November Employees of the Month

Congratulations to the November 2021 Employees of the Month!

• Jeremy Douthit is the facilities services manager reporting to the Dean in McElroy Hall. While he had some huge shoes to fill, Jeremy has come in and done an amazing job. Always there with a kind wave and smile, his work ethic and 'we'll figure it out' attitude make him ready to face any challenge successfully.

• Julie Gaches is the senior financial assistant in the Veterinary Clinical Sciences Department. Known for her proactive thinking and an inordinate amount of patience, Julie handles the purchasing, travel arrangements and accounting duties for the department. Always thorough and quick to respond, she is a team player who willingly accepts added tasks.

Veterans Day Program

If you missed our Veterans Day Observance complete with Army ROTC Color Guard and Dr. Jerry Ritchey as guest speaker, no worries. You can read about Dr. Ritchey’s search for a hero and watch a short video at Veterans Day Observance.

Ticks and Fleas

Ticks and fleas are a year-round problem for pets. Dr. Rosslyn Biggs offers pet owners some tips. Read the full article at Ticks and Fleas.

Integrated Beef Cattle Program

Food animal and mixed animal veterinarians and veterinary students can still sign up for the Integrated Beef Cattle Program! Register now as space is limited to 20 veterinarians and 20 students for the first year.

To learn more, visit Integrated Beef Cattle Program and to apply, visit Integrated Beef Cattle Application.

House Officer Seminar

Rodrigo Roca, DVM, will present "Minimally Invasive Osteosynthesis:"
Dr. Ruth Scimeca is an assistant professor working at OADDL. In addition to running multiple labs and leading many research projects, she teaches fourth year veterinary students. She is a joy to work with and always takes time to answer any questions. You can tell she is always smiling even while wearing a mask.

Deep Puncture Wounds in Horses
Diagnosing and treating deep puncture wounds in horses' hooves can be tricky. Dr. Daniel Burba, professor and head of the Department of Veterinary Clinical Sciences, offers some tips on dealing with deep puncture wounds. Read the full article at Deep Puncture Wounds in Horses Hooves.

The New Trend" on Thursday, Dec. 2, at 8 a.m. in Room 002C at the Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital. Dr. Roca is a small animal surgery resident mentored by Dr. Danielle Dugat.

The recorded lecture will be available on Moodle in the course VBSC 6710.

Editor's Note
Net Vet Weekly will not publish on November 29. The next issue will be distributed on December 6.

Happy Thanksgiving!