Abdominal, Thoracic & Soft Tissue Ultrasound – A 1 ½-Day Practical Course

COURSE DATE: Fri 4 – Sat 5 Oct 2024   **COURSE VENUE:** Pool House Equine Hospital, Birmingham, UK

SPEAKERS/INSTRUCTORS:

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To be confirmed

PROGRAM:

Time	Session	Speaker
08:00 – 08:30	*Registration & Coffee*	
08:30 – 08:40	Course Introduction	
08:40 – 09:20	**Gastrointestinal Ultrasound** incl. fast localised exam in horses with colic	Victoria South
09:20 – 10:00	Ultrasound of **non-GI Abdominal Organs**	Gunther van Loon
10:00 – 10:30	Ultrasound-guided **Biopsy Techniques**	Victoria South
10:30 – 10:40	Questions & Discussion	
10:40 – 11:10	*Coffee Break*	
11:10 – 11:50	Ultrasound Exam of **the Foal**	Gunther van Loon
11:50 – 12:30	**Ocular Ultrasound**	Victoria South
12:30 – 12:40	*Questions*	
12:40 – 14:00	*Lunch*	
14:00 – 17:45	Practical Stations in Small Groups on live horses & specimens	
	1. **Ocular Ultrasound & Biopsy Techniques**	Victoria South
	2. **The complete Abdominal Ultrasound Exam I &** **Fast localised abdominal ultrasound in horses with colic**	Gunther van Loon
	3. **The complete Abdominal Ultrasound Exam II**	TBC
16:30 – 16:45	*Coffee Break*	
17:45 – 19:00	*Wine & Cheese Reception*	

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DAY 2

08:30 – 09:10	Non-Cardiac **Thoracic Ultrasound** (incl. Pleural Drainage)	Gunther van Loon
09:10 – 09:50	**Miscellaneous Medical Ultrasound** – Thrombophlebitis, Choke, Transrectal Ultrasound etc.	Fe ter Woort
09:50 – 10:00	*Questions*	
10:00 – 10:20	*Coffee Break*	
10:20 – 12:00	Practical Stations in Small Groups on live horses & specimens	
	Ultrasound of Thorax & Soft Tissues of Head/Neck	GvL, VS & TBC
12:00 – 12:20	Questions, Discussion & Final Remarks	