



GVSU PRE-VET CLUB

The latest news and updates from tonight's meeting!

GVSU Pre-Vet Club Website: <http://gvsuprevet.weebly.com/>

UPCOMING EVENTS/IMPORTANT DATES

WILDLIFE REHAB VOLUNTEER

TRIP:

November 9th 10:00am

CRASH'S LANDING VOLUNTEER

TRIP:

November 23rd 1pm



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<https://www.campuscauses.com/teams/80424-gvsu-pre-vet-club>

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\$8 per bracelet

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Zoo Medicine

by : Emily Hogg

GVSU Pre-Vet Club Secretary

At this week's meeting, we heard from Dr. Colburn, a veterinarian from John Ball Zoo. He told us about some of the responsibilities of a zoo veterinarian, as well as some of the cases he's worked on at the zoo. If you missed this meeting, notes on Dr. Colburn's presentation will be sent out. I encourage anyone who is interested in zoo medicine to take a look! Even if you aren't particularly interested in this field, there is some interesting information that I hope you take the time to read through!

Next Meeting: November 4th KHS Room 1113

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HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS FOR DOGS

You've planned your costume, bought candy, and already watched your favorite scary movie (twice) – needless to say, you're ready for Halloween! Or are you?

When **October 31** rolls around again, pet parents need to remember that this can be a confusing and potentially dangerous time for their furry friends. Thankfully, keeping your pet happy and safe doesn't have to be too tricky.



Don't Force a Costume: While you may think your pup looks adorable in it, some dogs don't like getting dressed up. Not only can a costume hurt your pup, it can also cause them to feel anxious and confused if they don't like wearing clothes.



Decorate Safely: A lit jack-o-lantern looks paw-some, but it's a fire hazard if your pup bumps into it. Curious dogs can also get caught in fake cobwebs and other low hanging decorations, so it's best to abide by a "less is more" mentality when it comes to decorating.



Make Sure Your Pup is Easily Identifiable: The excitement of Halloween can make it easy for your pup to get lost or run away so make sure they have a collar on with their name, your address, and phone number on it.

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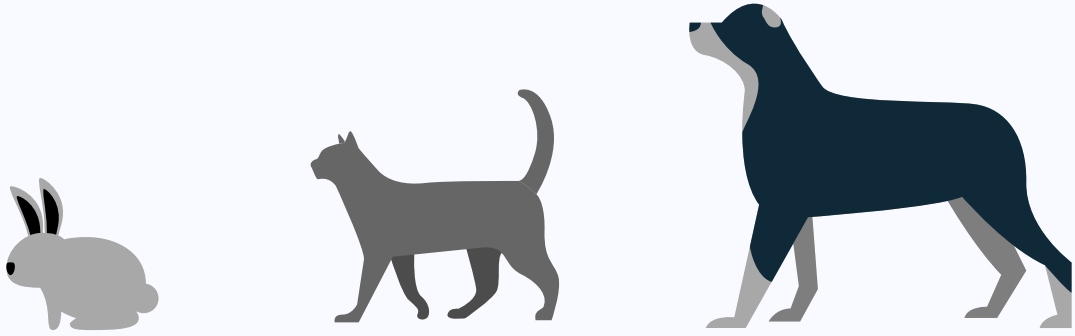
Campus Causes is a fun and easy way to help the club earn money. All you have to do is shop at your favorite online stores and ask your family and friends to do so as well! Every purchase earns cash back for the club!

Please Visit:

<https://www.campuscauses.com/teams/80424-gvsu-pre-vet-club>

We also receive direct donations through the link above. The more money we raise, the more fun things we get to do as a club!

West Michigan Regional APVMA Symposium



The annual West Michigan Regional APVMA Symposium will be held at Hope College on Saturday, November 16th 2019 from 8:30am-3:30pm. Registration opened on October 1st and tickets are \$60. This is a wonderful opportunity to explore the Veterinary Medicine field through lectures and hands-on labs, as well as connect with professionals and other students in the midwest!



2020 APVMA National Symposium

Hosted by Virginia-Maryland

The 2020 APVMA National Symposium will be hosted by Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine on February 28th and 29th 2020. This trip allows you to attend lectures, participate in wet labs, and meet other Pre-Vet students from around the country, and from other countries as well! A registration date will be posted soon, and reminders will be given as the date approaches.

Registration will be ~\$140, but the club will help cover some of that expense. If you're interested in going, payment due dates to the club are as follows:

- 1st payment: October 28th - \$50
- 2nd payment: January 13th - \$25
- 3rd payment: January 27th - \$25