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Care about YOUR horse? - Care about ALL horses. Help spread the message of Equine Welfare by forwarding this email to a friend.

June 2017

Greetings!

Welcome to this month's edition of Equine Guelph E-News.



Alert: [Ontario Rabies Map](#)

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OEF MEMBER EQUINE RESEARCH FUND

Contributing to Research at Equine Guelph



OEF executive director Tracey McCague-McElrea with Equine Guelph director Gayle Ecker

OEF is pleased to report over \$23,000 raised so far in a new initiative to help horses for life by supporting research.

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Photo: Henrietta Coole

Buy your barn the Horse Health Check Poster - a fantastic reference tool!



Download an awesome new APP
Horse Health Tracker
by Equine Guelph



Sign up for New Equine Behaviour & Safety Short Course

Understand horse behaviour and learn practical on-farm management practices to keep you and your horse safe.

3-week online course for anyone handling and caring for horses.

Equine Behaviour & Safety Short Course: October 2 - 22, 2017

[JOIN THE HERD: TheHorsePortal.ca](http://TheHorsePortal.ca)



RAISING AWARENESS & GAINING SKILLS Technical Large Animal Emergency Rescue

"This is just one more example of the University of Guelph commitment to equine health and welfare, and the proactive training Equine Guelph provides to the equine industry, from horse owners to racing track personnel to first responders," says Ontario Veterinary College Dean Jeff Wichtel.

Press Releases now available from training sessions:



photo: SUSAN RAYMOND

[First Responder TLAER training at the Meaford Fire Department Training Centre, April 28 - April 30th.](#)




Save over \$55 on first aid supplies with the Equine Guelph First Aid Kit available at Greenhawk

Job Track

A job posting centre for the equine industry.

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University of Guelph researchers discuss current projects. 

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Horse Racing Industry TLAER training at Mohawk Racetrack, April 25 & April 26

Coverage of Horse Racing Industry training also posted in the May issue of [Thoroughbred Highlight Magazine](#)



TOOL OF THE MONTH: HORSE HEALTH CHECK



Photo: Henrietta Coole

Now available across Canada from Greenhawk!

Equine Guelph's new Horse Health Check poster is an indispensable tool for any horse owner who wants to give the best possible care to their horse. This handy reference tool provides a quick and easy 16-point systematic method to check vitals, figure out normal baselines and alert you when potential health problems are brewing.

The laminated Horse Health Check poster is perfect for posting on a stable wall!

Available for \$9.99 at Greenhawk locations across Canada and at the [Greenhawk Online Store](#).



RESEARCH SURVEY

Can you tell what that neigh means?

A research study at University of Guelph is setting out to determine whether humans can make accurate distinctions between horse vocalizations produced in both positive (eg. horses greeting each other) and negative (eg. horse separated from its companions) contexts.

Participation in this study is on the voluntary basis. To participate, you must be 18 years of age or older, answer a few questions about yourself, listen to 32 short audio clips and decide whether

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the vocalization was generated in a negative or positive context.

The survey will only take 15-20 minutes of your time, but your answers are very important to the research!

[Go to Survey...](#)



FIRE SAFETY - Have you taken action?

Equine Guelph wants to know if you have taken precautions after reading the recently distributed [Top Ten Checklist for Barn Fire Safety](#) available for free download.



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RESEARCH SURVEY

Hay!



A research study at University of Guelph is being conducted to understand whom within the industry steam/soaks hay, why it is done, where in Ontario it occurs most often, and what disciplines it may be more prominent in.

The survey will only take 5-10 minutes.

To participate, you must be 18 years of age or older and live in Ontario.

Further research will investigate if steaming or soaking will affect hay quality .

[Go to Survey...](#)



EQUIMANIA!

Equine Guelph thanks Ross Millar, president of Ross Millar Group, for his

generous donation made just after the [Can-Am expo](#) in support of Equine Guelph education programs.

We look forward to next year's event April 6 - 8, 2018!



STUDY ONLINE Award Winning Programs
 courses begin: **September 2017**

12-WEEK COURSES

- Nutrition
- Journalism
- Business Management
- Management of the Equine Environment
- Health & Disease Prevention
- Advanced Equine Behaviour
- Stewardship of the Equine Environment
- Management of the Broodmare, Stallion and Foal

EARLY-BIRD: Aug 11, 2017

Sign up for Equine Guelph Courses beginning Sept 11

Find out more about Equine Guelph programs, offered three times a year, through the University of Guelph.

Learn why equestrian professionals and horse enthusiasts are choosing them!

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SHORT ONLINE COURSES
 Fall 2017/Winter 2018

- Horse Behaviour and Safety
- Gut Health & Colic Prevention
- Equine Welfare - Canada's Code
- Equine Biosecurity - Canada's standard

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