



PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Ginger Vaughn Grade 4/4 Right hind lameness. 1 week duration

RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF PELVIC LIMBS

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Orthogonal views of the pelvic limbs are provided for review totaling 8 images. One lateral view of the right stifle, one lateral view of the left stifle, four ventrodorsal views of the pelvis and stifle joints, and two caudocranial of the stifle joints.

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RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Right Pelvic Limb

There is articular swelling of the right stifle joint and increased volume extending caudally, medially, and cranially from normal margins, and is compressing the caudal 40% of the infrapatellar fat pad.

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The proximal tibia is cranially translocated in relation to the distal femur.

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Moderate periarticular ossification is seen at the margins of the right patella, at the medial and lateral border of the tibial and femoral condyles and sesamoids of the gastrocnemius.

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On the craniocaudal views, the patella is centrally located and superimposed in the respective femoral trochlea.

The tarsocrural, tarsal and metatarsal joints are normal.

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There is moderate decreased muscle mass of the right hind limb in comparison with the left.

Left Pelvic Limb

The stifle joints and fat-pad opacity are normal.

On the craniocaudal views, the patella is centrally located and superimposed in the respective femoral trochlea.

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The tarsocrural, tarsal and metatarsal joints are normal.

The pelvis and the coxofemoral joints are normal.

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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Right side stifle joint synovial swelling, moderate secondary osteoarthritis, and subluxation are consistent with partial tear or complete rupture of the cranial cruciate ligament. Differential diagnosis includes concurrent inflammatory joint effusion.
- Right side muscle mass disuse atrophy.
- Normal pelvis and pelvic limb.

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PATIENT INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Ginger Vaughn The radiographic findings of the right stifle joint are correlated with the patient's history. Correlate the radiographic findings with specific orthopedic exams, for example, the tibial thrust and cranial drawer. Surgical consultation is suggested for evaluation for further surgical approaches.

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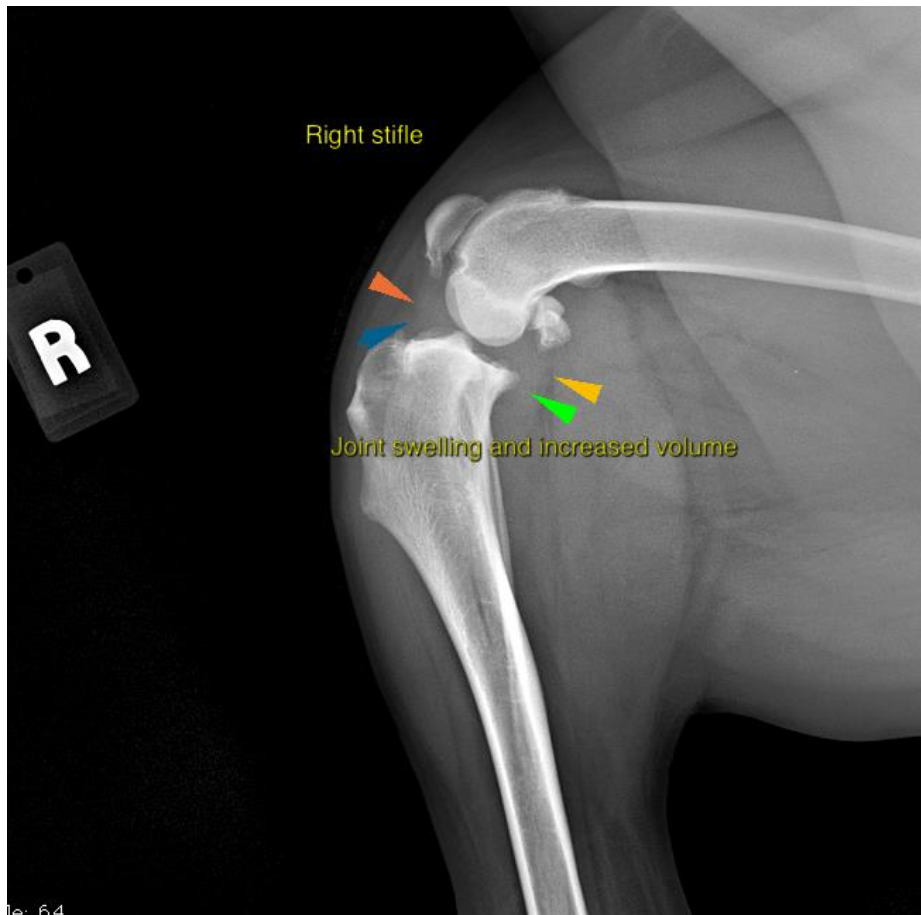
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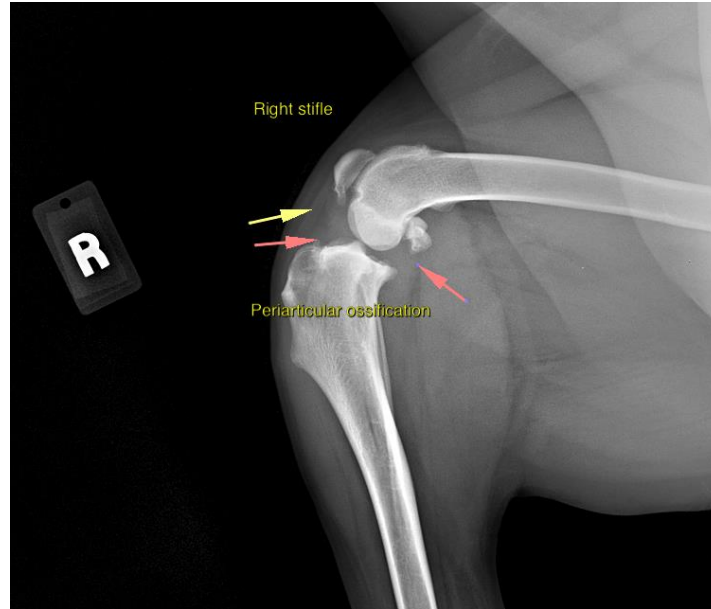
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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