



AAAP FALL NEWSLETTER

September 1996



Congratulations to the 1996 AAAP Award Winners

Dr. Carol Cardona - Reed Rumsey Student Award

Dr. Robert Eckroade - Special Service Award

Dr. Scott Fitzgerald - Bayer-Snoeyenbos New Investigator Award

Dr. Mark Jackwood - Upjohn Achievement Award

Dr. Margie Lee - P.P. Levine Award

Dr. David Ley - Poster Award

Dr. Trisha Marsh - Reed Rumsey Student Award

Dr. Gordon Miller - C.A. Bottorff Award

Dr. Y.M. Saif - Pfizer Excellence in Poultry Research Award

Dr. Qing Xie - Poster Award

Congratulations to

Dr. David Anderson

Dr. Bruce Calnek

Dr. Kenneth Eskelund

Dr. Bryan Mayeda

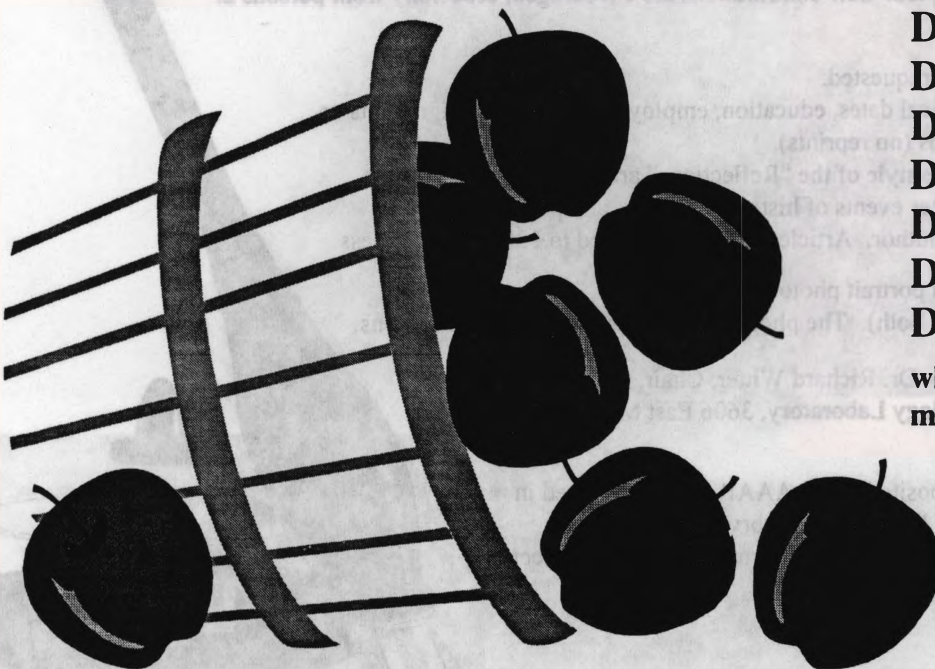
Dr. Wilfred Springer

Dr. Richard Yamamoto

Dr. Donald Zander

who were elected into life
membership this year.

*Dr. Kirk Skeeles will fill the
unexpired term of Dr. John
Glisson as the Southern District
Director. Dr. Glisson has been
nominated for President-Elect.*

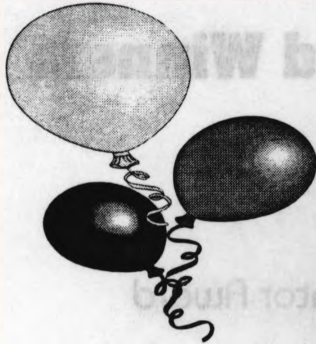


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40th Anniversary of AAAP



1997 will mark the 40th anniversary of AAAP. Please plan to attend the special celebration on Sunday evening at the AVMA/AAAP meeting in Reno, Nevada next July. Please contact Dr. Eckroade with suggestions on how to celebrate this special event.



Biography Project

The History Committee of the AAAP is announcing a new project to preserve biographical information on persons who have contributed to poultry medicine. We need your help in acquiring the necessary materials

WHY: succeeding generations of scientists and historians interested in poultry medicine will value information on the persons who have contributed to our profession and are part of its history.

WHO: Any person, living or deceased, who has made significant contributions to poultry medicine or the AAAP. All submissions will be accepted. Self-contributions are encouraged, especially from persons at or beyond retirement age.

WHAT: Three types of materials are requested.

(1) A curriculum vitae, including critical dates, education, employment, special assignments or contributions, and a list of publications (no reprints).

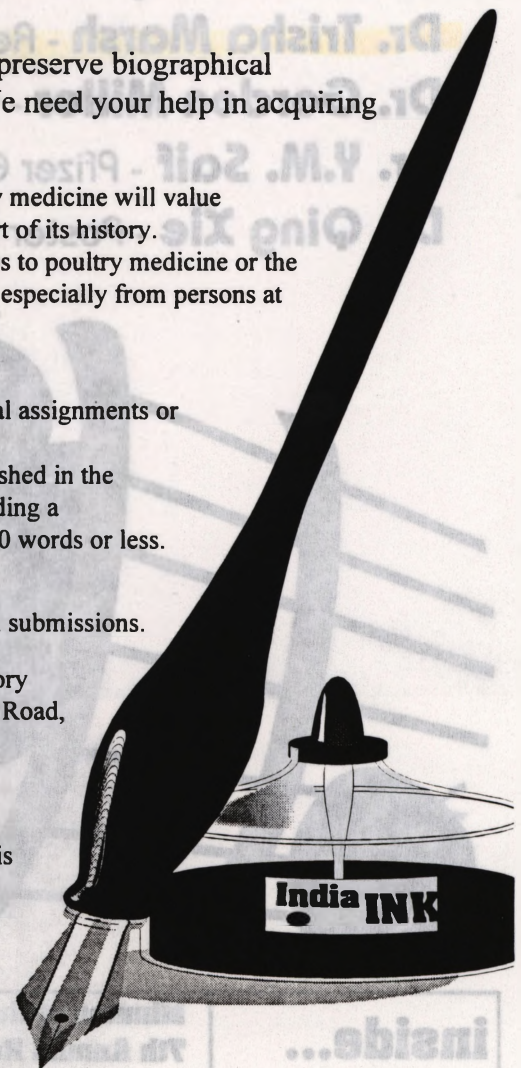
(2) A personal statement written in the style of the "Reflections" articles published in the AVMA Journal describing major career events of historical interest and providing a perspective on the personality of the author. Articles should be limited to 1200 words or less.

(3) A photo, preferably a professional portrait photo (3x5 or 5x7).

Submissions should include 1 or 2 (or both). The photo should accompany all submissions.

WHERE: Materials should be sent to: Dr. Richard Witter, Chair, AAAP History Committee, Avian Disease and Oncology Laboratory, 3606 East Mount Hope Road, East Lansing, MI 48823.

Materials will be prepared in folders and deposited in the AAAP archives located in Parks Library, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa. The History Committee will maintain a catalogue for AAAP members. Anyone with information for this project is asked to please submit it.



7th Annual Foundation Report



ACPV Certifying Exam

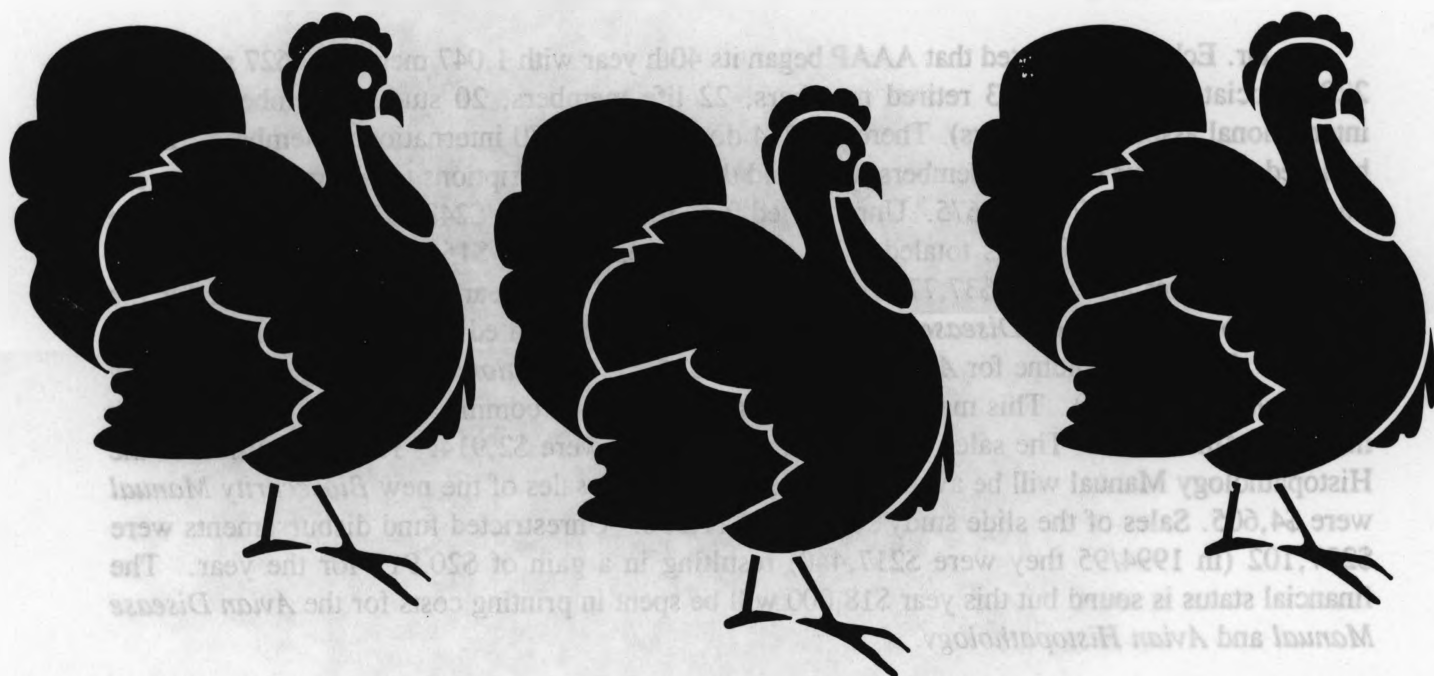
The Certification Examination for the American College of Poultry Veterinarians will be held on Sunday, July 20, 1997 preceding the Annual Meeting of the American Association of Avian Pathologists in Reno, Nevada. The examination will be given in 3 parts consisting of photographic slides, multiple choice questions and a written practical examination.

The final date for submission of the completed application forms for the 1997 examination will be November 1, 1996. Additional information and forms are available from: Dr. J. Kirk Skeeles Secretary-Treasurer ACPV, PO Box 1227, Fayetteville, AR 72701.

The Preceptorship Committee reviewed 8 applications this year. Eight applicants were awarded financial aid up to \$800.00.

The 1995-96 audit of the AAAP Foundation, Inc. was prepared by Steve Ciemney, CPA of Elko, Fischer, McCabe and Rudman of Media, PA. A copy has been sent to the audit committee of AAAP and is included in the agenda materials given to the Board of Directors. Restricted accounts include the C.A. Bottorff, Bayer-Snoeyenbos New Investigator, Kenneth Eskelund Preceptorship, and Reed Rumsey Student Funds. The C.A. Bottorff fund now totals \$47,218. Revenue this year consisted of interest income of \$2,248 and contributions of \$2,148. Expenses were \$2,108 resulting in a net increase of \$2,150. The Reed Rumsey Student Fund now totals \$43,470. Revenue consisted of interest income of \$1,999 and contributions of \$275. Expenses were \$1,057 resulting in a net increase of \$1,466. The Bayer-Snoeyenbos fund totals \$30,425. Revenue consisted of contributions of \$30,425. There were no expenses this year. The Kenneth Eskelund Preceptorship fund now totals \$56,051. This year's revenue consisted of interest income of \$3,380 and contributions of \$1,640. Expenses were \$4,542 resulting in a net gain of \$478. The "unrestricted" account totals \$23,636. Revenue consisted of \$352 in interest income, \$7,000 for the Animal Welfare Video and \$4,290 in contributions. Expenses were \$4,562 resulting in a net increase of \$7,080. Pending Board action, it is anticipated that the \$7,000 in donations for the Animal Welfare video will be returned to the contributors. The total fund balance is \$201,675.

The Foundation has sent educational materials to Algeria, Russia, India, Ghana, Lithuania, Kenya, Bangladesh and Nigeria.



**THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF AVIAN PATHOLOGISTS
THIRTY NINTH ANNUAL MEETING
JULY 23, 1996
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY**

The thirty-ninth annual meeting of the American Association of Avian Pathologists was called to order by Dr. Mo Saif, President, at 10:35 am. The meeting was attended by approximately one hundred and forty members.

Dr. Saif asked the membership to pause for a moment of silence to remember three of our members who passed away this year. Drs. Roberto Manfredini, Jose Lamas Da Silva, and James Brownell.

A motion was carried to approve the minutes of the thirty-eighth annual meeting as published in the newsletter.

Recognition of Retiring Board Members

Dr. Saif recognized three Board members who are leaving the Board this year. Dr. Oscar Fletcher, Past President, Dr. Marion Hammarlund, Western District Director and Dr. Pat Wakenell, Director-at-Large.

Western District Election

Dr. Richard Chin has been elected to serve as the Western District Director for the next four years. He will replace Dr. Marion Hammarlund.

39th Annual Report

Dr. Eckroade reported that AAAP began its 40th year with 1,047 members (627 members, 220 associate members, 103 retired members, 22 life members, 20 student members and 55 international associate members). There are 714 domestic and 170 international members. Eight hundred eighty four of these members have paid their dues. Subscriptions to *Avian Diseases* were down this year from 1740 to 1675. Unrestricted fund revenues were \$248,013 this year. Revenue generated by *Avian Diseases* totaled \$165,610 as compared with \$151,451 last year. Sales of educational materials totaled \$37,778 compared with \$40,551 last year. The sales volume for the third edition of the *Avian Disease Manual* was \$12,965. The 4th edition of this manual is now available. The sales volume for *A Laboratory Manual for the Isolation and Identification of Avian Pathogens* was \$3,090. This manual is now out of print and a committee has been appointed to make the 4th edition. The sales of *Avian Histopathology* were \$2,914. The 2nd edition of the *Histopathology Manual* will be available in September. The sales of the new *Biosecurity Manual* were \$4,605. Sales of the slide study sets were \$11,330. Unrestricted fund disbursements were \$227,102 (in 1994/95 they were \$217,440) resulting in a gain of \$20,911 for the year. The financial status is sound but this year \$18,000 will be spent in printing costs for the *Avian Disease Manual* and *Avian Histopathology*.

Board Meeting

Dr. Eckroade reminded the membership that the Board meetings are open to all and gave the following report from the Board.

A motion was carried to add Drs. Michael Perdue and Calvin Keeler to the *Avian Diseases* Editorial Board.

A motion was carried to commend the awards committee for their excellent nominations.

A motion was carried to elect Drs. David Anderson, Bruce Calnek, Kenneth Eskelund, Bryan Mayeda, Wilfred Springer, Richard Yamamoto, and Donald Zander to life membership.

A motion was carried to hold a mid-year board meeting each year. This year it will be on January 22, 1997 at the Southeastern Meeting.

A motion was carried to allow up to \$6,000 in expenses for the annual AAAP/AVMA symposium. Up to \$3,000 will be for the symposium, including printing the proceedings and up to \$3,000 will be for non-member speakers.

A motion was carried to hold a Management and Production Practices Symposium in 1998.

The Disease Reporting and Nomenclature Committee will be combined with the Epidemiology Committee.

A motion was carried to change the name of the Animal Welfare Committee to the Animal Welfare and Management Practices Committee.

The Toxic, Infectious and Miscellaneous Diseases Committee will be renamed the Toxic, Infectious, Miscellaneous and Emerging Diseases Committee.

A motion was carried to support the celebration of the 100th meeting of USAHA with \$100.

A motion was carried to write a letter to the AVMA executive Board in support of CAST activity and recommending that AVMA continue membership in CAST.

A motion was carried to terminate the Animal Welfare video project and to return the contributions for this project to the contributors.

A motion was carried to write a letter to NVSL detailing needs and reasons why *Salmonella* serotyping and AI antigen and antisera should be available free of charge.

A motion was carried authorizing the history committee to proceed with a new effort to

record biographical history by senior authors. These will be maintained in the archives at Iowa State University.

A motion was carried to support the 4th International Avian Influenza Symposium with \$5,000.

A motion was carried to support the 1998 Salmonella Symposium that will be held in conjunction with the AVMA/AAAP annual meeting in Baltimore with \$6,000.

The Board discussed appointing a liaison with the Associations of Veterinarians in Egg, Turkey and Broiler Production and the Technical Service Veterinarians.

The Board will charge the Nominating Committee with developing a category of membership for distinguished members of AAAP who may not be retired.

The Board discussed the possibility of having the President serve a two year term but it was decided not to make any changes at this time.

The U.S. Branch of the World Veterinary Poultry Association (WVPA) has decided to put in a bid to host the WVPA Congress in 2001 in Boston in conjunction with the AVMA meeting.

Nominating Committee Report

Dr. Don Waldrip reported that the Nominating Committee consisting of himself and Drs. Chase and Halvorson, placed into nomination Dr. Gregg Cutler for President, **Dr. John Glisson for President-elect**, Dr. Robert Eckroade for Secretary-Treasurer and Dr. Bruce Stewart-Brown for Director-at-large.

There were no nominations from the floor.

A motion was carried to close nominations.

A motion was carried to elect Dr. John Glisson as President-elect and Dr. Robert Eckroade as Secretary-Treasurer.

There was a mail nomination for Dr. John Donahoe for Director-at-large.

Dr. Bruce Stewart-Brown was elected by ballot for Director-at-large.

Audit Committee

Dr. Gary Waters reported that the audit committee reviewed the audit prepared by Elko, Fischer, McCabe and Rudman and accepted it. A motion was carried to accept the report as presented.

AVMA Related Matters

The AVMA/AAAP meeting in Reno next year will start on Monday and run through Thursday. Arrival on Sunday will not affect the lowest airfares because Reno is considered a vacation city and a Saturday night stay over is not required.

AAAP has asked for a separate hotel to hold all functions, including the Symposium and Scientific Program.

Several Board members met with Dr. Mary Beth Leininger, AVMA President-elect, at USAHA and she is now aware of some of the problems AAAP has had with AVMA.

AVMA Delegate Report

Dr. Peter Poss gave the following AVMA delegates report.

Dr. Mary Beth Leininger addressed the AVMA House of Delegates and cited six issues that will be addressed this year. 1) public visibility; 2) member communication; 3) veterinary education; 4) member involvement; 5) career development; and 6) member services.

The House of Delegates voted on ten resolutions and passed four of them. 1) ..that the House of Delegates of the AVMA hold its 2001 annual meeting in Boston, Massachusetts; 2) ..the House of Delegates of the AVMA conduct an additional working session of the full House in conjunction with the Veterinary Leadership Conference. Such session would be conducted in compliance with the AVMA Constitution Article VI - House of Delegates, and Bylaws, Article VI - House of Delegates, and would be presided over by the chair of the House Advisory Committee; 3) ..that the AVMA strongly object to the recommendations for the use of the title "doctor" contained in the *Associated Press Stylebook and Libel Manual* as misleading, and make every effort to encourage the Associated Press and other media to expand the use of the title "doctor" to include references to veterinarians, dentists, and osteopaths; 4) ..that the AVMA acknowledges and commends Dr. A Roland Dommert, immediate past AVMA executive vice president, for service to the Association from April 1989 to January 1996.

The stipend for the President and President-elect will go from \$20,000 to \$40,000.

Future meeting sites will be determined by the Convention Planning Committee and approved by the Executive Board.

The meeting site in 2001 will be Boston.

Scientific Program Committee Report

Dr. Waldrip reported that there were 35 posters, 99 platform papers and 14 symposium speakers in the scientific program.

He asked members to submit papers earlier in the future.

Report of the Editor

Dr. Louis van der Heide reported that *Avian Diseases* volume 39 was 930 pages consisting of 90 articles, 24 case reports, 14 research notes and 1 pet bird medicine report. There is a 75% acceptance rate of manuscripts.

He thanked the Editorial Board for continuing to do an excellent job of reviewing manuscripts and reported that Drs. Calvin Keeler and Michael Perdue were added to the editorial board.

Awards Committee

Dr. Bruce Stewart-Brown recognized the awards committee consisting of Drs. David Anderson, Victor Panangala, Gregorio Rosales, Ton Schat and Louis van der Heide.

February 3 will be the deadline for submission of nominations for all awards for 1997.

Veterinary Licensing Committee

Dr. Lanny Howell reported that the Veterinary Licensing Committee has been working with Dr. Don Peddie of the New England Association of State Veterinary Boards on a proposal for licensure by endorsement.

Membership Committee

Dr. Jean Sander reported that the membership has increased by 20 regular members, 12 associate members, 7 student members and 14 international members this year.

Biologics Committee

Dr. Jack Rosenberger reported that the Biologics Committee met and discussed CAV, bursal derived IBD vaccines, REV contaminants in vaccines and several other topics. The meeting was attended by 26 people. There were representatives from academia, industry, APHIS and poultry production. Dr. Rosenberger would like to see the committee become a forum for information exchange.

Avian Disease Manual

Dr. Bruce Charlton, editor of the 4th edition of the *Avian Disease Manual*, reported that the 4th edition is now available and encouraged everyone to look at it.

Food safety and Diseases of Public Health Significance Committee

Dr. Charles Hofacre reported that the committee met and wants to decide in which direction the industry should be headed. The committee would appreciate all input.

Reference Antisera Committee

The committee is in the final stages of putting together a panel of reference antisera. Newcastle disease sera will soon be available.

History Committee

Dr. Witter reported that the history committee will be doing a project that will preserve biographical information on people who have contributed to poultry medicine. The collected materials will be prepared in folders and deposited in the AAAP archives located at Iowa State University. Information is being requested from any person, living or deceased, who has made significant contributions to poultry medicine or the AAAP. Self contributions are encouraged, especially from persons at or beyond retirement age. Please submit a curriculum vitae and/or a personal statement written in the style of the "Reflections" articles published in the AVMA Journal (JAVMA 198:1526-1530, 1991) describing major career events of historical interest. A photo should accompany all submissions. Materials should be sent to Dr. Richard Witter.

Animal Welfare Committee

Dr. Gregorio Rosales reported that the Animal Welfare Committee has been very active in confronting animal welfare issues.

There will be a Management and Production Practices Symposium in 1998.

Biotechnology Committee

Dr. Mazhar Khan reported that the committee would like to put together a symposium and will be sending out a questionnaire asking for areas of interest.

A Laboratory Manual for the Isolation and Identification of Avian Pathogens Editorial Board

Dr. David Swayne reported that the AAAP Board of Directors appointed him as chair of an editorial board for the 4th edition of the manual. The projected completion date for the new edition is mid-1997.

Electronics Information Committee

Dr. Don Reynolds reported that the committee has been busy this year establishing a home page for AAAP. The committee has also been looking into converting the slide study sets to a CD Rom.

AAAP Foundation Report

Dr. John Donahoe thanked the Bayer Poultry Business Unit for the generous donation of \$30,000 for the Bayer-Snoeyenbos New Investigator Award Fund. The goal this year is to raise money for the Kenneth Eskelund Preceptorship Fund.

Old Business

There was no old business

New Business

The 40th anniversary of AAAP will be next year. There will be a special celebration held at the AVMA/AAAP meeting in Reno. Please contact Dr. Eckroade with ideas for the celebration.

The 46th Western Poultry Disease Conference (WPDC) will be held in Sacramento on March 2-4, 1997. Please submit papers. ACPV will hold a hatchery workshop 1 day prior to WPDC.

There has been a student chapter of AAAP established at Auburn University.

The Southern Conference On Avian Diseases (SCAD) will be held with the Southern Poultry Science Society in Atlanta. This meeting will be held two days prior to the Southeastern Meeting.

The 4th International Symposium on Avian Influenza will be held May 28-31, 1997 in Athens, GA.

The North Central Avian Disease Conference (NCADC) will be held in Columbus, OH on September 29 - October 1, 1996. There will be a computer workshop held in conjunction with this meeting. NCADC has a homepage on the world wide web.

Dr. Lloyd Spencer reminded everyone that the next WVPA Congress will be held in Hungary. He also mentioned that he was pleased that AAAP would put in a bid to host the congress in 2001.

Dr. Saif thanked everyone for all of the help and support given and gave a special thank you to Past President Oscar Fletcher.

Dr. Saif passed the John Delaplaine gavel to Dr. Gregg Cutler.

Dr. Cutler thanked Dr. Saif and presented him with a Past President plaque.

A motion was carried to adjourn the meeting at 12:10 pm.

The refreshments for the 1996 avma/aaap meeting were provided through the generosity of the following companies

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The XV Panamerican Congress of Veterinary Sciences - will be held October 21-25, 1996 in the city of Campo Grando, Capital of the State of Mato Grosso do Sul, Brazil. For more information, please contact the PANVET organizing committee, Av. Afonso Pena, 2386 - Ed. Dolor de Andrade, 8 Andar, sala 84, Campo Grande, MS, Brazil 79002-074. Phone 55-67-724-7071; Fax 55-67-383-4371.

The American Association of Zoo Veterinarians - will hold their annual conference at the Sheraton Beaugarrvilla in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico from November 3-8, 1996. it will be hosted by the Guadalajara Zoo and co-hosted by the Asociacion de Parques Zoológicos, Criaderos y Acuarios de la Republica Mexicana. Workshops will be held on November 2 in Guadalajara at the Universidad Autonoma de Guadalajara Escuela de Biología. The Scientific Program chair is Dr. Peregrine Wolff (612-431-9361) and the workshop/wetlab chair is Dr. Bob Cook (718-220-7105).

46th Western Poultry Disease Conference - will be held March 1-

4, 1997 in Sacramento, California. The program will offer a useful mix of "cutting edge" and directly applicable practical information. ACPV will sponsor a hatchery workshop on March 1, 1997. For further information, contact Dr. Jim Andreasen at 515-292-0939 or Dr. Richard Chin by phone at 209-498-7740 or E-mail at rchin@cvdls.ucdavis.edu

North American Food Safety Educational Workshop - will be held March 10-12, 1997 at the Holiday Inn in College Park, Maryland. This conference will be of interest to professionals interested in food safety as it relates to grocery stores, convenience stores and food service establishments including commercial, institutional and military sectors. For more information contact Lisa Gordon, North Carolina State University by phone at 919-515-2956, by fax at 919-515-7124 or by E-mail at lisa@unity.ncsu.edu.

18th Annual Conference of the Mid-Atlantic States Association of Avian Veterinarians - will be held in Clinton, Maryland on April 27-29, 1997.

The 4th International Symposium on Avian Influenza - will be held at the Georgia Center for Continuing Education, The University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia on May 28-31, 1997. Invited oral presentations will cover pathobiology, virus reservoirs and ecology, molecular basis of virulence, molecular epidemiology, vaccines, phylogenetics, national

and international control strategies, industry emergency response plans, and updates on recent highly pathogenic avian influenza outbreaks. Information on conference registration and instructions for preparing posters and abstracts will be mailed in the second announcement in November 1996. Detailed information can be obtained by contacting Dr. D.E. Swayne, USDA-ARS, Southeast Poultry Research Laboratory, 953 College Station Road, Athens, GA 30605. Phone 706-546-3433. Fax 706-546-3161. E-mail dswayne@uga.cc.uga.edu.

The 3rd International Symposium on Salmonella - will be held in conjunction with the 1998 meeting of the AVMA in Baltimore, Maryland. The Symposium will focus on understanding the causes and consequences of the various disease and food safety problems associated with Salmonella, with a particular emphasis on developing practical strategies for controlling the incidence of Salmonella in poultry and poultry products. Both invited speakers and submitted poster presentations will be included in the program. The organizing committee welcomes suggestions from other AAAP members regarding how this symposium can be designed to most effectively serve the needs of the poultry industry and the research community. Please forward any such ideas to either Chuck Hofacre (fax 706-769-0132 or e-mail clhtkydoc@aol.com) or Richard Gast (fax 706-546-3161 or e-mail rgast@asrr.arsusda.gov).

The AVMA/AAAP Annual Meeting - will be held on July 20-24, 1997 in Reno, Nevada. The program will begin with the 40th anniversary celebration on Sunday, July 20 and be followed by the Tumor Virus Symposium on Monday and the platform presentations on Tuesday-Thursday. The Board of Directors will meet all day on Saturday and Sunday. The ACPV exam will be held on Sunday. AAAP is attempting to work out arrangements to hold all functions, including the scientific program in a single hotel. Anyone interested in submitting a paper or poster should contact Dr. Don Waldrip, Goldkist, Inc, PO Box 2210, Atlanta, GA 30301. Phone 770-393-5316. Fax 770-393-5584.

XIth Congress of the World Veterinary Poultry Association

Invitation

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, we take great pleasure in inviting you to participate in the XIth WVPA Congress. This is the first time that the Congress will have an East/Central European venue and we hope that you will be able to enjoy many of the interesting cultural and scenic aspects of our beautiful country.

We are planning a conference which will have a broad range of topics. It will include papers on scientific research as well as day to day practice. You can assist us in this planning process by completing and returning the reply card indicating your particular areas of interest or possible input. We would be grateful if this could be sent as soon as reasonably possible.

In conjunction with the Congress we will arrange an enjoyable social programme which will provide an opportunity to meet and interact with other participants. There will be trips available to places of interest before and after the conference. Full information will be made available in good time.

We hope to renew many friendships from previous conferences and make new ones in 1997.

The Scientific Programme

Papers will be given covering the topics listed below, as well as other topics suggested by input from participants. One of the major objectives of this Congress will be to "Bridge the Gaps". This means addressing the problems associated with the transfer of knowledge from the molecular biology research laboratory to the producer and the professional in the field. A second "gap" is the one between the technology and knowledge of the developed countries and that of areas which are struggling. The organizers will have this focus in mind when producing the final programme of scientific sessions and workshops. The organizers will call for oral or poster presentations on topics as listed below:

1. Structure and function of the avian immune system
2. Viral, bacterial, mycoplasmal and parasitic diseases of poultry
3. Epidemiology and diagnosis of avian disease in the age of molecular biology
4. Developments in vaccine research
5. Drugs and therapeutics for poultry

6. Poultry and food safety
7. Role of genetics in disease prevention
8. Poultry waste management, disinfection and disease control
9. Developmental, nutritional and metabolic diseases
10. Computers in poultry health and management
11. Trends in poultry research and education of poultry veterinarians
12. Role of biosecurity and management in disease control including welfare aspects

Hungary is well known for its hospitality, and Budapest with its marvellous location is considered by many as one of the most beautiful cities of the Danube river countries. The weather in Budapest in August is warm with a late summer temperature of 25 C, accompanied by occasional light showers. The opportunity will be offered to become acquainted with real "puszta" life and the landscape of Hortobagy National Park, Babolna, one of the biggest poultry breeding centres in Hungary, and other scenic spots by way of guided tours and excursions.

Participants, and those accompanying them, will be welcome at all events.

For more information or to submit a paper or poster, please contact:
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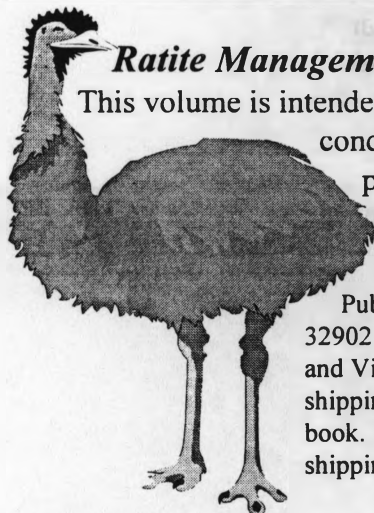
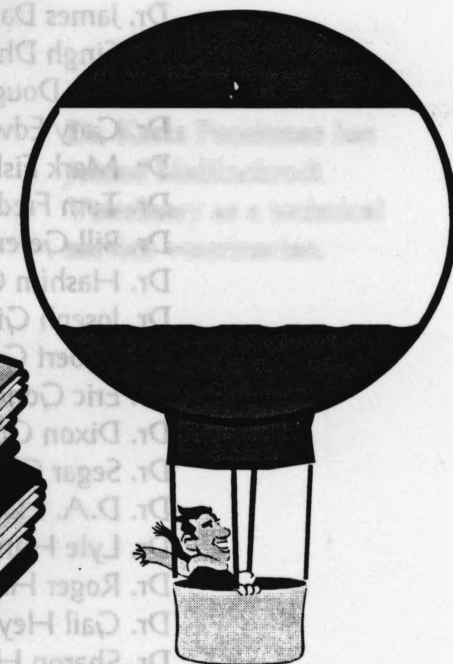
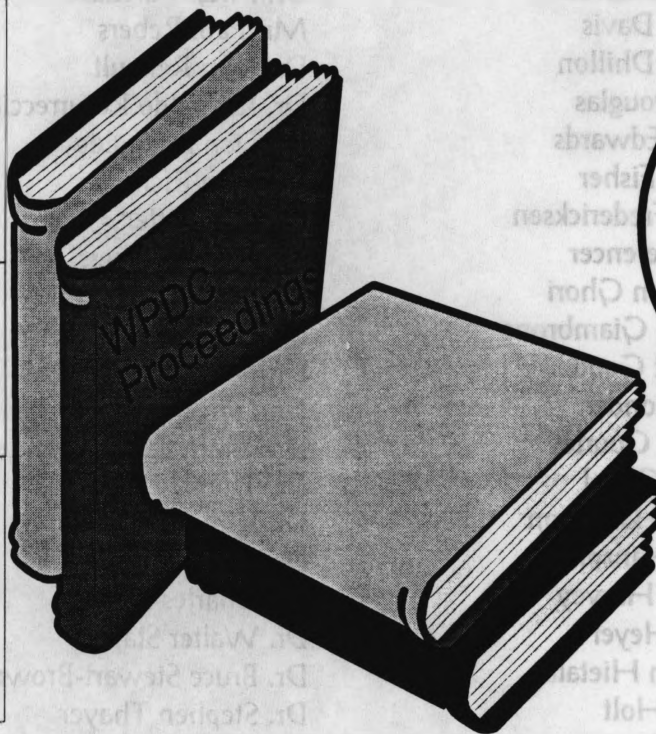
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More than a year has passed since a very special person was taken from us. The passing of David Bruce Snyder has left many with a mixture of great personal loss and a wish to somehow memorialize his life, enthusiasm, and significant contributions to avian medicine. Along with Dave's gifts to us in terms of friendship and energy, were his key contributions to poultry disease research and diagnostics. These include his discoveries of new strains of infectious bursal disease virus as well as his pivotal role in the development of ELISA-based flock profiling, a test system currently used in poultry laboratories worldwide.

In commemoration of Dave's contributions, we would like to establish an endowed memorial fund through the University of Maryland Foundation, Inc. to provide graduate student support for research and training in molecular epidemiology. Such a memorial would recognize, in perpetuity, Dave's devotion to his graduate students and to an area of investigation that was always very close to his heart. In order to establish such a fund, a substantial financial base is needed to operate a significant, continuing source of graduate student support. Accordingly, we have stretched and set the goal of \$10,000 for the establishment of this fund. Contributions to the endowment would be invested as fund principal, and the annual spendable income generated by the fund would be used to provide assistance to graduate students for years to come.

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AVAILABLE POSITIONS

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This is a high priority research program which utilizes a team oriented, multidisciplinary approach and involves a strong interface with the poultry industry. Specific objectives will be developed around the skills and interests of the successful candidate who will be expected to develop a focused, independent research program leading to an area of specialization complementary to that of other team members. The research is base-funded, but the incumbent may generate outside grant funds to augment the program.

The successful candidate will join an experienced team and have access to resources and expertise that should encourage his or her research productivity and professional growth.

The position requires a DVM or an equivalent degree and at least 1 year of professional veterinary research experience. United States citizenship is required. A PhD degree and/or equivalent professional veterinary research experience is required. The position requires a working knowledge of pathology, virology and immunology and the skills to apply such knowledge to research and problem solving. Some knowledge of contemporary molecular biology and genetics is desirable. A working knowledge of management and disease control systems currently utilized in the poultry industry is also desirable but candidates without poultry experience will be considered. The ability to plan and conduct long-range, integrated research programs, and to form productive collaborations with other scientists is also required. The selectee will also need to interact with industry personnel to insure that planned research addresses practical problems.

The salary is commensurate with experience (\$43,658 to \$67,491). The position has significant promotion potential. Interested persons should contact Dr. R.L. Witter, Avian Disease and Oncology Laboratory, 3606 East Mount Hope Road, East Lansing, MI 48823 for further information. Phone 517-337-6828. For information about application procedures call 517-337-6825. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT RECEIVE CONSIDERATION. Complete applications must be postmarked by October 1, 1996. USDA/ARS is an equal opportunity employer.

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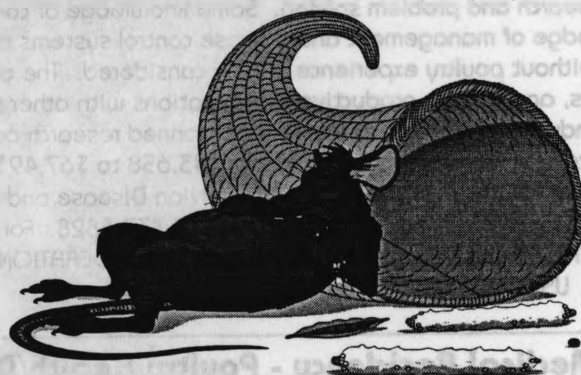
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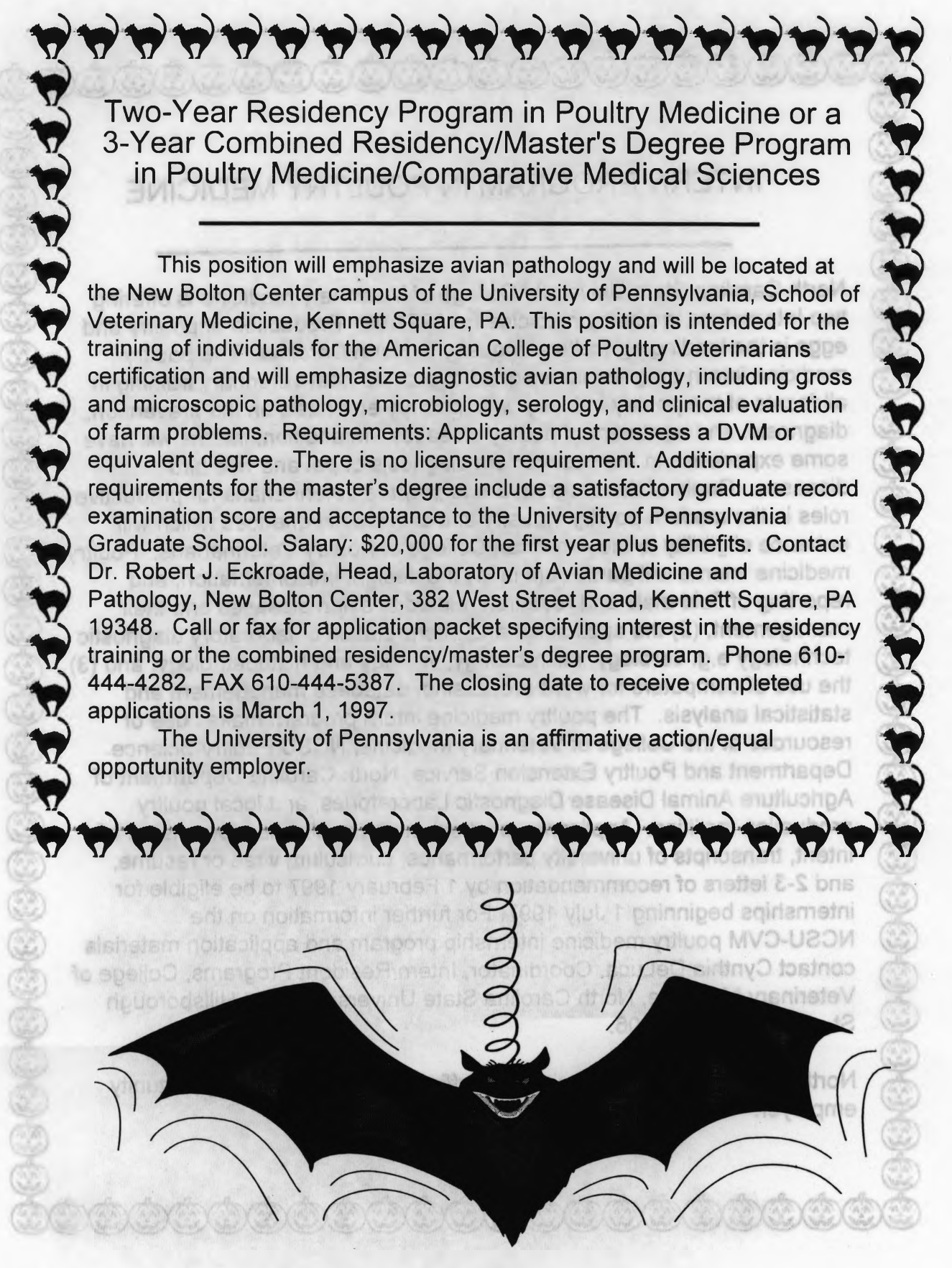
Veterinarian, DVM or equivalent, with advanced training in avian diseases, PhD degree in avian pathology or related field preferred. Board certification by the American College of Poultry Veterinarians and/or American College of Veterinary Pathologists is desired. The successful candidate will have demonstrated interest, aptitude, and capability in avian diagnostic disciplines (gross and microscopic pathology, bacteriology, virology, immunology, etc.) disease investigation and experience in diagnostic interpretation of test results are required. An understanding of poultry production practices, quality assurance, preharvest food safety and/or postharvest production practices required. Ability to effectively communicate with veterinarians and poultry producers through written and oral reports is required. The incumbent will have clinical and limited didactic teaching responsibilities to veterinary students, graduate students, and residents. Creative use of diagnostic case material is essential. The candidate will function as an avian diagnostician in a primarily poultry regional diagnostic laboratory in Fresno, California. Interaction with veterinarians and livestock and poultry producers is required. Emphasis will be placed on diagnosis of diseases affecting poultry and other avian species. Will provide consultation to veterinarians and poultry producers.

Applications will be accepted through November 15, 1996, or until a candidate is identified. Interested applicants should submit 1) a letter of intent outlining special interest in the position, overall related qualifications and experiences pertinent to the position, and career goals; 2) curriculum vitae; and 3) the names and addresses of three professional references to: Dr. Alex Ardans, Director, California Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory System, School of Veterinary Medicine, University of California, Davis, CA 95616. The University of California is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer.

POSITION WANTED

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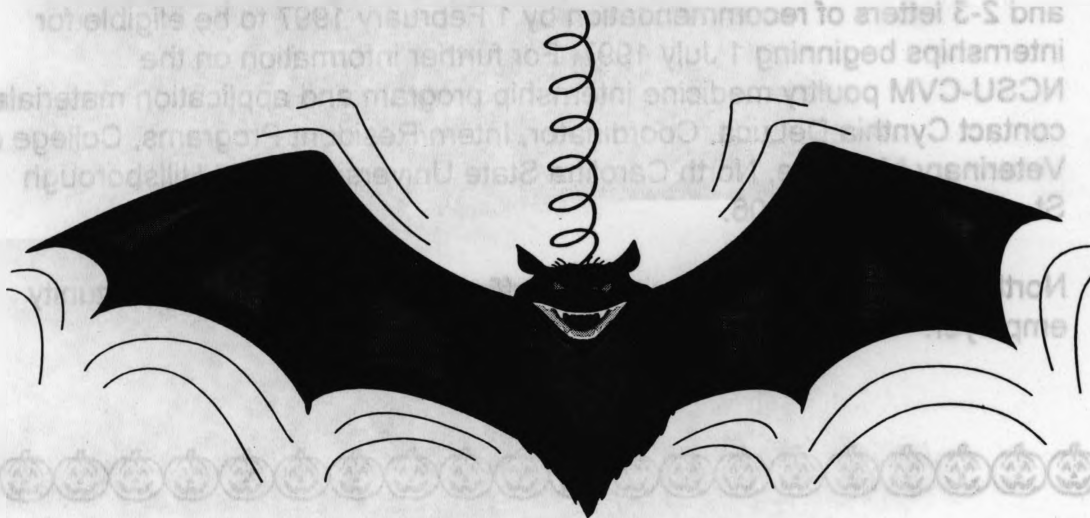


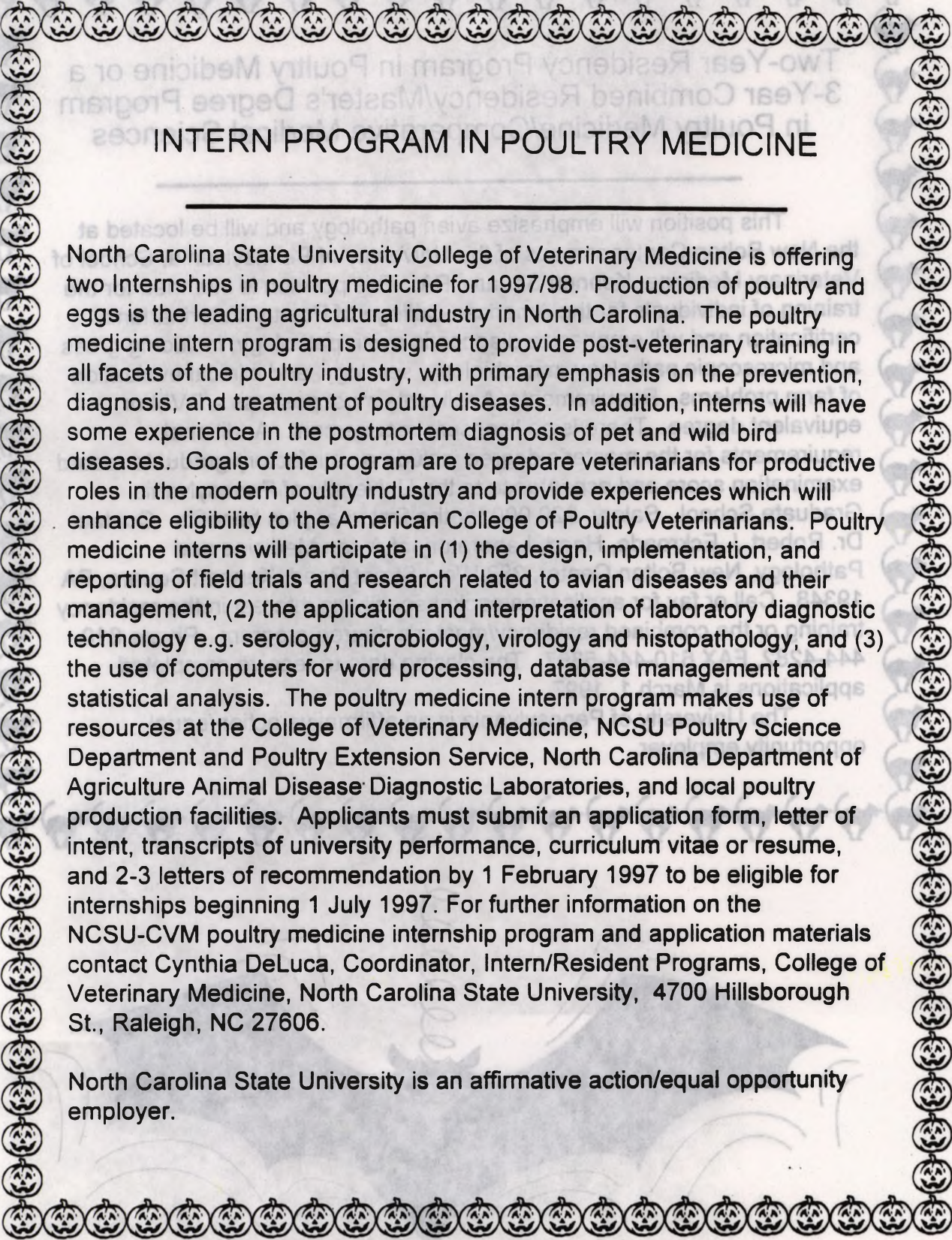


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