

TBA Stud Farming Course Programme

Tuesday 10th December 2024

8.20 a.m. Coffee and Registration

8.50 a.m. Welcome and introduction

Session 1

9.00 a.m. **The mare's reproductive cycle, achievement of conception and early development of the horse conceptus**

Liam McGillivray, Newmarket Equine Hospital

9.45 a.m. **Management of the barren mare for optimal fertility and application of veterinary techniques in equine breeding**

Camilla Scott, RosSDales Veterinary Surgeons

10.30 a.m. Questions/Discussion

10.40 a.m. Coffee Break

11.00 a.m. **Visit to Beech House Stud**

12.30 p.m. Lunch at BRS

Session 2

1.30 p.m. **Causes of abortion**

Professor Ken Smith, Royal Veterinary College

2.00 p.m. **Biosecurity and stud protocols**

Oliver Pynn, RosSDales Veterinary Surgeons

2.45 p.m. Questions/Discussion

3.00 p.m. Tea Break

3.15 p.m. **Practical paddock management**

Paul Overton, H R Overton Ltd

4.00 p.m. **Parasite control on the stud farm**

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4.45 p.m. Discussion and end

Course dinner at El Guaca Mexican Grill, Newmarket, 7.30 for 8.00 p.m.

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8.15 a.m. Coffee on arrival

Session 3

8.30 a.m. **Recent developments in diagnosis and treatment of upper respiratory tract disorders**
Tim Barnett, RosSDales Veterinary Surgeons

9.15 a.m. **Advances in Equine Dentistry**
Mark Grant, RosSDales Veterinary Surgeons

10.00 a.m. **Nutrition of the yearling**
Catherine Rudenko, Independent Equine Nutritionist

10.45 a.m. Questions/Discussion

11.00 a.m. **Visit to RosSDales Equine Hospital**

12.30 p.m. Lunch at BRS

Session 4

1:30 p.m. **Sales Preparation**
Joe Bradley, The National Stud

2:15 p.m. **Yearling Selection at the sales**
Harvey Bell, Tattersalls

3.00 p.m. Questions/Discussion

3.10 p.m. Tea Break

3.30 p.m. **Sales vetting an overview**
Stuart Williamson, Newmarket Equine Hospital

4.00 p.m. **Management of the commercial stallion**
Julian Dollar, Newsells Park Stud

4.40 p.m. **Traceability and change of ownership**
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5.10 p.m. Discussion and end

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Thursday 12th December 2024

8.15 a.m. Coffee on arrival

Session 5

8.30 a.m. **Preparation for potential birth problems**
Catriona MacKenzie, RosSDales Veterinary Surgeons

9.15 a.m. **Critical Care of the newborn foal**
Emily Floyd, RosSDales Veterinary Surgeons

10.00 a.m. Questions/Discussion

10.10 a.m. **Tour of the British Racing School**

10:45 a.m. Coffee Break

11.00 a.m. **Common conditions of the newborn foal**
Jan Pynn, Newmarket Equine Hospital

11.45 a.m. **Diseases of the older foal and yearling**
Hayley Chidlow, Newmarket Equine Hospital

12.15 p.m. Questions/Discussion

12.30 p.m. Lunch

Session 6

1.15 p.m. **Management of weaning the foal**
Joe Grimwade LVO, Industry Consultant

1.45 p.m. **Management of congenital and acquired growth defects in foals**
Oliver Pynn, RosSDales Veterinary Surgeons

2.30 p.m. Tea Break

2.45 p.m. **Farrier treatment of foals, yearlings and the mare's feet**
James Coburn, James Coburn Farriers

3.30 p.m. Questions/Discussion

3.50 p.m. Closing remarks and end of course

Please note: *The organisers reserve the right to make amendments to the event, agenda or programme, if necessary, at any time.*