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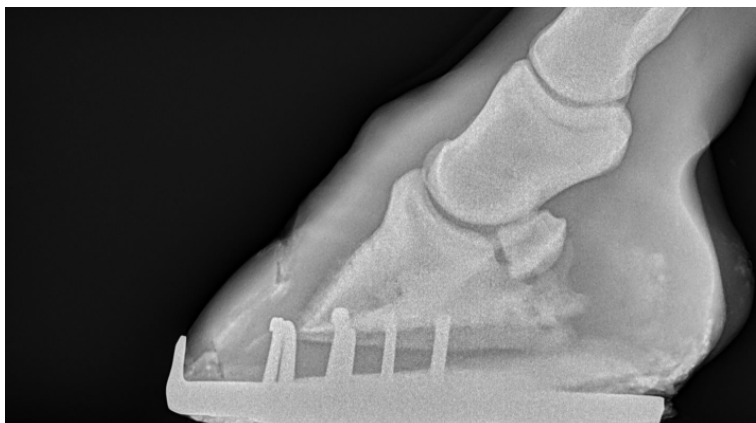
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Kumeu – Veterinary Associates Equine Woodhill Sands Clinics July 2021

Hoof balance radiographs are an important part of keeping your competition athlete sound. Imbalances lead to uneven weight distribution on soft tissues and joints. These over time can lead to the earlier development of arthritis. It also makes horses more prone to tendon and ligament injuries. Yearly radiographs give you, your farrier and veterinarian a gauge on where changes need to be made. It also allows us to work as a team and prevent injuries from occurring. The higher the level of competition the more important the balance is.

We offer foot balance radiographs for \$200 with a report for your farrier. We have a 10% discount on these and no mileage charged if these are carried out during your clinic at Woodhill Sands. We are available Tuesday 13th July, Wednesday 14th July, Thursday 15th July from 1-3pm on site.

Please call the clinic to discuss and book **09 294 7307** or **09 412 7388**





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All horses require at least a yearly dental examination and float. A routine dental examination includes sedation and a thorough exam of the mouth. We use gags, lights, mirrors and picks in every examination -every tooth surface and gap is checked for signs of disease (pathology).

Signs your horse has dental pain

- Quidding (packing food in their checks)
- Poor weight gain/ maintenance
- Slow to eat
- Dropping feed
- Contact issues under saddle, hanging, sensitive on one rein, stiff through neck and poll, reluctant to go on bit
- Bad breath (halitosis)

This is also an excellent time to vaccinate your horse, sheath clean and blood test to check their overall health.

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