

Bergren Family Arabians L.L.C.

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BREEDING CONTRACT

Mare Owner:

Phone :

Address:

Mare Name & Reg. Number:

Name of Stallion:

Stud Fee:

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. Board, Veterinary and miscellaneous expenses are payable monthly and unpaid balance must be paid before mare or mares will be released.

2. All mares will be examined by Bergren Family Arabians veterinarian before service, at mare owners expense. Any treatments deemed necessary shall be at mare owners expense.

3. All methods & procedures, as they relate to breeding, will be at the discretion of Bergren Family Arabians, and may be subject to nominal service charges.
4. Bergren Family Arabians reserves the right to refuse service to any mare.
5. Mare owner agrees for him (her) self and mare owner's representatives that neither mare owner nor mare owner's representative will under any circumstances hold S.P.E.A.H., Bergren Family Arabians L.L.C., its employees, veterinarians, or farrier responsible for injury, death, loss, loss of use or damage of any kind that may occur to horses, individuals, or equipment while at Bergren Family Arabians or thereafter.
6. The State of Michigan requires a current Negative Coggins Test for all horses over 12 months of age.
7. All breedings to a stallion owned by Bergren Family Arabians carry a Live Foal Guarantee, PROVIDED the mare or mares are cared for according to the norms of uncontestable good animal husbandry which include but are not limited to appropriate immunizations, and proper, standard or indicated prenatal care is provided throughout the entire gestation period or periods. Bergren Family Arabians considers any gestation period in excess of 345 days, calculated from the last day of mare service, to be a high risk pregnancy, and reserves the right to honor or deny its Live Foal Guarantee. A Live Foal is defined as one who stands and nurses for 24 hours. If a mare fails to produce a live foal, such mare or a substitute mare may be used during the next breeding season. If the mare or its substitute fails to produce a live foal after breeding during the return breeding season, or if the mare owner fails to make arrangements for breeding during the return breeding season, this breeding contract shall be considered fulfilled, and unless other arrangements are made by mutual consent, no additional breedings shall be due to the mare owner.

SHIPPED SEMEN STIPULATIONS

1. Concurrent with, and in addition to the service fee for the stallion of your choice, a Shipping Fee Deposit of _____ will be required before semen is shipped. With each request for semen, a Collection Fee of _____ plus the freight charges will be deducted from the Shipping Fee Deposit. Upon notification that semen is no longer needed, and the entire container being returned, any residual of the Shipping Fee Deposit will promptly be refunded. Improper care, use, incomplete return of the container and its parts, or excessive delay in returning our container will cause additional charges to be deducted from the Shipping Fee Deposit. It is preferred that the mare owner obtains their own freight account for direct billing.
2. Refusal of any requested shipment without mutual consent, or service of the mare by another stallion VIA any breeding method, automatically voids this contract with the loss of all fees and guarantees.
3. Bergren Family Arabians reserves the right to require an additional Shipping Fee Deposit and/or a rebreed fee and/or re-service fees and/or cover fees and/or training-handling fees for any mare .
4. Requests for semen with less than 48 hours alert, or at a time when usual and ordinary means of transportation are not available, are subject to additional service charges. Bergren Family Arabians reserves the right to deny any request for semen made without good and/or timely notice.
5. Finance Charge is applied to all accounts unpaid after 30 days of billing. Finance Charge is computed by a periodic rate of 1.5% per month, which is the annual percentage rate of 18.0%. Minimum charge per month is \$20.00. Check return fee is \$25.00 plus Bank service charges. All breeding contracts whose balances are in arrears over ninety days are subject to cancellation with the loss of all fees and guarantees, and become subject to collection.