

Dear Stallion Owner:

Stallion Reports: Help the Breed by Sharing Your Data

ASHA and the Statistics Committee would like to encourage every stallion owner who is breeding to participate in the stallion report process for the 2011 breeding season, by reporting what mares your stallion covered in 2011 for the 2012 foal crop. There are no costs related to this at this time.

Stallion reports are useful in many ways for the breed, members and the association. The first and most important of those is that of budget and finances. Stallion reports would allow ASHA to have a base line to plan registrations and income for the coming year. Furthermore, we would be able to have data on our Shires. We would be able to see what horses are producing, what mares are being bred and producing live offspring. Also with the place to mark breeding method we will have a better idea of how our genetics are getting spread around. It will shed light on how much shipped and frozen semen are we using, live cover, on farm AI etc. The Statistics Committee will use a lot of this data from this form along with registration numbers to compile data on the breed. Confidentiality will be maintained as before when analyzing the data.

Also included is a column for release of breeding- if this column is initialed by the stallion owner it would allow the owner of the resulting foal to register it without the stallion owner signature on the application. Several of the breeds do this- it is an easy way for the stallion owner and mare owner to be able to register the foal without further signatures after the transaction.

Please list all mares covered by the stallion listed- this includes non Shire mares- Grade mares or mares with no registration number can be listed as GRADE.

Use additional pages as needed to record all mares serviced.

This form is only for the current year expected foals. If you have frozen embryos, from a mare these will be recorded similar to frozen semen on a different form. The BOD is currently working on this form and policy.

Contact the ASHA Secretary or Leanne Hoagland for questions at bsshires@mdrivers.com or call (406) 687-3004.

Forms may be submitted via mail or scanned email.