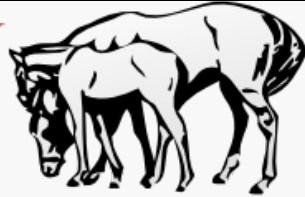


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## IMPORTANT ALERTS

Alert: **Equine Herpes Virus (EHV)** - Manitoba

Alert: **Rabies Cases** - Canada

Advisory: **The growing cost of antimicrobial resistance**

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## FEATURED STORIES



### Win this Holiday Season!

In the season of giving, Equine Guelph is offering **two draws for online short courses!**

Enter simply **by updating your information.** The 2nd draw will be for **new subscribers!**

Tell a friend to sign up. They could win!



## Massage Moves Marguerite

From the corporate life to hands-on horse woman. Marguerite shares how she followed her passion and switched careers by updating her skills and taking online courses with Equine Guelph. [See the video.](#)



## Ontario Racing Licensees- Date Extended to Apply for Tuition Award!

Give your horses a competitive edge with Equine Guelph courses. Enter to win the Stuart Stocks or Roger L'Heureux Memorial Award. [Apply before Dec 17!](#)



## Horse Health Check

TOOL OF THE MONTH

Did you know Equine Guelph sells [great barn posters](#) including the Horse Health check? Makes a great stable gift!

## EQUINE HEALTH

### In the twitch of an eye - Equine stress research

A horse will blink less and twitch its eyelids more when it's under mild stress according to study. This new finding could offer handlers a simple, easy-to-spot sign their animal is becoming agitated. The study, published in the journal *Animals*, is thought to be the first to reveal the significance of eyelid twitches as an indicator of stress, says Ontario Veterinary College Prof. Katrina Merckies. [Read on and watch the video!](#)

# Fire & Emergency Preparedness Course

Jan 20 to 27

Fire prevention plus identify threats in your area and develop a disaster plan!

**REGISTER TODAY**

## MORE TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES



### New 12-Week Courses Start Jan 13th

**Mgmt of the Equine Environment**

**Health & Disease Prevention**

**Equine Behaviour**

**Equine Functional Anatomy**

**Equine Nutrition**

**Marketing & Communications**

**The Equine Industry**

**Global Perspectives in Equine Welfare**

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### Upcoming Horse Portal Short Courses

**Fire & Emergency Preparedness**  
January 20 - 27, 2020

**Gut Health & Colic Prevention**  
(Exclusive to ON Racing industry)  
Jan 20 - Feb 7

**Equine First Aid**  
February 10 - 17

**Horse Behaviour & Safety**  
April 6 - 17

**Horse Behaviour & Safety for Youth (13 - 17)**  
April 6 - 17

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## OTHER NEWS & EVENTS

**Equine Industry Symposium a Success**  
The theme of change was embodied by the three international speakers.

### Whip Use in Equestrian Sports

Study results presented at ISES 2019 conference in Guelph.

**Equestrian Theory NCCP Workshop**  
Feb 1 & 8 | Guelph, ON

**Competition Coach NCCP Workshop**  
Feb 2 & 9 | Guelph, ON

**Podcast on Equitation Science & More**  
Hoofbeats interviews Kathy Femes,  
Equine Guelph, Management of the  
Equine Environment instructor.

**Explore EquiMania.ca**

Check out the December activity:  
Horse vs human digestive tracts

**Equine Career Night**  
March 5 | Guelph, ON

**EquiMania! at Can-Am**  
April 3 - 5 | Newmarket, ON

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