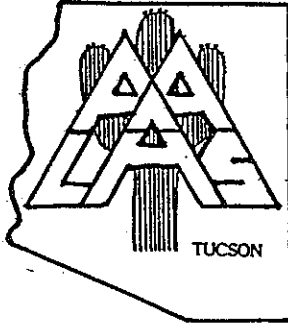


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ARIZONA BRANCH NEWSLETTER LOCAL CHAPTER OF THE "AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR LABORATORY ANIMAL SCIENCE"

March 1994

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A FAREWELL MESSAGE FROM THE PAST PRESIDENT

This past year has been one filled with many changes for the National AALAS organization. There is a new executive director who has many years of experience with this type of organization and an abundance of new ideas to help AALAS deal with its growing pains. The fees (dues) and memberships have been restructured to encourage more national memberships by being more affordable. The certification exams have been totally revamped so they are a professional testing service. The national bylaws are in the process of being re-written to reflect all these changes. It has been exciting for me to be president of the local branch and on the board of the national organization while AALAS has undergone these changes.

The Arizona branch has also had some exciting changes. 1994 will be the first time the Annual fall Symposium will be held outside of Tucson. Going to the pines of Flagstaff will be a nice change from the cactus of Tucson. It is great to know that the membership has increased so significantly up north that they are able to host the symposium.

Several meetings were held during the year featuring excellent speakers and once again the Fall Symposium and Annual Dinner was a success. Involvement is what made this past year good. More member involvement will make next year fantastic! Continue to support AALAS this year as you have in the past and thank you for supporting me as president.

Casey Kilcullen-Steiner

WELCOME FROM THE INCOMING PRESIDENT

I have several goals in mind for AZAALAS as I assume the presidency. I would like to encourage the Board, the committees, and the members to work with me in trying to generate more enthusiasm for the group in general by making any necessary changes to keep up with the times. Hopefully this can be accomplished by getting more people active in the organization and the committees and by giving the committees the flexibility they need to keep up with the organization's current and future needs and wants. Along these lines I will be encouraging the education committee to be creative in their planning to ensure that programs appeal to all

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members. I will be helping them to make sure that we have an educational and fun filled meeting. I will also be working diligently with the board as they tackle some very difficult and important issues over the next year including plans for the 1996 District 8 meeting which we will be hosting. I encourage members to feel free to contact me to discuss any thoughts or concerns anyone may have throughout the year.

I would like to encourage others out there to take the initiative to come to meetings and be active in the organization as I did, and I am sure that you will reap rewards as I have. At the same time, I would like to encourage everyone to make new members feel welcome as you have done for me in the past so AZAALAS can continue to be a thriving organization in the future!

I look forward to working with all of you in '94!

Tim Martin

GENERAL MEETING SUMMARY

The meeting was held at the College of Medicine in Room 1119BC on February 14, 1994. President Tim Martin called the meeting to order at 12:10 p.m. Tim announced the members of the board.

Grace went over our financial accounts. We have about \$5000.00 in various accounts.

This year's Fall Symposium will be held in Flagstaff, September 30 and October 1, at the Little America Hotel. Room rates are \$58.00 dollars single occupancy, \$68.00 double occupancy, and \$10.00 for an additional person. A call for papers and registration information is included in the newsletter.

Cheryl discussed the major changes in the AALAS National Testing Application. AALAS has decided to use a testing service, PES. The test can be taken any time in Phoenix. Results will be given immediately after you take the test

once the first 100 pilot tests have been completed. The costs of the test have been increased to cover the cost of the new testing service and the initial set-up costs.

Fees must be sent with your application. If PES finds your application incomplete it will be returned. Resubmitted applications will require an additional processing fee of \$20.00. No fees will be refunded after an application has been processed for AALAS by PES.

Tim wants to expand our local branch of AALAS by getting more people interested in it. Since AALAS was formed to be an educational organization, he asked for volunteers to be on an Education and Training Committee. Jane Criswell, Beth Skovan, Cheryl Johnson, Karen Blohm and Tim Martin volunteered. The committee will examine the feasibility of offering wet labs and improving attendance at the general meetings.

National Membership dues through University Animal Care had to be given to Mark Barton by February 28, or forwarded to National AALAS, for your name to be included in the Directory by March 31st.

Proposed amendments to the Arizona AALAS constitution and by-laws will be included in the newsletter for votes of approval. These amendments will provide for the addition of the TBR as a member of the Board of Directors.

The AALAS newsletter will now included the names and phone numbers of all Board of Directors to make it easier to contact them.

The branch will provide interpreters for the deaf at General Meetings if members requiring these services will let the branch secretary, Kathy Stollberg (621-5015) know in advance of the meeting.

The Annual District 8 meeting will be in Seattle, March 15-18, 1994.

AZAALAS will host the District 8 meeting in 1996 at the Doubletree Hotel. Anyone wishing to volunteer to help please contact Grace Aranda at 621-1330.

Tim adjourned the meeting at 12:35 p.m.

SPONSORS

If you are interested in placing an ad in the newsletter the following price schedules are in effect:

\$30 for business card size ad
\$60 for 1/2 page ad

\$40 for 1/4 page size
\$85 for full page ad

Each ad will run four times during the year. In addition, if your organization has any more general announcements and/or articles which would be of interest to our members, please feel free to send them to us for publication. Please send copy to Newsletter Editor: University of Arizona, Bldg 101, Rm 114, Tucson, AZ 85721.

REQUEST FOR NEW MEMBERS - 1994

Arizona has had a branch of the American Association for Laboratory Animal Science since July of 1985. For those of you not familiar with this organization, AALAS serves as a clearing house for the collection and exchange of information on all aspects of the care and management of laboratory animals. Membership in the local chapter is only \$5/year.

Please send your check or money order made out to **Arizona Branch AALAS**, University of Arizona, Bldg 101, Rm 114, Tucson, AZ 85721. Or call Kathy at (602) 626-5015.

ANNOUNCING THE 1994 DISTRICT EIGHT CONVENTION - WASHINGTON

May 15 - 18, 1994 in Bellevue, Washington Among the workshops available at this year's meeting are: *Containing Contagion: Proper Use of Biosafety Cabinets*, *How To Make A Soundbite: On Camera Interviews with the News Media*, and *Tips for Training Trainers and Teaching Technicians*. A registration form is included with in this newsletter. For more information call Bill Magee (206)543-0640.

ITEM REVIEW WORKSHOP AT 1994 DISTRICT EIGHT MEETING

The Animal Technician Certification Board (ATCB) is looking for AALAS certified Technicians, Technologists or veterinarians interested in participating in an exam question review workshop. Questions written by participants prior to the meeting will be evaluated and processed by PES. Participants will meet at the workshop to validate items written by other participants prior to being reviewed by the ATCB. Feedback will be given on their questions. Maximum workshop size: 25 participants. Please contact Sharon Jahn at (916)752-7077x2364 for more information.

MID-YEAR FORUM OF THE LABORATORY ANIMAL MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION (LAMA)

June 16 - 18, 1994, "New Ever Changing Research; It's Impact On Laboratory Animal Facility Design and Management," Houston Marriot Astrodome Hotel, Houston, TX. Contact Valerie Lansford for more information. (713)677-7453

1994 FALL SYMPOSIUM - FLAGSTAFF

Come Meet At the Peaks! The Arizona Branch of AALAS is setting up it's program for the 1994 Fall Symposium to be held in beautiful Flagstaff, Arizona. A copy of the abstract form is included in this newsletter and all entries are welcome. This year's meeting will be at the Little America Hotel (2515 East Butler Avenue, Flagstaff, AZ 86004 602-779-2741). The cost of the rooms are \$58 single, \$68 double (\$10 each additional person) tax 9.05%. The cutoff date to reserve a room is September 15, 1994. If you have any questions call Angela Martel (779-2771 x 3901).

ATTENTION TECHNICIANS

AALAS is interested in your experience as a technician. Get involved and share your knowledge. Each time *Contemporary Topics* is published there is a section for a technician technical tips. Please make an effort to submit an article for the COLAT BRIEF of *Contemporary Topics*. Call Cheryl Johnson at (602) 621-1621 if you would like some help or additional information.

SEARCHING FOR VOLUNTEERS

This year we are trying to encourage more involvement. If you would like to volunteer for one of the following committees contact Tim Martin at 621-1330.

Membership - This committee is tasked to actively solicit applications for membership.

Program - This committee is responsible for selection of speakers, papers, films, etc for presentation at branch meetings

Nominating & Election - This committee shall select at least 2 candidates for each vacated elective office for the following year. Further they will prepare and distribute a ballot to each member for voting

Education & Training - This committee will conduct educational classes with the express intention of preparing participants for certification testing

AWARD NOMINATIONS DUE

Nominations are now being accepted for this year's Technician/Member of the Year Awards. Only members in good standing may nominate and be nominated. These awards will be presented at the Annual Dinner. Nominees must meet the following criteria:

- ✓ Must be a member in good standing of the Arizona Branch of AALAS
- ✓ Must have a year's worth of animal/animal related experience

Member of the Year

Nominee has exhibited devotion in personal time to assist in organization of programs, workshops, and other functions provided by the branch. Nominee encourages active participation within the branch, works diligently to meet deadlines, regardless of other daily obligations. Nominee volunteers to assist fellow members and provide support when needed. Education through meeting attendance along with active membership in the branch are viewed important for continued growth in the field of laboratory animal science. Exceptional accomplishments may include measures to encourage animal welfare in research, active participation in the local and national organizations for continued education, any paper presentation, articles or awards received to recognize exceptional contributions to the field of laboratory animal science along with active participation in community education and support.

Technician of the Year

Nominee demonstrates a positive attitude and a dedicated approach to the betterment of animal care through technical performance and education at their facility. Individual accomplishments may include participation in the AALAS certification process, assistance in facility training for fellow technicians, and the addition of personal certificates/diplomas earned in animals care related education. Any facility project initiated by a nominee to alleviate animal distress, enhance facility management, decrease animal numbers, or encourage skills in animal nursing and should

be recognized. Exceptional accomplishments may include measures to encourage animal welfare in research, active participation in the local and national organizations for continued education, any paper presentation, articles or awards received to recognize exceptional contributions to the field of laboratory animal science along with active participation in community education and support. Must hold supervisor position or below.

Nomination forms are included in this newsletter and must be returned by April 25, 1994. Arizona Branch nominees will also be forwarded to the National office to be included in the National Awards Program.

CERTIFICATION EXAMS - Answers to Questions about the Certification Program

How do I get a certification application or information about the AALAS Animal Technician Certification Program?

Contact the AALAS office, 70 Timber Creek Drive, Cordova, TN 38018; (901) 754-8620. The office will send you an application request card to send to the Professional Examination Service to request a candidate information package. Please do not contact the Professional Examination Service directly as this will only delay your request.

How do I apply for an examination?

Carefully read the applicant information package. If you meet the criterion complete the application and return it in the self-addressed envelope to the Professional Examination Service for processing. If your application is complete and you meet the criterion for examination, you will be sent a post card notifying you that you are eligible to take the exam. If your application is returned because you do not meet the requirements or because the application is not complete, you will be required to send an additional \$25.00 fee when you resubmit your application.

When are examinations offered?

The examinations will be administered via computers at over 250 testing sites around the country. When you receive your post card advising you that you are eligible to take the examination, you will call the testing site and schedule the examination. Exams may be scheduled at the applicants convenience, Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

How and when will I receive the results of my exam?

Because the examination questions have been rewritten, they must be re-validated before results can be released. One hundred examinations are required at a given level to validate the questions at this level. After the initial 100 examination have been administered at a level, examinees will receive their results immediately at the testing center when they complete the examination. If you pass, a letter of acknowledgement and an individually numbered certificate will be forwarded to you at a later date.

What are the requirements for AALAS certification? The requirements are as follows:

Assistant Laboratory Animal Technician (ALAT)

- Graduate of a two-year degree program, (AA, AAS, or AS) in Veterinary Technology from an AVMA accredited program; or
- Graduate of a four-year BA/BS program in Veterinary Technology from an AVMA accredited program; or
- Licensed DVM
- High school diploma or GED and upon completion or one year of animal care experience in an approved facility, defined as a facility with either a USDA registration, AAALAC accreditation or PHS assurance number

Laboratory Animal Technician (LAT)

- ALAT certification and one year of additional experience in an approved facility, defined as a facility with either a USDA registration, AAALAC accreditation or PHS assurance number; or
- Graduate of a two-year program (AA,AAS,AS) in Veterinary Technology from an accredited program and two-years of additional animal care related experience in an approved facility, defined as a facility with either a USDA registration, AAALAC accreditation or PHS assurance number; or
- Graduate of a four-year BA/BS program in Veterinary Technology from an AVMA accredited program; or
- Licensed DVM; or
- High school diploma or GED and upon completion of three years of animal care experience in an approved facility, defined as a facility with either a USDA registration, AAALAC accreditation or PHS assurance

Laboratory Animal Technologist (LATG)

- LAT certification and one year of additional experience in an approved facility, defined as a facility with either a USDA registration, AAALAC accreditation or PHS assurance number; or
- Graduate of a two-year program (AA,AAS,AS) in Veterinary Technology from an accredited program and two-years of additional animal care related experience in an approved facility, defined as a facility with either a USDA registration, AAALAC accreditation or PHS assurance number; or
- Graduate of a four-year BA/BS program in Veterinary Technology from an AVMA accredited program and three years additional experience in an approved facility, defined as a facility with either a USDA registration, AAALAC accreditation or PHS assurance number; or
- Licensed DVM; or
- High school diploma or GED and upon completion of three years of animal care experience in an approved facility, defined as a facility with either a USDA registration, AAALAC accreditation or PHS assurance

How does the Professional Examination Service verify my employment?

The applicant must provide proof of the dates and duties involved for each employer listed. Verification by employers must be notarized on forms provided with the application. In addition,

approximately 10% of the applications will be carefully screened by AALAS to verify the applicant's employment information. Applicants who misrepresent their credentials may be permanently barred from the certification program.

How much does it cost to take the certification exam?

Fees for 1994 will be as follows:

LEVEL	NATIONAL MEMBER	NON MEMBER
ALAT	\$125	\$250
LAT	\$150	\$300
LATG	\$175	\$350

Please note: Copies of membership cards must be sent with the application form, and membership fees may no longer be sent with the application. Therefore, to qualify for the member rate, you must obtain your AALAS membership and receive your membership card before sending your application form. If you have any questions call Cheryl Johnson at (602)621-1621.

WHAT'S NEW IN THE NEWS

Charles River 8th Annual Short Course

June 13, 14 & 15, 1994 - Andover Marriot Hotel, Andover, MA

There are still a few spaces available for the 8th Annual Charles River Short Course. The course is presented in two tracks; one focussing on topics relevant to facility managers and supervisors and the other addressing topics of interest to veterinarians. For registration forms and information, please call Deborah Ruggiero at (508) 658-6000x1468.

B & K Universal News Brief

Air Safe Program: We have modified the Filter Cabinet. We have improved the construction and have modified the design. It now has four doors and can be fitted with an independent heat system. For full details of this equipment and all of the other equipment in our Air safe Program call our sales office. (1-800-USA-MICE)

Newly Formatted Health Reports: B & K Universal Inc., has for many years now, adopted the British LACAAS Accreditation program and health monitoring guidelines, which we have modified to meet American scientific requirements. This year they have reviewed and modified the Health monitoring Program which gave us the ideal opportunity to reformat our Health Reports. The British LABAAS Program is the only officially recognized and published Laboratory Animal Breeding Accreditation program. If you wish to receive our Quarterly Health Reports on a regular basis ensure your name is on the mailing list.

Harlan Opens Maximum Barrier Facility in San Diego, CA

Located in the heart of a rapidly expanding research area, the Harlan San Diego maximum barrier facility, which was populated in September 1992, is Harlan's animal production facility in the West. This larger state-of-the-art facility replaces the original west coast facility, also located in San Diego, CA.

The facility produces pathogen-free rats and mice. Two new stocks of outbred mice, NSA (Non-Swiss Albino) and NIH Swiss, are now available from the San Diego barrier. For more information, call Marc Tayman, Regional Sales Manager, in San Diego at (619) 450-3112, or call toll-free, in California only 1-800-860-3434.

Recipient of AAALAC's Bennett J. Cohen Award

John B. Mulder, D.V.M., was the second recipient the American Association for Accreditation of Laboratory Animal Care (AAALAC) most prestigious award, the Bennett J. Cohen Award.

AAALAC named this award in honor of Bennett J. Cohen, D.V.M., Ph.D., a unique individual, pioneer and visionary in the field of laboratory animal science. He was the founder of several well-known laboratory animal science organizations including AAALAC, AALAS and the American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine (ACLAM). Dr. Cohen was an ardent friend of the animal research and life science community and a steadfast supporter of AAALAC and the accreditation process. His numerous accomplishments gained him worldwide recognition, especially in the field of gerontology. Inspired by his ideals and dedication to biomedical research, the scientific community came to recognize the importance of developing standards for animal care and use by organizing a voluntary accreditation program. The incorporation of AAALAC in 1965 represented more than 15 years of Dr. Cohen's efforts toward improving laboratory animal care and use.

The Bennett J. Cohen Award recognizes highly unique individuals who have provided insight, distinguished leadership and dedication to the discipline of laboratory animal science and have demonstrated a commitment to advancing the quality of laboratory animal care in research, teaching and testing. The award was created to honor prominent individuals who, like Dr. Cohen, strive to meet their goals with a high degree of responsibility, integrity and compassion.

Dr. Mulder was a member of the AAALAC Council on Accreditation for 8 years and was Chairman of the Council during the last 3 years of this appointment. He was instrumental in facilitating AAALAC accreditation of the University of Kansas and the campus-wide University of Arizona animal care and use programs. He has 25 years of experience managing animal care and use programs, overseeing planning and construction of animal facilities and providing professional judgement in accordance with the *Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals* and the *Animal Welfare Act*.

Dr. Mulder is a Diplomate of the ACLAM and has served as President of the AALAS and the American Society of Laboratory Animal Practitioners. He has published over 100 scientific, historical, educational or motivational articles. Frequently, he provides consulting services for universities and corporations.

ABSTRACT FORM

Has this study been reviewed and approved by your Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

Preferred Format Selection:

- ☐ Oral Presentation
☐ Poster Session
☐ I will not accept an alternate format for my presentation.

For AALAS Use

_____ Temporary Abstract No.

_____ Permanent Abstract No.

Authors: _____
(Circle presenting author)

Institutional Affiliation: _____

Note: Be sure to include a day phone number and any audiovisual equipment you may need.

Title: 3 lines

Abstract Body:
(Double space)

CHECK THE CATEGORY THAT APPLIES TO YOUR PRESENTATION

- ☐ Scientific ☐ Technical
☐ Clinical ☐ What's Your Diagnosis?
☐ Management ☐ Other _____

Return to: Stuart Houston, WL Gore & Associates, P.O. Box 1980, Flagstaff, AZ 86002

**ARIZONA BRANCH OF AALAS
1994 NOMINATION FORM FOR TECHNICIAN OF THE YEAR**

Name of Nominee _____

Job Title _____

Place of Employment _____

Years a member of AALAS: _____ Arizona Branch
 _____ National

Level of Certification to Date:

____ AALAS Assistant Lab Animal Technician
____ AALAS Laboratory Animal Technician
____ AALAS Laboratory Animal Technologist
____ Certified Veterinary Technician
____ Other: _____

Educational Background:

Diploma/Degree

High School _____

College _____

Graduate School _____

Other _____

Special Courses: _____

Current Job Description: _____

Duties: _____

Years Working with Laboratory Animals or in the Laboratory Animal Field: _____

Describe Nominee's Participation in the Animal Care Field Outside of Work (ie. docents at the zoo, presenting papers at meetings, teaching training sessions, clubs, memberships, etc.): _____

Proficiencies (accomplishments, contributions, continuing education, AALAS participation, etc.) _____

Evaluation by immediate Supervisor (consider aspects such as character, personal habits, interest in advancement of self and animal care, job efficiency, and overall knowledge of laboratory animal science)

Signature, Immediate Supervisor

Date

Signature of Nominator

Date

**In order to be accepted this form must be returned by April 25, 1994 to:
Mallory Spring, University of Arizona, Bldg 101, Rm 114, Tucson, AZ
85721.**

**ARIZONA BRANCH OF AALAS
1994 NOMINATION FORM FOR MEMBER OF THE YEAR**

NAME OF NOMINEE: _____

PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT: _____

JOB TITLE: _____

YEARS MEMBERSHIP IN AALAS (Check All Applicable):

NATIONAL: _____

AZ-AALAS: _____

LIST AND DESCRIBE ANY SERVICE (s) CONTRIBUTED TO THE BRANCH:

LIST AND DESCRIBE ANY OTHER ANIMAL RELATED ACTIVITIES:

SIGNATURE OF NOMINATOR: _____ **DATE:** _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

RETURN THE COMPLETED APPLICATION AND EVALUATION BY April 25, 1994

TO: Mallory Spring, University of Arizona, Bldg 101, Rm 114, Tucson, AZ 85721

Arizona AALAS
c/o Mallory Spring
Univ of AZ - Univ Animal Care
Building 101, Room 114
Tucson, AZ 85721

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO "THE ARIZONA
BRANCH AALAS CONSTITUTION"**

ARTICLE VI -- Board Of Directors -- Section 1

The Board of Directors, composed of the Officers and two additional elected members, shall be the legislative and administrative body of the Branch. It shall have the charge of the property and financial affairs of the Branch and perform all the duties as described in the Bylaws.

Proposed addition:

The Board of Directors, composed of the Officers, two additional elected members, and an appointed Technician Branch Representative shall be the legislative and administrative body of the Branch. It shall have the charge of the property and financial affairs of the Branch and perform all the duties as described in the Bylaws.

(Check one) APPROVE ___ DISAPPROVE ___

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO "THE ARIZONA
BRANCH AALAS BY-LAWS"**

ARTICLE III -- Officers, Election Of -- Sections 1 & 4

All officers of the Branch shall be elected for a period of one year. The officers must be members of the branch in good standing.

Proposed addition:

All officers of the Branch shall be elected for a period of one year. The officers must be members of the branch in good standing. *The President must be a member of the national organization.*

(Check one) APPROVE ___ DISAPPROVE ___

4a: Each year one member shall be elected to serve on the Board of Directors for a term of two years.

Proposed addition:

4b: Every two years the President shall appoint a member in good standing to serve as the Technician Branch Representative (TBR) for a term of two years. The TBR must be a member of the national organization.

(Check one) APPROVE ___ DISAPPROVE ___

ARTICLE IV -- Officers, Duties Of -- Section 5

Proposed addition:

Technician Branch Representative The Technician Branch Representative shall serve as a liaison between the branch members and the Board of Directors and also between the members and the national American Association for Laboratory Animal Science. He/she shall assist branch members in obtaining information/applications for AALAS certification testing.

(Check one) APPROVE ___ DISAPPROVE ___

ARTICLE VI -- Committees -- Responsibilities -- Section 2a

The Membership Committee shall carry out all activities pertaining to membership as directed by the President, such as soliciting membership, notifying delinquent dues members, and preparing reports of membership for the Board of Directors. The Nominations Committee shall select at least two members in good standing as candidates for each elective office at least thirty days prior to September 1 of each year and submit these names to the President, who in turn shall submit the names to the Board of Directors.

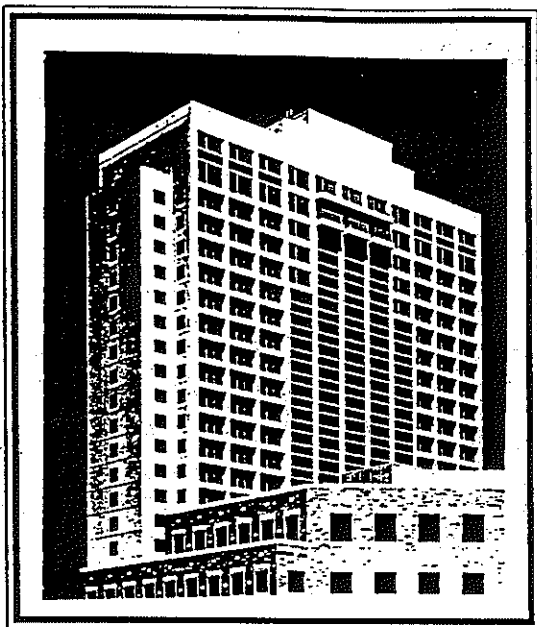
Proposed change:

The Membership Committee shall carry out all activities pertaining to membership as directed by the President, such as soliciting membership, notifying delinquent dues members, and preparing reports of membership for the Board of Directors. The Nominations Committee shall elicit nominations from the branch members for candidates for each elective office at least thirty days prior to October 1 of each year. This committee shall insure all nominees are members in good standing, prepare a ballot, and tally all votes.

(Check one) APPROVE ___ DISAPPROVE ___

**Please Fold Page In Half With Address
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Arizona AALAS
c/o Kathy Stollberg
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May 15-18, 1994

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*American Association for Laboratory Animal Science -
District 8 Meeting
May 15-18, 1994*



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☐ Guarantee my room for late arrival through the following credit card: (circle one)
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Card# _____ Exp _____

FOR GUARANTEED RESERVATIONS ONLY: I understand that I am liable for one night's room and tax which will be deducted from my deposit or billed through my credit card in the event that I do not cancel before 6P.M. on the arrival date indicated.

Signature _____

Washington Branch AALAS
DISTRICT 8 CONVENTION
Bellevue Hyatt Regency
May 15-18, 1994, Bellevue, Washington

Registration Form

Pre-Registration Fees: Deadline is April 1, 1994

Check Below:

Registration (Includes Tuesday 5/17 Keynote Speaker Brunch)..... \$ 75.00: _____
Late Registration (after April 1, 1994) \$100.00: _____
One Day Registration Check 1 only: Monday: _____ Tuesday: _____ Wednesday: _____ \$ 45.00: _____
Spouse/Guest Registration: (Name: _____) for Keynote Speaker Brunch only..... \$ 15.00: _____

Optional Tours

Behind the Scenes Tour of The Woodland Park Zoo (Wednesday 5/18, 1:00-4:00 PM, Space is limited)..... \$ 15.00: _____
Spirit of Puget Sound Dinner Cruise (Monday May 16, from 6:00-9:00 PM)..... See Attached Form

Optional Skills Workshops (See descriptions on back)

Containing Contagion: Proper Use of Biosafety Cabinets (Sunday 5/15 9:30-11:30 AM)..... \$ 15.00: _____
How to Make a Soundbite: On Camera Interviews with the News Media (Monday 5/16 1:00-3:00 PM)..... \$ 15.00: _____
Tips for Training Trainers and Teaching Technicians (Tuesday 5/17 1:00-3:00 PM)..... \$ 15.00: _____

Make checks payable to: WBAALAS: Payment must accompany this registration. Total: \$ _____

Registration Information:

Name (as you would like it to appear on your convention badge.) _____

Title _____

Organization _____ Division/Department _____

Street Address _____ City, State Zip _____ Phone _____

Mail Registration Form and Check or Money Order to:

Hotel Reservation packets for the Hyatt Regency are Enclosed.
Government Rates are Available.

For further information call Bill at (206) 543-0640.

WBAALAS District 8 Registration Committee
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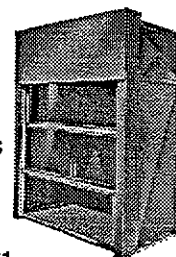
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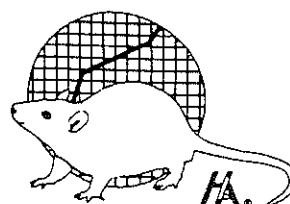
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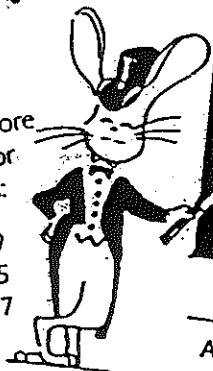
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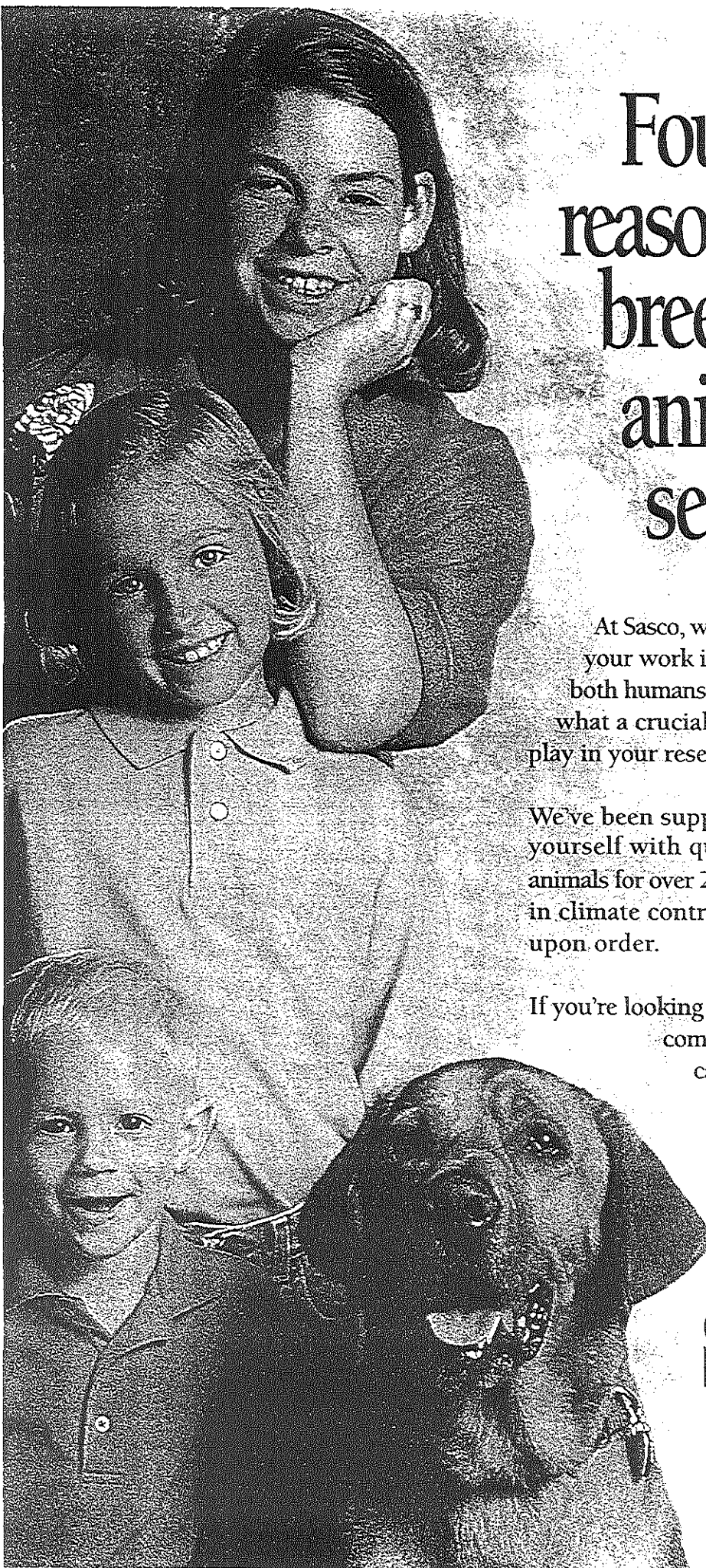
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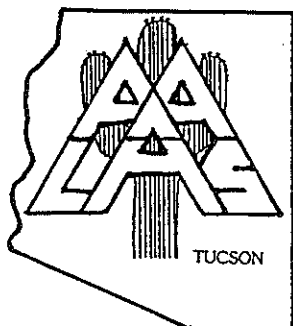
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