

Davidson Dales Pony Farm

Contract for Frozen Semen – Breeding Season 2006

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Clayton, CA 94517
(925) 673-5203

This is to certify that (mare owner) _____

Address _____

Home phone _____ E-mail _____

has contracted to purchase one Breeding Service to the Dales Pony stallion *Colliery Alick*, Dales Pony Society Registration # 96/78 for the Breeding Service fee of:

\$500.00 Breeding season: **2006 (March 15 through October 15, inclusive)**, for the

Mare (name): _____ Breed: _____

Registry: _____ Registration #: _____

- This Breeding Contract is a legally binding document. A **\$250.00** non-refundable Booking fee (via cashier's check or money order) must be paid when mare owner returns this contract. This fee will be applied to the Breeding Service Fee, and is due each subsequent breeding season should the above named mare fail to conceive during the season contracted.
- It is understood that the mare shall be in healthy and sound breeding condition. Davidson Dales Pony Farm (DDPF) advises all clients to have a complete reproductive exam performed prior to booking/breeding. We also ask all mare owners to supply a complete reproductive history via **Addendum A**.
- Frozen semen will be shipped Monday through Thursday. Friday shipments are also available but usually incur additional shipping charges.
- Three (3) doses of semen will be transported with each shipment. Each dose is guaranteed at least 1 billion sperm. If the initial 3 doses do not result in pregnancy and additional shipments are requested by mare owner, a breeding consultation will first be required between DDPF, the mare owner, and the attending veterinarian(s). **A veterinary certificate stating that the mare is in sound breeding health and free of infection will be necessary prior to any additional shipments of semen.**
- It is understood that the semen shall be used only for the mare designated in this contract; should the transported semen be used on another mare without prior written permission from DDPF, this contract will become null and void with no further recourse.
- ALL doses of semen not used by mare owner **MUST** be returned to DDPF via Pioneer Equine Hospital.

Further Terms and Conditions:

- For all shipments, we request at least 2 days notice prior to the desired receiving date. All fees and other charges (see **Addendum B** for fee schedule), including transportation via Federal Express, not included in the Breeding Service fee must be paid in full to Pioneer Equine Hospital, Oakley, CA prior to shipment of semen.
- The balance of the Breeding Service fee is due in full, paid directly to DDPF via cashier's check or money order, prior to shipment of semen.
- DDPF only assumes responsibility to ship out semen in viable condition at the time it leaves Pioneer Equine Hospital premises to either the mare owner or their designee. **The semen must be administered by a licensed veterinarian.**
- DDPF shall provide a signed and completed copy of the Dales Pony Society *Artificial Insemination Form A*, which will accompany the semen with the container as requested by the Dales Pony Society when breeding Dales mares with shipped semen. It is the responsibility of the mare owner to obtain Form B *Certificate of Artificial Insemination of a Mare* and Form C *Certificate of Pregnancy*.
- The container must be returned within 7 days of arrival, with the signed "Delivery Certificate of Transported Semen" enclosed. Failure to comply with this term may result in the forfeit of the container deposit, and a new deposit would then be required to receive further shipments.
- DDPF recommends that a licensed veterinarian examine the bred mare between 14 and 21 days post-ovulation / end of estrus. DDPF advises optimal time for ultrasound is between day 15 and 17, as this is the most successful time frame for identifying twins.
- DDPF requires that all mare owners supply pregnancy status as stated/verified in writing by attending veterinarian no later than 90 days post breeding.
- It is agreed that a live foal is guaranteed (LFG) from this breeding. A live foal is defined as a foal that stands and nurses. If the foal is born dead, return privileges may be exercised by the mare owner if DDPF is notified within **72 hours** from the foaling date and receives a signed veterinarian's statement concerning the cause of death within **30 days**. If return privileges are exercised the following breeding season, an additional **\$250.00** non-refundable booking fee will be due at that time.

When DDPF signs and returns a copy of this contract to the mare owner, it will then become a legally binding contract for both parties, subject to all the above terms and conditions. This contract cannot be assigned or transferred by mare owner without PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT from DDPF.

DDPF / Kelly Davidson Chou _____ Date: _____

Mare Owner _____ Date: _____

Name & Address / Contact information where semen will be shipped:

Name & Contact information of attending veterinarian:

Addendum A to Breeding Contract

Mare Breeding Information:

1. Registered Name of Mare:
2. When did your mare last conceive (provide at least the year)?
3. Did she produce a live foal?
4. Has your mare ever aborted or absorbed an embryo over 30 days old?

If yes, When?

5. Has your mare ever lost a foal? When?

6. Has your mare ever experienced serious problems during foaling?

If yes, when?

Details:

7. Has your mare ever retained a placenta or a “tag”? If yes, when?

8. Has your mare ever had a uterine infection? If yes, when?

9. Has your mare ever failed to conceive after a full breeding season?

If yes, when?

Which breeding methods were used?

Thank you for your time!

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Addendum B to Breeding Contract

SCHEDULE OF DIRECT COSTS OF SHIPMENT*

Container Deposit (refundable)	\$750.00**
Tank Rental Fee	\$75.00
Handling Fee (per mare/per year)	\$45.00
Federal Express shipment	at cost

* Mare owner is encouraged to contact Pioneer Equine Hospital for up-to-date costs. Fees may have increased since this document was created.

** Mare owner will leave a credit card number with Pioneer equine hospital for the deposit on the container. The credit card will not be charged unless the container is not returned, or is returned damaged, or is returned late.

All above fees will be paid directly to:

Pioneer Equine Hospital
11501 Pioneer Avenue
Oakdale, California 95361

Tel: (209) 847-5951
Fax: (209) 847-5954

Contacts: Dr. Hilda Baisel; Ellen Kim – Repro Technician