

Program of Events at Equine Hedge School

21st January 2015 at the Killashee House Hotel, Naas, Co. Kildare - 9am

Host & M C - Brendan Mc Ardle, Irish Field, Equestrian Media Presenter

- 9.30 Registration, Tea/Coffee
- 10am Welcome to 2015 Equine Hedge School by Chairman of Showjumper's Club-Ronan Corrigan
- 10.10 *Tiernan Gill* will outline the up to date rules and regulations for transporting horses both at home and Internationally. There will be an opportunity to take **ETC Test** later in the day. See below. www.gillgroup.ie
- 10.45 **Discussion "Breeding, Producing the modern horse for the International Market"****Panel of Speakers: Jac Remijnse, Luc Henry, Enda Carroll, Ludo Phillippaerts

 **Jac Remijnse* Breeder & owner of top class competitive horses, former journalist & runs his own genetic company. He will talk about the value of the dam lines versus male line in breeding
 - Luc Henry Breeder & owner of top class International showjumpers amongst many other, owner of former World Champion Irish mare Liscalgot and her progeny. He will speak about the breeding philosophy in the Global Market.
 - Enda Carroll International Rider, Buying & Producer of horses for the International Market. Ludo Phillippaerts — Former World Cup Champion Showjumper (will join the panel at 12 noon)
- 12.45 Lunch
- 1.45 **Discussion** Marketing, competition management, sponsors & owners in traction, Self-motivation and media management.
 - **Panel** -*Trevor Breen* International Showjumper, Hickstead Derby Winner & based in England
 - Cameron Hanley-International Showjumper, RDS Grand Prix Winner, based in Germany *Enda Carroll & Ludo Phillippaerts will join Trevor and Cameron on the afternoon Panel. Brian Purcell PRO, Marketing, Media Presenter.
- 3.30 Discussion Protein function in muscle-not just for body building, drug and medication management in competition; regulation relating to medication management in yards; Employment requirements & possible vat & tax regulations pertaining to the Equine Industry 2015.
 - Speakers Margaret Wilson, MRCVS, Prof Tom Buckley, Irish Equine Centre & TBC.
- 4.30 Q & A. Tea/Coffee
- 17.00 Opportunity to take your ETC (valid for 10 years) see www.gillgroup.ie for details
- 20.00 Closing of 2015 Equine Hedge School.

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Tickets: 50 euro(lunch included) available from Andrea 0862516142& Maureen 0872635732