

WHITSBURY MANOR STUD

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BREEDING REQUIREMENTS **2022 COVERING SEASON**

The Levy Board Code of Practice for the control of Contagious Equine Metritis and other Equine venereal diseases for the 2022 Season will be applied at Whitsbury.

The Thoroughbred Breeders' Association Covid-19 Protocol for Thoroughbred Breeders will be strictly adhered to for the 2022 Breeding Season. This can be found at :

<https://www.thetba.co.uk/corona-virus-latest-information-and-guidance>

BOARDING MARES

DUE TO CHANGES IN STUD POLICY WE ARE NO LONGER ABLE TO ACCEPT MARES FOR FOALING. Please contact the stud office to discuss options of boarding mares with foals at foot and/or maiden/barren mares.

CEM

A Clitoral CEM swab, taken after 1st January 2022, is required to be taken from all mares prior to their arrival with a certificate from a recognised laboratory. In addition to CEMO, these certificates must also state that Klebsiella and Pseudomonas have not been isolated. If a mare arrives without a certificate she will be isolated until a swab has been taken and the result received.

EVA/EIA

All mares that have not been outside the UK and Ireland within the last twelve months will require one negative EVA blood test and one negative EIA test to be taken after 1st January 2022 and before service.

All mares originating from outside the UK & Ireland will require two negative EIA tests and two negative EVA blood tests, the first to be taken within a 28 day period prior to arrival in the UK, with the second to be taken at the boarding stud no sooner than 14 days after arrival. Further blood tests will be taken as required to ensure that the mare is tested within 21 days prior to, and as close as possible to each covering until a final blood test has been taken a minimum of 60 days after the mare's arrival in this Country. Animals coming from Europe that are seropositive for EVA will require two tests in the UK with a stable or declining titre before they can be mated. All correctly completed travel documents should accompany the mare/s.

Any mare arriving from GERMANY or ITALY with a foal at foot will require a blood test for EIA to be taken from the foal a minimum of 14 days after arrival in this country.

NB. If a mare should leave the boarding stud after service or scanning in foal and thereafter wish to return during further oestrus, it may be necessary to provide a second negative EVA test.

These test results must confirm no significant rise in antibody titres (seroconversion).

STRANGLES

All mares boarding at Whitsbury originating from outside of the UK will be isolated and strangles blood tested on arrival. All mares will remain in isolation until a negative test has been returned. (This does not apply to mares walking in).

Owners or Managers are required to declare any possible contact or exposure their mares or stud might have had to **Strangles** over the last two years. The current Code of Practice guidelines on prevention and control will be observed.

All mares must be correctly vaccinated against Equine Influenza and Tetanus and these injections should be registered in their Passports, which must be sent with the mares. If there is a lapse in the recorded vaccinations the necessary injections will be given and recorded in the Passport.

To safeguard the health of foals on the Stud we are vaccinating all our own foaling mares with Equip-Rotavirus. We strongly recommend that all visiting mares with foal at foot are vaccinated during pregnancy in order to protect the foals against the possibility of rotavirus, as recommended by The Thoroughbred Breeders' Association.

To promote earlier oestrus we shall be stabling all barren and maiden mares under lights from the beginning of January, to extend their period of daylight to 16 hours per day.

For all mares arriving with foals at foot, Please advise us on arrival if the foal has already been DNA typed & Micro chipped or that you have made alternative arrangements.

All mares will require an Aerobic endometrial swab PRIOR TO COVERING IN EACH HEAT PERIOD.

The vulva of any mare will be sutured if it is considered necessary.

In order to keep Veterinary charges to a minimum, following the initial consultation and supply of drugs, stud staff, whenever possible will carry out follow up injections.

Mares are boarded on the Stud at the Owner's risk and all owners are therefore advised to insure their animals against all risks.

We shall assume you are in agreement with the above procedures unless you inform us in writing to the contrary.

**** WOULD YOU KINDLY COMPLETE AND RETURN THE ENCLOSED MARE DETAILS FORMS AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE. WE WILL BE UNABLE TO ACCEPT A MARE FOR COVERING IF THE COMPLETED DETAILS FORM HAS NOT BEEN RECEIVED.**

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The daily Keep Charges for the 2022 Season will be as follows:-

Foaling Mares/Mares with foals at foot	£ 25.00 per day
Maiden & Barren Mares	£ 21.50 per day

WE HAVE DECIDED TO ABOLISH GROOM'S FEES & WALKING-IN FEES, HOWEVER WE ENCOURAGE DONATIONS TO THE STAFF CHRISTMAS FUND.

Your attention is specifically drawn to our terms of settlement which are net payment within 30 days of the date of invoice. 2.5% interest per month (30 days) or part month will be added to all accounts outstanding beyond this period.

WALKING – IN MARES

The following must accompany all mares which walk in for covering:-

- a) Clitoral CEM Swab certificate taken after 1st Jan 2022
- b) Cervical/Endometrial swab certificate taken during oestrus for CEMO and negative 24hr culture.
- c) **PHOTOCOPY OF PASSPORT** (or original) **to include number, markings and vaccinations** MUST accompany the mare on EVERY occasion when walking in. Equine influenza and tetanus Vaccinations must be up to date.
- d) Freedom from Infection certificate.
- e) Negative EVA certificate /s. (As stated in guidelines on pg1)
- f) Negative EIA certificate /s. (As stated in guidelines on pg1)

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FREEDOM FROM INFECTION CERTIFICATE : SEASON 2022

MARE Foaling/ Barren/Maiden

VISITING

BOARDING AT Date of arrival at boarding stud

FOAL DETAILS (if applicable) DoB Colour Sex: Sire:

The PASSPORT/PHOTOCOPY, must accompany the mare on every occasion she visits the Stallion.

I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge the above mentioned mare is not suffering from any contagious disease likely to be a risk to the Stallion at the stud.

No EHV-1 virus abortions, cases of Strangles, stillbirths or relevant contagious diseases (e.g. EVA, EIA, CEM, Influenza, Salmonellosis, Dourine, Rotavirus etc) have occurred within the last six weeks, nor are any such cases currently under investigation other than those which have received total clearance from the appropriate authorities.

Signed Name

Position On behalf of

Date

I hereby confirm that I have read and am complying with the TBA Industry Covid-19 Protocol

Name Position

Signed

ALL MARES

Attached one Clitoral Swab taken on (before the first time of Covering)

Attached one Endometrial swab taken on

Attached one negative EVA blood test result taken after 1st January taken on

Attached one negative EIA blood test result taken after 1st January taken on

FOREIGN MARES

ALL mares originating from outside the UK & Ireland, will require **TWO** negative EVA blood tests & **TWO** negative EIA blood tests, the first to be taken within a 30 day period prior to arrival in the UK, with the second to be taken at the boarding stud, a minimum of 14 days from the original test. All mares should be placed in quarantine during this 14 day period.

Date of arrival in the UK

Attached FIRST EVA blood test dated

Attached SECOND EVA blood test dated

Attached FIRST EIA blood test dated

Attached SECOND EIA blood test dated

Attached further negative EIA blood test taken within 21 days prior to covering. Taken on (if required)

Mares which arrive from Germany or Italy with a foal at foot require a negative EIA test taken from the foal a minimum of 14 days after arrival in this country. Taken on

Copies of all international travel documents should accompany the mare when visiting the Stallion stud.

This declaration must EITHER accompany the mare on arrival at the Stallion stud or PREFERABLY to be lodged by email to the Stud Office before the mare will be accepted for EACH INDIVIDUAL SERVICE.

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STALLION:

SEASON:

2022

Registered Owner's Name & Address

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..... Post Code

Tel: Fax: E Mail

Is owner registered for VAT - YES/NO VAT No: Country of Registration

NAME & ADDRESS for Invoices (including Nomination Invoices) if different to above)

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Address where mare is normally kept.....

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Tel: Fax: Emergency Tel No:

Name of MARE Colour Year Foaled

PASSPORT No: Microchip No

SIRE DAM

Covered by Status: Foaling/Barren/Maiden Last Service

Is mare BOARDING/WALKING IN? (**PLEASE DELETE as appropriate**) Expected Date of Arrival.....

Is Mare to be exported after covering? To which Country?

Foaling Record for the last three years:

2021 2020..... 2019

1. Is the mare quiet at all times? YES/NO

2. Was mare ever in foal at 42 days & later found barren? YES/NO (if so give details)

3. Does mare foal early? YES/NO

4. Does she show readily to teaser? YES/NO

5. Has mare been out of UK or Ireland during the last 12 months? YES/NO (if so give details)

6. Has she had any infectious or contagious diseases? YES/NO (if so give details)

7. Has mare been on a stud affected by "Virus Abortion"? YES/NO (if so give details)

8. Is mare vaccinated against "Virus Abortion" (ie Duvaxyn EHV 1.4) YES/NO Date & details of vaccinations

9. Date of latest Flu/Tetanus injection Date: Vaccine:

10. Any other details (i.e if foal born at home has it been Micro-chipped & is mare/foal insured).....

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Signature of Mare Owner/Agent Date

EVERY CARE WILL BE TAKEN WITH YOUR MARE/FOAL BUT NO RESPONSIBILITY WHATSOEVER IS ACCEPTED FOR ACCIDENT, DISEASE, INJURY OR DEATH TO MARE AND/OR FOAL WHILST VISITING THE STUD.