Pankratz Presents at OLLI

Teresa Pankratz ('20) taught the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) class on training dogs held recently at the Stillwater Library. Her talk was part of a series, “It’s a Dog's Life,” presented by faculty, staff and students from the veterinary center on Thursdays from Oct. 6 to Nov. 10 at the Stillwater Public Library.

Throughout the course, attendees learned the history of how dogs came to be domesticated, considerations of the various breeds, the adopt or purchase choice and more. OLLI is offered each semester to retirees and other adults in the community who want to enrich their lives through new learning experiences. For more information on OLLI, visit https://education.okstate.edu/olli.

Student Activities

ZEW will meet today, Nov. 14. Dr. Jim Lish will present "Red-tailed Hawk Rehabilitation and Conservation" and share some of his spectacular photography.

AAEP will meet today, Nov. 14, at 5:30 p.m. in the second year classroom. Dr. Eric Swinebroad will present "Eventing Disasters and Their Consequences." AAEP will also host a Lunch and Learn on Wednesday, Nov. 16.

AHVMA will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 15. Kaitlyn Belanger ('18) will talk about the Chi Institute.

AABP will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 15.

Royal Canin and the Holistic Club will meet on Thursday, Nov. 17. Royal Canin will also host a label lab for first year students on Friday, Nov. 18.

Oklahoma Center for Respiratory and Infectious Diseases Seminar

Michaela U. Gack, PhD, will present "Host Modulation of Innate Immune Sensing Pathways and Viral Escape" on Wednesday, Nov. 16, at 12:15 p.m. in Room 259 McElroy Hall. Gack is an associate professor in the Department of Microbiology at the University of Chicago.

House Officer Seminar

Johnattan Arango, DVM, will present "Gastric Dilatation and Volvulus" on Thursday, Nov. 17, at 8 a.m. in Room 104 at the Veterinary Medical Hospital. Arango is a small animal surgery resident mentored by Dr. Danielle Dugat.

Veterinary Biomedical Sciences Seminar

Jennifer Rudd, DVM, will present "Identifying novel combination therapies to treat dual infection pneumonia" on Thursday, Nov. 17, at 4 p.m. in Room 259 McElroy Hall. Rudd is a PhD student and graduate teaching associate in the Department of
National Radiologic Technology Week®

This past week was National Radiologic Technology Week® to celebrate the vital work of R.T.s across the nation. The week-long celebration calls attention to the important role digital imaging professionals play in patient care.

Pictured above is the imaging team of excellence at OSU's Veterinary Medical Hospital (left to right): Carolyn Rodebush, Lindsay Rutledge and Sue Mott.

Congratulations, Dr. Herd!

Heather R. Herd, DVM, recently passed her certification examinations. Congratulations, Dr. Herd, on becoming a Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Pathologists. Hats off to all those who mentored her.

Physiological Sciences mentored by Dr. Telugu Narasaraju.

Dean Search

The next listening session will be held on Monday, Nov. 21, at 7 p.m. The OVMA District 4 meeting will be held at the OSU Institute for Agricultural Biosciences, 3210 Sam Noble Parkway, Ardmore, OK 73401.

Getting to Know You

Clay Hallman, DVM, is a lecturer in diagnostic imaging in the Department of Veterinary Clinical Sciences. Originally from Souderton, Pa., he earned a BA at Wake Forest University and his DVM degree from Kansas State University, where he met and married his wife, Dr. Mackenie Hallman. His clinical interests focus on researching advanced imaging for cardiac disease and canine musculoskeletal disease.

Clay has a minor in German and has lived in both Munich, Germany, and Vienna, Austria. In his spare time he enjoys spending time with his wife, also in diagnostic imaging, and their three children ages 6, 5, and 9 months. He also likes the outdoors, hiking, fishing and skiing.