

The AVSAB Speakers' Bureau—helping you help pets!



Questions?

**For questions pertaining to your specifically requested presentation, please correspond with your chosen speaker.

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Are you interested in inviting a speaker to discuss animal behavior?

The American Veterinary Society of Animal Behavior (AVSAB) has compiled a listing of veterinarians who offer presentations about a variety of behavior-related topics.

This group was created as part of an effort to “get the word out” about what veterinarians have to offer pet owners (and colleagues!) in the prevention and treatment of animal behavior problems.

These veterinarians have a unique perspective on the relationship between pets and their people, and how that relationship affects behavior.

Members of the AVSAB speakers' bureau are trained to understand animal behavior. They are your best resource when it comes to humanely and effectively dealing with animal behavior disorders.



What type of information will an AVSAB speaker present?

It's completely up to you and your organization! Any behavior-related topic is a potential presentation. Consider:

- **Prevention** of common behavior problems in dogs and cats
- Early **treatment** of common behavior problems in dogs and cats
- Understanding the **etiology** of behavior problems in dogs and cats
- Understanding **canine/feline development**
- Understanding **small mammal or bird behavior**
- **Client retention** through behavioral services
- How to develop a **puppy/kitten class**
- **Behavioral enrichment** for animals
- Pros and cons of popular **training methods**
- Dealing with **fearful or aggressive patients** in practice

These are just some of the subjects we can offer. The topic is up to you (as long as it's related to animal behavior!) Your options are endless!

Arranging Speakers

AVSAB speakers are listed on the AVSAB website. To find a potential speaker, please visit www.avsabonline.org. Once there you can review information about each speaker and find the right presenter for your group! Please contact your desired speaker directly to arrange the specifics for the presentation.

AVSAB will be offering a \$250 grant to help offset the cost of the presentation. If your organization is interested in applying for this grant please contact Dr. Lisa Radosta at avsabe@yahoo.com for further information.



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