Visiting Mare Livery Terms and Conditions (SHORT TERM)

General

Barrowby Connemara's furthermore referred to as "the stud". The owner named on the booking form furthermore referred to as "the owner". The owner is entering into a full livery contract with the stud. You are employing the stud to act as an agent on your behalf. Livery booking forms must be accompanied by the booking fee of £100.00 in order to secure a place for your mare, this payment will be deducted from your livery bill.

Successful pregnancy or delivery of a live healthy foal is not guaranteed, in the event that your mare is scanned not in foal it will be taken that you wish to continue up to a maximum of three attempts. All mares that are bred by natural cover or artificial breeding are done so at your own risk and the stud cannot be held liable for any accident, injury or disease as a result. Mares are foaled at your risk and we do not accept any liability for any damages or compensation in respect of any injury, illness or death suffered by any mare and/or foal as a result of foaling.

All details regarding stallion choice must be provided up front, stallion stud fees must be paid to the stallion owner/agent in good time, we cannot be held responsible for not being able to order semen because it has not been paid for. We will not pay your stud fee under any circumstances.

Visiting Mares

Visiting mares as standard are on grazing livery which is charged per day, we will provide your mare/and foal with a well fenced field with suitable grazing and access to a clean supply of water. Visiting mares will be charged a groom's fee per attendance – applicable to bringing in/turning out, teasing and covering mares. Daily routine field checks will not be charged. Extreme circumstances and non-outlined requests will be charged at cost plus 15% and the fees are payable by the mare owner before departure of mares. Professional incidentals such as attending the farrier, veterinarian and veterinary instructed attendances will be charged a non-routine fee per hour. In the instance that a mare is proving difficult to cover/complications the stud reserves the right to scan/Inject/artificially inseminate a mare as deemed necessary and the charges are payable by the mare owner. All mares that are injected by stud staff under the instruction of veterinarians are done so at your own risk and the stud cannot be held liable for any accident, injury or disease as a result. At the discretion of the stud, If deemed necessary your horses feet may be trimmed and charged in addition to stud and livery fees. Farrier prices are set by the farrier and you are liable for full payment. Any specific farriery requirements must be notified on the booking form. Mares are to be wormed at least 72 hours prior to arrival at stud. The stud must be notified of any stereotypical behaviour (vices) of the mare prior to the arrival/agreement of arrival. If they are not disclosed and are present in the mare during her stay the stud reserve the right to request the removal of the mare forfeiting the booking fee and all livery fees must be paid in full. The stud reserves the right to refuse and/or remove any mare that they consider dangerous to themselves or others, arrives in poor condition or is deemed unfit for breeding, forfeiting the booking fee/stud fee/livery fees of which some or all are applicable. Visiting mares are to be sent to the stud unshod, in the instance that shoes are needed for medical reasons mares will only be accepted with front shoes. No mare will be allowed to stud with hind shoes fitted. It is advised that mares are vaccinated. It is advised that mares and foals are Insured. Mares and foals whilst at this stud will receive every possible care and attention but no responsibility is taken by the stud for accident, theft or disease. Mares and foals that are not insured are sent at the owner's risk. In the case of an emergency if the Owners/Agent are not contactable within a reasonable timescale the stud reserves the right to instruct veterinary care and authorise euthanasia as deemed necessary and all costs are payable by the mare owner. Mares that need to be stabled as the stud sees necessary are subject to stabled livery fees and are payable by the mare owner. Any rugs being sent must be washed and clearly labelled before accompanying your horse to stud. It is advised at minimum that mares stay at the stud until a positive 28 day heart beat scan has been achieved, it is preferable that mares have a positive 42 day scan before mares are transported, mares removed before this scan do so at the owners risk. Mares must be removed from stud within 7days of the stud requesting collection.

Veterinary

Upon entering into this contract with the stud you are employing Barrowby Connemaras as the agent between you and the Veterinary practise. You are not the client of the veterinary practise and all fees are payable to the Stud. The stud's veterinarian is Equine Reproductive Services Ltd and they are on site routinely 3 days per week throughout the breeding season for reproduction assistance. Your horse will receive veterinary services whilst at the stud and you will be invoiced by the stud for goods and services provided by the veterinarian. A copy of the contract between the stud and the veterinary practise is available to view on our website. The fee levels are determined by the time spent on a case and according to the medicines, materials and consumables used. The mare owner is liable for payment of all fees relating to their horse. You give permission for the stud to instruct and authorise veterinary care and all costs are payable by the mare owner. All Ultrasound Scans will be carried out by the veterinary surgeons instructed by the stud. The standard stud vet package includes CEM swab & culture Laboratory fee, Pre-breeding examination, Ultrasound Scans, hormone injections, pregnancy diagnosis at 14days, 21 days, 28days, 42days and twin management per one breeding cycle. Emergency and other than above fore mentioned medical procedures are not included in the Vet Package. Additional reproduction procedures are sometimes recommended and are not included in the pre-paid package and will be charged additionally, the mare owner agrees to pay the fees. Where the Vet Package is declined you agree to pay for veterinary procedures and medical advice on an individual item billing basis. Emergency out of hours call outs and/or emergency treatments are subject to additional fees and are payable in full by the mare owner. All mares that receive treatment by our veterinarian are done so at your own risk and the stud cannot be held liable for any accident, injury or disease as a result.

Passports

Your horse's passport must accompany them to stud. They should be signed out of the human food chain or by accepting our terms and conditions you authorise for the stud to sign the horse out of the human food chain on your behalf should your horse receive any medication deeming them unsuitable for the human food chain. If you wish your horse to remain in the human food chain, we must be notified in writing on arrival.

AI Technicians

Mares will be Artificially Inseminated at the stud by a Qualified DEFRA approved AI Technician, If for any instance the insemination is to be carried out by a veterinarian the fees are payable by the mare owner. Insemination by a DEFRA approved Technician is not included in the stud fee. All mares that are artificially inseminated by a DEFRA approved technician are done so at your own risk and the stud cannot be held liable for any accident, injury or disease as a result.

Payment terms

Stud and Veterinary fees must be paid in full on account at the time of arrival of your mare. In the event of cancellation, the booking fee is non-refundable. Vouchers cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer unless they have been purchased direct from the stud for the full cash value. All outstanding fees must be paid as cleared funds to the stud prior to the departure of a visiting mare. The stud holds legal title to any foal resulting from our services until all outstanding fees have been paid in full. Any cheque returned by our bank or cash tendered and found to be counterfeit will result in the original account being restored to the original sum with further charges added in respect of the bank charges and administrative costs.

General Data Protection Regulation

The stud will fairly, lawfully and transparently adhere to data protection principles. The owner agrees that the stud may share the owners' details with third parties who have an involvement in the professional care of the owners' horse/s and that the stud cannot be held liable for any subsequent data sharing from the third party.