



**Association for the Scientific Study of Veterinary and Animal Physiotherapy**  
*promoting the scientific approach to animal welfare*

**Current CPD opportunities**

**23<sup>rd</sup> March 2012 “Complete Equine Remedial Exercise” at Lazy Acres competition centre, Warwickshire.**

With Jo Hodges (Veterinary Physiotherapist and author of The Equine Athlete), Dr Gail Williams (Veterinary Physiotherapist and author of No Foot, No Horse) and Naomi Franklin (former international 3 day event rider and owner of Lazy Acres)

A practical day with some of the most experienced instructors in the subject.

- Jo will look at dynamic conformation and remedial gymnastic groundwork exercises. Jo has been rehabilitating horses for more than 40 years and has an unrivalled reputation for rehabilitating even the most damaged horses.
- Gail will be looking at proprioceptive taping and wrapping. Gail is the only veterinary physiotherapist in the country with a PhD in equine biomechanics and has a unique understanding of functional and dysfunctional equine movement.
- Naomi has worked with Gail for over 10 years, undertaking the ridden remedial exercise of 100s of horses, and will be demonstrating ridden remedial exercise

Non-members £65. Members' subsidised rate £50.

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**30<sup>th</sup> May 2012 “Electrotherapy in Veterinary Practice” at Warwickshire College, Moreton Morrell Centre.**

With Professor Tim Watson of the University of Hertfordshire

A lecture day with the acknowledged leader in the field of electrotherapy. A “must not miss” opportunity

- Tim is Professor of Physiotherapy in the School of Health & Emergency Professions at the University of Hertfordshire. All Physiotherapists will know of Tim's work teaching and research in the field of electrotherapy, and ASSVAP want to bring this to the attention of vets and vet nurses, as well as veterinary physiotherapists.
- Includes refreshments and light lunch
- Tim will provide all handouts and CPD certificates

Non-members £185. Members' subsidised rate £160

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**Date and venue to be announced, but expressions of interest being taken. “Pathology and Biomechanics of animal musculoskeletal tissues – a Physiotherapist's perspective”**

With Dr. Gail Williams BA(Hons) V.Phys PhD MNAV P MASSVAP

A lecture day looking at the physiology and biomechanics of tissue breakdown, repair and response to normal and abnormal loads.

- Gail has a PhD in Biomechanics from Bristol Veterinary School and has lectured on these subjects internationally
- Add to this her role as a Veterinary Physiotherapist, treating both large and small animals, and you have a distinctive insight into this subject, specifically targeted at practitioners treating animals
- Includes refreshments and light lunch

Non-members £100. Members' subsidised rate £85

**For booking and further information on any of these CPD opportunities, please contact**

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