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2 April, 2025

Veterinary Report for "Capital Call" a 4yo Thoroughbred Gelding, c/o Gai Waterhouse Racing

Referring Veterinarian: Brain, Maxine (Advantage Equine)

&Client Details				Horse	Horse Details			
Name Address	Syndicate of Capital Call 16 Bowral Street Kensington, New South Wales 2033	Phone	0410 069 239 +61 2 9662 1488	Name Species Breed Colour	Capital Call Equine Thoroughbred Bay		4 years Gelding p 985100012180833 Dr Brain, Maxine - Advantage Equine	

Dear Maxine,

Further to the reports dated 22-03-2025 and 31-03-2025 the above gelding underwent surgical debridement of the left hind lateral sesamoid bone and arthroscopic lavage of the digital flexor tendon sheath.

The gelding was anaesthetised on 01-04-2025 and the left hind distal limb prepared aseptically. Surgical findings included the following:

- using ultrasonographic and radiographic guidance, needles were placed adjacent the identified septic lateral sesamoid bone abaxial border
- an incision was made following needle placement to identify the affected region and a large amount of inflammatory tissue adjacent the bone was resected. Following removal of the inflammatory tissue a loose bone fragment was identified and removed. Underlying the fragment the bone was soft and this was curetted to healthy and firm bone. The bone fragments were submitted for culture and sensitivity. Radiographs were obtained to confirm adequate curettage of the bone
- Following curettage communication of the digital flexor tendon sheath was identified arthroscopic lavage of the tendon sheath was performed which identified moderate inflammation of the tendon sheath with moderate accumulation of fibrinous material within the tendon sheath. The fibrinous material was removed and submitted for culture and sensitivity. The tendon sheath was lavaged with sterile isotonic fluids
- · Following lavage the wound was closed routinely and a sterile heavily padded bandage applied to the limb
- The gelding recovered uneventfully from anaesthesia

Re-examination this morning identified that the gelding was walking well with minimal evidence of lameness. The gelding will be maintained on broad-spectrum systemic antimicrobials (penicillin, enrofloxacin and metronidazole) pending culture results, non-steroidal anti-inflammatories as required and local antimicrobial administration (intravenous regional limb perfusion and/or intrasynovial administration) on a daily basis.

At this point in time the prognosis for resolution of sepsis remains guarded and will depend on response to therapy. Further reports will be provided in the near future.

Thank you for the referral of this case. Please feel free to contact me on 0387904922 if you have any concerns or questions regarding Capital Call.

Yours sincerely,

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Lagnostic Result

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