

Practical Neonatology for Equine Practitioners – A 2-Day Case-Based Course

COURSE DATE: Wed 6 – Thu 7 Sept, 2017

COURSE VENUE: Pferdeklinik Pasterk Ebreichsdorf,
near Vienna

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PROGRAM:

DAY 1

08:00 – 08:30	<i>Registration and Coffee</i>	
08:30 – 08:40	Course Introduction	Course Administrator
08:40 – 09:10	The healthy foal	Vikki Scott
09:10 – 09:40	Initial assessment of the sick foal	Pam Wilkins
09:40 – 10:10	Resuscitation and CPR	Vikki Scott
10:10 – 10:40	Foal care in general practice	Vikki Scott
10:40 – 10:50	Questions and discussion	
10:50 – 11:10	<i>SonoScape Coffee Break</i>	
11:10 – 11:40	Sepsis	Pam Wilkins
11:40 – 12:05	Foal nutrition	Vikki Scott
12:05 – 12:30	Septic arthritis and osteomyelitis	Jessica Kidd
12:30 – 13:00	Prematurity	Vikki Scott
13:00 – 13:10	Questions and discussion	
13:10 – 14:20	<i>Lunch</i>	

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DAY 1 (continued)

14:20 – 14:50	Angular limb deformities	Jessica Kidd
14:50 – 15:20	Flexural limb deformities	Jessica Kidd
15:20 – 15:50	Neonatal maladjustment syndrome	Pam Wilkins
15:50 – 16:10	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
16:10 – 17:55	Foal Imaging – PowerPoint Case-based Small Group Sessions (3 x 35 min) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ultrasound of the abdomen and umbilicus – Technique & Cases • Ultrasound of the chest and ribs – Technique & Cases • Radiography of the foal – Technique & Cases 	JK VS PW
17:55 – 18:00	Questions and discussion from Day 1	
18:00 – 19:00	Wine & Cheese Reception	

DAY 2

08:00 – 08:30	Foal diarrhoea	Vikki Scott
08:30 – 09:00	Colic and gastric ulceration	Pam Wilkins
09:00 – 09:30	Neonatal isoerythrolysis and immune disorders	Vikki Scott
09:30 – 10:00	Renal disease and uroabdomen	Pam Wilkins
10:00 – 10:10	Questions and discussion	
10:10 – 10:30	<i>MAI Animal Health Coffee Break</i>	
10:30 – 11:00	Respiratory disease	Vikki Scott
11:00 – 11:30	Laboratory assessment of the foal	Pam Wilkins
11:30 – 12:05	Surgical management of foal diseases	Jessica Kidd
12:05 – 12:15	Questions and discussion	
12:15 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30 – 14:10	Fluid therapy	Pam Wilkins
14:10 – 14:25	Pain management in foals	Vikki Scott
14:25 – 14:50	Foal therapeutics	Pam Wilkins
14:50 – 15:10	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
15:10 – 16:55	PowerPoint Case-Based Small Group Discussions (3 x 35 min) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foal Orthopaedics – Angular and flexural limb deformities • Medical Foal Conditions • Surgical & Therapeutic Decision Making 	JK VS PW
16:55 – 17:15	Questions, discussions and closing remarks	