Stallion Breeding Agreement

This Agreement grants the Mare Owner a limited breeding right to Crown Cavalo Ritz Carlton (the "Stallion"), subject to the selected service, fees, semen limits, and terms on all five pages. Complete all applicable blanks and selections before signing; mark unused fields N/A.

1) Parties and Horses

Effective date: _____ Contract number: _____

Legal entity: Crown Cavalo ("Crown Cavalo")
Address: 78 Reservoir Street, Bethel, CT 06801
Telephone: 203-648-7268 Email: crowncavalo@gmail.com

Mare Owner legal name: _____
Farm or business name: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____ Telephone: _____

Stallion registered name: Crown Cavalo Ritz Carlton
Breed / registry: F1 Drum Horse / IDHA Registration no.: D0915S
Foaled: March 28, 2022 Color: Smokey Cream Tobiano

Mare registered name: _____
Breed / registry: _____ Registration no.: _____
Year foaled: _____ Color / markings: _____

Mare Owner represents that they own or have written authority to breed the Mare and will supply her registration papers and any lease or other limits on breeding rights. Crown Cavalo represents that it owns and is authorized to supply the contracted breeding rights to the Stallion.

Breeding season: April 1 through August 31, year: _____
Return season, if eligible: April 1 through August 31, year: _____

Breeding method (select): ☐ Cooled shipped semen ☐ Frozen semen
☐ Live cover under Section 8 ☐ Embryo transfer ☐ ICSI
For embryo transfer or ICSI, also select the applicable semen type.

2) Fees and payment

Charge	Agreed amount or basis
Total breeding fee	$2,500.00 - no booking fee
Cooled collection and processing, per collection	To be paid directly to **Millbrook Equine Veterinary Clinic, PC**
Frozen handling, per dose released	To be paid directly to **Millbrook Equine Veterinary Clinic, PC**
Return season administration fee	$200 - only for live cover

Charge	Agreed amount or basis
Shipping and return shipping	Actual quoted cost approved before dispatch
Container deposit / return deadline	To be paid directly to **Millbrook Equine Veterinary Clinic, PC**
Late container fee / replacement cost	To be paid directly to **Millbrook Equine Veterinary Clinic, PC**
Storage and other agreed charges	To be paid directly to **Millbrook Equine Veterinary Clinic, PC**

The stud fee is $2,500.00 per Stallion breeding under this Agreement, with no booking fee, and must be paid in cleared funds before the first service or shipment. Collection, handling, container, storage, and other clinic charges listed above are separate from the breeding fee and must be paid directly to Millbrook Equine Veterinary Clinic, PC under its disclosed payment terms. Shipping is charged at the actual quoted cost approved before dispatch. The $200 return-season administration fee applies only to live cover; no return-season administration fee applies to cooled shipped or frozen semen.

Accepted payment methods: Venmo, PayPal, and Zelle.
Payee / payment instructions: _____

Crown Cavalo charges no payment-method surcharge. Mare Owner pays documented bank charges actually incurred for a returned payment, to the extent permitted by law. Agreed Crown Cavalo fees cannot increase without a signed amendment. Third-party fees require disclosure and written approval before they are incurred. Veterinary, insemination, pregnancy testing, and foaling expenses are Mare Owner's responsibility.

3) Shipment arrangements

Collection / release facility: **Millbrook Equine Veterinary Clinic, PC**
Address: 3967 US-44, Millbrook, NY 12545
Phone: (845) 677-5500
Request contact and email / phone: _____
Collection days: _____ Request cutoff and time zone: _____
Required advance notice: _____ hours (48 hours if blank).

Receiving licensed veterinarian / clinic: _____
Delivery address: _____
Email / phone: _____ Carrier / service: _____

Each request must identify the Mare, desired dispatch date, delivery address, and veterinarian. Email or text confirmation from Crown Cavalo is required; a request alone does not confirm availability. Mare Owner is responsible for monitoring cycles and coordinating timely receipt with the clinic. Crown Cavalo will use reasonable efforts to honor confirmed requests and promptly advise of any inability to supply semen.

4) Semen limits and permitted use

Cooled semen: maximum collections in initial season: __3__; return season: __3__.
Frozen semen: maximum doses in initial season: _3_; return season: _3_;
maximum total doses under this Agreement, including returns: _6__.
Complete limits for the selected method before signing. No unlimited supply is promised.

Crown Cavalo will supply correctly identified semen meeting the agreed release specifications and provide available quality records and handling instructions. Fertility is not guaranteed except for the limited return-breeding right in Section 6. Mare Owner must use a licensed veterinarian experienced with the selected method and ensure proper handling, storage, thawing, and insemination.

Semen may be used for conventional insemination of the named Mare or for embryo transfer or ICSI using the named Mare as donor; IVF and ICSI carry an additional $2,000.00 charge for each and every resulting Live Foal, including the first, on top of the $2,500.00 stud fee, with no live-foal guarantee or return-season right for those procedures.

For conventional insemination, further use must stop upon confirmed pregnancy unless Crown Cavalo authorizes another attempt after a documented loss. Authorized IVF and ICSI may produce multiple embryos and foals within the contracted semen limits. No resale, gift, use with another donor mare, or cloning is authorized without Crown Cavalo's written consent. Unused semen remains Crown Cavalo's property; at expiration or fulfillment, Mare Owner must arrange its return or obtain the clinic's destruction certificate within 30 days of instructions. No semen may be retained for independent later use.

The $2,000.00 charge is due within 30 days after each IVF or ICSI foal is born, including foals from stored embryos born after this Agreement expires. Mare Owner must provide donor and recipient identification, embryo and transfer records, and notice of each birth within 10 days. Use of the named Mare's embryos in recipient mares is authorized. Unauthorized semen use with another mare is a material breach and incurs an additional $3,000.00 stud fee per additional mare, without retroactively authorizing that use; Crown Cavalo may recover proven additional damages.

Mare Owner must arrange prompt clinic inspection of shipments and documentation of any damaged container, identification problem, or suspected quality defect, and notify Crown Cavalo within 24 hours of discovery. Retain packaging and relevant records. Crown Cavalo is responsible for its own failure to meet the agreed release specifications or reasonable packing and dispatch care; it will replace affected semen without an additional breeding or handling fee, including replacement shipping, or refund the affected unperformed service if replacement is unavailable. This paragraph does not exclude otherwise available remedies for Crown Cavalo's breach.

Carrier delays and mishandling outside Crown Cavalo's control do not guarantee a free replacement shipment. Crown Cavalo will cooperate with carrier claims. Container deposits, return deadlines, late fees, replacement costs, storage, and other clinic charges are governed by the terms disclosed by Millbrook Equine Veterinary Clinic, PC or the shipping company used, and accepted by Mare Owner before dispatch. All such payments must be made directly to the clinic.

5) Mare care and breeding reports

Before breeding, Mare Owner must disclose known reproductive, infectious, genetic, or other material health concerns and provide relevant health and breeding records for the preceding 12 months. A licensed veterinarian must determine that the Mare is suitable for the proposed breeding. Culture, cytology, or biopsy is required when the treating veterinarian considers it indicated; these are distinct tests. Crown Cavalo may reasonably suspend breeding for a documented health or welfare concern.

Mare Owner will arrange ultrasound pregnancy checks approximately 14 to 16 days and 40 to 45 days after ovulation, or on an alternative schedule documented by the treating veterinarian, and provide reports within seven days of receipt. After two unsuccessful breeding cycles, a veterinary reproductive evaluation and report are required before further service. Mare Owner authorizes release only of records reasonably relevant to this Agreement.

Mare Owner must provide appropriate nutrition, prenatal care, foaling supervision, and veterinary-recommended vaccinations, including an EHV-1 abortion-prevention program where medically appropriate. A veterinarian's documented contraindication or alternative care plan does not by itself void the guarantee.

6) Limited live foal guarantee

A "Live Foal" is a foal that survives at least 24 hours after birth and can stand and nurse without assistance by the end of that period. Once that definition is met, the guarantee is fulfilled; it does not insure later health or survival. No particular sex, height, markings, performance, or genetic result is guaranteed unless expressly stated in a signed addendum. The guarantee and return rights in this section apply only to conventional insemination and live cover; the Live Foal definition and birth-reporting requirements also apply to embryo transfer and ICSI.

For conventional insemination or live cover, if the Mare fails to conceive, loses her pregnancy, dies before producing a Live Foal, or produces a foal that does not meet that definition, an eligible Mare Owner may use the remaining contracted services in the initial season and receive one return breeding season on the dates recorded in Section 1. No additional breeding fee is due, but the $200 return-season administration fee applies

only to live cover, and all collection, handling, shipping, veterinary, and other agreed expenses remain payable. All attempts remain subject to the dose and collection limits in Section 4.

Mare Owner must notify Crown Cavalo in writing of a nonpregnant season within 60 days after the last breeding attempt; of abortion, stillbirth, or death of the Mare or foal within 10 days after the event; and of a live birth within 10 days. For a loss claim, provide a veterinary statement of relevant dates, findings, and known cause within 30 days after the event. An undetermined cause is acceptable if documented. If records are delayed despite timely request, provide proof of the request and forward the report promptly.

The guarantee requires payment of agreed charges, compliance with material care and reporting duties, and use only as authorized. An unauthorized transfer, substitution, reproductive procedure, or breeding to another stallion before fulfillment or written release terminates the return right. A care failure defeats the guarantee only if it materially contributes to the loss; a late report defeats it only if it materially prevents verification. Crown Cavalo must give written notice and 10 days to cure a curable breach. No further season or refund is due solely because all authorized attempts fail.

A substitute mare requires prior written approval. For conventional insemination or live cover, if the Mare dies or becomes permanently unsuitable for breeding and Crown Cavalo declines a suitable proposed replacement, Crown Cavalo will refund the breeding fee paid; performed services and third-party expenses remain nonrefundable. Mare sale does not transfer this Agreement without Crown Cavalo's written consent.

7) Stallion unavailability and refunds

Crown Cavalo will promptly disclose death, illness, infertility, sale, or loss of semen inventory that prevents performance. A temporary interruption does not automatically cancel this Agreement. If no agreed service can be provided during the remaining applicable season, Mare Owner may accept a written extension, consent to a different semen method or substitute stallion, or terminate the unperformed breeding obligation. No substitute stallion or method may be imposed without Mare Owner's written consent.

If termination occurs before any service or conforming semen delivery, Crown Cavalo will refund the full breeding fee paid, plus prepaid services not performed. If termination occurs after service or delivery but before fulfillment of an outstanding breeding or return obligation, Crown Cavalo will refund the breeding fee paid, plus prepaid services not performed. Completed collection, handling, shipping, storage, and veterinary services are not refundable. Refunds are due within 30 days; no duplicate refund is owed. Ordinary failure to conceive after all contracted attempts is governed by Section 6, not this section.

If the Mare is pregnant when unavailability occurs, these provisions apply if that pregnancy later fails to produce a Live Foal and an outstanding return obligation cannot be fulfilled. Sale of the Stallion does not release Crown Cavalo; transfer of Crown Cavalo's obligations requires Mare Owner's written consent and the successor's written assumption.

8) Live cover and boarding if selected

This section applies only if live cover is selected in Section 1. Admission requires advance approval, current health and travel documents required for the destination, disclosure of dangerous behavior, and a veterinary assessment appropriate for live cover. Crown Cavalo may decline an unsafe or infectious mare and seek an approved substitute under Section 6. No unattended pasture breeding is authorized.

Board per day: $75 Mare with foal: $100 per day plus supplies
Arrival: _____ Pickup deadline: _____
Health documents / admission requirements: _____
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Crown Cavalo will use reasonable care in housing, handling, and breeding. Mare Owner remains responsible for agreed board, feed supplements, farrier, veterinary, and transport expenses. Crown Cavalo will attempt to contact Mare Owner before obtaining nonroutine care. If delay would threaten life or cause serious suffering, Mare Owner authorizes a licensed veterinarian to provide reasonably necessary emergency stabilization and transport.

Primary veterinarian / phone: _____
Alternate emergency contact / phone: _____
Nonemergency spending limit without further consent: $_____

The spending limit does not restrict emergency stabilization when Mare Owner cannot be reached. Euthanasia requires owner consent unless a licensed veterinarian determines immediate action is necessary to prevent irremediable suffering and consent cannot reasonably be obtained. Crown Cavalo must document contact efforts and veterinary advice. No contractual ownership transfer, sale, or disposal right arises merely from unpaid board.

9) Risk allocation and responsibility

Mare Owner understands that breeding, pregnancy, foaling, transport, and handling horses carry risks of failed conception, pregnancy loss, genetic conditions, illness, injury, and death, even with reasonable care. Mare Owner accepts those inherent risks and decides whether to obtain equine mortality, medical, infertility, or other insurance. Crown Cavalo supplies no insurance for the Mare, foal, or Mare Owner.

This Agreement does not release or indemnify Crown Cavalo for its own negligence, reckless or intentional misconduct, fraud, or breach of an express obligation. Mare Owner will indemnify Crown Cavalo against third-party claims only to the extent caused by Mare Owner's negligence, intentional misconduct, or unauthorized use of semen, including reasonable defense costs attributable to that conduct. Crown Cavalo must give prompt notice and reasonable cooperation; no settlement imposing an obligation on Mare Owner may be made without consent.

Crown Cavalo will disclose known material heritable conditions and supply available Stallion DNA reports on request. Mare Owner is responsible for reviewing compatibility with the Mare's results. No statement here overrides an express written genetic representation or excuses concealment of a known material condition. Public website descriptions do not grant additional breeding rights; any agreed genetic guarantee must be attached and signed.

10) Registration and general terms

Mare Owner will provide the foaling date, sex, identification, and reasonably required registry information. Within 30 days after receiving that information and payment of undisputed amounts due, Crown Cavalo will supply an accurate breeding certificate and reasonably required stallion documentation. Mare Owner pays registration and parentage-testing costs. Registry eligibility remains subject to registry rules; Crown Cavalo does not guarantee acceptance.

Notices must be sent to the email or mailing addresses in Section 1. Email is effective upon acknowledgment or other reliable evidence of receipt; tracked delivery is effective upon delivery or documented refusal. Routine shipment confirmations may be by text under Section 3. Each party must promptly update contact information.

Connecticut law governs, excluding conflict-of-law rules. Proceedings must be brought in a Connecticut state court in the Judicial District of Danbury or a Federal Court in Connecticut having jurisdiction. In a contract-enforcement action, the prevailing party may recover reasonable attorneys' fees and taxable costs to the extent awarded by the court and permitted by law.

This Agreement and signed attachments constitute the entire agreement. Amendments, assignments, and transfers require both parties' written consent. If a provision is unenforceable, the remainder remains effective to the extent possible. Waiver of one breach is not a continuing waiver. Counterparts and electronic signatures are effective as originals. Signed special terms expressly identifying a conflicting section control that section.

Attached special terms or addenda (write "None" if none): _____
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By signing, each party agrees to all five pages and the identified signed attachments.

Mare Owner signature: _____ Date: _____
Printed name and capacity: _____

For Crown Cavalo: _____ Date: _____
Printed name and capacity: _____