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American Gold Cup

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The American Gold Cup, held September 10 to 13 at the Devon Show Grounds, again benefitted the School and its New Bolton Center. A large group of volunteers, alumni, faculty, staff and students, made the four days a success. Saturday was Children’s Day with a dog show, an art show and many other activities. Dave Frankel, weatherman for KYW-TV, and Ms. Mary Remer judged the dogs and put the contestants through their paces. In the end, a Schipperke, pretending to be an equine competitor, walked away with the top prize. The M*A*S*H tent looked after a large number of “injured” stuffed animals and restored them to health. The School’s exhibit featuring the Mark and Lila Allam Center for Sports Medicine and VHUP drew a steady stream of visitors. The Champagne Reception Friday evening provided an opportunity to mingle with friends from the equine world. The 1999 edition of the American Gold Cup at Devon will be held September 16 to 19. Mark your calendars and plan to attend. If you need information about box seats or if you can volunteer your help, please contact Pat Hall at 610-444-5800, ext. 2500 (hall@ben.dev.upenn.edu).

Left column, top to bottom: Mrs. Greg Landis, Mrs. Dixon, Mrs. Elizabeth Moran, Mr. Fitz, Eugene Dixon and Dean Alan M. Kelly at the Champagne Reception; Mrs. King, Dr. Charles Raker, Mr. Leonard King and Mrs. Moran at the Champagne Reception; A patient being treated in the M*A*S*H tent; Dr. Harvey explains treatment; The dog show winner demonstrates a trick; An exhibitor is “interviewed” by Dave Frankel.

Right column, top to bottom: Judge Mary Remer confers with her committee; An owner and her treated pet; The Art Show attracts observers; Visitors look over the VHUP display; Visitors examine the Sigafos Glue-On Shoe.