

## **2008 Grants**

### **Lecture Grants**

In keeping with its mandate to promote humane education, each year the Animal Welfare Foundation of Canada provides a grant of \$5,000 to the animal welfare program at the University of British Columbia to support the P.R.U. Stratton Memorial Lecture, and \$5,000 to the animal welfare chair at the University of Guelph to support the Basil Capes Memorial Lecture. These grants allow each university to invite distinguished national and international speakers to make public presentations on topical animal welfare issues.

### **University Animal Welfare Clubs**

The AWFC provided grants of \$2,000 to support the educational programs of the animal welfare clubs in each of the four veterinary colleges in Canada - the Atlantic Veterinary College, University of Prince Edward Island; the Faculté de médecine vétérinaire, University of Montreal; the Ontario Veterinary College, University of Guelph; and the Western College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Saskatchewan.

### **Program Grant**

For 2008, the AWFC decided to direct our funding to one or more projects that have national significance and the potential to impact the welfare of a large number of animals. To that end, we invited applications from universities for development and implementation of a major animal welfare project addressing an area of research need.

For 2008-2009, major project funding is being provided to a research team led by Dr. Michael Cockram, Chair in Animal Welfare, Sir James Dunn Animal Welfare Centre, University of Prince Edward Island.

[Click here to read his project proposal.](#)