Registration Information

Course fees: \$750 (U.S. funds only). Registration includes conference instruction, continental breakfast, refreshments, lunch and course proceedings. Course registration must be received by February 18, 2011. Registration is open on a first-come, first-served basis and may close prior to February 18, 2011 if the course is filled.

You may cancel your conference registration at any time prior to February 18, 2011, and receive an 80 percent refund of the course fee. There will be no refunds for cancellations received after February 18, 2011. There are no refunds for no shows. If the course is cancelled, you will receive a full refund.

For further information or to register, please see our web site at vetmedce.osu.edu or contact:

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Course Description

This course is a lecture/laboratory experience with the objective of providing in depth exposure to common rear limb instability problems veterinary practitioners experience in daily practice. Topics such as cranial cruciate ligament injury, meniscal injury, patella luxation, collateral ligament injury, pre-emptive pain management and rehabilitation will be addressed. Clinical findings, diagnostic and treatment methods will be discussed using a case based format for each topic.

This course will cover the recommended isometric sites for suture placement. There are two suture placement sites recommended for reconstruction of the CCL deficient stifle joint. The site adjacent to the femoral fabellar ligament (F1) to the region of the caudal wall of the long digital extensor groove (T3) is one site. The second site is located at the caudoventral lateral femoral condyle at the level of the distal pole of the fabella (F2); the tibial site is the T3 site as described above. The graph below is a plot of the change in distance between points of attachment.

Accommodation Information

Holiday Inn Express & Suites 3045 Olentangy River Road Columbus, Ohio 43202 (614) 447-1212 www.stayholidayosu.com \$139 rate (plus tax, provides breakfast and campus transportation) Group Code: Vet Med CE 0305



Anchors Joint Stability Conference

For Veterinarians and Technicians

March 5, 2011

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8 CE Hours





College of Veterinary Medicine

Saturday, March 5, 2011

- 8:00 AM Registration / Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 Welcome & Introduction
- 8:40 Regional and Functional Anatomy of the Stifle Joint (Surgical exposure & examination of intra-articular structures)
- 9:00 The Meniscus: Anatomy, Injury, Treatment, Release
- 9:30 Bone Anchors & Suture Material for Ligament Reconstruction
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 EA Stabilization: Isometric Points, Anchor Placement
- 10:50 Patella Luxation: Diagnosis and Treatment
- 11:15 LAB 1 Suture Anchors Plastic Bones:
 Placement of suture anchors at the isometric points on the femur and tibia.

11:45 PM Lunch

- 12:30 LAB 2: Lateral Approach to Stifle Joint:

 Examination and identification of intraarticular structures. Probing and
 identification of medial meniscal tear;
 excision of bucket handle tear, medial
 release.
- 1:30 LAB 3: Stabilization of the CrCL using Suture Anchors at the Isometric Position.
- 2:30 Break
- 2:45 LAB 4: Medial Patellar Luxation Repair: Wedge/block recession, tibial crest transposition, medial release.
- 3:45 LAB 5: MCL Repair of Tarsus or Stabilization of the CrCL using Suture Anchors at the Isometric Position
- 5:15 Adjourn Certificates & Course Evaluations

Course Objectives

- Describe normal regional and applied anatomy of the canine stifle joint
- Discuss pathologic mechanisms associated with cranial cruciate ligament injury (CCL)
- List methods facilitating early diagnosis of the CCL deficient stifle joint
- Discuss methods and drugs used for pre-emptive and peri-operative pain for stifle joint surgery
- Perform a lateral parapatellar arthrotomy
- Systematically inspect the lateral and medial compartments of the stifle joint
- Perform a partial medial meniscectomy and meniscal release
- Describe location of isometric points for extraarticular stabilization of the CCL deficient stifle joint
- Apply suture anchors for stabilization of collateral ligament injury of the stifle
- Perform a block recession or a wedge recession for stabilization of a luxation patella
- Perform a tibial crest transposition for treatment of a luxation patella
- Perform a medial release as component of the treatment for medially luxating patella in the dog
- Apply suture anchors for stabilization of collateral ligament injury of the tarsus
- Describe and perform rehabilitation modalities to facilitate optimal outcome following joint surgery for rear limb injury

Speakers

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Texas A&M University

Registration Form

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