



**Po Box 125, Chiltern Vic 3683**

## **SHIPPED SEMEN TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

Our aim at VANCOUVER PARK STUD is to breed top quality stock.  
Mares with poor conformation and any known hereditary defects will not be accepted.  
The stud has the right to refuse any mare for artificial insemination.

**NOTIFICATION** - full co-operation between mare owner, Vancouver Park Stud, Equine Artificial Breeders and the veterinary surgeon carrying out the insemination is of utmost importance. It is essential the EABS and the stud is informed of the mares progress and contacted as soon as the mare comes into season or is set up to come into season.

**TRANSPORT** - the chilled semen will be transported by courier service and usually an overnight air service. It should be noted that there is only limited transport on the weekends and may attract an extra charge. All transport queries should be made directly to Equine Artificial Breeders.0260204204.

**AVAILABILITY** - Vancouver Park Stud will make every effort to deliver the semen on the required day. However, no responsibility can be taken for unforeseen delays. Please keep in mind that we have to travel the stallions approx 220 Km round trip to collection station and the stud requires to have at least 24-48 hrs notice prior to collection. We will need to be informed when the mare is first in season or planned to be set up to ensure we are on standby.

**PAYMENT** - the chilled semen will not be delivered until the FULL STUD FEE (2007 stud fee and \$ 50.00 travel fee is paid.)

**FREE RETURN** - a free service will be given to mares which are tested empty. The owner must notify the stud immediately and forward a Veterinary Certificate stating the same. If the mare slips the foal or if the foal is born dead. ( a veterinary certificate must be returned to the stud in 7 days with at least 1 photograph) The mare is eligible for a free return. If the mare slips or fails to go in foal 2 years running a different mare must be substituted. The free return is only applicable for the year directly following the service except if the mare is shown negative at 45 days. The return will apply for the current season. Mares (or substitute) previously served at the stud taking a Free Return via Artificial Insemination must still pay the Re Booking fee of \$200.00 and are still responsible for AI costs.. The stud has a very strong policy regarding breeding overo to overo and although will accept an overo/overo-bred mare to be bred to our overo stallions we will not offer a free return on mares that should have a lethal white.

**CANCELLATION FEE** - No fees will be refunded. Transferring to the next season does not incur penalties. We will however need to be notified as soon as this has been decided.

**PREGNANCY DIAGNOSIS** - all mares must be examined by a veterinary surgeon between 16 and 60 days after last insemination and a pregnancy certificate forwarded to the stud. Ultrasound is preferred method in order to detect twins. If twins are detected the Free Return will only be applicable if one of the twins is pinched. The Free Return will be null and void if the owner decides to go on with a twin pregnancy.

**COVERING CERTIFICATE** - all certificates will be forwarded to the mare owner on receipt of a positive pregnancy diagnosis certificate and all monies owing are paid and equitainer is returned.

**Copies of all relevant registration certificates must be forwarded BEFORE insemination to the stud. The stud will not chase owners for papers and if papers are not supplied then no stud return will be put in. IF a positive result is not notified to EABS then no stud return will be put in for the mare. IT is also the mare owners' responsibility to supply paperwork for societies that the stallion is not registered with.**

**Stud fees for the 2007 Stud season are as follows:**

- Vancouver Park Watch my Duco \$1100.00
- Kooralyn Gordost \$660.00
- Vancouver Park Royal Encore \$660 .00
- Vancouver Park Cardeau \$1100.00
- Vancouver Park About Time \$1100.00
- Palm Park Royal Acclaim \$660.00
- Mein Klute \$660.00

Above prices are quoted GST inclusive. All mares requiring second dose of semen will attract a surcharge to cover fuel of \$50.00 payable before semen is sent.

It is up to the mare owner to find out and have blood typing done for those societies which require the mare to be blood typed.

**I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THEM.**

**SIGNED MARE OWNER**-----

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**SIGNED WITNESS**-----

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