

Treasure Coast Veterinary Medical Association

August 2019

Dear Veterinarians, TCVMA Members, and Prospective Members,

The 2019-2020 season is fast approaching, and we welcome you to another year of scientific educational dinner presentations along with the fabulous buffet at the Pelican Yacht Club in Fort Pierce. TCVMA members can receive up to 2 hours of Florida CE credits (per attended meeting), as our organization is a Florida Board of Veterinary Medicine Provider (Number 0001694).

As always, our regular meetings will occur on the first Wednesday of selected months. This season's meetings are currently planned for September, October, November, February, March, April, May, and June.

All meetings begin with a social hour at 6:00 pm, where you can visit with our colleagues and our sponsors' representatives. The presentations begin at 7:00 pm, but plan to get there early so you can enjoy the incredible feast prepared by the Pelican's chefs. Normally these are 2 one hour presentations with a break somewhere around the middle of the talk.

Our first meeting will be the FL Board Pharmacy Requirement presented by Brooke Hutchison, Pharm.D of Skip's Pharmacy on Wednesday, September 4, 2019 sponsored by Haisley Pet Loss Services

The AERC and Skip's Pharmacy will be providing fun giveaways. These include a \$75 compounding coupon for Skip's Pharmacy and Sunrise Theatre memberships and premium seats to select Sunrise shows. Come join us for some great education, fine cuisine, and the company of your colleagues!

Dues for each member is only \$50 per SEASON, and the dues cover the **NEW season beginning on Wednesday, September 4, 2019** and extending until June 2020 (See *Membership Rules* enclosed). We invite you to join, or renew your membership with a check payable to TCVMA and mailed to TCVMA, c/o Animal Emergency and Referral Center, 3984 S. US Highway 1, Fort Pierce, FL 34982. Please complete and return the membership information form (enclosed), along with your check.

We will also be continuing to offer technician continuing education credits for the technician meetings as available. Your technicians will receive a certificate at the end of each attended meeting to submit for FVMA continuing education credits.

Sincerely,

Ronald Lyman, DVM, Diplomate ACVIM - TCVMA President
Cindy Wasserman, DVM, JD - TCVMA Vice President
Sara Mathews, DVM - Treasurer

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Membership Rules and Regulations 2019-2020

I. *Membership dues for 2019-2020 is \$50.00 per veterinarian.*

Make checks payable to: Treasure Coast Veterinary Medical Association and mail with a completed registration form to:

TCVMA

c/o Animal Emergency and Referral Center

3984 S. US Highway 1, Fort Pierce, FL 34982.

II. Veterinarians, visiting or new to the area, with or without interest in membership, may attend one Wednesday dinner meeting and pay for dinner at the meeting at the guest price of \$55.00.

III. Non-veterinarian guests, including family, staff members such as technicians, receptionists, managers, etc., must pay \$55.00 at the door to attend a Wednesday dinner meeting.

IV. There will be a free annual membership for the current officers, including President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary. Membership terms extend from the beginning of September through August of the following year. The current TCVMA President may bring (without charge, to each dinner meeting) up to three staff members to assist with checking in, dinner, speaker assistance, etc. Speakers are also provided with a free membership for the season.

V. There will be no prorating for partial year membership.

VI. Staff personnel from hospitals where a veterinarian is a paid TCVMA member, or a TCVMA officer, are eligible to attend technician meeting events, but must follow the protocol in paragraph III when attending a TCVMA Wednesday dinner meeting.

VII. The Pelican Yacht Club, while pleased to host our association, has asked us to abide by their dress code for the "Indian River Room." For men, acceptable attire includes dress pants, polo shirts, dress shirts, etc. You are not required to wear a jacket. For women, acceptable attire includes dress slacks, dress tops, suits, and dresses. Tank tops, T-shirts, and cut-offs will not be allowed into the clubhouse. PLEASE DO NOT WEAR SCRUBS!!

TCVMA MEMBERSHIP FORM

2019-2020 Season

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Clinic Name: _____

Address: _____

Work Phone #: _____

Cell Phone #: _____

Check here if you would like to receive a text reminder in advance about the TCVMA meeting.

Fax #: _____

E-mail Address: _____

How can we find you on Social Media (Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat, etc)?

License #: _____

Member Signature

By signing this, the TCVMA Member agrees that the TCVMA may provide our generous sponsors with TCVMA Member business contact information.