



## Breeding Contract

This contract is made on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024, between Valleyfield Farm and \_\_\_\_\_, (Purchaser), for the breeding of the mare \_\_\_\_\_, to the stallion \_\_\_\_\_.

### Owner Information:

Mare Owner(s):	Email:
Address:	Phone #:
Town/City:	
Province/State:	
Postal Code/Zip Code:	

### Mare Information:

Name:	Sire:
DOB:	Dam:
Breed:	Sire of Dam:
Registration #:	Last Date Foaled or Currently in Foal:
Color/Markings:	_____

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\*\* A copy of the mare's registration papers is due with this contract and please also include a picture of your mare.

**Studbook/Registry**

The foal will be registered: (circle one)

Canadian Sport Horse    Canadian Warmblood    KWPN    WSI

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Booking/Contract Details:**

1. This mare is booked by name and the contract is valid to this mare only. Neither contract nor the return privilege can be transferred without written permission from Valleyfield Farm.
2. The semen shipment from the above-named stallion is to be used only on the mare named in this contract. If the semen is used on a mare other than the above named in the contract, the full-posted stud fee of the stallion and contract is due immediately.
3. The mare's health condition is the responsibility of the Purchaser. The Purchaser will ensure that the mare is in sound breeding condition. We recommend that the Purchaser's vet examine and assess your mare's breeding soundness and your mare should have a negative uterine culture prior to breeding (but is not required). We expect you to follow your veterinarian's recommendations.
4. We recommend that the Purchaser/mare Owner vaccinate the mare for Rhinopneumonitis (Equine Herpes Virus Type 1) at 5,7 and 9 months of pregnancy, the Purchaser shall also ensure that the mare is kept in proper condition and be kept up to date on all worming and all other vaccinations.
5. We strongly recommend that the above-named mare be checked for pregnancy and ultrasound by a veterinarian 14-17 days post breeding. The mare should be re-checked between 28-35 days for pregnancy. The Purchaser/mare owner must inform Valleyfield Farm of the above-named mare's pregnancy status by day 55 or no later than October 24th,

2024.

6. Frozen semen breedings will require a \$300 collection fee paid directly to Westhills Veterinary Services.

7. Valleyfield Farm agrees to provide frozen semen in viable condition from the above named stallion at the time of delivery, to the Purchaser at the approved address. Valleyfield Farm is not responsible for any semen shipments that are lost, delayed or damaged during transport. This semen must be administered by a licensed veterinarian or by a breeding technician approved by Valleyfield Farm on the day of delivery, or the Live Foal Guarantee (LFG) and the contractual obligations may not apply.

8. The Purchaser must contact Westhills Equine Veterinary Services for semen shipments, which will be dependent on semen tank availability. Semen orders will be filled in the order in which they are received. It is encouraged for the Purchaser to have semen shipped sooner than at the time of breeding to ensure availability.

The Purchaser will be responsible for any shipping costs and semen handling fees, paid directly to Westhills Veterinary Services prior to shipping.

9. Collections will be available Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Cancel/confirm by 8 am the collection day and must be put on the list 24 hours prior.

Purchaser should contact Westhills Veterinary Services to set up an account prior to booking.

**Westhills Veterinary Services EVS**

**780-898-9267**

**repro@westhillsevs.com**

10. The Purchaser assumes all responsibility for the condition of the mare and shall bear all risk of loss or damage to the mare including, but not limited to death, injury, infection or otherwise, and by any cause whatever, including inappropriate, untimely, negligent insemination or failure of insemination and therefor releases, discharges, indemnifies and holds harmless Valleyfield Farm and its owners, employees and agents from any and all damage associated therewith.

11. The Purchaser agrees that no embryo transfer transplants from the above-named mare using semen from a Valleyfield Farm stallion are to be done without the prior written permission of Valleyfield Farm.
12. In the case that multiple embryos are produced by either embryo transfer or ICSI, the Purchaser agrees to pay an additional stud fee for each resulting embryo.
13. If the mare fails to conceive during the 2024 season, the Purchaser is entitled to a return breeding the following year. Please inform Valleyfield Farm by no later than October 15th, 2024 as to whether your mare is in foal or not. A vet certificate is required. This report must be sent to Valleyfield Farm, so that the Live Foal Guarantee (below) and return breeding will be honored. It will be the Purchaser's responsibility to pay the booking fee, collection, transportation and deposit fees.
14. Live Foal Guarantee: If the mare, after being checked in foal, aborts or does not produce a live foal that can stand and nurse on its own, and survive 48 hours after birth, the Purchaser is entitled to a return breeding in the following year (2025). It will be the Purchaser's responsibility to pay the collection, transportation and deposit fees. A veterinary certificate is required within five days from the date of death and/or examination. Otherwise, the Live Foal Guarantee (LFG) is null and void.
15. Valleyfield Farm will substitute frozen semen from the above-named stallion if available or fresh semen from another Valleyfield Farm stallion of the Purchaser/mare owners choice. Maximum time limit on this contract is one (1) year.
16. No paperwork shall be issued to the Purchaser unless all fees have been paid.
17. A certificate of service will be issued to the mare owner once all fees have been paid in full, and once the stallion owner receives notification of the birth of the foal.
18. Interest will be charged at a rate of 3.0% monthly on all balances owing after 30 days.
19. This contract shall not be transferred.

20. The laws of the Province of Alberta, Canada shall govern the terms of this agreement.

2024 Stud Fees

(check box)

**Hitchcock Van Overis, \$750.00 (per straw)**

Semen is only available frozen and may be purchased by the straw only. Each straw will be sold for \$750.00 with the recommendation of four straws/breeding.

This semen is sold with no guarantees.

**Messenger VF, \$3000.00**

Fresh and frozen semen available.

**Purchaser Contact Information: (if different from above)**

Name:	Email:
Address:	Phone #:
Town/City:	
Province/State:	
Postal Code/Zip Code:	

The Purchaser agrees to pay the above selected stud fees in full upon completion of this document. The Purchaser understands no semen will be released until payment has been received in full.

**Purchaser:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Valleyfield Farm**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Valleyfield Farm  
50515 Range Road 14  
Parkland County, AB  
T7Y 2N2

780-994-9887  
valleyfieldfarm@icloud.com

Stud Fee payments can be made to Valleyfield Farm at **valleyfieldfarm@icloud.com**

Collection and Shipping fees will be paid directly to Westhills Equine Veterinary Services directly.

**Valleyfield Farm Office Use Only:**

Contract Returned:		Payment Complete:	
Mare Registration & Photos:			
Pregnancy Confirmation:			