

# Another century of small ruminant health challenges

In 2019, GD Animal Health (GD) celebrates her 100th anniversary. To mark this event, the small ruminant group of GD (René van den Brom, Karianne Lievaart-Peterson, Sander Prins and Piet Vellema) organise an unique conference<sup>†</sup> on small ruminant health management together with European Veterinary Conference Voorjaarsdagen. We are proud to offer you the following program.

## Wednesday, April 10th 2019, GD Animal Health, Deventer (Netherlands)

This day is hosted and sponsored (including lunch and dinner) by GD Animal Health\*

- 08.30 Registration and coffee
- 09.00 Welcome by Karianne Lievaart-Peterson (chair)
- 09.10 GD 100 years: a century of small ruminant health in the Netherlands (Piet Vellema)
- 10.00 Presentations about small ruminant health topics presented by (residents) of the European College of Small Ruminant Health Management (ECSRHM)<sup>#</sup>
- 12.00 Guided tour of the reconstructed GD laboratory
  
- 13.00 Lunch at GD
  
- 13.45 Farm visit to a dairy goat farm (transfer included); an unique opportunity to visit a large Dutch dairy goat farm and discuss issues with the farm manager and veterinarians
  
- 17.00 Drinks at GD
- 18.00 Dinner at GD



\* This is a special offer in combination with the program on Thursday. Attending only on Wednesday is not possible.

<sup>#</sup> Short abstracts (100-200 words) can be submitted by residents (and diplomates) of the European College of Small Ruminant Health Management before March 15th to René van den Brom ([r.vd.brom@gdanimalhealth.com](mailto:r.vd.brom@gdanimalhealth.com)). Diplomates and other small ruminant veterinarians are also more than welcome to submit an abstract for a presentation at this day.

<sup>†</sup> Language: English



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THURSDAY, APRIL 11<sup>TH</sup> 2019, THE HAGUE (NETHERLANDS)

**Speakers:**

- 09.30-10.15 **Prof. Neil Sargison**  
*Movement to sustainable worm strategies for gastrointestinal nematodes and liver fluke*
- 10.45-11.30 **Dr. Inge Santman-Berends**  
*Use of (big) data in support of small ruminant health: current and future perspectives*
- 11.40-12.25 **Prof. Snorre Stuen**  
*Global warming in relation to tick-borne diseases in sheep and goats*
- 12.25-14.00 Exhibition/Lunch Break/Opening ceremony
- 14.00-14.45 **Dr. Daan Dercksen**  
*Historical health aspects of (Dutch) dairy goat farming*
- 14.55-15.40 **Dr. René van den Brom**  
*Back to the future: Remaining challenges for the dairy goat industry*
- 16.10-16.55 **Dr. Piet Vellema**  
*Past and future of emerging small ruminant diseases*
- 17.05-17.50 **Dr. Christianne Brusckie**  
*Overview on previous topics from a political point of view*

REGISTRATION FROM FEBRUARY 1<sup>ST</sup> VIA [WWW.VOORJAARSDAGEN.EU](http://WWW.VOORJAARSDAGEN.EU)



**Costs**

Students (Utrecht)	50 euros
Residents ECSRHM	175 euros
Veterinarians	
Early bird (before March 1 <sup>st</sup> )	225 euros
Normal	275 euros

**Hotels Deventer**

(tuesday)  
[www.hotelgilde.nl](http://www.hotelgilde.nl)  
[www.sandton.eu/sandton-ijsselhotel](http://www.sandton.eu/sandton-ijsselhotel)  
[www.postillionhotels.com/postillion-hotel-deventer](http://www.postillionhotels.com/postillion-hotel-deventer)

**Hotels The Hague**

(wednesday and thursday)  
[www.thehague.teleporthotel.com](http://www.thehague.teleporthotel.com)  
[www.babylonhoteldenhaag.com](http://www.babylonhoteldenhaag.com)  
[www.nh-hotels.com/hotel/nh-den Haag](http://www.nh-hotels.com/hotel/nh-den Haag)

For questions about registration and hotels you can contact Sabine Hoogeveen ([hoogeveen@voorjaarsdagen.org](mailto:hoogeveen@voorjaarsdagen.org))