

**Advances in Equine Podiatry –
Lectures (online), On-Location Case-Discussions & Practical Sessions**

COURSE DATE: Fri 25 – Sat 26 October 2024

COURSE VENUE: Chicago Equine Medical Center, Chicago, IL

SPEAKERS/INSTRUCTORS:



Scott Fleming DVM, CF

Farrier & Equine Practitioner, Podiatry Center, Rood & Riddle Equine Hospital, KY, USA



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Assoc. Professor of Practice & Chief of Farrier Services, VA-MD College of Veterinary Medicine Virginia Tech, VA, USA

PROGRAM:

Online Lectures available on-demand ahead of the Course:

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| • Functional Anatomy & Physiology of the Foot | Andrew Parks |
| • Biomechanics of the distal limb and the relationship between stress and shape | Andrew Parks |
| • Anatomy & ‘Physiology’ of a Horse Shoe | Andrew Parks |
| • Effect of Shoes on ‘normal’ Foot Function | Andrew Parks |
| • Foot Wounds: Characteristics, healing & treatment | Andrew Parks |

DAY 1

12:00 – 12:30	<i>Registration & Welcome Coffee</i>	
12:30 – 12:40	Course Introduction	Course Administrator
12:40 – 1:30	Examination of the foot – A veterinarian’s & A farrier’s approach	Scott Fleming
1:30 – 2:10	Hoof Capsule Distortions	Scott Fleming
2:10 – 3:00	Principles of Trimming & Shoeing	Travis Burns
3:00 – 3:20	The Use of Composites	Travis Burns
3:20 – 3:30	Questions	

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DAY 1 (Continued)

3:30 – 3:50	<i>Arthramidvet Coffee Break</i>	
3:50 – 4:30	Laminitis & Various Types of Displacement	Scott Fleming
4:30 – 5:10	Hoof Problems in Foals: Corrective Shoeing for angular & flexural limb deformities	Scott Fleming
5:10 – 6:10	Hoof Capsule Conditions: Infection, Crack & Poor Wall Quality	Travis Burns
6:10 – 6:20	Questions & Panel Discussions	
6:20 – 7:00	Dechra Dinner	

DAY 2

7:50 – 8:40	<i>VetPD Breakfast</i>	
8:40 - 11:00	Practical Sessions on live Horses & Specimens in Small Groups (70min / Session) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Preparing the Foot for Shoeing• Radiography of the Foot	Travis Burns Scott Fleming
11:00 – 11:20	<i>VetRay Coffee Break</i>	
11:20 – 1:10	Practical Sessions on live Horses & Specimens in Small Groups (70min / Session) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Applying Wooden Shoes• Shoeing Techniques	Scott Fleming Travis Burns
1:10 – 2:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
2:00 – 4:20	Practical Sessions on live Horses & Specimens in Small Groups (70min / Session) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Foot Casting Techniques• Quarter Crack Repair	Scott Fleming Travis Burns
4:20 – 4:45	Coffee, Questions & Final Remarks	

