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Spring Meeting 2021

25th & 26th March

Virtual Meeting





Spring Meeting 2020



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Thursday 25th March

13.00 – 13.10	Presidential introduction	PVS President
13.10 – 14.35	Environmental challenges for the pig sector	Chair: Paul Thompson
	The journey to Net-zero	<i>Jon Foot, Head of Environment and Resource Management, AHDB</i>
	Practical measures to reduce the carbon footprint of pig farms	<i>Harriet Bartlett, Department of Zoology, University of Cambridge</i>
	Environmental considerations for outdoor units	<i>Tim Bowden, Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group, South-West, Somerset</i>
14.40 – 15.35	African Swine Fever	Chair: Jill Thomson
	The realities of endemic ASF in Eastern Europe, SE Asia and China	<i>John Carr, independent pig vet consultant</i>
	If it's not swine fever, what is it?	<i>Susanna Williamson, Pig Expert Group, APHA</i>

15.50 – 17.10	Clinical club	Chair: David Chennells
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17.15 – 18.45	AGM	
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Friday 26th March

9.00 – 10.25	Alternative farrowing systems	Chair: Richard Pearson
	A global overview on alternatives to farrowing crates	<i>Emma Baxter, SRUC, Edinburgh</i>
	Advances in free farrowing systems in the Netherlands	<i>Anita Hoofs, Wageningen Livestock Research, The Netherlands</i>
	Practical aspects of alternative farrowing – a farmer's perspective based on 6 years of experience	<i>Robert Lasseter, Director, Corton Farm, Dorset</i>
10.30 – 10.55	Sponsor's Slot	
	The influence of <i>Lawsonia intracellularis</i> infection on the microbiome	<i>Lysan Eppink, B-I Animal Health</i>
11.10 – 13.05	Disease Control and new horizons	Chair: Jim Morris
	CRISPR/Cas9 Mediated Generation of Recombinant Vaccines	<i>Dr Muhammad Munir, University of Lancaster</i>
	PRRS – a marriage of vaccine strains. What does this mean for pigs and vets?	<i>Jean-Pierre Frossard, APHA, Weybridge</i>
	Antimicrobial water medication – factors affecting precision of administration	<i>Prof. Mathias Devreese, Department of Pharmacology, Toxicology and Biochemistry, Ghent University</i>
	Principles of anthelmintic resistance: how are we doing with pig wormers?	<i>Dave Bartley, Moredun Research Institute</i>

13.05 – 13.15	CLOSE and hand over Presidency	
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