Student Chapter Progress Report – Guidelines

Complete this form and email to the Student Representative on Council, Catharina Vendl (Catharinavendl@gmail.com), before April 30th 2018. This report will be made available on the WDA website, thus it is also your chapter’s business card.

To be entered in the drawing for cash prices (3 x $100 prices will be given out):

1) Send your report in on time: deadline April 30th 2018
2) Complete your report according to the guidelines below
3) Make sure to list the current officers and their details in this report.
4) If possible, please attach a group shot of the current chapter officers for 2018 to be added to the website.
5) Be aware that the quality of your report will be considered as one of the criteria for the student chapter grant.
Student Chapter Progress Report

Chapter Name: Oregon State University Carlson College of Veterinary Medicine student chapter of the Wildlife Disease Association

Established in (if known): 2010

Mission: Our mission, as the OSU CCVM Student Chapter of the WDA, is to increase awareness of emerging diseases and the need for wildlife health professionals by encouraging participation in research, collaboration, and education.

Number of chapter members: 52

Number of chapter members that are WDA members: 3

Faculty Advisor
Name: Dr. Robert Bildfell, DVM DACVP
Position: Associate Professor OSU CVM
Email: rob.bildfell@oregonstate.edu

Current board members
Please include country of the officers when your chapter represents multiple countries. Also, please include country representatives here (this only applies to regional, not university-based chapters).

President:
Name: Katie Royer
Email: royern@oregonstate.edu
Vice President
Name: Position not filled
Email address:

Other Officers (e.g. treasurer, secretary etc.)
Incl. position, name and email address

Treasurer:
Name: Marci Witczak
Email: witczakm@oregonstate.edu

How frequently does your chapter hold elections? Annually

Board members 2018-2019
If nothing changes, please report this. If changes are scheduled for later in 2018, please provide the planned time frame for board and/or country representative changes. Always make sure to update the Student Representative on Officer changes!

President:
Name: Emily Jaeger
Email: jaegere@oregonstate.edu

Vice President
Name: Position not filled
Email address:

Other Officers
Incl. position, name and email address

Treasurer:
Name: Marci Witczak
Email: witczakm@oregonstate.edu
Description of Chapter Activities

PR & Fundraising

PR:

Online presence: none
- Chapter website (if applicable):
- Chapter facebook page (if applicable):
- Other chapter online or social media presence (i.e. youtube, twitter):
- Does your chapter have a newsletter?

Member recruitment & Club outreach

- How does your chapter announce and advertises your events?
  - *Events are announced through the member listserv and college-wide listservs*

Collaboration:

- Which other groups does your chapter collaborate with?
  - *Our student chapter of the Wildlife Disease Association is a sub-club within our school’s Zoo, Wildlife, and Exotic Medicine club.*
- If your chapter collaborates, what does the chapter do together with the other organization?
  - *Events are co-hosted and co-planned*

WDA-representation:

- How did your chapter promote the WDA? (i.e. hand-out WDA flyers, announced at meetings what WDA mission is and how to become a member, coordinated travel to the WDA conference)
- *Student chapter of the WDA promoted by announcement at introductory co-meeting with the Zoo, Wildlife, and Exotic Medicine Club*
Fundraising:
- Does your chapter have a membership fee, if so what are the fees? No
- Did your chapter host a fundraiser (i.e. cookie sale, gear sale)? No
- Did your chapter apply for grants and awards (i.e. WDA student chapter grants, university support)?
  - Our student chapter did not apply for grants or awards for the 2017-2018 school year, however we are applying for a grant for the 2018-2019 school year to support the Zoo, Wildlife, and Exotic Medicine Symposium.
- Any other way the chapter’s financially health is maintained (i.e. sponsorships)?
  - No

EVENTS
Please share the activities your chapter organized or co-organized between April 30th 2017 and April 30th 2018. It is ok to overlap if you mentioned some of the events above. In addition, if you have exciting end of semester / summer plans please share those too. We love to know how you keep members engaged when school is not in session.

2. **Lunch talk discussing summer opportunities in wildlife disease and zoo and exotic medicine (1/16/2018):** Corvallis, OR. Six students presented on previous summer experiences such as workshops, classes, research, and externships relevant to club interest. Approximately 30 students attended. This event was co-hosted with the Zoo, Wildlife, and Exotics club and the Aquatics club.

3. **The Zoo, Exotics, and Wildlife club Symposium at Washington State University (4/7-8/2018):** Pullman, WA. Students attended the biennial conference in Pullman, WA. OSU and WSU alternate hosting the ZEW/ZWE Symposium ever year and OSU will host next year in 2019.

4. **Field trip to the Portland Audubon Society (3/3/2018):** Portland, OR. Visited the wildlife care and rehabilitation center where over 3,000 animals are rehabilitated annually. Thirteen students attended.
5. **Upcoming events:**
   a. Lunch talk with veterinary student who serves as the Animal Care Director at a local wildlife rehabilitation center
   b. Bird Bandaging and necropsy lab

**(Bi)Annual events (if applicable):**
Please provide a brief description of the activity, include at least the date(s), speaker/host/goal and approximate attendance. If you have pictures, please include them.
- Symposium?
- Public outreach events?
- Field trips?
- Workshops?

**Weekly or monthly events (if applicable):**
Please provide a brief description of the activity, include at least the date(s), speaker/host/goal and approximate attendance. If you have pictures, please include them.
- Seminars?
- Paper discussions?
- Volunteer events?
- Webinars?

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**
Please share anything else you would like to share about your chapter.

*Oregon State will host the biennial Zoo, Wildlife, and Exotics Medicine Symposium in 2019.*

If you received a Student Chapter Grant in 2017, don’t forget to submit a Financial Report before April 30th!