EYE CLINIC

Eye Exams for Eye Certification Registry (OFA)

(Indirect Ophthalmoscopy & Slitlamp Biomicroscopy)

will be conducted by J. Phillip Pickett, DVM, DACVO

Professor Emeritus, Ophthalmology

VA/MD CVM, Virginia Tech

From 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. on THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 2024

Walk Ins Only

The dog’s pupils will be dilated for the exam; therefore owners may wish to have their dog examined after competition. Positive identification is not required, but is highly recommended by OFA. Microchip readers will be available.

Cost for the CERF exam is $50.00

Checks should be made payable to: James River Kennel Club, Inc.

Inquiries may be sent to [debstraw@aol.com](mailto:debstraw@aol.com).

SEMEN EVALUATION CLINIC

Breeding Soundness Examination:

A breeding soundness examination will be performed by Dr. Orsolya Balogh, DVM, Diplomate of the American College of Theriogenologists (Animal Reproduction) and Dr. Sousa, DVM, AKC/CHF Theriogenology Resident from the Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine, Virginia Tech.

Breeding Soundness Examination (BSE):

Semen will be manually collected from the dog and a complete semen evaluation to include motility, morphology, concentration, and number of breeding doses will be reported. Recommendations will be made on suitability for breeding and potential for freezing.

The fee is **$100.00.**

Test shipment:

Test shipment evaluation will include all portions of the breeding soundness examination, but will also evaluate the ability of semen to withstand chilled shipment conditions. The semen will be processed, centrifuged and extended, in 2 different extenders over a 48-hour period and packaged according to industry standards. The semen will be evaluated at 24 and 48 hours for survival and motility. The results will be reported, including all portions of the BSE, longevity and which extender provided the best results. An overall recommendation of the stud dog’s ability to survive chilled shipment will be made.

The fee is **$125.00**

From 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. on THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 2024 &

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 2024

Appointments will be at 30 minute intervals from 9:00-4:00 or on a first come, first serve basis.

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All proceeds from this clinic go to the Theriogenology Department at the Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine in Blacksburg, VA.

**Pending**

*CARDIAC CLINIC*

*Auscultation exams for OFA Certification will be conducted by*

*Emily Westphal, DVM, DACVIM,*

*Cardiology Veterinary Cardiologist*

*CVCA – Cardiac Care for Pets*

*5918 West Broad Street, Richmond, VA, 23230*

*From 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. on THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 2024*

*Walk Ins Only*

*This is done as a pre-breeding or in-breeding examination. Dr. Westphal is board certified by the ACVIM in the specialty of Cardiology. Positive identification is not required, but is highly recommended by OFA. Microchip readers will be available.*

*The fee is $50.00*

*Checks should be made payable to: James River Kennel Club, Inc.*

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