

## **Pedigree Registry**

## Greetings!

We are pleased to welcome you and your animal into The Livestock Conservancy's Pedigree Registry for the Marsh Tacky horse. This registry was created by the Conservancy in 2008 after an extensive field investigation on the breed, phenotypic analysis of the population, and finally DNA testing of the founders to ensure that the horses included in the studbook are indeed Marsh Tackies. TLC keeps and maintains the registry on behalf of the owners & breeders and is available to answer questions or provide data to assist in breeding decisions. The actual studbook is now available on-line through TLC and you may have access to search it at any time by visiting <a href="http://www.albc-usa.org/cgi-bin/pedserve/pedserve-login.pl">http://www.albc-usa.org/cgi-bin/pedserve/pedserve-login.pl</a> and requesting a login name. As soon as I receive the request, I will verify you are an owner, approve access, and send confirmation to you as soon as possible.

For future reference, you can find blank registration certificates and naming rules (for future reference if you have foals or acquire registerable horses) along with information on the breed standards on our website at <a href="https://livestockconservancy.org/index.php/heritage/internal/breed-registration">https://livestockconservancy.org/index.php/heritage/internal/breed-registration</a>

In order to ensure the data in the studbook is current, please contact The Livestock Conservancy with birth, death, or neutering information on your horse. If you sell your horse, you will need to fill out and sign the transfer section of the registration certificate and return it to TLC in order for the new owner to receive a certificate for the horse under their name.

Welcome to the world of owning a Marsh Tacky and feel free to contact us any time if you have questions regarding the breed or the registry.

Sincerely,

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