



Association of Racecourse Veterinary Surgeons  
**Casualty Management Seminar 2017**  
**Cheltenham Racecourse**

**Day 1, Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November**

- 9:30 am Registration and coffee
- 10:00 am Welcome by: ARVS Chairman  
**Graham Fowke** MA VetMB CertEM(Stud Medicine)MRCVS and BHA  
Director of Equine Health and Welfare **David Sykes** BVSc, MRCVS
- 10:10 am Overview of how the racecourse runs: The role of the Clerk of the Course  
and what they want from the veterinary team.  
**Simon Claisse - Clerk of Course Cheltenham**
- 10.35am Being part of the veterinary team at the racecourse – Why are the  
standing orders important?  
**Henry Tremaine** BVetMed CertES(Soft Tissue) MPhil DipECVS DipEVDC FHEA  
MRCVS
- 11:10 Coffee**
- 11.25am The Role of the Veterinary Officer  
**Jeremy Mantell MRCVS**
- 11.50am Assessment and Practical Treatment of the Recumbent Horse  
**Dr. Shaun McKane** BVSc BSc(vet) PhD Dip. ACVIM Dip. ECEIM MRCVS
- 12.20pm Questions from the floor
- 12.30pm Lunch
- 1.30pm Fractures on the racecourse: decision making and management  
**Ian Wright** MA VetMB DipECVS DEO MRCVS
- 2:30 pm **Practical session (25 minutes each – with 5 minutes to move)**  
1) Bandage cast  
**David Mathieson** BVM&S, MRCVS  
2) Splinting techniques  
**Dr. Ellen Singer** BA, DVM, DVSc, DipECVS/ACVS MRCVS  
3) Moving injured horses, upright or otherwise  
**Philip Smith-Maxwell**
- 4:00pm **Afternoon Tea**
- 4:30 pm **Endoscopy on the racecourse**  
**Graham Fowke** MA VetMB CertEM(Stud Medicine)MRCVS
- 4:45 pm Euthanasia of the racehorse on the racecourse  
**Stuart Thorne** BSc PhD BVSc MRCVS
- 5:30 pm Discussion and Close
- 6:00 7:30 **Drinks Reception with canapes**



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**Day 2, Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November**

- 8.30 am Registration and Coffee
- 9:00 am Welcome by the ARVS Chairman and overview of day 1  
**Graham Fowke** MA VetMB CertEM(Stud Medicine)MRCVS
- 9.10 am The BHA Equine Health and Welfare Current Policies and Future Plans  
**David Sykes** BVSc, MRCVS, BHA Director of Equine Health and Welfare
- 9.50 am BHA Veterinary Committee Issues - presentation and discussion  
**Alasdair Topp** BVM&S, CertAVP(EOS),MRCVS
- 10:15 am Monitoring injury on the racecourse: What does this tell us?  
*Speaker to be confirmed*
- 10:40 am **Coffee**
- 11:10 Racecourse Scenarios  
**Graham Fowke** MA VetMB CertEM(Stud Medicine)MRCVS and  
**Mark Georgetti**, BVSc, Cert ES (Soft Tissue), MRCVS
- 12.45 pm **Lunch**
- 1:45 pm Management of Wounds and Tendon Injuries on the Racecourse  
**David Matthieson** BVM&S, MRCVS
- 2.30pm Heat Stress- Aetiology and Management  
**Mark Georgetti**, BVSc, Cert ES (Soft Tissue), MRCVS
- 2.45pm Veterinary Duties at Point to Points  
**James Bosley BVetMed MRCVS**
- 3.15pm **Afternoon tea**
- 3:45 Point to Point Scenarios  
**Graham Fowke** MA VetMB CertEM(Stud Medicine)MRCVS and  
**James Bosley** BVetMed MRCVS,  
**Mark Georgetti**, BVSc, Cert ES (Soft Tissue), MRCVS
- 4.45 pm Ask the Panel: Question Time  
**Speakers from the day and ARVS committee members**
- 5:15 pm Any other matters and close