FEI COURSE FOR PARA-EQUESTRIAN TRAINERS – WAREGEM 2008

Day 1. 29 Feb 08

12.30 am Registration & *lunch*
02.00 pm Introduction and Aims of course. J. Goldsmith & A. d'Ieteren
Ice breaker – getting to know one another
02.30 pm Grade Ia – The walk and its challenges
Anne Prain (FEI Para "O" judge) DVD or Video
03.30 pm Training the walk – Clive Milkins (GBR)
04.00 pm *Break*
04.30 pm Grade Ib. The judge's eye – Anne Prain
05.30 pm Training the walk and the trot – Jane Goldsmith. DVD & Video
06.00 pm End first day
Evening –Dinner : Informal groups

Day 2. 01 March 08.

09.00 am Theory – Free Style – Mariette Withages FEI "0" Judge
10.00 am Practical Grades Ia, Ib 30 min per rider to show test & discuss.
11.00 am *Break*
11.30 am Grade II
12.00 am Grade III
12.30 am *Lunch*
01.45 pm Grade IV (20 x 60 m arena)
02.15 pm Classroom – Summary and suggestions for future of Para Free Style
02.45 pm Compensating Aids – Daniël Bens – FEI PE Classifier
03.15 pm *Break*
03.45 pm Coaching Techniques. Group work led by Jane Goldsmith
04.45 pm Experts panel – M. Withages, A. Prain, J. Meersman and C. Milkins
06.00 pm End of second day
Evening activity : tbc

Day 3 – 2 March 08

09.00 am The Trot up – Theory from FEI Vet Dr F. Eperjessy Practical demo
09.45 am Coaching sessions
10.45 am *Break*
11.15 am Coaching sessions Problem solving 30 min per horse
12.30 am Summary & Conclusion
01.00pm *Lunch*

Entry Fee: € 100

Accommodation (2 nights: Friday and Saturday) and meals as mentioned in schedule:
In the Bloso Center: 120 € p/p (based on 2 persons per room)
In the Hotel St. Jans – Waregem: 210 € p/p single room or 165 € p/p if 2 persons share the same room
Closing date for applications: 31/01/2008 at BEL NF (Mrs Feyaerts chris.feyaerts@equibel.be)