back of this contract.
2. Breeding work will be done on a per procedure basis. Attached to this contract is a list of some common fees, reproductive procedures and hormonal regulation medications.
3. **No mare will be bred before the terms set forth in the Mare Management Contract and Stallion Service Contract (if applicable) are signed and on file.** Additionally, any contract(s) and a copy of the mare's registration papers must be on file before the mare will be bred. Contracts that are not filled out completely are invalid.
4. All other expenses, including board, vet expenses, farrier (if necessary), etc. are due monthly. Any account thirty days (30) past due may be assessed a finance charge of **1.5%** per month. **All bills are to be paid in full before mare will be allowed to depart the breeding facility.**
5. Every mare must have proof of a current negative Coggins test and be current on all vaccinations. Every mare must be dewormed 30 days prior to arriving at breeding facility. Should mare arrive without proof of negative Coggins and/or vaccination/deworming records, blood will be drawn by ARC for a Coggins test and/or a vaccination/deworming will be administered at the Mare Owner's expense. In addition, a record of hoof care for mares/foals should be presented along with the above documents. The mare and/or foal shall be in a healthy condition and shall be free from infectious, contagious or transmittable disease or it will not be permitted on premises.
6. The mare must be halter broke. **Mares not halter broken WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED for breeding.**
7. Breeding season will begin February 1<sup>st</sup> and close July 15<sup>th</sup>.
8. Diligent efforts will be made to impregnate the mare. However, if for any reason she does not become pregnant, the Mare Owner will not hold ARC and/or their representatives liable.
9. Mare Owner acknowledges that the activities taking place at a breeding facility are by their inherent dangerous activities and that participation by Mare Owner, his/her personnel, mare and/or foal in such activities exposes Mare Owner, his/her personnel, mare and/or foal to a risk of sickness, injury or death. Mare Owner expressly acknowledges that participation by Mare Owner, his/her personnel, mare and/or foal in such activities involves a broad range of inherent risk, including but not limited to:
- A. the propensity of livestock to behave in ways that may result in personal injury or death to a person around it;
  - B. the unpredictability of livestock's reaction to sound, a sudden movement, or an unfamiliar object, or other animal;
  - C. certain land conditions and hazards, including surface and subsurface condition;
  - D. a collision of livestock with another animal or an object;
  - E. the potential that another animal may expose the mare and/or foal to sickness or disease;
  - F. the propensity of livestock to behave in ways that may result in self-inflicted injury or death of such livestock; and
  - G. the propensity of a person to act in negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the mare and/or foal, including, but not limited to, failing to maintain control over livestock or not acting within the person's ability.
10. If Mare Owner elects to provide equine insurance for mare and foal to insure against such risk, coverage is provided by:
- Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Agent: \_\_\_\_\_
- Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
11. The Mare Owner hereby grants ARC a security interest in the mare, and any foal born to the mare as a result of the breeding contemplated in this contract, and the proceeds of any sales of the mare or its foal, to secure (1) payment of any and all sums due pursuant to this contract, and (2) all liability of the Mare Owner to ARC now existing or hereinafter incurred, matured or unmatured, direct or contingent, and any renewals or extensions or substitutions therefore.
12. The undersigned agrees to pay all previously designated expenses on a monthly basis. All accounts are due in full at billing (first day of each month) or before mare is released from ARC. If necessary, a finance charge of 1.5% per month on the unpaid balance shall be added to all accounts, computed from the due date.
- The undersigned agrees that should it become necessary for ARC to retain the services of an attorney to enforce its rights under the terms of this contract, including but not limited to the collection of any sums due hereunder, the undersigned mare owner agrees to pay ARC all expenses and costs, including reasonable and necessary attorney's fees incurred by ARC in enforcing this contract
13. This Contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas. Venue for all purposes shall be in Parker County, Texas.

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**Mare Boarding (Select One)**

- Dry Mare Stall.....\$23/day
- Wet Mare Stall.....\$23/day
- Show Mare Stall.....\$25/day  
(additional \$8/day for exercising)

**IMPORTANT NOTE**

Please be sure you return the following items to ARC:

- Completed and Signed Contract
- Copy of Mare's Registration Paper
- Current Coggins on Mare  
(If mare doesn't arrive with a current coggins, one will be done at the owner's expense.)

**Mare Owner Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  Call  Text

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Agent: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Information**

Is this mare maiden?  Yes  No

Is mare accompanied by a foal?  Yes  No Date foaled: \_\_\_\_\_

Foal Sex : \_\_\_\_\_ Sire: \_\_\_\_\_

Foal Color / Description: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please List All Stallions In Order Of Desired Breeding**

#1 Stallion \_\_\_\_\_

Carry  ET  ICSI

Standing At \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

#2 Stallion \_\_\_\_\_

Carry  ET  ICSI

Standing At \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

#3 Stallion \_\_\_\_\_

Carry  ET  ICSI

Standing At \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

#4 Stallion \_\_\_\_\_

Carry  ET  ICSI

Standing At \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Each party to this Transfer Contract has fully read it, fully understands it and consents to abide by its terms.**

ARC Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mare Owner or Leasee: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

