

# NEWSLETTER

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## DENTISTRY

### ROUTINE DENTAL EXAMINATIONS

Regular dental examinations are key to optimising your horse's health & performance. As well as affecting performance if a horse is unable to efficiently grind and break down food before it enters the stomach they will not be able to utilise the nutrients in the feed which may cause weight loss and affect the horse's overall body condition.

If teeth become sharp and/or large hooks develop, the horse may go on to develop painful cheek ulcers which can reduce performance and make the horse reluctant to eat.

Regular dentals are encouraged whether they are advised to be annually, 6 or 3 monthly as a key aid in preventative healthcare.



### F&P FESTIVE THANK YOU

We would like to say a big thank you to all our fantastic clients for your continued support throughout the year. We hope you have a great December and a very Merry Christmas. Here's to another year,

and we wish you all the best for 2022.

### ALTERNATIVE DENTAL TREATMENTS

Occasionally during routine dentals the vets can identify problems such as periodontal disease, fractures and diastema (gaps between teeth), all of which require more specialist treatment. See below for alternative treatments that are available at the practice:

- Wolf teeth removal
- Remedial dentistry using battery-powered motorised dental equipment
- Dental radiography
- Dental surgery, including extractions, diastema widening, and caries fillings under standing sedation.

Please contact practice if you would like any further information on the above procedures.

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### FACEBOOK

Don't forget to join our Facebook Group- get in touch with each other, share thoughts, contacts and tell us what you want!



### PREVENTATIVE DENTAL WORK CAN SAVE A HORSE'S TEETH

Check out our online videos of dental work done .

### LAMENESS SENSORS

Contact the practice for more information or to make an appointment for your horse



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