

New Developments in Equine Endoscopy & Respiratory Conditions – A 2-Day Practical Course

COURSE DATE: Sat 22 – Sun 23 June 2024

COURSE VENUE: REC Specialist Equine Centre, near Sydney, NSW

SPEAKERS/INSTRUCTORS:



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PROGRAM:

DAY 1 – RESPIRATORY TRACT

08:00 – 08:30	<i>Registration & Welcome Coffee</i>	
08:30 – 08:40	Course Introduction	
08:40 – 09:30	Diagnostic Nasal & Upper Respiratory Endoscopy, incl. Guttural Pouches	Gaby van Galen
09:30 – 10:10	Sinus Approaches & Sinoscopy	Denis Verwilghen
10:10 – 10:40	Overground Respiratory Endoscopy	Gaby van Galen
10:40 – 10:50	Questions	
10:50 – 11:10	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
11:10 – 11:50	Lower Respiratory Tract Endoscopy (incl. TW & BAL)	Leanne Begg
11:50 – 12:50	Making Sense of Lower Airway Test Results & Therapeutics for Lower Airway Conditions	Begg/van Galen
12:50 – 13:00	Questions	
13:00 – 13:50	<i>Lunch</i>	

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DAY 1 – RESPIRATORY TRACT (continued)

13:50 – 14:30	Overground Endoscopy Demonstration	Gaby van Galen
14:30 – 18:00	<u>Practical Sessions on live Horses & Equine Specimens in Small Groups</u>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anatomy Review of the Upper Respiratory Tract, incl. Nasal Passages, Sinuses & Guttural Pouches • Upper Respiratory Tract incl. Guttural Pouches • Lower Respiratory Tract incl. Tracheal Wash & Bronchoalveolar Lavage 	Denis Verwilghen Gaby van Galen Leanne Begg
16:40 – 17:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
17:30 – 19:00	<i>Wine & Cheese Reception</i>	

DAY 2 – GASTROINTESTINAL TRACT

08:00 – 08:30	Oral Endoscopy	Denis Verwilghen
08:30 – 09:10	Oesophagus, Stomach & Duodenum	Leanne Begg
09:10 – 10:00	Interactive Gastroscopy – When do you need to treat?	Leanne Begg
10:00 – 10:10	Questions	
10:10 – 10:40	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
10:40 – 12:50	Clinical Endoscopy Case-Discussions	GvG, LB & DV
12:50 – 13:00	Questions	
13:00 – 14:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:00 – 17:30	<u>Practical Sessions on live Horses & Equine Specimens in Small Groups</u>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oral Endoscopy & Sinoscopy • Gastroscopy I • Gastroscopy II 	Denis Verwilghen Leanne Begg Gaby van Galen
16:10 – 16:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
17:30 – 17:45	Questions, Discussion & Closing Remarks	

