

## Course Registration Form

**Name/Stud Name:**

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**Name of Participant(s):**

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**Please tick the boxes for the session(s) you wish to register for:**

Equine Reproduction

Post Pregnancy Care of the Mare & Foal

Disease Prevention/Control & Limb Deformities

Common Ailments & First Aid

**Please indicate the region where you wish to attend:**

Midlands

North West

South West

South East



The aim of the Sport Horse Breeders Skillnet is to organise and provide quality training for sport horse breeders nationwide, increase the skill level and competitiveness of the sport horse breeding industry and to promote networking and shared learning among members of the Sport Horse Breeders Skillnet.



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## Courses 2008-2009 Veterinary Care of the Mare & Foal

The Sport Horse Breeders Skillnet course on the Veterinary Care of the Mare & Foal will consist of a series of four evening training sessions. These sessions will run over four consecutive weeks at regional venues throughout the country.

The course is free to members of the Sport Horse Breeders Skillnet. Registration is required.

### Session 1: Equine Reproduction

This evening is designed to introduce the participant to reproduction/fertility in the mare and the techniques associated with assisted reproduction. The evening will include topics such as the oestrus cycle, A.I., pregnancy detection, foetal development and foaling and will include a mix of theory and practical training.

### Session 2: Post Foaling Care of the Mare & Foal

This session is designed to give the participant an understanding of, how to identify signs of good health and development in the foal, the importance of mare health and immunity in the development of the foal, how to deal with an orphan foal and manage a successful weaning.

## Veterinary Care of the Mare & Foal Course Calendar

	Session 1: Equine Reproduction	Session 2: Post Foaling Care of the Mare & Foal	Course 3: Disease Control & prevention & Limb deformities	Session 4: Common Ailments & First Aid
Midlands	Tue 20 May	Tue 27 May	Tue 3 June	Tue 10 June
North West	Thurs 22 May	Thurs 29 May	Thurs 5 June	Thurs 12 June
South East	Mon 26 May	Mon 9 June	Mon 16 June	Mon 23 June
South West	Wed 28 May	Wed 4 June	Wed 11 June	Wed 18 June

**Note: All training sessions will take place from 7—10pm**

## Courses 2008-2009 Veterinary Care of the Mare & Foal

### Session 3: Disease Prevention/Control & Limb Deformities

This session is designed to give the participant an insight into the prevention and control of various equine diseases. Participants will also learn how to deal with a communicable disease outbreak.

Renowned farrier, Martin Payne, will give a presentation and demonstration on assessing angular limb deformities and techniques used to remedy them.

### Session 4: Common Ailments & First Aid

This session is designed to inform the participant on how to care for the horse in emergency situations, including the administration of first aid and dealing with abortion and colic. The session will cover common ailments and their treatment, incorporating both theoretical and practical training.

### Registration:

To register for this course please complete the form overleaf and return it to :

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