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Pre-Purchase Examination

Date: 9/26/19

Purchaser: Cindy Zatrio

Patient Information:

Name: Ruby Tuesday

Age: 14 years

Sex: Mare

Breed: Hanoverian

Color: Black

History/Past Occupation: Current owners have had Ruby Tuesday for approximately the past 2 years. She has been shown by the daughter in dressage. Owner reports her to have had two previous foals prior to their ownership. Has not been in consistent work since August as the daughter has left for college. Owner reports her to have no vices and to not require maintenance (joint injections, etc.) to stay sound. Owner does report her to receive Regumate daily.

Intended Use: Dressage

General Physical Exam:

- **General** – Bright, alert, and responsive. Horse demonstrated a good temperament and a pleasant disposition throughout the exam. She was mildly reluctant to and became “pushy” during ocular and oral exams. Body condition score 5/9. Good conformation. Healthy skin and hair coat except a mild to moderate folliculitis of all 4 lower limbs (fetlocks and distal). A healing summer sore (cutaneous habronemiasis) is present and located at the dorsal lateral aspect of the right front limb just above the coronary band.
- **Temperature (rectal)** – 99.9 °F
- **Eyes** – Clinically normal
- **Digestive System** – Oral exam reveals teeth in normal occlusion and no foul odor present. Moderate dental points present. Recommend a dental float in the near

future. Last float was reported by owner to have been approx. 1 year ago. Normal borborygmi (gut sounds) present in all four abdominal quadrants.

- **Respiratory System** – Respiratory Rate = 14bpm. No crackles or wheezes auscultated bilaterally. Cough could not be elicited.
- **Cardiovascular System** – Heart Rate = 36bpm. Normal rhythm and rate with no murmurs auscultated. Capillary refill time < 2sec. and mucous membranes are pink and moist.

Lameness Examination: Currently not shod. Mild shedding of all 4 frogs present. Mild thrush present of hind feet. Picks up all gaits (walk, trot, canter) with ease in both directions when lunged.

- **Hoof Testers**
LF: Negative
RF: Negative
LH: Negative
RH: Negative
- **Palpation**
LF: Superficial and deep flexor tendons palpate within normal limits. Suspensory palpates within normal limits. Joints palpate within normal limits with no effusion present in carpal or fetlock joints.
RF: Superficial and deep flexor tendons palpate within normal limits. Suspensory palpates within normal limits. Joints palpate within normal limits with no effusion present in carpal or fetlock joints.
LH: Superficial and deep flexor tendons palpate within normal limits. Suspensory palpates within normal limits. Joints palpate within normal limits with no effusion present in fetlock, hock, or stifle joints.
RH: Superficial and deep flexor tendons palpate within normal limits. Suspensory palpates within normal limits. Joints palpate within normal limits with no effusion present in fetlock, hock, or stifle joints.

Withers, back, and croup: No pain elicited on deep palpation.

- **Lameness** – Sound at a baseline trot in both directions. Intermittent upward fixation of the patella observed in both hind limbs (LH 2x, RH 1x) during transitions from a trot to a walk. It was noted infrequently and not consistently.
- **Flexions**
LF: Negative post carpal flexion. Negative post fetlock/digit flexion.
RF: Negative post carpal flexion. Negative post fetlock/digit flexion.
LH: Negative post stifle flexion. Negative post hock flexion. Negative post fetlock/digit flexion.
RH: Negative post stifle flexion. Negative post hock flexion. Negative post fetlock/digit flexion.

Radiographic Evaluation: N/A

Ancillary Tests:

- **Coggins (EIA)** – Reported by owner to be current
- **CBC- N/A**
- **Chemistry – N/A**

Drug Screen – N/A