NMVMA Display and Members Present at the Roundhouse
Linda Locklar, DVM

Thursday, February 10, 2011 was clear, bright, and cold. It was also the day that NMVMA Executive Director Tamara Spooner was on the road early to set up and man the NMVMA display at the State Capitol Building. For several years NMVMA has had a display in the capitol rotunda for the purpose of making our presence known to both the public and the legislators. It was particularly important this year with several bills that directly affected the practice of veterinary medicine on the schedule for committee hearings and legislative action.

Joining Ms. Spooner were veterinarians Manny Garcia, T. “Murt” Byrne, Emily Walker, and Linda Locklar. The NMVMA “pop up” display with large bright colored photos of some of our members examining and working with animals of all sorts is always an attractive eye catching display and several contacts with interested public members and legislators were made.

About noon our NMVMA lobbyist, Joe Menapace, PhD. stopped by and invited all present to join him for lunch at a local nearby eatery. It was a wonderful time to get some of his knowledgeable insights on the bills we were concerned with, on how the legislative session was going, and what might be accomplished at the state capitol during this session.

In all, it was a very productive day for the public image of veterinarians in our state and for the NMVMA as the association speaking for the veterinary community.

2011 Legislative Wrap Up

The 2011 session has mercifully winded down. There are three bills that the legislative committee has been working.

HB341 This was to establish a rabies exemption or waiver.

The NMVMA decided it was not in the best interest of our profession or the public and we did oppose this legislation.

The Bill was heard by the Agriculture and Water Committee on Friday (2/25) and was tabled. We will wait and see when it will be re-scheduled.

There were NMVMA members on both sides of this debate. That is difficult for us as an association, but not uncommon. I think it is unlikely we get everyone always agreeing on any issue. The legislative committee and the presenters did a good job of stating their cases and respecting all opinions. The Ag and Water Committee had some problems with legal and administrative issues with this Bill.

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Hello friends and fellow New Mexico Veterinarians. The President’s Message column is an editorial column of the Roadrunner for which I assume personal responsibility. If you have great disagreement or sincere exception to what is said in this column may I remind you it does not necessarily represent the opinions or feelings of the NMVMA board members, either personally or collectively. It is my reflection on things happening in our state, in the veterinary community, and in our organization.

A very unfortunate situation has come up in which a licensed practicing veterinarian in our state received a demanding letter from a state board which had no authority over the veterinarian’s practice or decisions concerning his evaluation and recommendations in veterinary cases. The situation was made worse by coverage from the public news media before the appropriate boards or authorities could rule on the situation. I will not go into any more detail here because of pending actions, litigations, or legislations and in respect to the differing opinions of the NMVMA board members. I do, however, want to remind all of the veterinary community in the state of New Mexico to be sure your state license is up to date and in good standing, that your CE requirements are met, your facility license is current, that your DEA number, state board of pharmacy number, and records of purchase and use of controlled drugs are in order. It gives us a firm ground to stand on and to defend our actions in the practice of veterinary medicine, even when our actions based on education and case evaluation may not agree with some opinions. Keeping “all of our ducks in a row” has its own benefits and certainly makes life much easier for everyone.

It has been a very busy winter season for the New Mexico Veterinary Medical Association. I really wish to express my sincere gratitude to the individuals who have so unselfishly given of their time and talents for our association. There isn’t really any great compensation or... cont. on page 8

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Scott Pirtle, DVM
Elected as Southwest District Director

Dr. Scott Pirtle, a lifelong resident of Las Cruces, was elected as the NMVMA District Director replacing Dr. Rick Miller of Alamogordo. After attending NMSU, Dr. Pirtle received his Bachelors and a Doctorate of Veterinary Science from Colorado State University. After working for a year, in Silver City, upon graduation in 1986, Dr. Pirtle settled in Las Cruces. In 2003 he became the owner of Las Cruces Animal Hospital. Dr. Pirtle has two grown children and is an avid outdoorsman, enjoying hiking, mountain biking, and fishing.

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Rabies Vaccine Waivers in New Mexico:
Results of a Statewide Survey of New Mexico Veterinarians

Highlights:

• Between 1984 and 2010, 6 dogs and 10 cats were diagnosed with rabies in New Mexico

• Human exposures to rabid animals requiring post-exposure rabies prophylaxis can be costly (thousands of dollars per human exposure)

• In 1979, rabies vaccination became mandatory for dogs and cats in New Mexico over the age of three months; either the one year or three year vaccination protocol may be used based on the type of licensed vaccine administered

• A rabies waiver survey was designed and distributed to New Mexico veterinarians; the objective of the study was to characterize the opinions of veterinarians regarding rabies regulations and the use of rabies vaccine waivers in New Mexico

• The majority of respondents, 100 (91%), felt that rabies regulations were adequate; 10 (9%) felt the regulations were not adequate

• Forty-nine (45%) respondents were against rabies vaccine waivers, 41 (37%) were for waivers and 20 (18%) were undecided

Methods

A rabies waiver survey was designed in conjunction with New Mexico Veterinary Medical Association (NMVMA) and distributed to NM veterinarians through the NMVMA veterinary listserv. For those veterinarians unable to access the internet, a paper copy of the survey was available through the NMVMA office. The objective of the study was to characterize the opinions of NM veterinarians regarding the use of rabies vaccine waivers in NM. The survey consisted of questions about rabies vaccine regulations, implementation of rabies vaccine waivers, medical conditions that should be considered as a basis for vaccine waiver, number of animals recommended to receive waivers and waiver abuse. The survey also collected general information about survey respondents including the primary practice type (small animal, large animal, etc.), NMVMA membership status and county in which the veterinarian practiced. Veterinary respondents were also given the option to provide explanations for their responses in text boxes. Free-response answers were grouped into categories; only aggregate data is presented. The survey and descriptive analysis of responses were conducted using SurveyMonkey Pro Plan ©2010 and Microsoft Excel.

Results

The rabies waiver survey was opened on October 7, 2010 and closed November 15, 2010. One hundred and ten veterinarians responded to the survey; the response rate was approximately 37%. Cumulatively, respondents practiced in 23 of the 33 NM counties, three respondents practiced in all/numerous counties, but did not specifically list those counties.

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Many respondents practiced in either Bernalillo County (44) or Santa Fe County (29). Counties not listed among those that responded included: Chaves, Cibola, Colfax, Guadalupe, Harding, McKinley, Quay, Roosevelt, Taos and Union counties. The majority of respondents (86) listed small animal as their primary practice type. Other practice types listed included: eighteen veterinarians in mixed animal practice (small and large animal), four public practice, four exotic animal practice, two equine, two corporate and two academic. Some veterinarians identified more than one practice type. Eight veterinarians selected other types of practice including wildlife, shelter medicine, acupuncture, species-specific practices (e.g. feline exclusive) and specialty practice.

Respondents were asked if they felt that current rabies vaccine regulations were adequate. The majority of respondents, 100 (91%), felt that the regulations were adequate; 10 (9%) felt the regulations were not adequate. Forty-one (37%) respondents provided reasons why they felt the regulations were either adequate or inadequate. Reasons provided among those who felt the regulations were adequate included: decreased incidence of rabies and good protection among domestic animals as a result of vaccination with little risk, allowance of both one and three year vaccines in the regulations and no problems experienced with regulations. Reasons provided among those who felt the regulations were inadequate included: waivers not allowed in regulations, overvaccination and the belief that vaccination is not mandatory. Other concerns expressed included the belief that vaccination increases the incidence of tumor recurrence and there is a lack of regulation regarding how the vaccine is administered.

Veterinarians responding to the survey were asked if they were for or against the implementation of rabies vaccine waivers for dogs and cats in NM. Forty-nine (45%) respondents were against rabies vaccine waivers, 41 (37%) were for waivers and 20 (18%) were undecided. Respondents were provided the opportunity to explain why they were for, against, or undecided regarding rabies vaccine waivers (Table 1). These responses were examined and categorized; some responses fit in to more than one category. Seventy-six (69%) respondents provided explanations for their position on waivers; some respondents provided more than one answer. Of these, 23 veterinarians believed waivers were warranted for animals with certain medical conditions, 15 responded they were concerned about abuse or misuse of waivers, 10 cited concerns about waivers and the impact on public health, nine reported an experience with rabies vaccine (including reactions and protection against disease) that led them to be against or for waivers, respectively, eight have not needed waivers, eight listed having animals not at risk for rabies exposure, and seven listed animal age as a reason for waivers (Table 1). The majority of veterinarians surveyed had concerns about potential abuse of rabies vaccine waivers by veterinarians (69%) and owners (79%); although most veterinarians (67%) were not concerned about clients leaving their practice for another practice if they refused to provide a waiver. Five respondents reported they believe waivers should have some oversight or regulation to help prevent abuse or misuse.
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For the complete survey results, you may visit the NMVMA website or contact the NMVMA office.
Luna Speaks.....

“Woof, ahh, oops... I mean ‘Hello.’ I forgot I have to speak in human. Please allow me to introduce myself. My name is Luna. I’m an 8 year old outspoken female golden retriever. Cute too, if may be so self indulging.”

“Since I’m such an outspoken dog I wanted to recognize the veterinary professionals and their clinics in the NMVMA.” “It’s both a difficult and rewarding profession. And in today’s business climate, it’s shoe leather tough.”(Sorry, dog humor.)

“While everyone and their dog is trying to lower their office overhead to keep the short leash on costs and the P & L statement looking healthy, I have a suggestion to help both your practice and the NMVMA.”

(This is the point where I have to make the full disclosure that I have a financial stake in telling you this is the best business decision you'll make in 2011.)

“You see, the man who feeds me is in the merchant services business. In case you didn’t know, his credit card processing business is endorsed by the NMVMA. What that means for you is that he strives to save your practice money on your credit card processing and from the monies you’re paying someone else now, a percentage would be shared with the NMVMA.”

“I know that’s a lot to swallow in one bite, so let me chew on it for you. Save money. Lower your credit card processing costs. Help support the NMVMA from the fees you’re already paying to some out of state company. GRRRRRR!” (that’s my stranger alert growl.)

“You don’t call an #800 number and press 1 or 2 or 3. You call him direct for help to answer your questions. Trust me, I know when I have to wait for supper sometimes. He’s been in the business since 1997, long before I was born, so he’s pretty good at what he’s doing.”

“Well, I need to go outside now. Nature calls. If you want to know more (nod your head up and down here) call 505-660-8440 or 1-888-824-8440 if you’re outside too, of the 505 area code. Ask for my personal trainer, Nelson McCarty. He will ‘treat you’ right.”


Luna

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Meddleton Equine Seminar Well Attended by New Mexico Veterinarians

Linda Locklar, DVM

The first of what Mark Meddleton DVM, a NMVMA member and fellow practitioner, hopes to make an annual event, was held February 28, 2011 at his very modern equine facility located between Albuquerque and Santa Fe. Dr. Bill Rood and Dr. Vern Dryden of Rood and Riddle Veterinary Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky were the featured speakers. They presented a very informative seminar on Equine Podiatry and Equine Statistical Practice Management. Dr. Meddleton presented case studies of several equines using MRI technology to diagnose lower leg lameness. This new and useful technology may open several previously unusable avenues to facilitate diagnosis of lower leg pathology and injury to equine patients. Veterinarians attending the seminar were also treated to a tour of his facility and an explanation of some of the very modern technologies available.

A mini trade show of the most generous sponsors who carried much of the financial burden of the event was available for participants with some very good information and contacts to be made for the equine practitioner. It was particularly nice to see the equipment represented by many of these sponsors set up and ready to use in the Meddleton Hospital. The participation and generosity of these sponsors was appreciated by all attending.

The seminar also included a Mexican dinner with most excellent food being served. A wonderful dessert bar and snack table as well as hot and cold drinks were available thanks largely to the efforts of the staff of the Meddleton Hospital and the family of Dr. Meddleton who donated lots of hours and labor to make this event such a success. Participants were certainly well treated and their learning experience was also a delightful social opportunity to see and visit with colleagues.

The seminar was approved for 3 CE hours by the New Mexico Board of Veterinary Medicine and the quality and quantity of information presented was outstanding. Congratulations and appreciation is definitely in store for all who were a part of this very successful and high quality seminar presented for the New Mexico veterinary community. The equine veterinary community will definitely be looking forward to future seminars and events.
benefit to these folks except their service to the association and to the veterinary community at large in our state. So, as I continue with this issue’s message, if I have neglected to mention anyone specifically or to personally thank these individuals, please know that you do have my heartfelt appreciation.

The new Governor in Santa Fe, the legislature in full session, and several bills that were directly involved with the way we practice veterinary medicine has all come to mean a lot of time and travel has been the responsibility of our legislative committee members and our lobbyist. They have been most generous with their time and talents in representing our interests in committee meetings and at the roundhouse. I truly believe that things like our Rabies Letter to the legislators, the phone calls and personal contact made by our legislative committee, and the knowledge we helped to deliver to the committee of legislators was instrumental in the rabies waiver bill being tabled.

Legislative committee members and Dr. Joe Menapace have worked hard on the wording and the information on the other bills in the legislature. They have been very good to keep us up dated through their announcements on Vet List and personal calls. This has been a hard job and I certainly know the membership and myself appreciate your time and effort on our behalf.

Also I would like to thank all of you who have given time and effort to be present at our public relations events like Ag Fest and at the Capitol Rotunda. Public relations is very well served by a handshake and a smile from a real person. Thank you for your time and effort and know that NMVMA will be present at the state FFA convention and the 4 H state conference this summer.

True to our plan to use some of the money from AVA for student benefit and outreach, funds are being transferred to the endowment fund at CSU, KSU, and UNM. A small but active endowment will be established at CNM and San Juan College for their veterinary technician program. Student outreach/education is the priority of my term as president of this association and I personally wish to reassure the members of the former Albuquerque Veterinary Association that I will absolutely see that these funds for these programs are delivered to these endowments as promised and passed by the NMVMA board of directors.

Although the NMVMA is no longer putting on CE seminars in our state, one of our members, Dr. Mark Meddelton recently hosted a very fine CE seminar at his state of the art equine clinic. We are particularly grateful to all of the commercial sponsors who assisted with the financial obligation of this event and who were there with their products and information. In spite of difficulties with travel that necessitated rescheduling of the event once and this time set the start time for the event back about an hour, the speakers, Dr. Bill Rood and Dr. Vern Dryden, were very good speakers and presented excellent material. Dr. Meddleton had several case studies illustrating the use of MRI technology for lower leg lameness diagnosis that was particularly interesting and the tour of his facility was enjoyed by all.

As we go into the spring, a time that is traditionally very busy, I remind you to keep our annual awards for the veterinary community, the lay award for humanitarian endeavors, and the animals for the Pet Hall of Fame in your mind . The nominations will be coming up soon. Just keep the good people and the unique patients in your practice in mind for these awards.

Have a wonderful spring and early summer. I plan to spend some time in the Gila with my horses and pack animals. Happiness, peace, and prosperity be with you all.

Linda

Continuing Education Corner

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Sept. 29-Oct 2, 2011 Southwest Veterinary Symposium - San Antonio, TX - www.swvs.org
Lawrence D. Young, DVM, Elected for AVMA Position

The New Mexico Veterinary Medical Association (NMVMA) recently elected Lawrence D. Young, DVM, of Artesia, as Alternate Delegate to the American Veterinary Medical Association. Dr. Young will be serving a three year term representing New Mexico at the national level. Dr. Young is a 1998 graduate of Texas A & M, he is the current editor of the NMVMA newsletter, and is a past president of the NMVMA. In 2003, Dr. Young was named New Mexico Veterinarian of the Year. Dr. Young’s interests include first and foremost, his grandchildren, leather and woodwork and fly fishing.

Notables and Appreciation

Notables and Appreciation

Thank you to Robin Ashwood, DVM, Lynn Willard, DVM, Ulysses McElyea, DVM and Ray Loretto, DVM for their efforts during the legislative session.

We’d like to express our gratitude for Flint Taylor, DVM for allowing the NMVMA Board to use the VDS facility for board meetings.

Congratulations to Skip Prichard, DVM, who was recognized with the Distinguished Alumni Award from NMSU!

If you have any newsworthy items or announcements that you’d like to include in the Roadrunner, please contact the NMVMA office.

Welcome to New NMVMA Members
Sonya Swing, DVM
John McKee, DVM
Patricia Mazzolini, DVM
Bob Story, DVM

We apologize for any errors or admissions.

HB 319/SB348 This is the updated version of the Cruelty Bill

You may remember we have worked this bill over and decided that veterinarians were well enough protected. Nonetheless it isn’t the same as having the immunity we previously enjoyed. We did not oppose or endorse this legislation. This bill is working its way slowly through committees, we will continue to monitor.

HB 234 This Bill would extend the life of the Sheltering Board.

You may recall that Regulation and Licensing Department (RLD) is looking for ways to save money and has suggested that the Board of Veterinary Medicine and the Sheltering Board be combined. This has been a controversial issue with both boards. A task force has decided that there simply was not enough time to work out all options and problems and come up with solutions this session. The task force submitted legislation to extend the life of the Shelter Board for 2 years. This bill has made it through two committees, there is some fiscal impact (a bad thing in this session) so it had slowed. It has now passed the House.

T. Murt Byrne
Emily Walker
Manny Garcia

You may contact the NMVMA office if you have any questions, as the status of these bills may have changed.
NMVMA Allied Industry Members

We hope you will welcome our new allied industry members and think of them first when considering sources for veterinary products and services. This list can also be found on page 36 of the NMVMA Directory and at nmvma.org. If you have a potential allied member in mind please contact the NMVMA office or go to nmvma.org to download a brochure.

We welcome our newest members, Bill Quist of Veterinary Anesthesia Systems, James Leyder of Royal Canin, Rick McMaster of Financial Services of America and Maranda Haluska of AVMA PLIT!

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F. Lynn Willard, DVM
Chosen to Serve on SWVS Continuing Education Committee

F. Lynn Willard, a Kansas native, was born in Wichita, grew up on a ranch and attended high school in Madison. After graduation, he then matriculated at Kansas State University where he received his DVM degree in 1969. Following college he joined the United States Air Force and was stationed at Kirtland Air Force Base in the early 1970s. He joined the Webster Animal Hospital in Roswell and after two years, moved to Ruidoso and established the Ruidoso Animal Clinic in 1973.

In New Mexico, Dr. Willard has been involved in many organizations and activities. He has been the President of the New Mexico Veterinary Medical Association in 1979-1980 and President of the New Mexico Academy of Veterinary Practice in 1978-79 and 1982-83. He was the NMVMA Veterinarian of the Year in 1983. Dr. Willard was a speaker at the Western Veterinary Conference in 1987.

In Ruidoso, Dr. Willard has been a Municipal School Board member for 10 years and President of both the Ruidoso Lions Club and the Ruidoso Rotary Club. He was President of the Chamber of Commerce in 1976 and was elected Citizen of the Year for the Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce in 2001. He has a passion for Big Brothers and Big Sisters and has been President of the Lincoln County Big Brothers for several years and has been a Big Brother for over 10 years. In 2009, Dr. Willard was honored again by the Chamber of Commerce for his outstanding service to his clients and patients.

Dr. Willard has been President of the Eastern New Mexico University Ruidoso Branch for 5 years and recently was elected President of the ENMU Ruidoso Foundation.

After 38 years, Dr. Willard sold his 3 person practice in Ruidoso but continues to enjoy part time practice.

Dr. Willard was recently invited to be a representative of the South West Veterinary Symposium Continuing Education Committee and will serve a 3 year term. He continues to enjoy fly fishing, trail riding and various sport activities. He is married to his childhood sweetheart, Donna, and they have 3 grown children and 3 granddaughters.

The NMVMA would like to thank Michael Riegger, DVM, ABVP who has served on the SWVW Continuing Education Committee for the past 3 years.
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