

Abstract

Title: Knowledge and attitudes of UK FTVS students to equestrian sport

Aim: The aim of this bachelor thesis is to discover the awareness students of UK FTVS have of equestrian sport and find out how they perceive the equestrianism in general. Based on the results of the research, certain recommendations will be made for Czech equestrian federation on how to improve the current state of knowledge among students.

Methods: The method applied in this thesis is based on electronic questionnaire, Through questionnaire were collected data which will carry useful information about general awareness of the students about equestrian sport, its disciplines, passive or active interest in the sport and attitudes they have of equestrianism.

Results: The research showed that students of UK FTVS have basic knowledge of the equestrian sport, but they are lacking broader information about the sport. Students don't follow equestrianism on regular basis and according to majority of students it is a financially demanding activity, which is also hard to reach. Although, most of the students expressed an interest in trying equestrianism if they had a chance. The recommendations were made to improve the knowledge of equestrian sport and the attitude most of the students possess.

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