

FARM NEWS

CLEVEDALE VETERINARY PRACTICE JANUARY 2012

MEETINGS & WORKSHOP REMINDER

BVD ERADICATION MEETING

Wednesday 25th January 2011 Bay Horse, Great Broughton, 7.30pm

> Thursday 26th January 2011 Ugthorpe Lodge, 7.30pm

For many years we have been firm advocates of BVD vaccination of breeding cattle but the ultimate goal has always been virus eradication which vaccination alone can sometimes struggle to achieve. A number of European countries have recognised the benefits of BVD eradication and have started National Eradication Schemes; most recently Scotland have also started down the road of eradication and we feel now is a good time for you also to consider ensuring you are BVD virus-free.

To maximise the number of you that can attend we are holding two meetings - please come along to one of them to hear why we feel you should be ensuring your cattle are virus-free, how you can achieve it and the costs involved.

Please contact the surgery to let us know which evening you hope to attend so we can cater accordingly.

BEEF FERTILITY MEETING

Thursday 16th February Ugthorpe Lodge, 7 for 730

Pie & peas supper

Speaker: Colin Penny MRCVS, Beef fertility specialist.

Colin spent many years in Large Animal practice in the Scottish Borders in association with Edinburgh University, dealing with the day to day caseload of a large animal vet as well as researching and teaching; he has a special interest in beef fertility and we feel this evening is a must for all of you with suckler herds or who run a bull with dairy cows/heifers.

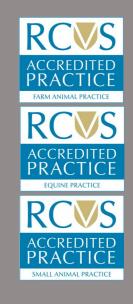
Please contact the surgery if you would like to attend.

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LAMBING WORKSHOP

Last year's workshop, run by Wendy, proved popular and already we are being asked to run another this spring. If any of you might be interested in attending this year's workshop please contact Wendy or the office to register an interest, so that we can arrange a date to suit as many people as possible.