



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Sammy Francescutto History: non-weightbearing lameness of right rear leg, painful on distal femur/right stifle, non-responsive to NSAIDS/pain meds
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results:

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Canine

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE RIGHT HIND LIMB

A high resolution pre- and post-contrast CT study of right hind limb is provided for review.

BREED

Beagle Mix

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

The periarticular bones of the right stifle joint present moderate to marked osteophyte new bone formation. A moderate to marked intracapsular soft tissue swelling of the right stifle joint is visible, presenting a moderate medial buttress. Post contrast administration the joint capsule of the right stifle joint is moderately to markedly thickened and contrast enhancing. The right tibial plateau is mildly elongated caudally.

SEX

Neutered Male

The popliteal lymph node is small, unremarkable.

AGE

6 Years 9 Months

The remainder of the pictured parts of the osseous and soft tissue structures of the right hind limb are within normal limits.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

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- Marked articular swelling right stifle joint and advanced Synovialitis
- Moderate to marked degenerative osteoarthritis right stifle joint
- Mild caudal elongation of the tibial plateau

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The degenerative joint disease with joint effusion and Synovialitis of the right stifle joint is likely secondary to (partial) rupture of the cranial cruciate ligament ± meniscal pathology. The mild caudal elongation of the tibial plateau supports the diagnosis of chronic instability of the right stifle joint. An acute on chronic insult may have caused deterioration of clinical signs. If there is suspicion for accompanying primary inflammatory arthritis a synovial tap is recommended.

REFERRING VET

Dr. Parker

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 –is recommended.

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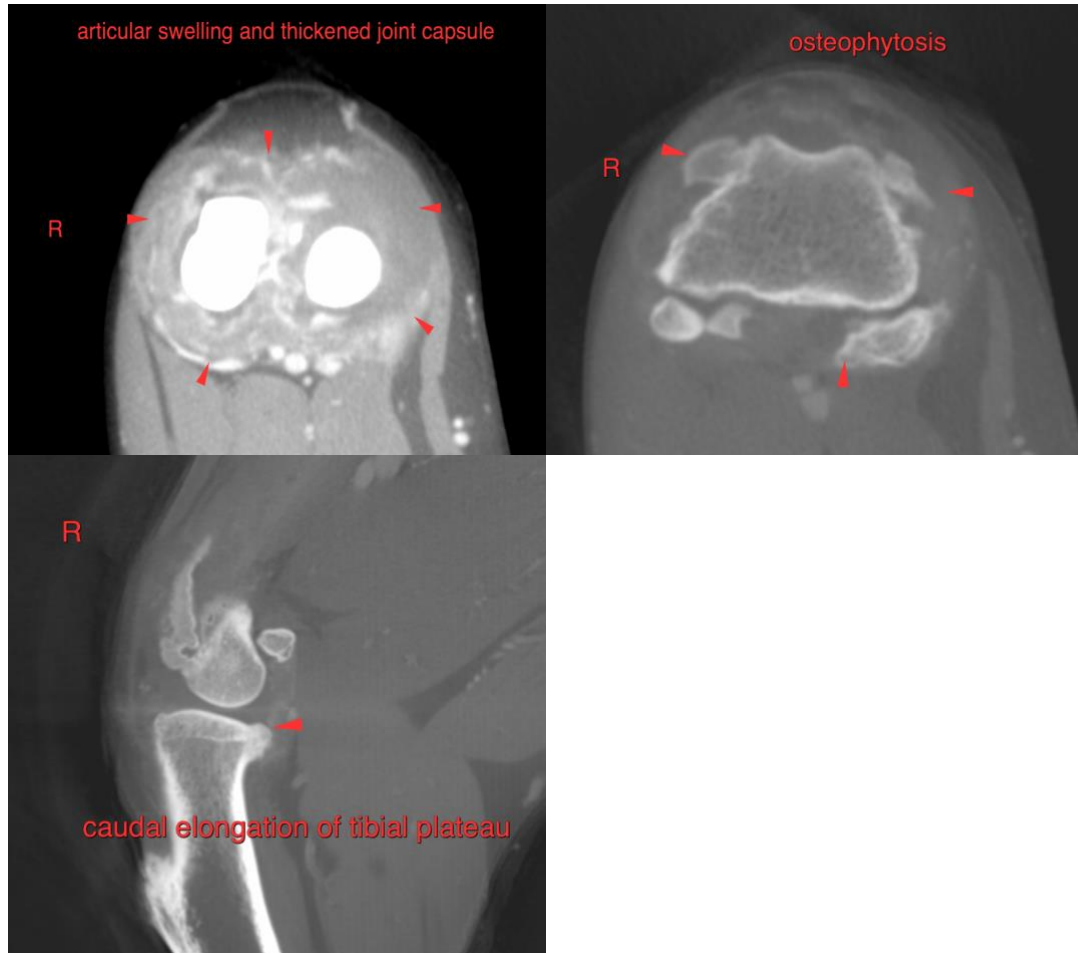
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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