

# **STEVE PETERS**

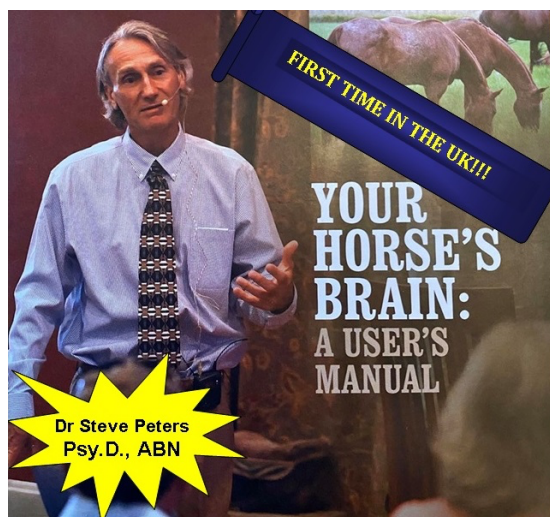
## **THE HORSE'S BRAIN – a users manual**

### **TWO DAY CLINIC**

**CLYDE VET GROUP AND ROSS DHU EQUESTRIAN LTD**  
are delighted to be co- hosts of this amazing event.

**The clinic will take place on:-**

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2021 – Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2021 – At  
Ross Dhu Equestrian Ltd**



This is an amazing opportunity to learn about how your horse's brain is structured and how they think by world leading neurosurgeon Dr Steve Peters.

Dr. Stephen Peters, Psy.D., ABN, Diplomate in Neuropsychology and currently the Director of Intermountain Health Care's Center for Brain Health. For the past 7 years he has also served as the Director of American Fork Memory Clinic. Dr. Peters is a board certified Neuropsychologist and spent 15 years in a large Neurology practice in

Connecticut before founding the Memory Clinic and Clinic for Brain Health at Utah Valley Hospital. He did his Internship at Danbury Hospital and residency and two year Post Doctoral Fellowship at Hartford Hospital in the Departments of Neurorehabilitation, Neurology and Neurosurgery..

He is a neuroscientist specializing in brain functioning. As a horse brain researcher, he has given numerous presentations in the U.S. and Canada, performed many horse brain dissections, and is the co-author with Martin Black of Evidence-Based Horsemanship. He also collaborates with BHPS director, Maddy Butcher, on HorseHead: Brain Science to Improve Your Horsemanship.

Dr. Peters recently collaborated with Mark Rashid and Jim Masterson (Masterson Method) on a two day seminar which is currently being made into a dvd.

His presentation will focus on relevant equine brain science including the importance of neurochemistry especially the dopamine system in reward and learning. Peters' will discuss the latest research and its applicability to your interaction with and understanding of horses. He will perform a horse brain dissection to illustrate points from previous lecture. Gloves will be provided to all participants as they are

encouraged to make this a "hands on" activity.

The second day of the clinic will be practical demonstrations both in groundwork and ridden of how the horse learns and thinks. Participants will have the opportunity to work with a horse and feel how they process information.

For application forms please visit [www.scottishhorsehelp.com](http://www.scottishhorsehelp.com) or contact us via this page.

**SPACES LIMITED SO PLEASE BOOK EARLY**

**Format for the days will be:-**

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2021 - 9.00am – 4.00pm Lecture and Dissection.**

Dr Steve Peters will give an in depth lecture on the structure and functions of the equine brain and how it relates to training and learning. There will also be a dissection of an equine brain and you will get an opportunity to examine (if you wish) the major structures of this amazing organ.

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2021- 9.00am – 4.00pm Lectures and Practical demonstration through Ridden and Groundwork exercises.**

This builds on what will have been covered the previous day with live demos in real time of the learning and processing the horse uses in day to day training. Dr Peters will be narrating throughout the demos and translating what is actually happening in the equine brain. Participants can if they wish try some practical groundwork to experience the learning process themselves.

Please return form and non-refundable deposit to:-

Ross Dhu Equestrian Ltd  
Sunnyside Farm, Sunnyside Road  
Quarter, Larkhall  
ML9 1RB

Cheques made payable to Equido Clinics

Bank Transfers direct to:- AC: 00702968, SC: 832436 (Please put your name as a reference in order to allocate your payment to the correct entry).

**Catering will be provided on both days as will tea and coffee. Please list any allergies or dietary requirements below:-**

**Clinic Fee is:- £130 for the two days.**

**Course deposit required £70 at time of booking.**

For further information please contact:-

Morag Higgins – Tel 01698 886 492 Mob: 07979741672

**Closing date for entries will be one week prior to the event**

**PLEASE NOTE THAT NUMBERS FOR THIS EVENT ARE LIMITED.  
WHEN ATTENDING THE PARTICIPANTS ARE ASKED TO BRING THEIR  
OWN SEATING.**

Name:

Address:

Tel:

E-mail:

Course deposit enclosed: £

I will be attending the event: