Equine Guelph E-News

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August 2017

Greetings!

Welcome to this month's edition of Equine Guelph E-News.

Alert: 8 Cases of EIA - Quebec, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta
EIA in Canada Webinar Overview - hosted by GlobalVetLink
Alert: Rabies update - Update on Cases in Canada
Advisory: Potomac - Fact sheet from OAHN

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OVC PROFESSORS HONOURED
Research Excellence Awards

Two Ontario Veterinary College (OVC) researchers are among the inaugural recipients of new University of Guelph internal awards recognizing research excellence and innovation.

Dr. Shayan Sharif, in OVC's Department of Pathobiology, has received a Research Leadership Chair, and Dr. Thomas Koch, in OVC's Department of Biomedical Sciences, has received a Research Excellence Award for his work on equine stem cells for cartilage repair.

Read full story...
Sickness Prevention in Horses
Feb 18 - Mar 11, 2018

Upcoming Events
Equine Guelph next offering Online Courses
September 11, 2017 - December 3, 2017

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HORSE BEHAVIOUR AND SAFETY ONLINE FOR ALL
Sign up for October Short Courses

The registrations are starting to roll in since Equine Guelph announced its popular Horse Behaviour and Safety online course is now available for youth (14 - 17)! The young and keen will have their own special community to learn the language of horses. The adult offering, also running October 2 - 22, has brought together horse enthusiasts from across Canada and all over the globe in past offerings.

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Anatomy Instructor & Biomechanics Researcher Recounts Canadian Horse History

Wednesday, August 9, Jeff Thomason presents Horse Power: Building Canada on the backs of horses. 7 PM at Guelph Civic Museum as part of a lecture series.

Details...
DR. THOMASON RESEARCHES LOADING ON JOINTS

Effects of shoeing on loading pressure on QH joints

As a horse owner, one of the many questions you will almost inevitably ask yourself is "to shoe or not to shoe?". Many variables may affect your answer, and an exciting new research project at the University of Guelph should soon shed some more light on this age-old question. Dr. Jeff Thomason is working on a project investigating the changes of loading pressure on the joints of quarter horses as it relates to shoeing.

To Learn more....

Daniell Halucha is working with Dr. Thomason studying the changes in loading pressure using the sensors shown.

TOOL OF THE MONTH: JOURNEY THROUGH JOINTS

Ever wonder what is normal and what is not when it comes to horses joints?

Check out these interactive activities explaining methods to manage inflammation. Take a 360 tour of joints, inspect X-rays, and more!

Visit Journey Through the Joints

RIGHT NOW IN EQUINE GUELPH WELFARE COURSE -

Musings of a horse nerd and online student

I now have a broader perspective of how the industry operates and understand that all equine pursuits are a part of it. I've also become increasingly aware of how many routine management practices are not necessarily in the best interest of the horse.

Read on at l'écurie equine
EQUIMANIA! has many upcoming events!

Horse Capades, Toronto, ON  
July 29 - Aug 17

CNE, Toronto, ON  
Aug 18 - Sept 4

Wiarton Fall Fair, ON  
Sept 15 - 16

Plympton-Wyoming Agricultural, ON 
Sept 17

Sydenham Fall Fair, Owen Sound, ON  
Sept, 28

Lansdowne Horse Fest, ON  
Oct 14

Royal Winter Fair, Toronto  
Nov 4 - 13

Come out to see why this display is so popular!

EQUIMANIA! is recruiting:  
Come one or come all. Bring your whole barn for a fun day of volunteering.

Contact eq4kids@uoguelph.ca

Sign up for Equine Guelph Courses beginning Sept 11

Find out more about Equine Guelph programs, offered three times a year, through the University of Guelph.

Learn why equestrian professionals and horse enthusiasts are choosing them!

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