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REQUEST FOR RESEARCH STUDIES

In an ongoing effort to document worldwide equine research efforts, the AAEP Foundation took the management reins of the Web site www.equineresearch.net in late 2004. The Foundation now requests all members affiliated with ongoing research to submit these studies for input on the Web site. This site is an online database of current equine research and is available to the public and scientific community. Web users can easily access projects via searches using key words, university names, specific funding sources or research teams. The Web site is a cooperative effort of the Grayson-Jockey

UPCOMING COLIC RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

8th International EQUINE COLIC SYMPOSIUM

Symposium August 3-5, 2005 in Quebec City, Canada, with the support of Boehringer Ingelheim. This is a forum where researchers and clinicians present and discuss the most recent findings on diseases of the equine acute abdomen including ileus, shock and laminitis. Formal scientific presentations will be followed by open discussions. Poster presentations will also be featured. Further information on how practitioners can attend will appear in the Focus Meeting/Practice Management Seminar registration kit, to be mailed to members in May.

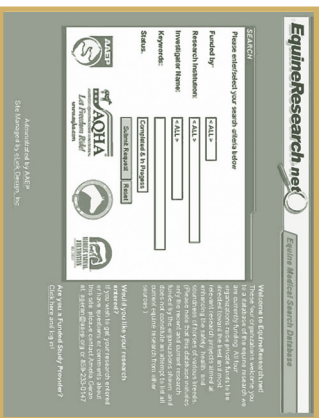
Club Research Foundation, the American Quarter Horse Foundation, the Morris Animal Foundation and the AAEP Foundation. Please contact Amelia Geran at ageran@aaep.org or (859) 233-0147 to arrange to have research studies added.

INVESTING IN THE FUTURE: AAEP FOUNDATION & ALSIC AWARD EIGHT SCHOLARSHIPS

Eight veterinary students have been selected to each receive \$2,500 scholarships from the American Live Stock Insurance Company (ALISIC) and the AAEP Foundation, Inc. The scholarships are presented annually to fourth-year veterinary students who plan to pursue a career in equine veterinary practice.

Veterinary students are nominated for the scholarships by their individual schools with supporting references from AAEP members and clinical instructors. In addition to academic excellence, recipients are evaluated on leadership ability and involvement in activities that benefit the health and welfare of the horse. Since the scholarships were first presented in 1989, nearly \$300,000 in financial assistance has been awarded.

- Congratulations to the 2004 scholarship recipients:
- ◆ Ms. Jill Clark
 - ◆ Mr. Brian Fitzgerald
 - ◆ Ms. Marie-Eve Fradette
 - ◆ Ms. Julia Gilkerson
 - ◆ Ms. Jessica Hoffman
 - ◆ Ms. Sarah Reuss
 - ◆ Mr. Charles F. Scoggin
 - ◆ Mr. Justin Uhrh



EquineResearch.net

FOUNDATION TO SPONSOR STUDENT DENTISTRY SHORT COURSES

In December 2004 the AAEP Foundation Board of Directors approved the Equine Dentistry Committee's recommendation to fund and conduct equine dental seminars for AAEP student chapters. The purpose is to stimulate interest in dentistry, particularly in first- and second-year veterinary students. These seminars will have two parts. The first is a one-hour general overview of equine dentistry, covering topics such as including more dentistry into a practice, the advantages of an exclusive dental practice, and recent improvements in technology and procedures. The second seminar is a two- to three-day basic dental course, instructed by AAEP member volunteers. Courses are being coordinated by the AAEP Equine Dentistry Committee Chair and AAEP Student Chapters.

CONVENTION WRAP-UP *Milne Lecture Proceedings*

Proceedings from the Foundation-sponsored Frank J. Milne State-of-the-Art Lecture are available in the 50th Annual Convention Proceedings book. The lecture was given by Dr. Peter Rossdale and focused on the maladjusted foal.

Committee Chair Recognized

AAEP Foundation Advisory Committee Chairman Nathaniel White, II, DVM, was presented with the 2004 Distinguished Service Award at the President's Luncheon during the Annual Convention. This award recognizes an individual who has provided exemplary service to the AAEP to the benefit of the horse, horse industry or the profession

of equine veterinary medicine. Congratulations, Dr. White!

Foundation Celebration

With the support of AAEP Educational Partner Fort Dodge Animal Health, the AAEP Foundation



Dr. Nat White receiving his award from 2004 AAEP President Dr. Larry Bramlage.

had its largest fundraising success to date. Thank you to all who helped raise over \$152,000 during the live and silent auctions at the 2004 Foundation Celebration. The following companies or individuals donated or purchased an item at the Celebration:

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Tennessee Walking Horse National Celebration

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The Franklin-Williams Company

The Hambletonian Society, Inc.

The Mexican Association of Equine Practitioners

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COMMITTEE MEMBER SERVICE

The AAEP Foundation, Inc. wishes to thank the following AAEP Foundation Advisory Committee members whose terms ended in 2004. Your service and dedication are greatly appreciated:

Dr. Janet Arlitt

Dr. Rick Arthur

Dr. Robert Hilsenroth

The Foundation welcomes the following new committee members:

Dr. Eleanor Green

Dr. Bobby Lewis

Dr. Eric Peterson

Dr. Julie Wilson

ONGOING GIVING PROGRAMS

Equine Memorial Program

Help comfort a friend or client through the emotional experience of losing an equine companion by making an Equine Memorial Contribution of \$25 or more to the AAEP Foundation. This is an easy, positive step that strengthens the reputation of your practice and enhances your relationship with clients while supporting the Foundation. By submitting the downloadable form or faxing your memorial contribution, the recipient will receive a memorial card from the AAEP announcing your gift in recognition of their loss. From the AAEP Foundation Web site (www.aaep.org/f_how_give.php) scroll down to Memorial Programs and select the online form or the printable form. Or, you can contact Pam Shook in

the AAEP office at (859) 233-0147 and request a fax or a mailed form.

“What Do I Owe You Doc?” Program

The next time you offer a complimentary service to a client, when they ask “What do I owe you, doc?” Simply ask them to consider making a donation to the AAEP Foundation instead. Your clients will know you are aligned with an organization dedicated to improving the health and welfare of their horses. More information about this program will be mailed later this year, or you may contact Amelia Geran at (859) 233-0147 or ageran@aaep.org.

PAST PRESIDENTS FUND

Thanks to the diligent efforts of one past president, the AAEP Foundation is proud to announce that the Past Presidents Fund has reached a total of over \$38,000. The Foundation appreciates this spirit of giving from our leaders, both past and present, who support our mission with their donations.



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