



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Lola Balfour History: Hx of right hind leg lameness, pt bunny hops
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results:

SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE PELVIS AND STIFLE JOINTS

Canine A complete set of radiographs of the pelvis and stifle joints is provided for review.

RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

BREED

Plott Hound The periarticular bones of the right coxofemoral joint present moderate osteophyte new bone formation with loss of distinction between the femoral head and neck. The right acetabular groove is shallow and the center of the right femoral head is lateral to the dorsal acetabular rim. The periarticular bones of the left coxofemoral joint presents mild osteophyte new bone formation.

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Spayed Female The periarticular bones of both stifle joints present moderate osteophyte new bone formation. The patellar of the right stifle joint is superimposed on the medial femoral condyle. The right stifle joint presents a moderate intracapsular soft tissue swelling and the left stifle joint a mild to moderate intracapsular soft tissue swelling, effacing the infrapatellar fat pad and distorting the fascial plane caudally. Bilateral moderate caudal osseous elongation of the tibial plateau is visible. The right tibia is in a moderate cranial subluxated position. The left tibia presents mild cranial subluxation.

AGE

5 Years

RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

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- Bilateral degenerative osteoarthritis of the stifle joints
- Bilateral moderate articular swelling of the stifle joints
- Bilateral moderate caudal elongation of the tibial plateau
- Bilateral cranial tibial subluxation, L>R
- Right sided medial patellar luxation
- Right sided moderate and left sided mild degenerative osteoarthritis coxofemoral joints, due to hip dysplasia

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The radiographic study is consistent with bilateral chronic degenerative osteoarthritis with concomitant joint effusion of both stifle joints. The caudal elongation of the tibial plateau indicates chronic failure of the cranial cruciate ligament ± meniscal disease. There is evidence of accompanying right sided medial patellar luxation.

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A positive drawer sign or tibial compression test under general anesthesia can be used to confirm the diagnosis and surgical intervention – a correction osteotomy technique would be ideal – of the clinically more conspicuous right stifle joint is recommended – including correction of the medial patellar luxation. Surgical intervention of the left stifle joint may be considered as well after the post-operative recovery phase.

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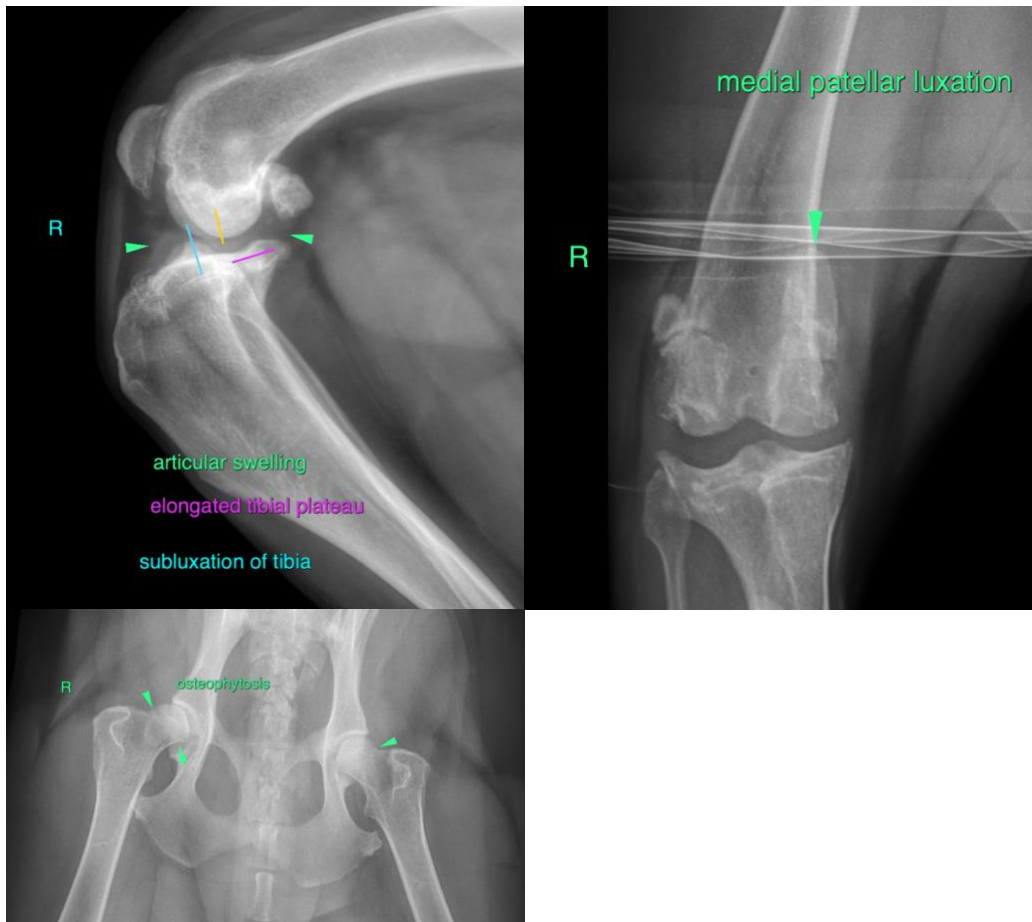
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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