

Diagnostic & Therapeutic Workshop: Back, Sacroiliac & Pelvic Problems – A 2-day Practical Course

COURSE DATE: Fri 9 – Sat 10 May 2025

COURSE VENUE: Equi Vet Serwis, Poznan, Poland

SPEAKERS/INSTRUCTORS:



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PROGRAM:

DAY 1

07:30 – 08:00	<i>Registration & Welcome Coffee</i>	
08:00 – 08:10	Course Introduction	
08:10 – 09:00	Clinical Examination of the Back	Andy Fiske-Jackson
09:00 – 10:00	Anatomy & Imaging of the Back	Henk van der Veen
10:00 – 10:10	Questions	
10:10 – 10:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
10:30 – 11:00	Diagnostic Techniques for Back Conditions	Henk van der Veen
11:00 – 11:50	Saddle Fit Assessment	Helen Reader
11:50 – 12:50	Common Conditions of the Back	Andy Fiske-Jackson
12:50 – 13:00	Questions	
13:00 – 14:30	<i>Lunch</i>	

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DAY 1 (continued)

14:30 – 17:45	Practical Sessions on Live Horses & ‘VetPD Lumbar Facet & Sacroiliac Joint Simulators’ in Small Groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clinical Examination of the Back • Ultrasound of the Back & Facet Joint Injections • Saddle Fit Assessment 	Andy Fiske-Jackson Henk van der Veen Kay Hastilow
17:45 – 18:00	Questions & Discussions	
18:00 – 19:00	<i>Wine & Cheese Reception</i>	

DAY 2

08:00 – 08:30	Less Common Conditions of the Back	Andy Fiske-Jackson
08:30 – 09:10	Clinical Examination of the Pelvis & Hip	Henk van der Veen
09:10 – 10:00	Imaging of the Pelvis & Hip	Henk van der Veen
10:00 – 10:10	Questions	
10:10 – 10:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
10:30 – 11:30	Sacroiliac Disease – Pathophysiology & Diagnosis	Andy Fiske-Jackson
11:30 – 12:00	Sacroiliac Disease – Injections & Therapy	Andy Fiske-Jackson
12:00 – 12:10	Questions	
12:10 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30 – 14:00	Soft Tissue & Muscle Problems of the Pelvis	Andy Fiske-Jackson
14:00 – 14:45	Bony Problems affecting the Pelvis & Hip	Henk van der Veen
14:45 – 15:00	Questions	
15:00 – 15:15	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
15:15 – 17:20	Practical Sessions on Live Horses & ‘VetPD Lumbar Facet & Sacroiliac Joint Simulators’ in Small Groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ultrasound of the Pelvis & Hip • Sacroiliac Injection Techniques 	Henk van der Veen Andy Fiske-Jackson
17:20 – 17:30	Questions & Final Remarks	