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Calendar

Monday, January 19

- ◆MLK Holiday, College closed.

Tuesday, January 20

- ◆SCAVMA: visit and presentation by AVMA Vice-President, Dr. Gary Brown. Lunch provided. M102, 12:00-1:00
- ◆SCAVMA pet food sale, SCAVMA store, 12-12:45

Wednesday, January 21

- ◆House Officer rounds, M202, 8:00-8:30
- ◆Necropsy rounds, M125 (necropsy gallery), 8:30-9:30
- ◆AAEP, Large Animal Hospital records room, 12:15-1:00
- ◆Alpha Psi soup sale, Magruder Lobby, 11:30-1:00

Thursday, January 22

- ◆Senior papers: "Feline Distal Aortic Thromboembolism," Jessica Thompson; Dr. Bulmer, advisor. "A Bad Piece of Sushi – A Case Presentation," Erin Ryan; Dr. Bulmer, advisor. M102, 8:00-9:00
- ◆"Canine Parvovirus," presented by Dr. Robert Armstrong, Intervet/Schering Plough. Lunch provided. M102, 12:00-1:00
- ◆VBMA Talk: John Campbell, Matsco. Lunch provided. M298, 12:00-1:00
- ◆"Fluid administration for the treatment of isoflurane-induced hypotension in dogs," Turi Aarnes, DVM, candidate for Anesthesiologist, M 269, 12:00-1:00
- ◆PRIPS: Schuster and Kent labs, D 213, 12:00-1:00
- ◆Tour: College of Science ambassadors. 9 people. 12:00-1:00
- ◆SCAVMA pet food sale, SCAVMA store, 4:30-5:30

Friday, January 23

- ◆LA Surgery Journal Club rounds, M288, 7:30-8:30
- ◆Cytology rounds, M125, 8:00-9:00
- ◆Oncology Journal Club/Lab meeting, M269, 9:00-11:00
- ◆Zoo Wildlife Talk: "Stabilizing Wildlife Patients," Dr. Jean Cypher. Everyone welcome. Lunch will be served. Please reply to Kadie Anderson, anderkad@onid.orst.edu. M102, 12:00-1:00
- ◆Alpha Psi Club Meeting, M118, 5:00

Monday, January 26

- ◆Horse Owner Education Series: "Navicular Disease," presented by Dr. Nellie Driscoll, Donations accepted. M102, 7:30-8:30 pm

Tuesday, January 27

- ◆CVM Research Seminar: Dr. Susan Tornquist: "*Mycoplasma haemolamae*: Chinese wormwood and the Peruvian Andes." Dr. Katelyn Romeo (McKenzie): "The effect of hetastarch on the colloid osmotic pressure of healthy llamas." Bring your own lunch. M102, 12:00-1:00
- ◆SCAVMA pet food sale, SCAVMA store, 12-12:45
- ◆Equine nutrition will be discussed with Dr. Randy Raub, of Purina's horse nutrition and research group. Food will be served. M102, 5:30-7:30

Wednesday, January 28

- ◆House Officer rounds, M202, 8:00-8:30
- ◆Necropsy rounds, M125 (necropsy gallery), 8:30-9:30
- ◆AAEP, Large Animal Hospital records room, 12:15-1:00

Thursday, January 29

- ◆Senior papers: "Baytril in Elephants," Jonathan Miller; Dr. Bildfell, advisor. "A case study: Urolithiasis in a Hippopotamus," Kristin Zedwick; Dr. Patton, advisor. M102, 8:00-9:00
- ◆IVSA Nicaragua Trip Presentation, Austin Bell 2010 and Sonja Lapinski 2011, M102, 12:00-1:00
- ◆PRIPS: Bermudez and Häse labs, D 213, 12:00-1:00
- ◆SCAVMA pet food sale, SCAVMA store, 4:30-5:30

Friday, January 30

- ◆LA Surgery Journal Club rounds, M288, 7:30-8:30
- ◆Cytology rounds, M125, 8:00-9:00
- ◆Oncology Journal Club/Lab meeting, M269, 9:00-11:00
- ◆Pathology club lecture/meeting: "A day in a Hippo with DIC," presented by Dr. Johanna Rigas and Dr. Susan Piripi. Everyone welcome. Snacks will be provided. M102, 12:00-1:00
- ◆AAHA Lunch Talk: Dr. Bob Longinger, Antech Labs. Lunch provided. M298, 12:00-1:00

Horse Owner Education Series begins

For the third consecutive year, the College of Veterinary Medicine is hosting the Horse Owner Education Series. This seven-lecture series, coordinated by Dr. Erica McKenzie, is taught by large animal hospital faculty. As in previous years, it is being held in Magruder's lecture hall, room 102, at 7:30 p.m., and will take place the next six Monday evenings.

The first lecture, which was on respiratory ailments, was presented on Jan. 12. Remaining topics include navicular disease, colic, vaccinations, breeding, the fat horse, and founder. This well-attended series is open to the public and is free of charge, although donations are always welcome.

For more information call 541-737-2858, or follow this link:

<http://oregonstate.edu/vetmed/college/>

[horse_owner_series.htm](http://oregonstate.edu/vetmed/college/horse_owner_series.htm). For directions to the College follow this link: <http://oregonstate.edu/vetmed/college/howfind.htm>



International Veterinary Student Association to give presentation on recent trip to Nicaragua

On Thursday, Jan. 29, the International Veterinary Student Association (IVSA) will hold a lunchtime presentation discussing their trip to Ometepe Island, Nicaragua, that took place in December during winter break. Students from all four classes participated in the program that provided free veterinary care to the community of Merida, a village that receives no other veterinary care. The group saw more than 114 animals during the four-day clinic, including dogs, cats, horses, cattle, and pigs. There were a number of interesting cases including vampire bat wounds, transmissible venereal-cell tumors, *Ehrlichia canis*, and a fistula associated with a tooth abscess.

The IVSA club has already begun plans for their next trip scheduled for Sept. 2009. They are currently in discussion with the OSU School of Public Health exploring the possibility of a joint effort to provide veterinary and human public health for the community.

Students interested in participating in next year's program should contact Sonja Lapinski, Class of 2011, lapinsks@onid.orst.edu.



Annual OSU Food Drive

The annual OSU Food Drive is just around the corner. It begins Feb. 2 and wraps up four weeks later on Feb. 27. All donations, cash or non-perishable food items, will be given to the Linn Benton Food Share. There are more than 42,000 needy people in our area, most of them children. You can help fill their bellies by filling the food donation

boxes that will be placed around the College, or by making cash donations.

If you would like to know more about the OSU Food Drive you can visit this link, <http://oregonstate.edu/events/fooddrive/>, or ask any of the members of the College of Veterinary Medicine's food drive committee. They are Carol Colton, Amber Taylor, Lindy Young, Cristi Crofoot, Jill Bartlett, and Lisa Poland.



Pet Day 2009 — you can help

Pet Day planning is coming along quite nicely. Committees are meeting and good progress is being made. New this year, Pet Day coordinators are planning to put together a seminar series with topics related to pet ownership to gain the interest of the general public. If you have ideas for topics, you can submit them to the Pet Day co-chairs at petdaycochairs@gmail.com.

The poster committee would like submission of pictures showcasing the human-animal bond to put on the Pet Day poster. You can submit those to Kate Hooper at kate.hooper@gmail.com. Picture files should be as large as possible.

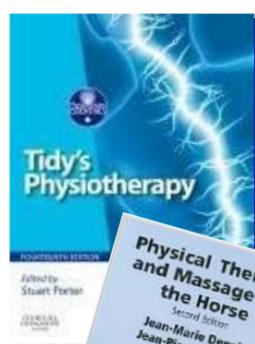
Also, the T-shirt committee is calling for T-shirt designs. Designs may be submitted either as a hardcopy or sent electronically to Jackie Koehne at jackiekoehne@gmail.com. For contest guidelines please contact Jackie. All T-shirt design submissions received by Jan. 27 will be put on display in the student lounge for subsequent voting.



Physical therapy books purchased with client donation

Richard and Louise Staley, dedicated owners of "Fireblade," provided the Equine Physical Therapy Program with a donation from which two physical therapy books were purchased for the "Clinic Library." Fireblade is a 17-year-old Thoroughbred gelding who spent time in the large animal hospital recovering from extensor tendon problems.

The newly purchased books are Physical Therapy and Massage for the Horse, by Jean-Marie Denoix and Jean-Pierre Pailoux, and Tidy's Physiotherapy (Physiotherapy Essentials), by Stuart Porter. Both books are located in the large animal records/computer room and are available for students, faculty and staff to read!



OSU Students to Volunteer at the Siskiyou Sled Dog Races:

Five Oregon State University students, Laura Magruder (2010), Cate Dolan (2012), Heidi Franck (2010), Mara Supan (2011) and Sandra Lloyd (2012), will accompany Dr. Erica McKenzie to the Siskiyou Sled Dog Races in Mt. Shasta, Cal. this weekend. Several dog racing events will be held throughout the weekend, including a 220 mile race which represents California's first official qualifying event for the Alaskan Iditarod. In addition, sprint & skijor (where one or more dogs pull a person on skis) competitions will be held during the weekend.

The students' responsibilities will be to assist with pre-race physical examinations of the participating dogs, and to examine and assist dogs on the trail as the teams pass through a variety of veterinary checkpoints. The race commences Friday afternoon and finishes Sunday afternoon.

