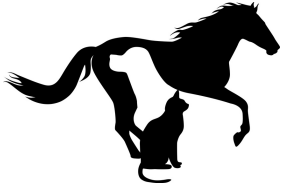
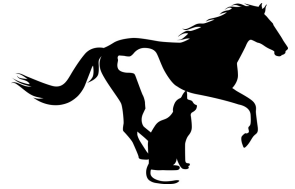


# VALLEY VETERINARY HOSPITAL & CASCADE EAST ANIMAL CLINIC



*Spring Equine Newsletter 2023*



## Equine Wellness Exams and Preventative Maintenance Package:

Let our doctors help keep your horse healthy and prevent problems!

- Annual Physical Exam: Checking all body systems from nose to tail
- Annual Dental Exam: Under sedation, we can help catch early periodontal disease, and float teeth to correct imbalances.
- Fecal Screening and Recommendation: We can help customize a parasite treatment plan.
- Nutrition and Body Condition Assessment: Annual weigh-ins are important as well as screening for metabolic conditions (Cushing's and Insulin resistance).
- Vaccinations: We tailor a vaccination plan based on your horses risks and lifestyle.

*We're happy to tell you that in 2023 we are back to a full barn staff! Equine Appointment wait times are much better now!*

## Large Animal Staffing:

- Dr. Mark Hayden (WSU, Class of 1998)
- Dr. Ben Rizor (WSU Class of 2002)
- Dr. Joan Fleming (WSU Class of 2007)
- Dr. Hannah Willett (UC Davis, Class of 2017)
- Dr. Emily Walzer (WSU Class of 2022)
- Carlee Houle, Licensed Veterinary Technician (YVC Class of 2022)



Carlee with Dolly, the mini donkey



Dr. Walzer floating teeth on mini horse, Lucky!

## Other Large Animal Species:

Several of our doctors are experienced in working on cattle, sheep, goats, llamas/alpacas, and pigs. We offer animal herd health consultation visits to discuss disease management, nutrition, and more!



## Open House:

We decided it was time again to have an Open House! Saturday, April 15th 2023 (1:00-3:00pm), we'll be hosting a meet and greet, clinic and boarding facility tour, lunch, and presentations/educational stations put together by our doctors and technicians!

### Equine Topics and Stations:

- Geriatric Equine Patients (Dr. Hayden)
- Equine Radiology (Carlee Houle LVT)
- Equine First Aid Basics
- Dentistry

### Small Animal Topics and Stations:

- Leptospirosis in Large and Small Animals (Dr. Willett)
- Nutrition (Kayla Jackson, LVT)
- Dentistry (Michelle Dimaggio, LVT)
- Feline Topics (Dr. Ritzenthaler)
- Rehabilitation: Laser and Message therapy (Jill Gallie, LVT)
- and MORE !!!

### Appointments Offered for Equine Patients:

- Wellness Exams and Vaccine appointments
- Emergency Appointments: Colic, choke, illness, eyes, injury
- Dentistry: Maintenance floating and equilibration, extractions, and more!
- Reproduction: Mare breeding soundness, uterine culture, biopsy, and flushing, artificial insemination, and ultrasound
- Lameness Exam, Radiology, and Ultrasound
- Endoscopy: fiber optic scope that passes into the stomach, to check for gastric ulcers, respiratory exams, and other abnormalities!
- Surgery: Castrations, growth removals, and laceration repairs (We have a full indoor surgical suite!)



### Social Media:



Meet Spots! Our Mascot for "Horse in the Hospital"

Keep an eye out on for our "Horse in the Hospital" piece starting soon! It'll guarantee quality information of behind the scenes in the hospital, and a few good laughs!

Facebook and Instagram:

[www.facebook.com/valleyvetandcascadeeast](https://www.facebook.com/valleyvetandcascadeeast)

Instagram: @valleyvetcascadeeast

**Thank you!**

To all of you who have trusted Valley Veterinary Hospital & Cascade East Animal Clinic for your veterinary care! We are so excited to spend this spring seeing everyone's faces again. Stay safe and enjoy the sun!

