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Barrow Veterinary Service

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Your Partner in Equine Health and Performance

Always On Call for Emergencies



Things to Remember

January

Happy birthday! Most breed registries consider your horse another year older January 1st.

Check your coggins & mark your calendars for renewal.

February

Breeding Season officially begins.

Mares bred in February will foal in January 2019.

February is Dental Awareness Month – when was your horse's last float?

March

March and September are popular vaccination months. Check out our Wellness Plans.

Call 770-464-0890 for scheduling.

Happy New Year! We'd like to make you aware of some exciting new happenings here at Barrow Vet Service. The equine "baby season" is upon us, and we are expecting quite a few foals to be born here at our facility between now and May. If you or someone you know is considering breeding a mare in 2018, we invite you to come and visit our reproductive facility. We offer packages in broodmare management and foaling services for all breeds and disciplines.

In addition to our mare services, we will be standing two amazing Quarter Horse Hunter stallions. We are listing their information in this newsletter, and we look forward to having them with us. If you're interested in standing or collecting your stallion, we are happy to discuss stallion options at your convenience. All breed registries are welcomed.

WELLNESS PLANS FOR THE WIN

Don't forget that we offer Wellness Plans for all your preventative and routine vaccines and dental care. There are 3 tiers to serve you, and enrollment in our Wellness Plans also gives you discounts on trip fees, emergency calls, and other services. Each plan covers 365 days from the date of enrollment.

Convenient payments and the peace of mind that comes with knowing your horse's vaccines, coggins, and dentals are up to date – priceless! Go to www.barrowvets.com for details & enrollment applications.

DID YOU KNOW...

Acupuncture is a relaxing, non-invasive way to help your horse, no matter what your riding style may be. Coupled with traditional therapies or used on its own, we see marked improvements in range of motion, stamina, & overall comfort levels in patients receiving regular treatments. To schedule a session with Dr. Wiley, call 770-464-0890.

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OTHER BARROW VET NEWS:

MORE OPTIONS

Based on your suggestions, we'd like to announce that we have expanded our financial options. We have joined the CareCredit Network and have added a "Pay My Invoice" button on our website for CareCredit members. We are now also able to accept payments via PayPal. Please call our office for instruction on how to pay your statement with the PayPal app. We, of course, are still accepting cash, checks, and all major credit cards for your convenience.

NEW TOOLS

If you haven't had a horse that's under the weather lately, that's a great thing. But that means you might not know that this Fall, BVS acquired Serum Amyloid-A (SAA) readers and test kits. SAA detects infection in the body and gives us an immediate, stall-side picture of whether your horse is suffering from infection or just an inflammatory process. Horses who are non-infectious will register at less than 25, while a horse with infection can register much higher. The higher the number, the greater the infection. SAA is a valuable tool in boarding or training barns for biosecurity purposes, as well as a useful gauge in determining if an existing infection is trending towards healing or not.

HAUL-IN APPOINTMENTS

We have an amazing hospital and if you haven't yet, we encourage you to consider hauling to us for your next appointment. We have plenty of room for even the largest rigs, padded treatment areas, a variety of surfaces & an arena for performance evaluations, and all of our treatment modalities are within arm's reach. This is especially true for soundness and podiatry options. If you find yourself needing a change in shoeing or trimming, our farrier is here every 4-5 weeks and consults with our doctors in a variety of cases from high-level dressage to weekend warrior horses. While many of our treatments are available as farm calls, any service we offer is available as a haul-in appointment.

BARROW VETERINARY 2018 STANDING AT STUD

WON LAST STAND

Won Last Stand is a bay 2006 AQHA Stallion standing 17 hands high. By the leading AQHA sire Last Detail, Won Last Stand has over 180 performance points and an impressive collection of awards. He is homozygous for black factor (EE), and 5-Panel negative (N/N).

www.WonLastStand.com



Full Medal Jacket

Full Medal Jacket is a black 2009 AQHA stallion by Coats N Tails and out of champion producer MySistersCertifiable. He is an NSBA World Champion and a Congress Reserve Champion. He has multiple open and amateur ROM's and Circuit Championships. Full Medal Jacket is homozygous black and he is 5-panel negative (N/N).

www.FullMedalJacketAQHA.com

