



2024 SBCV FELINE AND CANINE DENTAL WET LABS

SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2024, AND SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2024
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SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2024

Feline Dental Wet Lab: Extractions in the Cat (7 CE hours - this is an all-day wet lab)

8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Lecture 3.5 hours

- Oral Exam
- Cat Radiographic Interpretation
- Extraction Instruments
- Dental Blocks

Wet Lab 3.5 hours

Each participant will receive their own cadaver specimen to work on.

Learning Objectives:

1. Plan extractions and choose instruments based on tooth shape, age of animal, and tooth location in jaw.
2. Practice the creation of successful mucoperiosteal flaps and caudal cheek teeth, including periosteal releasing incision technique.
3. Section different multi-rooted teeth and choose the appropriate instruments and burs to facilitate surgical extractions.

Participants may work at their own level and speed.

SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2024

Level One Canine Dental Wet Lab: Extractions in the Dog (4 CE hours - this is a half-day wet lab)

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Each participant will have their own cadaver specimen to work on.

Learning Objectives:

1. Identify and use appropriate surgical instruments and burs to facilitate extractions.
2. Create mucoperiosteal flaps and practice releasing tension.
3. Section a multi-rooted tooth and use luxators and burs to facilitate surgical extractions.

There will be a short lecture at the beginning of the lab covering choice and use of extraction instruments and dental blocks in the dog.

Level Two Canine Dental Wet Lab: Extractions in the Dog (4 CE hours - this is a half-day wet lab)

1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Each participant will have their own cadaver specimen to work on.

Learning Objectives:

1. Plan extractions and choose instruments based on tooth shape, age of animal, and tooth location in the jaw.
2. Create mucoperiosteal flaps and caudal cheek teeth, including periosteal releasing incision technique.
3. Section different multi-rooted teeth and choose appropriate instruments and burs to facilitate their extraction; includes discussion on retrieval of root tips.

There will be a short lecture at the beginning of the lab covering extraction techniques in difficult cases including

- Brachycephalics
- Small dogs
- Management of ankylosis
- Extraction of mandibular canine teeth

In both sessions, participants may work at their own speed.

PLEASE NOTE:

Level One Canine Dental Wet Lab is for beginners or those wanting extra practice time. Level One or its equivalent is a prerequisite for the afternoon's Level Two. Level Two Canine Dental Wet Lab is for those with advanced skills and confidence.

INSTRUCTORS



CANDACE LOWE, DVM, MVetSc, DAVDC

Dr. Candace Lowe received her veterinary degree from the Western College of Veterinary Medicine (WCVN) in 2005. Following graduation, she worked as a clinical associate in radiation oncology at the WCVN Veterinary Medical Centre. In 2008, Dr. Lowe began a residency in veterinary dentistry combined with a Master of Veterinary Science, completing both in July 2011. She joined the WCVN Department of Small Animal Clinical Sciences as an assistant professor in September 2011 and now operates the veterinary dentistry clinical service at WCVN Veterinary Medical Centre. Dr. Lowe is a board-certified specialist with the American Veterinary Dental College (AVDC).



SUSAN MCTAGGART, DVM, FAVD

Dr. Sue McTaggart attained her Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Zoology from the University of British Columbia and worked as a wildlife biologist on Vancouver Island for a year before acquiring her DVM degree from Western College of Veterinary Medicine (WCVN). She attained her Academy of Veterinary Dentistry degree in 2011 and went on to operate a dental referral practice in southern Vancouver Island. She has taught dental wet labs and lectured throughout the country for CVMA, WCVN, Veterinary Dental Forum, European Veterinary Dental Conference, as well as in her local area. For the past five years, she has operated the first CBCT in Canada, which has opened many new diagnostic and treatment doors. She has presented several webinars on the use of the CBCT for dentistry as well as for ophthalmology, oncology, and otology. Dr. McTaggart enjoys her other job as the copy editor for the International Journal of Veterinary Dentistry.



OLIVIA SAUNDERS, BVM&S, MRCVS, AVDC (Resident)

Dr. Olivia Saunders grew up in southern Ontario, riding and working with show horses as well as working in local small animal veterinary hospitals prior to moving to Scotland to complete veterinary school at the University of Edinburgh. She worked in emergency and general practice, then focused on dentistry in England before returning home to Canada to complete a rotating internship in Medicine & Surgery at Western College of Veterinary Medicine. Then she moved to beautiful British Columbia and began formal residency training at West Coast Veterinary Dental Services, which she is scheduled to complete in December 2023. She is now in the process of completing final examinations to become a board-certified Veterinary Dentist. Whilst she enjoys all aspects of veterinary dentistry, her specific interests include endodontics, prosthodontics, fracture fixation, and especially treating working canines. When not working, she is almost certainly camping and adventuring in BC waters, paddling, kayaking, or skiing (alpine and cross-country skijoring) with her canine co-pilot, Moose, the Hungarian Vizsla.

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