

Fotheringham Farms

Office number 519-233-3215

Shipped Semen Guidelines

!! IMPORTANT PLEASE READ !!

It is very important that you work closely with a veterinarian or someone familiar with equine reproduction and artificial insemination techniques. With shipped semen we offer a one year only rebreed for the following year.

All charges pertaining to shipped semen are your responsibility and must be paid for before any semen will be shipped to your mare. These include:

1. Booking, breeding, chute fees, shipped semen service charges, and the container deposit.
2. You are also responsible for returning the container to Fotheringham Farms within five days of receiving it, or you will be assessed a \$10.00/day rental fee applied to your container deposit.
3. Container deposits will be refunded upon receipt of the container, the stallion owner copy of insemination form and notification of the pregnancy status of your mare.
4. In the event that you need semen shipped on a day when Federal Express does not pick up in our area (Saturdays & Sundays) or deliver to yours, we will need to send it counter to counter to you to a major airport in your area.
5. Semen picked up at the farm is no charge for first request and \$50 for each subsequent pick up.

Requests for shipped semen must be received at the ranch by 3 p.m. Eastern Time the day **before** the shipping day. The breeding barn and ranch office have to coordinate shipped semen and on farm semen for many mares. Please, if possible, do not call at noon on a shipping day to request semen. By then the semen may have been allocated to other mares and shipments have already been sent.

We need phone numbers where the ranch office can reach you on a shipping day in order to give you tracking numbers and/or flight schedules on the shipments. If you are away from that number and therefore haven't heard from us by noon on a shipping day, please call us by 2 pm Eastern Time so that we may give you that information.

Our usual office hours are 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM Monday through Friday. However when we are not able to answer the phone, the answering machine will take your call, and we will call you back as soon as possible. The office number is 519-233-3215. Or, you may call Amy's cell phone at 519-525-2125 or Bill's at 519-524-0967.



Fotheringham Farms
 Stallion Breeding Contract for
SHARP DRESSED OKIE

2004 Palomino AQHA Stallion #4615150
2008 Breeding Season

Mare Owner's Name _____ Date _____
 Address _____ Province/State _____ Postal Code _____
 Day Phone _____ Home _____
 Cell _____ Other _____

Mares Name _____ Registration Number _____
 Mares Sire: _____ Mares Dam: _____
 Breed: _____ Color: _____ Age: _____
 Markings: _____ Brands: _____

Show/Racing Records and Money Earnings _____

Breeding Contract for Sharp Dressed Okie

This certifies that _____ of _____
 From here on referred to as the Mare Owner, has engaged one breeding to **SHARP DRESSED OKIE-AQHA # 4615150** for the **2008** breeding season at a price of \$750 + \$50 booking fee for the following named mare:
 Mare Name: _____ Breed _____
 Registration No _____ Year foaled: _____

Fotheringham Farms, agent for the above named stallion, will from here on be referred to as Breeder. This service is engaged subject to the following:

1. This contract is good for one foal. Multiple foals from the same mare in the same breeding season will require a separate contract and breeding fee for each resulting foal. The only exception to this would be twins that are carried throughout term and foaled by one mare.
2. A container deposit of \$50.00 will be charged. It will be refunded to mare owner at the end of breeding season provided all containers are returned and upon notification to Breeder of pregnancy status of mare. Mare Owner is responsible for returning container to the breeder at Mare Owner's expense within 5 days. If the container is not back in our office in 5 days, there will be a \$10 per day daily rental fee assessed and deducted from the container deposit.
3. A non-refundable booking fee of **\$50** from the above breeding fee is payable with this contract and the balance of **\$750** plus the service charge for one shipment and the container deposit are due before any semen will be shipped.
4. A photocopy of the registration papers shall be sent to the Breeder with this contract.
5. Shipping days will be: Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. We highly recommend sending your mare to a vet clinic or breeding farm for her heat cycle. They will coordinate optimum shipping times with us.

6. The Breeder must be notified no later than 3PM Eastern Standard Time on the day before the shipment is to be sent. Semen will be shipped on collection days only on an "as available" basis. Mares sent to Breeder will receive preference for semen availability.
7. Shipped semen services charges will be as follows: (1) Canada - Fedex Overnight Delivery at \$300.00 per shipment. (2) U.S.A. shipments - Fedex Overnight Delivery at \$350.00 per shipment. Semen picked up and taken to another ranch will be treated as transported semen. There is no charge for the first pick up, \$50.00 will be charged for each subsequent pick up. These charges must be paid prior to each shipment.
8. The breeding season in force for this contract shall begin February 1 and close July 15 of the year on this contract.
9. Live Foal Guarantee: Live foal means the foal shall stand and nurse. It is understood that if the mare proves barren, aborts her foal, or if foal is stillborn a return season is guaranteed for the following year only, providing proper notification is given. Proper notification is a written certification by a licensed veterinarian within seven days that the mare has slipped, or produced a non-viable foal. Mare owner certifies that such abortion or death did not result from any act or omission of the Owner. Booster rhinopneumonitis vaccinations must be administered as indicated by the individual drug manufacturer as the mare progresses through her pregnancy. **Failure to do this will void the Live Foal Guarantee.**
10. Third year rebreeds are subject to an additional booking fee plus any increases in the breeding fee.
11. If the above named mare should die during breeding season, then the Mare Owner may substitute another mare that is agreed to by both the Mare Owner and Breeder.
12. A breeders certificate will be issued to Mare Owner after all expenses have been paid in full and upon notification of birth of foal.
13. This contract is governed by the laws of the province of Ontario. All accounts are due and payable in Canadian Funds.
14. **This contract is not valid unless completed in full. When Mare Owner signs and returns the contract and booking fee to Breeder, Breeder will notify Mare Owner within 10 days of approval. Upon notification, it will become a binding contract on both parties, subject to the above terms and conditions.**

<p>Shipping Information:</p> <p>Ship to: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>City/ST/Zip: _____</p> <p>Phone: _____</p> <p>Alt. Phone: _____ Fax: _____</p> <p>Preferred Major Airport: _____</p>	<p>Owner Information:</p> <p>Date: _____</p> <p>Owner/Agent: _____</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>City/ST/Zip: _____</p> <p>Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____</p> <p>Cell: _____ Fax: _____</p> <p>Email: _____</p>
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<p>Owner Information and Signature:</p> <p>Date: _____</p> <p>Owner/Agent: _____</p> <p>Signature: _____</p>

<p>Trainer Information and Signature:</p> <p>Date: _____</p> <p>Owner/Agent: <u>Amy Fotheringham</u></p> <p>Signature: _____</p>
