

1.45pm - Arrive and Sign In

2.00pm - President's Welcome

This event is for registered delegates only

Please register
by e-mailing info@vetni.co.uk

How to register for this event

AVSPNI members and non-members are all welcome but all delegates must register for this event.

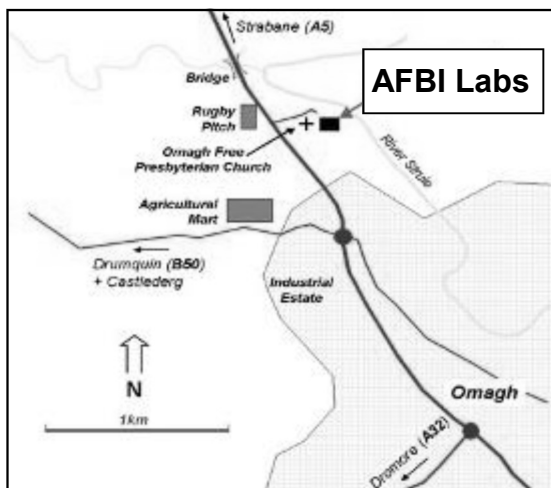
Please register by e-mailing your name, place of work and menu choice to info@vetni.co.uk or call 028 25898543.

- ⇒ Delegates MUST register on or before 1st January 2020
- ⇒ This event will be **Free of charge to all AVSPNI members & Student vets** (students must show a valid student card)
- ⇒ £40 charge for non-members which includes CPD +/- Dinner.
- ⇒ Registrations will be taken on a first come basis as places are limited

How to find AFBI laboratory & Silverbirch Hotel:

Lab post code: BT78 5NF

Hotel post code: BT79 7DH



Paul Crawford,
President of the Association of Veterinary Surgeons Practising in N.I.
and his Council would like to invite you to

Omagh Day & AGM 2020

Wednesday 8th January

1.45pm - AFBI Omagh laboratories

Programme



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- 1.45pm Arrive and Sign in
- 2.00pm President's Welcome
- 2.15pm C-Section in cows - Melanie Spahn
- 2.50pm If glue wont do.... - Orla McAlister
- 3.25pm Tea, Coffee & biscuits
- 3.40pm A word from our sponsors, MSD
- 4.00pm The ABCs of CBD - Siobhan Menzies
- 4.35pm Laminitis - Do's and Don'ts - Quirine Tettelaar
- 5.30pm Head across to the Silverbirch Hotel for . . .
- 6.00pm AGM (AVSPNI - members only)
- 7.00pm 3 Course Dinner with wine

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Starters:

Cream of Mushroom & Tarragon Soup, Chunky Croutons

Or

Smoked Duck Salad Cumin, Walnut Praline Roast Red Onion And Orange

Main Courses:

Roast Sirloin of Beef, with Yorkshire pudding and peppercorn cream sauce

or

Irish Salmon with a Champagne & Asparagus Veloute

Desserts :

Apple & Cinnamon Crumble Vanilla Anglaise & Ice Cream

or

Chocolate Profiteroles, chocolate sauce





C-Section in cows: What has changed since I graduated?

**Practical tips for the New Grads, Grumpy
Old Vets and everything in between!**

Melanie Spahn MRCVS

After graduating from Ghent, Belgium in 1997, Melanie worked for one and a half years in Belgium in the farm/equine internal medicine department at Ghent University. During this time Melanie also worked as a locum for local farm vet practices in Belgium.

In 1999, she arrived in NI and started working for Derek Price, before buying the practice some time later.

20 years on Melanie is still working in same practice and has never regretted coming over to NI. She thoroughly enjoys working here in mixed practice.



If glue wont do . . .

**Approaches and possible solutions when
suturing challenging wounds.**

Orla McAlister BVMS MRCVS

Orla qualified from Glasgow vet school in 1998. She worked for two years at Clare Vet Group as a mixed practice vet then transferred to Parklands Vet Group in 2000 and specialised in companion animals. She got her GP cert in small animal medicine in 2005.

Orla is currently studying a University of Ulster foundation degree in business management with an interest in mentoring and leadership. Outside of work she is interested in Border Collies, North Country Cheviot sheep, cooking and gallivanting!!



A word from our sponsors...

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The ABCs of CBD in compliance with the VMD

Siobhan Menzies GPCert(WVA&CPM), LFHom(Vet), MRCVS

Siobhan graduated from the Dick 1990. In 2003 she studied acupuncture with the Association of British Veterinary Acupuncturists. After time in general practice she left to establish HolisticPet, the province's first pain management clinic. Now housed within Earlswood Vet Referrals, services include N.I.'s first underwater treadmill. In 2017 Siobhan obtained a GP Certificate in Western Veterinary Acupuncture and Chronic Pain Management. In 2018 she became the first Emmett practitioner for animals in Ireland. In 2019, she became a veterinary consultant with the UK Cannabis Clinic, a group of pharmacists, doctors, vets, legal and pharma compliance specialists dedicated to providing education on safe and compliant prescribing of cannabidiol to fellow professionals.



Laminitis - Do's and Don'ts A practical approach for every vet

Quirine Tettelaar MVetMed MRCVS CF

Quirine qualified in 2013 from Ghent University with a focus on equine medicine. After graduation her interest in veterinary podiatry and farriery grew, specifically after working on several laminitis cases. Her first job as a graduated vet was as an intern in an equine hospital in the Netherlands. She moved to the UK in 2014 to work in equine practice.

She has spent a couple weeks at the podiatry department of Rood and Riddle in Kentucky in 2016. In 2018 she passed the Certified Farrier exam of the American Farriers Association. She has set up Manor Equine Vets Ltd in March 2019. Her day to day work exists of all aspects of equine veterinary medicine with a focus on podiatry.