THE 74 »

The graduates of 2017 are legacy material.

Prior to graduating, the class has contributed a life-giving gift to their alma mater. They take to heart the alumni lesson of the 3-C’s, Connect, Convey & Convince (TM) (Trademark credit to Thomas Loafmann, DVM ’63.)

Ever wondered if an animal might not receive veterinary care when the ability to cover treatment costs is unavailable? The class of 2017 have addressed the issue by establishing a fund that assists injured strays or other animals whose prognosis is positive. Beginning now, the class of 2017 is building a fund to ensure that all animals with treatable ailments conducive to full recovery can receive treatment.

They're leaving a mark of incredible impact for the Veterinary Medical Hospital and the Center for Veterinary Health Sciences. (This is why I love these humans.)

So, on 12 May when we walk the 74 pups, we'll feel the pang in our guts as a part of our litter rides the wind. Commencement is bittersweet.

In congratulations for the awesomeness of these 74 new veterinarians, please join me in advancing the new Class of 2017 fund assisting large and small animals. To contribute contact me

RIDING FOR THE BRAND »

Dust 'em off and prepare to kick it up at the Corral Crawl 2017. Graduate class years ending in 2 & 7 celebrate renewed connections with classmates with a photographer on hand for class pics. I'll have some mighty fine beverages on tap for you at the Crawl during Fall Conference, November 9-10 at Wes Watkins Center. On Thursday night alumni will enjoy a buffet meal and cash bar. You'll discover the Code of the Old West - the Cowboy way.

The Corral Crawl and Distinguished Alumni Luncheon are advance-ticketed events so watch our website for registration opening later this summer. Don't need CE? You can register for Alumni Events only, but you must register in advance for ticketed events. No tickets are sold at the door.

Accommodations are waiting for you at Home2 Suites by Hilton Stillwater, Code CVHS Alumni Group, 306 E. Hall of Fame Avenue, Stillwater, OK 74075 (405) 372-2550. Room rates for Wednesday-Saturday are $91. Deadline for reservations is October 15.

Oh, hello next FRIDAY. Meet 74 damn-good doctors.

GIVE and BE change.

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