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Press Release

## **Primrose Safely Delivers Gorgeous Colt Foal**

Alltech and the team at World Horse Welfare's Glenda Spooner Farm in Somerset, are excited to announce the arrival of a new colt foal, born to Primrose, who was rescued from an abandoned herd, suffering from severe photosensitivity.

The little cremello cob mare, who is being supported by Alltech, safely delivered the foal in the early hours of the morning, in a special field at the centre that is reserved for mares to give birth. The grooms were delighted to meet the new addition when they did their early morning checks, shortly after coming on duty.



In recognition of their generous support, the team at World Horse Welfare have given the honour of naming Primrose's foal to Alltech and their UK Marketing Manager, Isla Baker-Browne was thrilled to reveal they have decided to call him, Teddy.

Said Isla: "He is such a little sweetie and with his fluffy ears, the name Teddy just seemed to fit perfectly. We can't wait to see what the future holds for both Primrose and Teddy."

Although Primrose is a friendly mare, she was initially very protective of her foal, and kept him at a safe distance from the other horses.

However, she soon grew confident enough to introduce Teddy to her groom Fern Laurie, who

was even allowed to give Teddy a little scratch and the pair now come trotting up every time we go to the field.

At first sight Teddy doesn't appear to have inherited his mums' pink skin, meaning that it is unlikely that he will develop the same condition that has caused Primrose so much distress.

Fern said: “Primrose is doing a wonderful job looking after Teddy and is also being firm when needed to teach him good manners. We are all very excited to have such a lovely foal on the farm.



Primrose is also an example of the number of mares that come into the care of World Horse Welfare in foal, effectively a ‘two for one’ that places a huge drain on the charity’s resources.

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