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The Cocoon Testing Centre will be open from Nov 19, 2018- April 17, 2019

MEW Christmas closing date to be announced later in the season

Hours are 9:00a.m.-12:00 & 1:00 - 3:00p.m Mon-Thur & 9:00 a.m -1:00 p.m on Fridays



Sample Bags are still available to all producers (free of charge) please call/ email the lab and we can send them out or if you're in Alberta you can get them at the Fall/Winter Alfalfa Seed Commission meeting, or by stopping at the lab.

<u>X-Ray Analysis</u>: live count, parasites, machine damage, Chalkbrood, etc. \$71.43 + \$3.57 (GST) = \$**75.00**

<u>Sex Ratio</u>: includes an x-ray analysis & female count, **Allow 6-8 week** (Samples must be sent in by March 9/19) \$142.86+ \$7.14 (GST) = **\$150.00**

Chalkbrood only 47.62 + 2.38 (GST)=**\$50.00**

VERY IMPORTANT: All samples are done on a 1st come 1st BOOKED BASIS

Please call to book your samples in @ 403-362-0453. Have your total sample numbers as well as your name & phone #. Samples will be processed by booking date and not received date.

- Please include payment (**Cheque only**) with samples along with **phone #**, **Email address** and your reference numbers on the bag.
- Cheques made payable to "Canadian Cocoon Testing Center" or CCTC

The procedure will be as follows:

- Fill the **Cocoon Testing lab sample bags** to "Fill Line" (about 2 cups) with a well-mixed batch of bees.
- All samples must be marked with the type of test wanting to be done.
- Samples will not be processed until payment is received.
- All samples requiring sex ratio tests must be received before March 9/19.
- Results will be sent by **Email**, unless otherwise requested or email is unavailable.

***** All of this information is also available on the ASCA website: www.alfalfaseedab.com click on the cocoon tab. *****

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