

WORKSHOP ON THE USE OF GENOMICS AGAINST HERITABLE DISEASES IN HORSES

FRIDAY 25/11

9h30: Registration

9h50: Welcome by chairman Nadine Buys

10h: Multifactorial diseases in horses: it's challenging

Development of genetic test

Leanne van de Goor - VHL

Insect bite hypersensitivity

Brandon Velie - SLU and Anouk Schurink - WUR

11h-11h30: Coffee break

Osteochondrosis

Sarah Blott - Nottingham University

Chronic progressive lymphedema

Liesbeth François - KU Leuven

12h30-13h30: Lunch with promotional stands

13h30: Advances in genomics lead to opportunities in horse breeding

Strategies for selection

Bart Ducro - WUR

Genomics behind linear traits and performance in the Swedish Warmblood horse

Sofia Mikko - SLU

The practical application of genetic tests in British sport horses

Jan Rogers - British Equestrian Federation

Closing remarks

15h: Break

15h30: Tour of stud farm Diepensteyn, Belgian Draught Horse

16h30: End

How to get there:

The most convenient way to get to stud farm Diepensteyn is by car, parking space is available at the stud farm. No direct train or bus connection is available from the major train stations or the airport. In this case, the most convenient way to reach stud farm Diepensteyn is by getting a taxi.

Official address:

Stud farm Diepensteyn
Diepensteyn 1
1840 Londerzeel
Belgium

When using a GPS, please give in following address to arrive at the main entrance.

Plas 10
1840 Londerzeel