

# IN-HOUSE GASTRIC SCOPING FOR SWE CLIENTS!



## GASTROSCOPING DAY

# TUESDAY 17 MARCH 2020

**Warning Signs**

- Lack of energy
- Dull coat
- Poor performance
- Prone to colic
- Negative changes in attitude
- Poor appetite
- Abdominal discomfort – especially when girthing
- Increased fear/flight or dullness

**GASTRIC ULCERS  
WHAT TO LOOK OUT FOR**

**Risk Factors**

- Weight loss
- Significant changes to routines
- Stabled with restricted turn-out
- Low forage, concentrate rich diets
- Early weaning
- Busy competition schedules
- Periods of fasting
- Intensive training, especially with focus on cantering/galloping
- Frequent travelling

**NOTE: Up to 50% of horses with stomach ulcers may not show any outward signs**

It is estimated that up to 90% of racehorses, 75% of sport horses, and 60% of show and pleasure horses suffer from stomach ulcers.

Does your horse show any of the following signs?

- Poor appetite.
- Dry, dull coat.
- Poor condition.
- Behavioural vices: crib-biting, wind-sucking, irritability.
- Mild colic signs.
- Poor performance.

**COST: \$160 per horse** (includes clinical exam, + sedation, gastric scope).

A discounted dental examination and float can also be added on the day if requested.

*These services would normally cost in excess of \$500. Appointments are half an hour in length.*

If you would like to book an appointment, please call Southwest Equine or message via Facebook

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