

RHODES RIVER RANCH

Transported Semen Contract

STALLION _____

Reg # _____

MARE _____

Reg # _____



Rhodes River Ranch

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STUD FEE: \$ _____ (includes \$500.00 non-refundable booking fee.)

Stallion manager and mare owner agree this _____ day of _____, _____ to breed the mare named above to the stallion named above for the _____ breeding season which begins February 15 and ends July 31.

In return for the above consideration, Rhodes River Ranch (RRR) agrees to its best efforts to provide viable semen to the mare owner in a timely manner.

A \$500.00 nonrefundable booking fee is due with this signed contract. Semen will not be shipped until the balance of the stud fee (\$ _____) is paid in full.

There are additional charges for Collection and Shipment.

\$250.00 collection and shipping fee per shipment by Fed-Ex or UPS overnight.

\$350.00 collection and shipping fee per shipment by airline counter to counter. (includes courier to airport fee)

\$100.00 same day request and collection fee.

Please complete and return this contract, a copy of the mare's papers and your check to Rhodes River Ranch at the address above.

1) A Hamilton Thorne EQUITAINEER will be used for the transportation of the shipped semen. RRR requires a credit card number to be on file as a deposit in the amount of \$375.00 for the Equitainer BEFORE any semen will be shipped. No charges will be incurred if the Equitainer is returned in good condition within four business days. Any Equitainer that is not received by RRR within four days, a late charge of \$50.00/ day will be billed to you. Please return the Equitainer to the address above.

2) The semen MUST be ordered by the mare owner or a agent by 3:00 pm PST the night before shipment. Please fax your orders to (360)474-8323 or Telephone (360)474-8313. If mare owner or agent has not received verification by 9:00 am of shipment day it is the responsibility of the mare owner or agent to call RRR to verify that shipment request was received.

3) Saturday and Sunday shipments are made by special arrangements only. Rhodes River Ranch and its employees are not responsible for any errors made by the shipping company.

4) It is the mare owners responsibility to have a certified veterinarian or experienced breeding technician, inseminate the mare, complete all the forms, return the forms to Rhodes River Ranch and the proper breed association.

5) A Breeder's certificate will be issued for the foal conceived as a result of the stallion's services. The Breeder's certificate will be issued only after all stallion fees and other expenses have been paid in full and when the stallion manager has been notified of the birth of a live foal.

6) It is further agreed that should the above named stallion die or become unfit for services after the mare is pronounced safely in foal, stallion owner (Breeder) is released from all further responsibilities.

7) This contract offers a live foal guarantee. A live foal is defined as a foal that stands and nurses within 24 hours. If the mare miscarries, aborts, proves barren after being pregnancy checked in foal, or fails to conceive during a normal breeding season, RRR agrees to rebreed said mare again during the immediately following year's breeding season. If a foal is born dead, the rebreed privileges are valid only if RRR is notified within seven days and receives a veterinarian's statement confirming the death of the foal.

8) Mare Owner agrees to maintain mare in good condition during the term of her pregnancy.

9) This contract is neither transferable nor assignable. In the event that mare is sold this contract must accompany the mare. The owner of record after the sale must notify RRR in order to sign a new contract prior to the birth of the foal without which the live foal guarantee will be void.

10) When signed by both parties, this document will become a legally enforced contract binding upon both parties.

11) Limitation of Liability. Any disputes arising under the terms of this contract shall be resolved under Washington State Law before Snohomish County Washington District or Superior Courts. Notice of service of process in connection with any legal action arising under the terms of this agreement shall be deemed received so long as either party mails such notice by regular U.S. mail to the other party at addresses listed herein. All costs and attorney's fees incurred as a result of any lien foreclosure actions arising under the terms of this contract shall be paid by the owner. Costs and attorney's fees which are incurred as a result of any other dispute arising under this agreement shall be paid by the non-prevailing party.

Notes: _____

Mare Owner's / Agent's Signature

Date

Stallion Manager's Signature

Date