



## CENTER FOR VETERINARY HEALTH SCIENCES

### Net Vet Weekly - June 24, 2019

#### Thank you, Petco!

Thank you, **Petco Foundation**, for investing in the Stillwater community! The Petco Foundation recently awarded \$35,000 to support spay/neuter surgeries performed by Operation Catnip Stillwater. Read more at [Petco Invests in Lifesaving Work](#).

#### Getting to Know You



**Jeremiah Grissett** is our CVHS counselor and wellness coordinator. Originally from Huntsville, Alabama, he earned his Bachelor's degree from Oral Roberts University and a Master's degree in Marriage and Family Therapy from Oklahoma State University. He is currently working on a doctorate in Human Development and Family Science from OSU. His dissertation examines parental self-efficacy and parental involvement with their children in divorced fathers.

#### House Officer Seminar

**Amy Lovett, DVM**, will present "Anticoagulants and Viscoelastic Testing in Horses" on Thursday, June 27, at 8 a.m. in Room 104 at the Veterinary Medical Hospital. Dr. Lovett is an equine internal medicine resident mentored by **Dr. Lyndi Gilliam**.

#### Grandparent University

Fifteen children and their grandparents will visit the CVHS on Thursday, June 27, and Friday, June 28, as part of OSU's **Grandparent University**.

Each child will be coated and receive a stethoscope, participate in Teddy Bear Surgery, learn about small animal endoscopy, parasitology, anatomy and more. Let's give our visitors a warm OSU Cowboy welcome!

#### Dr. Panciera Memorial Service

The memorial service for **Dr. Roger Panciera** ('53) will be held on Thursday, June 27, at 2 p.m. in the First Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall. The church is located at 524 South Duncan Street in Stillwater.

Jeremiah enjoys playing guitar. To explore new music, a friend is sending him a new album each week from a band the friend recommends. Jeremiah also likes playing disc golf, spending time with his girlfriend and friends, and going to the movies.

*Favorite Quote: "Forgiveness is the release of all hope for a better past."*

## AC/VP 2019 Farewell Tour



If you missed the magnificent sounds of **AC/VP**, OSU's only pathology rock band, have no fear.

You can listen to the entire concert on the veterinary center's YouTube account. Listen to [AC/VP Farewell Tour](#) as they rock the house!

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## Dr. Otto's Television Special to Air

**Dr. John Otto** ('90) has been working with the prison dog program in Oklahoma for more than 26 years. He has witnessed first-hand the impact incarceration has on the children of offenders.

Otto partnered with the Oklahoma County Corrections Center and Gray Frederickson, movie producer who won an Oscar for *The Godfather*, to produce his latest documentary.

"Children of Hope" will air on OETA on Thursday, June 27, at 7 p.m. and on Saturday, June 29, at 8 p.m.

## Celebrate Sherl's Career

Join us as we celebrate **Sherl Holesko** and her 41 years of service at the CVHS. Come to the Alumni Conference Room 115 McElroy Hall on Friday, June 28, at 3 p.m. as we wish Sherl the best.

## Dr. Confer is Retiring

Join us on Monday, July 1, as we honor **Dr. Anthony Confer** ('72) for his 38 years of teaching, research and service!. A luncheon will be served in the Alumni Conference Room at 12 p.m. followed by a seminar in the Auditorium at 1:30 p.m. presented by **Dr. Derek Mosier** with Kansas State University. At 2:30 p.m. we will reconvene in the Alumni Conference Room 115 McElroy Hall to give Dr. Confer our best wishes.

## Coats for Students

The Induction Ceremony for the Class of 2023 will be here before we know it. That means we need to purchase

**Nikol Irizarry, DVM**, is a small animal rotating intern. Originally from Cayey, Puerto Rico, Dr. Irizarry earned her DVM degree from Purdue University. Her research interests include small animal surgery.

Nikol's favorite animals are reptiles. In her spare time she enjoys hiking, being outside, crochet, and puzzles.

106 coats to start this class on their journey to become veterinarians.

Please consider sponsoring a student by purchasing a coat for \$50. Interested parties can contact **Melinda Tharp** in the Dean's office at 405-744-6595 or [melinda.tharp@okstate.edu](mailto:melinda.tharp@okstate.edu). Coat sponsors have the option to attend the ceremony on Friday, Aug. 16, at 10 a.m. but attendance is not mandatory.



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