

February Update



Central Ontario

VETERINARY SERVICES

FAMILY DAY - FEBRUARY 18, 2019

Please note that the office will be closed on Family Day. One of our veterinarians will be on call for emergencies only while our staff enjoy a day with their families.

Equine Dental Month

In the world of veterinary medicine, February is “Dental Month”. We have had it engrained into us since childhood how important it is to brush our teeth and keep current with our dental health. It is just as important for our equine friends to receive regular dental care as well! For the month of February, Central Ontario Veterinary Services is once again offering a discount of 10% off dental services, including the call fee, routine dental float, and sedation. Please contact the office on 705-722-3232 or email info@centralontariovet.com to book your horse or a whole barn for dentistry with Dr Drew Hunnisett or Dr Rainee Stoddart. There is additional information about the promotion on our Facebook page “Central Ontario Veterinary Services” and more information about Equine Dentistry on our website, www.centralontariovet.com.



Bovine Clinical Skills Day

Wednesday February 27, 2019 at 10:00am

Have you ever had the veterinarian on farm, watched him or her perform procedures or do treatments, and thought to yourself, “I can do that”? Now is your chance! We have organized a bovine clinical skills day available to all our bovine clients where Dr Christie Ryan will go over common bovine procedures including injections, stomach tubing, dehorning with blocks, and calving to name a few. After the classroom session, there will be a hands-on component where we will put our skills into action on the cattle at Apto haven Farm in Springwater. There is no cost for the day and lunch will be provided. Please see associated flyer for all the information about the day.

There is also information on our website www.centralontariovet.com, our Facebook page “Central Ontario Veterinary Services”, or through the office on 705-722-3232 or info@centralontariovet.com. Deadline for registration is Monday, February 18, 2019, so don't delay.

Bull Breeding Soundness Exams

WINTER SPECIAL PROMOTION CONTINUED

An effective bull who can do his job of getting cows pregnant can be one of the most valuable tools a producer has on farm. As some producers have likely experienced, an ineffective or subfertile bull can cause substantial financial consequences, and even disrupt the calving season and interval for years to come. At Central Ontario Veterinary Services, we know the importance of ensuring a bull is up to the job prior to the breeding season, which is why we are offering our Bull Breeding Soundness Examinations at a discounted rate through the winter months. We'd like to encourage producers to test their bulls through the winter, much before the breeding season begins, so that if any problems are found we can address them well in advance of the time when Mr. Bull is needed to perform his duties. Please give the office a call at 705-722-3232 to set up your appointment with Dr. Christie Ryan. If you have any further questions about what a Bull Breeding Soundness Examination entails, please see last month's Beef Newsletter on our website www.centralontariovet.com under the “Resources” tab.