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"Please forward this to a fellow horse lover!"

June 2012



GENOMIC ROAD MAP TO RHODOCOCUS OPENS UP POSSIBILITIES FOR VACCINE DEVELOPMENT



Thanks to a grant from the Knowledge Translation and Transfer Program under the OMAFRA-U of G Partnership, Equine Guelph launches its sixth "Report on Research" and "Help for Horse Owners" video series: University of Guelph Researcher, Dr. John Prescott, discusses research findings on the Rhodococcus bacterium.

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EVOLUTION OF EQUINE GUELPH!



[Read what The Canadian Sportsman Magazine published in their May issue about Equine Guelph!](#)

Special thanks to: [The Canadian Sportsman Magazine](#) for providing use of this article.



MIRVISH EXTENDS WAR HORSE PROMOTION TO JUNE

Last chance to help your horse industry while enjoying a fantastic play!

Recognizing the ongoing need for equine welfare awareness, Mirvish Productions has extended the duration of their partnership with Equine Guelph and will generously donate \$10 to the Equine Guelph-OEF 'War Horse' Welfare Education Fund for each War Horse ticket purchased by OEF members for performances between February 10 - June 30, 2012.

And, as a special thank you, at the performance, OEF members will receive a complimentary CD (one per order) of the music of War Horse.

To order tickets call 416-872-1212 or 1-800-461-3333 or go to www.mirvish.com and provide this special benefit code - WHFUND.



HEALTH CARE REMINDER - Parasite Prevention

Worming is an important part of the horse owner's health care plan to prevent parasite overload. *"Reducing the risk of disease from internal parasites is an integral part of an equine wellness program. Using a dewormer will help - provided it is administered at the right time of the year to the right horse at the right dose. Your veterinarian can guide you in making these decisions so that treatment will be successful,"* says Dr. Cathy Rae, manager of equine technical services for Pfizer Animal Health. *"Effective deworming should always be combined with other measures that will control parasite numbers both on the pasture and within your horse."*



For helpful tips to control parasites please download this free

[Parasite Info Sheet](#)



HOOFPRIITS TRIBUTE

Timmy was a cute little pony and just as kind. His rider, 4 year old Calen, was his best friend. When Timmy went into liver failure his loyal friend Calen sat with him as he slowly went to sleep patting and kissing him. Then she brushed him so he would look pretty for his new home. Calen is amazing, just like Timmy was. They were a great team.



Unknown - Apr. 26, 2012.

Timmy will be missed by Calen, Brittney, and Kyle, Calen's Mom and Dad who equally loved Timmy. We take solace knowing Timmy is now running pain free at Rainbow Bridge waiting for his family, Calen, Brittney, and Kyle.

Learn More about [Hoofprints Tribute Program](#)



EQUIMANIA!



EquiMania! had a wonderful time at their third appearance at Canada's Outdoor Equine Expo at Iron Horse Equestrian Complex in Burlington, ON from June 8 - 10.

EquiMania! also appeared at Toronto horse day with a special safety display on June 2.

[Click here - You can play online to become an EquiMania! Danger Detective!](#)

Coming soon: EquiMania! at [Grand River Raceway](#) in Elora. Every Friday night 6:30 - 8:30 pm, until August. EquiMania! will be part of the NEIGHbourhood interactive horse education and entertainment program.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR! - UPCOMING EVENTS



War Horse OEF Members Promotion

Princess of Wales Theatre, Toronto
May 31st - June 30th, 2012

EquiMania! at Grand River Raceway

Elora, ON.
Friday nights until Aug, 2012

Next Equine Guelph Courses Sept 2012

early bird rate available until Aug 10 2012

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