



## **British Horse Council**

Summer Meeting – Fri 27 June – 11am on Zoom

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### **11.00 Chairman's welcome** – Tim Brigstocke

- Introductions
- Previous notes and presentations: <https://www.britishhorsecouncil.org/meetings/>
- Notification of AoB

### **11.05 Defra Policy** – Helen Johnston 10m

- EU Summit & Sanitary & Phytosanitary Agreement
- Impact on Border Target Operating Model

### **11.15 British Horse Council** – David Mountford 10m

- Parliamentary Reception
- Response & proposed action following UK-EU Sanitary & Phytosanitary Agreement

### **11.25 Animal Welfare (Livestock Exports) Act co design group** – Nichola Clark 5m

- Implementing the ban on live exports for slaughter

### **11.30 Defra Zootechnics** – Liam Taylor 10m

- Zootechnic update
- UK Genetics for Livestock & Equines (UKGLE)

### **11.40 Equine Assisted Services Partnership** – Dr Celia Grummitt 10m

### **11.50 Devolved Authority Updates**

- **Scotland** – TBC 5m
- **Wales** – TBC 5m
- **Northern Ireland** – Nichola Connery 5m
- **Northern Ireland Veterinary Association** - Esther Skelly Smith 5m

### **12.10 Equine Sector Updates**

- **Sport** – Jim Eyre 5m
- **Welfare** – Roly Owers 5m
- **Leisure & recreation** – James Hick 5m
- **Animal Health** – David Mountford 5m
- **Trade** – Claire Williams 5m
- **Racing and TB breeding** – Claire Sheppard/ Victoria Morgan 5m
- **Research and dissemination** – Jeanette Allen/Annie Dodd 5m

### **12.45 Equine Infectious Disease**

- Equine Infectious Disease Service update – Richard Newton 10m
- African Horse Sickness roundtable – Helen Roberts 5m

### **13.00 Equine Carbon Calculator** – Ruth Dancer Live from Glastonbury 10m

- Summary of outcomes

**13.10 Access & Rights of Way: Outcomes & Achievements – Mark Weston 10m**

**13.20 AoB (notifications in advance please)**

**13.30 – 13:40 Close**

**Date of next meeting: Friday 12 December 2025**