NutriCare Vet Conference Programme

Objective: share new knowledge, innovations and veterinary practical experience and best practice

1 day over 2 days (Tuesday – Wednesday)

Title: Piglet Vitality – Today’s challenges and tomorrow’s opportunities

Location: Dusseldorf

Date Tuesday 3 December – 4 December 2019

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|  | **Tuesday – Today’s reality** | Lead | Agenda Objective | Format |
| 12:00 | Lunch |  |  |  |
| 13:00 | **Welcome and opening** | SS | Welcome, objective,  |  |
| 13:15 | **Market Overview** | AK | Market trends, overview of challenges |  |
| 13:30 | **Nutritional innovations to enhance piglet vitality**  | Ad v W  | Non commercialWhat we do today and whyHow nutrition can support health |  |
| 14:15 | Break |  |  |  |
| 14:30 | **A local market view – a veterinarians perspective**BelUK - PVS – video teaserGer NL | Jan Van SteelantDuncan Berkshire BischoffJohn vonk | 1. Overview of: production systems batch, continuous, weaning age, tech performance – growth, FCR, mortality, regulations on in feed medication, typical vaccine programmes
2. National medication targets/programme, method of recording and penalties
3. How do veterinarians work with producers in practice – health plans, frequency time on farm, proactive or reactive etc
4. Top 4 key health challenges and on farm solutions
5. Emerging trends in future piglet health priorities or solutions
 | Promo video |
| 16:00 | Q&A |  |  |  |
| 16:30 | **Breakout session**How can feed companies better help vets and our mutual customer |  | 4 groups of 10 given 1 question to discuss:* Advice plan
* Use of data
* Alternatives on Cu and Zinc approaches

Sharing veterinary and nutrition knowledge |  |
| 17:30 | **Feedback and close**  |  |  |  |

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|  | **Wednesday opportunities and solutions** |  |  |  |
| 9:00 |  voting questions | Stijn |  |  |
| 9:10 | **Engineering a “disease resistant pig”****Innovations in understanding Strepococcus suis** | Dr Chris Proudfoot RoslinDr. Astrid de GreeffProject Leader Wageningen Bioveterinary Research  | Using Genetic modification to breed resistancestreptococcus prevalence and impactOverview of research, results and next step | Promo video |
| 10:30 | Break |  |  |  |
| 10:45 | **Piglet vitality in a Zinc free, low medication world - a Danish perspective****Enhancing intestinal health with fermented feed** | Lis Shooter - SegesRonald Scholten – Dr Ferm | Weaning of robust and healthy piglets – without use of medical zinc and with a minimal use of antibiotics.Overview of fermented feed solutions in sows and piglet. benefits and next steps |  |
| 12:00 | **Nutrition and health working side by side to deliver better piglet vitality – A case study** | Pieter van Rengen  | Demonstrating the benefits of farm, feed, heath approach | **Promo video** |
| 12:30 | **Panel discussion and close** | Chaired by Stijn |  |  |
| 13:00 | **Close and lunch** | Ad or Patricia? |  |  |