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Graduated in 1988. He has been working with vets since 1990 preferring to integrate with them rather than working solo. His special interest is in horses with long standing movement issues and decreasing performance levels, whether it's a sport horse or a family pony, but he is equally at home maintaining those with more minor issues.



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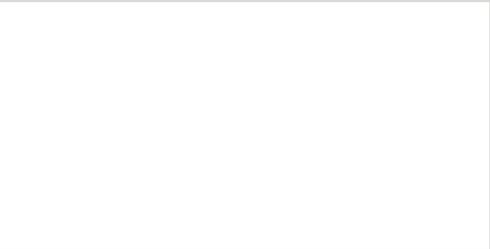


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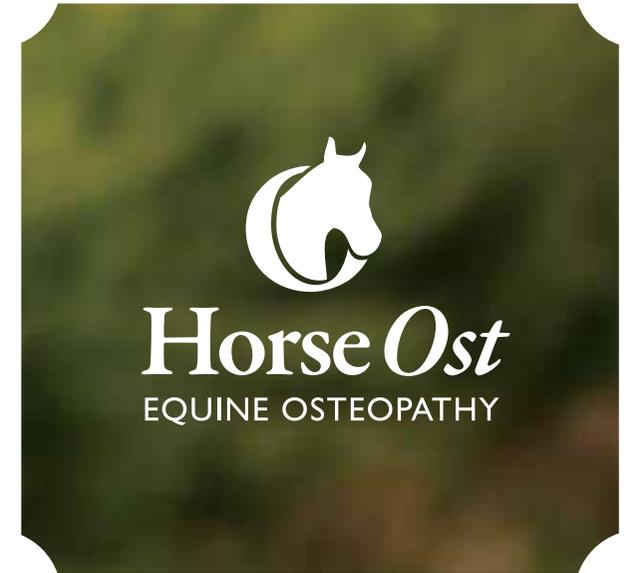
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About Horse Ost

After more than 22 years of treating all species of animals and birds with osteopathy through his company Zoo Ost Ltd, Tony Nevin decided to create Horse Ost to centralise all of the equine work.

Years of resolving bio mechanical issues with horses led Tony to work with some top orthopaedic vets, as well as meeting newer graduates with an interest in non pathological origin lameness and movement problems.

They regularly call on other allied professions for their assistance with the aim of providing the best possible outcome for each case.

Signs of a Bio-mechanical problem affecting a horse's ability to move correctly

- Changes in behaviour
- Head shaking
- Bit seating issues
- Tighter on one rein
- Reluctance to engage behind
- Heavy on the forehand
- Bucking
- A gradual decrease in overall performance
- Cold backed
- Unlevel
- Unable to stand square at rest
- Exaggerated facial expressions and tail swishing when performing simple moves
- Recurring lameness even after traditional veterinary treatments

Our Services

We can offer a visiting clinic for veterinary surgeries, and suitably equipped livery yards. We already operate from established veterinary practices which has allowed for an enhanced service for their clients without increased overheads for the host venues. We also offer yard visits if owners are unable to bring their horse to us.

Acute cases and pre event check up

We cater for problems of a recent onset as well as those horses that could benefit from a pre event check up and osteopathic treatment

Chronic longstanding problems

This is where we specialise in returning horses to their former performance levels. By unravelling the complex multitude of compensatory patterns of movement that many horses use to adapt around a previous injury, such as a heavy fall we have, over the last 20 years, been able to help 80% return to work.

Many of these cases had not responded to more traditional forms of veterinary treatment. Data collected from 4000 cases during and after treatment and rehabilitation programmes support our claims.

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