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WEVA Travels to Asia

The 12th WEVA Congress, hosted by the Indian Association of Equine Practitioners, will be held Nov. 2-6, 2011, in the royal, rustic, and romantic city of Hyderabad, India. The call for abstracts has gone out with a deadline for submission of May 1. The program is expected to include more than 50 internationally acclaimed speakers, who will present on a wide variety of topics. For more information about abstract submission, the Congress schedule, and the host city, please visit the WEVA Congress website at www.weva2011india.com.

The final WEVA Intermediate Meeting of 2010 was held Nov. 30 in exotic Tokyo, Japan. The meeting was a joint venture between WEVA, the Japan Society of Equine Science, and the Japan Racing Association (JRA). Speakers included current WEVA President Tim Greet, BVMS, FRCVS, MVM, Cert EO, DESTS, Dip. ECVS; past WEVA President Gary Norwood, DVM; and the University of Pennsylvania’s Dean Richardson, DVM, Dipl. ACVS, who was invited to attend the meeting by the JRA. Greet and Norwood were guests of the JRA at the $5.8 million Japan Cup on Nov. 28 at the Tokyo Racecourse and were provided an extensive tour of the facilities by JRA officials. More than 100,000 fans flocked to the track on Japan Cup day for an exciting day of Thoroughbred racing. Racegoers enjoyed a pleasant day with a stunning view of the Fuji Mountains in the distance.

—Gary Norwood, DVM