



PATIENT

Zoey Clavijo

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Miniature Schnauzer

SEX

FS

AGE

9Y

WEIGHT

15.8lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Acute onset non weight bearing LRL . Semi-responsive to Carprofen and gabapentin. Duration aa few weeks. Now still non weight bearing lame LRL with tarsal edema. No laxity or pain on palpation of tarsal joint. MPL grade ii/iv LRL with mild sensitivity
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: CBC/Chem normal

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE STIFLES & TARSI

Plain and post contrast studies of the tarsi and post contrast study of the stifles are available for review.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Left Tarsus

Moderate periarticular and articular soft tissue swelling of the left tarsal joint is seen.

No significant osseous abnormalities are identified. There is no evidence of traumatic osseous injury, aggressive bone lesion, osteochondrosis, osteophyte formation, subchondral bone sclerosis, luxation, or subluxation.

The achilles tendon complex appears intact without evidence of rupture, mineralization, or tendinopathy.

The left popliteal lymph node is moderately enlarged, most likely reactive in association with regional soft tissue swelling.

Right Tarsus

The right tarsus presents within normal limits.

Stifles

Both stifle joints are within normal CT limits.

Patellae are in-situ at the time of the examination.

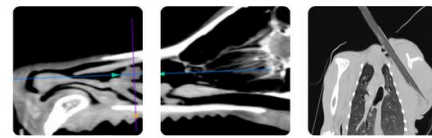
No significant secondary osteoarthritic remodeling is seen. No osseous changes are noted.

Moderate muscle atrophy involving the left pelvic limb musculature is seen.

A very small subcutaneous lipoma is seen lateral and caudal to the right stifle joint and considered incidental.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Moderate soft tissue and articular swelling of the left tarsal joint without significant osseous abnormality.
- Moderate reactive enlargement of the left popliteal lymph node.
- Moderate left pelvic limb muscle atrophy.
- Incidental small lipoma lateral to right stifle joint.



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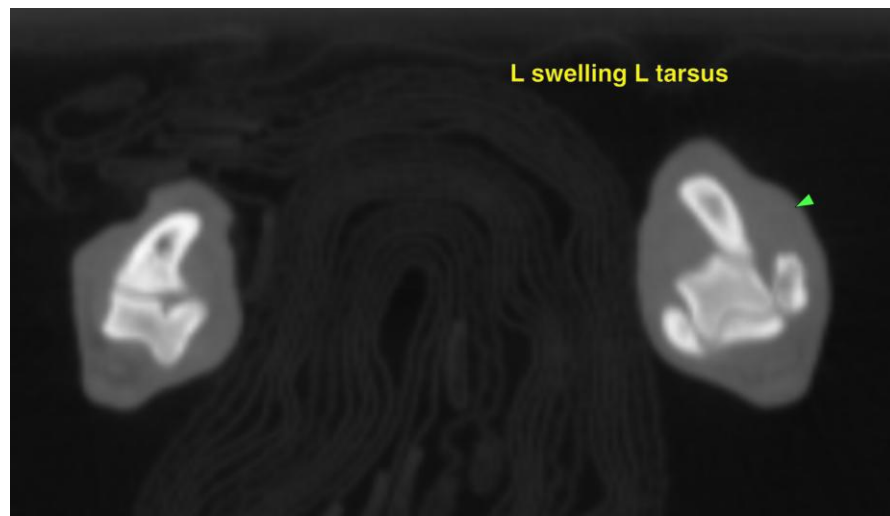
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INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

No definitive osseous cause of the severe left rear limb lameness is identified on CT examination. The primary abnormality is moderate soft tissue and articular swelling centered on the left tarsal joint. The absence of osteoarthritic remodeling or osseous injury suggests predominantly soft tissue or inflammatory process. Important differential considerations include soft tissue sprain/ligamentous injury, synovitis, or inflammatory arthropathy, early immune mediated joint disease, tendon or retinacular injury, occult instability and less likely septic arthritis. Arthrocentesis of the left tarsal joint is recommended. Musculoskeletal MRI could be considered to further evaluate collateral ligaments, tendons, joint capsule, and synovial structures.



The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

Thank you for this referral. If the clinical or image interpretation does not parallel your findings or if I can be of any further assistance please contact me.

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