

Peru's Argument

Breeding Contract for Frozen Semen

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This contract is for breeding to the Appaloosa x KWPN cross stallion Peru's Argument, owned by Peru's Stables in the Netherlands. The Friesian Connection Stallion Station will be offering Frozen Semen to Peru's Argument for US clients only. Mare owner and the FC Stallion Station agree to the following terms and conditions:

- 1) The FC Stallion Station manages the frozen semen for the Appaloosa stallion Peru's Argument. This agreement cannot be transferred or sold by the mare owner.
- 2) The fee for 3 doses of frozen semen is \$900 in US funds. There is no additional pregnancy fee. There is **no** Live Foal Guarantee with the frozen semen.
- 3) If semen is used for a mare not provided in this agreement you must immediately inform the Friesian Connection Stallion Station.
- 4) No semen will be shipped without mare owner providing us with a signed contract and payment in full.
- 5) Requests for semen are to be made to the stallion managers. Please do not call between 10:00 PM and 6:00 AM Eastern Time. **We are closed on Sundays.**
- 6) The FC Stallion Station assumes no responsibility for the loss of semen or semen viability caused by the carrier (FedEx). There will be no shipment on Saturdays, Sundays, holidays, or the day before a holiday.) It is advised that the semen be shipped early in the week for arrival before the weekend where it can be stored at your Veterinarian's facility until needed.
- 7) A fee of \$400 for Shipping and Handling round trip within the USA will be added to the total if the FC Stallion Station provides the shipping tank (priority overnight, FedEx). Additional fees for shipping to Alaska or Hawaii. If you send your own tank to pick up the semen there is a \$50 chill-down fee if the tank arrives hot. Please include a pre-paid return FedEx label with the tank.
- 8) **FOR ON-SITE BREEDINGS:** Reproductive services are available at the FC Stallion Station. Fees for Mare Cycle Management and board are detailed in the Mare Reproductive Services and Boarding Price List. (Page 3 of this contract) Services rendered on the farm for the guest mare will be charged to the mare owner. Additional services available include veterinary palpating, ultrasound, ovulation induction injections, Lutalyse injections, Oxytocin injections, uterine lavage, Regumate, uterine cultures and biopsies, etc. In addition to reproductive health care; deworming and farrier services will be available. All costs will be passed on to the mare owner.

The fee for frozen semen, 1st month's board and 1st mare cycle management fee must be paid upon the mare's arrival to our farm. All remaining mare care expenses must be paid for at time of mare's departure.

Mare shall be of healthy and sound breeding condition. A veterinarian health certificate and uterine culture and biopsy are recommended on all but maiden mares. All guest mares must be vaccinated for Tetanus, Encephalomyelitis (Eastern and Western), Equine Influenza, Rhino, West Nile and Potomac Horse Fever and dewormed prior to arrival on farm. Recent coggins required. **Please note that a significantly overweight or underweight mare is difficult to get in foal. Therefore, it is recommended that mare owners address body weight issues prior to breeding their mares.**

9) The FC Stallion Station cannot be held responsible in any way for any illness or injury to a mare or to any other horse due to breeding to stallions of this company, nor for a mare's failure to conceive. It is understood that the breeding farm, its employees, veterinarians, and guests shall not be liable for any injury, escape, disability, or death of any horse on its premises. The mare owner, whose horse(s) are under the care of the breeder, will not be liable or responsible for any damage, injury or death to the breeding farm employees, veterinarians, or other animals in the care of the breeder, whether or not caused by his horse. Under Michigan law an equine professional is not liable for an injury or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

10) The laws of the State of Michigan govern this contract. All accounts are payable in U.S. dollars.

11) Mare owner acknowledges full agreement with this breeding contract by signing and returning this contract to the FC Stallion Station. Mailed, faxed and emailed signed copies are all acceptable and binding.

Please fill out all mare and owner information and return this contract to the FC Stallion Station. Be sure to make a copy for your records.

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2023 Mare Reproductive Services and Boarding Price List

Item	Description	Cost (USD)
Shipped Semen (within the USA) Extra for Alaska and Hawaii	Semen collection, evaluation and packaging for shipment. Price quoted is PER SHIPMENT/PER MARE shipped to. A single collection which is processed for multiple mares will be billed at the stated rate for each mare. Stallions are collected Monday – Friday (except holidays and the day before a holiday) in the late afternoon or early evening with delivery the following day. No same day shipments. Semen typically arrives within 16 hours of collection depending on delivery location. All shipments shipped via FedEx.	*\$330 weekday delivery *\$365 Saturday delivery (Includes FedEx shipping fees) * Fresh cooled only \$400 for Frozen semen when FC provides the shipping container
Shipped Semen (Canada) Excluding frozen semen	Same as above plus fulfilling all CFIA regulations to ship semen into Canada. Stallion Station must have a copy of mare owner’s import permit on file. Requests for semen must be made by 8:00 A.M. ET the day before delivery date. Semen cannot be shipped into Canada without a seal from the USDA Federal Veterinary.	*\$515 weekday delivery *\$555 Saturday delivery (includes USDA fees to meet CFIA regulation and FedEx shipping fees) *Fresh cooled only
Mare Care - Pasture	24 hour pasture board. Add an additional \$3/day for mare that arrives in poor condition.	\$14/day - dry mare \$16/day – wet mare
Mare Care - stabled	Full care board with box stall, daily turnout (day or night as requested by mare owner) and regular grooming including mane braiding. Supplemental feeds to be provided by the mare owner. Price of wet mare includes individual attention to the foal daily. Add an additional \$3/day for mare that arrives in poor condition.	\$20/day – dry mare \$23/day – wet mare
Mare Cycle Management	This fee will cover management as well as ultrasounds, semen collections and inseminations in a single normal cycle and will include ultrasound check for pregnancy. The fee does not include administration of hormones/drugs commonly used in reproductive management, nor does it cover any reproductive procedures beyond the above mentioned. Any additional veterinary services will be billed separately at cost. Should the mare require management/breeding beyond the first cycle, subsequent cycles will be billed at the quoted discounted rate. Foal heat mares will not be bred unless foal is at least 10 days old. Frozen semen use is limited to mares age 4-12 years of age that have had at least one successful pregnancy and have no obvious reproductive problems.	Fresh or cooled semen: \$350 – first cycle, \$300 – subsequent cycle(s) Frozen semen \$450 – first cycle \$400 –subsequent cycles(s)
Veterinary services, farrier, deworming	As needed It is recommended you have your horse up to date for farrier and deworming prior to arrival. Farrier services done on our farm can run from \$60-\$75 for trims & about \$200 for shoes	At cost
Exercise	Sessions in our European style Equine Exerciser and/or Equine Treadmill. This optional program allows the mare owner to choose the number of sessions per week.	\$10/session
Training	Limited dressage training available	Private treaty
Keuring Preparation	Physical conditioning program in preparation to be shown at the keuring – limited spaces available	\$150/week + board
Equine Spa	Full body bath, clipping and polish.	\$50/session
Stud fees		As stated in each stallion’s 2023 breeding contract

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This Peru's Argument breeding contract applies to breeding the following mare:

Mare _____ Reg. # _____

Name of Mare owner: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Cell phone: _____ Email: _____

Work phone: _____ Home: _____ Fax: _____

Ship semen to Name: _____

Shipping Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Shipping Phone #: _____ Shipping Email: _____

Is shipping number a cell that can accept text messages? _____ Please check if FedEx delivery is available to the above address.

Fees: \$900 for 3 doses of frozen semen. There is **NO LIVE FOAL GUARANTEE**
\$400 shipping and handling fee if using Friesian Connection Stallion Station shipping
container. Extra fees apply to shipping to Alaska and Hawaii. Frozen semen from Peru's
Argument is available to United States clients only.

Check # _____ for amount of \$900 plus \$400 if using a FC shipping container. Make check payable to Friesian Connection.
or

Credit Card Number: _____

(Visa, Master Card and Discover card only – NO American Express and No Debit cards)

Please call 616-430-6373 to give number if emailing contract for PCI DSS compliance and to keep your information secure.

Expiration Date: _____ Security code _____ **Credit card payments will have a 3.5% surcharge added.**

Name on Card (please print): _____

Address where CC bill mailed: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Card Holder's signature: _____

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and agree in full to the terms and conditions set forth in the Frozen Semen Breeding Contract for Peru's Argument.

Signature of mare owner: _____ Date: _____

Please include a copy of your mare's registration paper