



This STALLION BREEDING CONTRACT for the breeding season **2023**, is made and entered into on this _____ day, _____ 20_____, by and between The Sampson Ranch, hereinafter designated Breeder, and _____ hereinafter designated Mare Owner. Mare Owner agrees to breed the mare _____ Reg. No: _____ to the Stallion, **Irish Pay**, for the breeding fee of **\$3,500.00** for a live foal, subject to the following conditions. If multiple mares are booked, the breeding fee will be **\$3,000.00** per mare upon stallion owner's approval. Early booking breeding fee by **January 1, 2023** is **\$3,000.00**. Contract and booking fee must be received to CSU ERL by January 1 to receive discount. Please return contract, copy of mare's registration papers and shipped semen information form (if applicable) to:

Please select your

contract type:

Fees Due

New	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$3,500.00
Rebreed	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 500.00
Multi-Mare	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$3,000.00
Early Booking (by 1/1/2023)	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$3,000.00

RETURN CONTRACT & ALL FEES TO:

Colorado State University Equine

Reproduction Lab (CSU ERL)

1693 Campus Delivery

Fort Collins, CO 80523-1693

Email: erl@colostate.edu

Phone: 970-491-8626

Fax: 970-491-7005

1. The breeding fee includes a nonrefundable Booking Fee/Rebreed Fee of **\$500.00**, payable with this contract, the balance of which must be paid with all other expenses before shipment or breeding of the mare. Mare Owner may not remove mare from Breeder's or CSU ERL possession until all expenses are paid in full. If Mare Owner is using shipped semen, all payments for shipped semen must be made with Colorado State University Equine Reproduction Laboratory (CSU ERL) before any semen is shipped. Collection days are **Monday, Wednesday, Friday**. Semen must be requested by 4:00 pm MST the day prior to the necessary collection day and canceled/confirmed by 9:00 am MST the day of collection. All on-farm mares at CSU ERL will receive preference. Call for stallion availability.
2. If you choose to breed your mare at CSU ERL, mare owner is responsible for all fees incurred and will provide payment to CSU ERL upon billing. This will be void if shipped semen is being provided.
3. Breeder and CSU ERL will exercise judgment consistent with recognized standards in care and supervision on mare/ or foal. Breeder's veterinarian will examine mare for normal breeding conditions and administer medical care as deemed necessary for the health and safety of the mare and/or foal. All veterinarian expenses will be taken up with CSU ERL if mare is bred on the stallion station facility.
4. The mare shall be in a healthy and sound breeding condition, free from infections, contagious or transmissible disease. Mare must have a current negative Coggins test and copy of registration papers if mare is taken to CSU ERL.
5. Breeder agrees to diligently try to settle mare; however, if mare fails to settle, for any reason, Mare Owner will hold Breeder or stallion station blameless. Mare Owner must leave mare with Breeder or certified veterinarian until Breeder's veterinarian pronounces mare safe in foal, to insure "Live Foal Guarantee". If Mare Owner chooses not to leave mare with the Breeder or veterinarian after the mare has been bred, then it will be up to the Mare Owner to have the mare ultra-sounded by a licensed veterinarian 14-16 days after being bred. The results **must** be reported to CSU ERL. **Any mare not ultrasounded 14-16 days after being bred will make the "Live Foal Guarantee" null and void.**

6. This contract contains a "Live Foal Guarantee." A live foal is described as a newborn foal, which stands and nurses without assistance. If foal is born dead, there are return privileges for the following breeding season only if Breeder is notified within 5 days and receives a veterinarian's statement confirming death. If after being pronounced "safe in foal", the mare should miscarry, abort or prove barren after leaving the Breeder's premises, Mare Owner has the privilege to return her for breeding during the current breeding season early March through July 1, or the following year, **2024**. There will be a **\$500.00** rebreed Fee assessed on all rebreeds along with any other expenses. Call for stallion availability.

7. The "Breeders Certificate" will be issued for the foal, conceived by this mating, when breeding fee and all other expenses have been paid in full and when mare has produced a live foal by this mating. Owner must contact the Stallion Owner when the mare foals. In the case of multiple embryos produced from this mating via embryo transfer, Mare Owner is responsible for additional stallion breeding fee(s) per embryo transferred that results in a pregnancy at 16 days or if the embryo is vitrified (frozen). In the case of multiple embryos produced from this mating via ICSI (Intracytoplasmic Sperm Injection), Mare Owner is responsible for additional stallion breeding fee(s) per embryo transferred that results in a pregnancy at 16 days or if the embryo is vitrified (frozen).

8. Both parties agree that The Sampson Ranch, the Breeder, their agents, or employees are not liable for death, sickness and/ or accidents including consequential damages caused to the stallion. Every attempt will be taken to deliver cooled semen to Mare Owner in good condition, however once the shipment leaves CSU ERL, The Sampson Ranch and/or CSU ERL cannot be held responsible for delayed arrival or condition of semen upon arrival to Mare Owner.

9. It is further agreed that should the stallion die, be sold by the owner, or become unfit for service prior to settling the mare that the breeding fee transfers from The Sampson Ranch, if it is paid in full. If the mare dies or becomes unfit to breed before pronounced safe in foal, the Breeder will accept another mare upon approval. However, should mare die after being pronounced safe in foal, the "Live Foal Guarantee" will be null and void.

10. This Contract is non-assignable. Breeder strongly recommends Mare Owner carry full insurance on mare and/or foal. This contract is entered into the State Of South Dakota, will be interpreted, and enforced under the laws of the state.

11. This Contract represents the entire agreement between the parties. No other agreements or promises, verbal or implied, are included unless specifically stated in the written Contract. When Mare Owner and Breeder sign this Contract, it will then be binding on both parties.

12. The breeding fee costs are as follows: **\$3,500.00 breeding fee** (new contract; includes booking fee) or **\$3,000.00** (early booking or multi-mare contract; includes booking fee), **\$500.00 Rebreeding Fee**.

Breeder's (or authorized agent's) Signature CSU ERL as Agent

Mare Owner (or authorized agent's) signature: _____ Date: _____

Mare Owner Information:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

For Office Use Only:

Booking/Rebreed Fee of \$ 500.00 received by _____ on this day of 20 .

\$ 500.00 Booking/Rebreed Check Credit Card

\$ _____ Breeding Fee Balance Check Credit Card