Valley Fever Awareness Week November 10-16, 2008

Nov'08 – Jan'09: First Annual Artistry and Veterinary Medicine exhibit; Northern Trust Bank,

Tanque Verde Branch, Tucson (http://www.vetart.org/)

Tuesday, November 4: Frontiers of Science (Orbach/Nix/Hoover? NikZ; diagnostics?)

Pulmonary conference (cocci update)

Thursday, November 6: VA management conference

Monday November 10

- DHS public release and movie.
- Kevin Fitzgerald, star of E-vet Interns, 45-60 min stand-up comedy routine at the Fox Theater on Monday, Nov 10th to raise money for the Companion Animal Fund.

Tuesday November 11 (Veterans Day)

Wednesday, November 12

Noon – 1:30 (or 11-1? To be confirmed) Diagnosis and Frequency of Valley Fever as a Community Acquired Pneumonia. As part of the COPH Epi Seminar Series, Kewit Auditorium

Thursday, November 13

Noon-1:30 Farness Lecture in conjunction with MCB/CBA Seminar Series— Keating 103 – Steven M. Holland M.D., Chief, Laboratory of Clinical Infectious Diseases; Chief, Infectious Diseases Program, NIAID, NIH

"Peering into intracellular infection: Mycobacteria and beyond"

6:30 PM Woods Library 3455 N. First Ave, (520-594-5445) – Dr. Lisa Shubitz and Dr. Marc Orbach – Valley Fever Talk

Friday, November 14

Environmental cocci review? (Marc Orbach)

Immunobiology Conference, Dr. Steve Holland 10:00 AM

Saturday, November 15

CME course at Phoenix COM. Ampel and Blair co-chairs. Joint VFCE/ADHS sponsorship

Sunday, November 16

Valley Fever General Public Information session - 1:00-4:00 PM DuVal Auditorium, UMC