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Alumni and Continuing Education Corner

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Second Annual Parents/Partners Day

As in all professional training, a veterinary medical education is rigorous and demanding. At Penn, we believe that a supportive and understanding family is essential to the well-being of our students. To answer this need, an annual Parents/Partners Day has been developed to help family members learn more about the many aspects of the Veterinary School and the education we provide.

On Saturday, September 19, 151 family members of the Class of 1991 learned about a variety of subjects affecting our students, including the curriculum, student financial aid, the human-animal bond, and the issue of animal research. Following a tour of the Veterinary Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania and lunch, buses departed for New Bolton Center for an overview of our large animal facility.

Dean Edwin Andrews joined with students, parents, partners, and faculty for a social hour at the close of the day.

The Executive Board of the Veterinary Medical Alumni Society is seeking volunteers for the 1988-1989 Board and for the 1988 Liaison Committee.

ALUMNI SUPPORT IS ESSENTIAL FOR THE WELL-BEING OF OUR SCHOOL!!

If you are a graduate of the School and are interested in becoming involved, please call Ashra Markowitz, Assistant Director of Development, at (215) 898-4234 or drop a note to Dr. Lawrence Gerson, President, Veterinary Medical Alumni Society, University of Pennsylvania, School of Veterinary Medicine, 3800 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104-6008.