

# 2024 WILD DVM ANNUAL REPORT

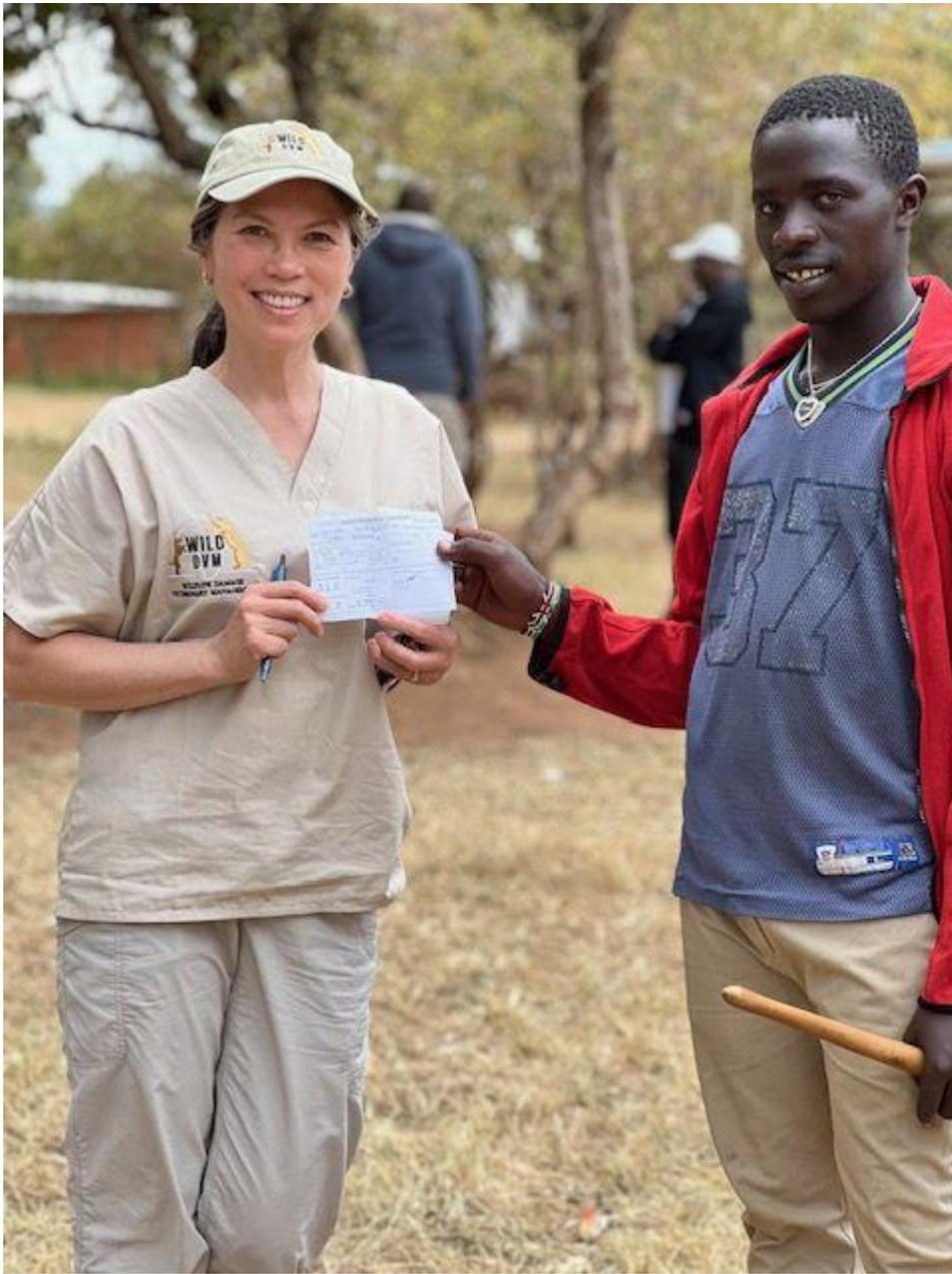


In 2024 we organized a great team of veterinarians, veterinary technicians, and volunteers from California and Kenya to vaccinate village dogs, cats and donkeys against rabies in the Lemek Conservancy. This year we also dewormed all cats and dogs that were vaccinated. We moved around using hired transportation as well as covering 48 miles by foot to reach remote areas while crossing fences and creeks. The American team flew to Nairobi carrying 600 rabies vaccines donated by Boehringer Ingelheim and dewormer supplied by Elanco and Merk, as well as all our medical supplies. After a recovery day in Nairobi, we transferred by land to the Kilileoni House where we met with our Kenyan team and started vaccinating that same day. We worked long hours trying to cover as much ground as possible. The area had been informed about the vaccination for three days in advance but even the villages that had not heard about the project welcomed us with joy and expressed their gratitude. As in any field project, we encounter difficulties such as rain, rough terrain, and even flat tires. We were joined each day by one volunteer of the Red Cross who collaborated rendering help. We would like to thank Dr Francis Ketuyio, Dr Dominic Pion, Daniel Mako, Daniel Ketere, and the Red Cross volunteers for being part of our team, as well as DR Mathew Mchoco who leads our Kenyan team and helps coordinate the project. I would also like to thank The Karen Blixen Camp, the Offbeat Camp and The Mara Elephant Project for their hospitality after our project.



It takes time to arrange all the details of this project including supplies, ground and arial transportation, lodging, meals, transfers, visas, and permits as well as coordinating team members of two countries, but the results proof to be very rewarding. We finished our task with a sense of accomplishment and appreciation as we look forward to our return. I believe we contribute with Kenya's efforts to eliminate the transmission of Rabies from wildlife to humans by vaccinating the Intermediate host in the Massai Mara. In 2025 we will be vaccinating in the Motorogi Conservancy.





**Valerie Price**





**Tara Reichert**



**DR Dominic Pion**



**DR Francis Ketuyio**





**Carl Singer, DVM**



**Dr Deborah Aparicio, MVZ, WLR  
CEO Wild DVM**





**Budget**

Northwest Registration Agent	\$370.00
Wild DVM Federal Registration PF	\$250.00
Wild DVM Federal Registration change to PC	\$550.00
California State Registration and renewal	\$ 50.00
Airfare International + Airfare out of Mara (4)	\$9,000.00
Karen Blixen CG Nairobi (\$460 x 4)	\$1,840.00
Airport Transfers (\$75 x 4)	\$300.00
Ground transfer to Massai Mara	\$329.00
Vaccination Transportation	\$1,250.00
Kilileoni House lodging and meals	\$2,463.46
MWI Medical Supplies	\$201.27
Medical scrubs + logo	\$219.00
Cap +logos + ID cards	\$192.53
KB Manager dinner	\$103.53
Wild DVM Logo design	\$100.00
Website Domain Transfer	\$ 25.00
Bank start deposit/fees	\$200.00
New Website order/design transfer	\$ 27.01
Website monthly fee \$4.48/ month	\$ 22.40
Facebook fees	\$152.00

\$17,645.20



**See you next year!**

We would like to announce a new member to the organization, **Dr Nadya Berumen**, a Small Animal veterinarian and practice owner in Ensenada, BC. We hope to keep growing to double our efforts.



**Nadya Berumen, MVZ**