

# 2025 Schedule for the AAVSB Annual Meeting and Conference

## Tuesday, September 16, 2025

7:00 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast for Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	QSE® Exam Development Workshop (Day 1: closed session)	McKinley
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch for Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room

## Wednesday, September 17, 2025

7:00 am - 6:00 pm	Early Registration Opens	Registration
7:00 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast for Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
8:00 am - 9:30 am	Finance Committee Meeting	Taft Ballroom 1
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	QSE® Exam Development Workshop (Day 2: closed session)	McKinley
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Regulatory Policy Committee Meeting	Garfield
10:00 am - 11:30 am	AAVSB Board of Directors Meeting	Taft Ballroom 1
10:00 am - 11:30 am	Student Outreach Task Force Meeting	Hayes
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch for Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Bylaws Committee Meeting	Hayes
1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	Executive Directors Advisory Committee Meeting	Taft Ballroom 1
1:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Leadership Development Committee Meeting	B. Harrison
3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Nominating Committee Meeting	Hayes
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Exams Dinner (optional session NAVLE & VTNE Deep Dive Dinner; registration required)	Taft Ballroom

## Thursday, September 18, 2025

7:00 am - 6:00 pm	Registration Open	Registration
7:00 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast for Summit and Board Training Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	VTNE® Exam Development Workshop (Day 1: closed session)	McKinley
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	RACE® Committee Meeting	Garfield
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Executive Directors' & Registrars' Summit (optional pre-conference session; registration required)	Taft Ballroom 1

*Thursday's Schedule continues on the next page.*

## Thursday, September 18, 2025

8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Member Board Training (optional pre-conference session; registration required)	Taft Ballroom 2
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch for Summit and Board Training Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Volunteer Appreciation Reception (Volunteers Only)	The Fountain Room
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Dinner with Future Friends (Sign up at registration)	

## Friday, September 19, 2025

7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Registration Open	Registration
7:00 am - 8:00 am	Breakfast for Annual Meeting Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	Business Session (Delegate Assembly)	Presidential Ballroom
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	VTNE® Exam Development Workshop (Day 2 : closed session)	McKinley
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch for Annual Meeting Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
1:00 pm - 5:15 pm	Education Sessions	Presidential Ballroom
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Balancing Accountability and Empathy: Supporting Mental Health in Veterinary Regulation	
3:15 pm - 5:15 pm	Crisis Ready: Master Your Message	
5:15 pm	Meeting Recess	Presidential Ballroom
6:40 pm	Baseball Game Chicago Cubs @ Cincinnati Reds	Great American Ballpark

## Saturday, September 20, 2025

7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Registration Open	Registration
7:00 am - 8:00 am	Breakfast for Annual Meeting Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	Business Session (Delegate Assembly)	Presidential Ballroom
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch for Annual Meeting Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
1:00 pm - 4:45 pm	Education Sessions	Presidential Ballroom
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	Top Legal Cases Impacting the Veterinary Profession	
2:45 pm - 4:15 pm	National and State Update on the Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Outbreak	
4:15 - 4:45 pm	Closing Session	Presidential Ballroom
5:00 pm	Meeting Adjournment	Presidential Ballroom



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# 2025 Schedule and Agenda for the AAVSB Member Board Training

Thursday, September 18, 2025

7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Registration Open	Registration
7:00 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast for Summit and Board Training Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	Welcome & Kick-Off	Taft Ballroom 2
	At The Heart of the AAVSB	Taft Ballroom 2
	Introductions	Taft Ballroom 2
	Objectives <small>(What's In It For Me)</small> & Terminology	Taft Ballroom 2
	Break	
	Small Group Lightning Rounds	Taft Ballroom 2
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch for Summit and Board Training Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
1:30 pm - 4:45 pm	AAVSB Practice Act Model (PAM)	Taft Ballroom 2
	Statutes, Rules and Regulations	Taft Ballroom 2
	Break	
	Small Group Lightning Rounds	Taft Ballroom 2
	Break	
	Small Group Lightning Rounds	Taft Ballroom 2
	Final Questions & Open Discussion	Taft Ballroom 2
4:55 pm - 5:00 pm	Closing Remarks	Taft Ballroom 2
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Volunteer Appreciation Reception <small>(Volunteers Only)</small>	The Fountain Room



# 2025 Schedule and Agenda for the AAVSB Executive Directors' and Registrars' Fall Summit

Thursday, September 18, 2025

7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Registration Open	Registration
7:00 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast for Summit and Board Training Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
8:30 am - 8:35 pm	Welcome and Introductions	Taft Ballroom 1
8:35 am - 9:05 am	Questions from the AAVSB: Exams!	Taft Ballroom 1
9:05 am - 9:35 am	Introductions & Getting to Know Your Neighbor	Taft Ballroom 1
9:35 am - 10:35 am	Topic 1: New Plays in the Accreditation Playbook: Council on Education Changes	Taft Ballroom 1
10:35 am - 11:00 am	Break	
10:35 am - 11:00 am	Topic 2: Covering All the Bases: State Legislative Approaches for Regulators	Taft Ballroom 1
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch for Summit and Board Training Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff	The Fountain Room
1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	Topic 3: When Circumstances Matter: Animal Cruelty, Spectrum of Care, and Access Challenges	Taft Ballroom 1
3:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Break	
3:15 pm - 4:45 pm	Topic 4: In the Same League: Veterinary Regulation in a Multi-Disciplinary World	Taft Ballroom 1
4:45 pm - 4:55 pm	Final Questions & Open Discussion	Taft Ballroom 1
4:55 pm - 5:00 pm	Closing Remarks	Taft Ballroom 1
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Volunteer Appreciation Reception (Volunteers Only)	The Fountain Room



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Friday, September 19, 2025

7:00 am - 4:00 pm

Registration Open

7:00 am - 8:00 am

Breakfast for Annual Meeting Participants, Committee  
Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff

8:00 am - 10:00 am

Call to Order and Welcome

*Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer*

Welcome to Ohio

*Susan Skorupski, DVM, Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board Vice President*

Introduction of Special Guests and the AAVSB Board of Directors

*Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer*

Presidential Address

*Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer*

AAVSB Board of Directors' Report

*Timothy Kolb, DVM, AAVSB President 2025 - 2026*

Chief Executive Officer's Update

*James T. Penrod, CAE, FASLA, AAVSB Chief Executive Officer*

AAVSB Strategy Update

*Chrissy Bagby, PMP, CAE, AAVSB Chief Strategy Officer*

**Delegate Assembly Begins**

Roll Call

(Delegates and Alternate Delegates to be seated)

*James T. Penrod, CAE, FASLA, AAVSB Chief Executive Officer*

Standing Conference Rules, 2025 AMC Agenda and Summary of the 2024  
Annual Meeting & Conference

*Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer*

Nominating Committee Report

*Amy Staton, EdD, LVT, AAVSB Nominating Committee Chair*

Call for Nominations from the Floor

*Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer*

9:40 am - 10:00 am

Break

*Free professional headshots available*

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Bylaws & Resolution Committee Report

*Darren Wright, DVM, AAVSB Bylaws & Resolution Committee Chair*

Regulatory Policy Committee Report: Medical Record Keeping

*Kelly Gottschalk, DVM, AAVSB Regulatory Policy Committee Chair*



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Friday, September 19, 2025 continued

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

## Treasurer's Report

*Amy Haywood, LVT, AAVSB Treasurer & Finance Committee Chair*

## Global Feedback Session

*James T. Penrod, CAE, FASLA, AAVSB Chief Executive Officer*

## Delegate Assembly Recesses

## Lunch for Annual Meeting Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff

*Free professional headshots available*

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

## Balancing Accountability and Empathy: Supporting Mental Health in Veterinary Regulation

*Marie Holowaychuk, DVM, Dipl. ACVECC (CEO and Founder, Reviving Veterinary Medicine)*

3:00 pm - 3:15 pm

## Break

*Free professional headshots available*

3:15 pm - 5:15 pm

## Crisis Ready: Master Your Message

*Pace PR: Annie Scranton & Mike Sorrentino*

5:15 pm

## Meeting is Recessed

6:00 pm - 6:30 pm

## Walk to Great American Ball Park

6:40 pm

## Friday Night Event: Baseball Game Chicago Cubs @ Cincinnati Reds

*The Great American Ball Park*

*Enjoy dinner and drinks at the game!*



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Saturday, September 20, 2025

7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Registration Open
7:00 am - 8:00 am	Breakfast for Annual Meeting Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff
8:00 am - 10:00 am	<b>Business Session Reconvenes</b> <i>Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer</i> <b>Delegate Assembly Begins</b> <b>Roll Call</b> (Delegates and Alternate Delegates to be seated) <i>James T. Penrod, CAE, FASLA, AAVSB Chief Executive Officer</i> <b>Elections</b> <i>Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer</i> <b>Proposed Bylaws Amendments, Resolutions and Proclamations Discussion and Vote</b> <i>Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer</i> <b>Regulatory Policy Discussion and Vote (Practice Act Model)</b> <i>Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer</i> <b>Regulatory Policy Discussion and Vote (Medical Record Keeping)</b> <i>Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB President and Presiding Officer</i>
10:00 am - 10:25 am	<b>Break</b> <i>Free professional headshots available</i>
10:25 am - 12:00 pm	<b>Ohio Professional Health Program</b>  <b>Veterinary Technician Task Force Report</b> <i>Tricia Gorham, MA, CVT, AAVSB Vet. Tech. Task Force Chair</i> <b>Considerations for the Use of AI in Veterinary Medicine</b> <i>Beth Venit, VMD, MPH, DACVPM, AAVSB Chief Veterinary Officer</i> <b>Delegate Assembly Concludes</b>
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch for Annual Meeting Participants, Committee Volunteers and the AAVSB Staff</b> <i>Free professional headshots available</i>



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Saturday, September 20, 2025 continued

1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Top Legal Cases Impacting the Veterinary Profession

*Dale Atkinson, JD*

2:30 pm - 2:45 pm

Break

2:45 pm - 4:15 pm

National and State Update on the Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Outbreak

*Michael Martin, DVM, MPVM, ACPV, North Carolina State  
Veterinarian Director of Veterinary Division, NCDA&CS*

4:15 pm - 4:45 pm

Closing Session

Recognition of Service for Outgoing Officers & Directors

*Frank Richardson, DVM, AAVSB Immediate Past President 2025-2026*

Installation of the 2025 - 2026 AAVSB Board of Directors

*Kim Gemeinhardt, DVM, AAVSB Past President*

Presidential Address

*Timothy Kolb, DVM, AAVSB President 2025 - 2026*

2026 Annual Meeting and Conference Location Announcement

4:45 pm

AAVSB 2025 Annual Meeting and Conference Adjournment