School Events
White Coat Ceremony

At left, Shannon Long, V’07, J.D. Foster, V’07, and Rebecca Haviland, V’07, after the White Coat Ceremony held November 18, 2005. Every fall, the third-year class receives white lab coats, in preparation for the beginning of clinics. The class chose Dr. Robert S. Gilley as their honored guest to moderate the ceremony.

Carnivale of the Dogs

On November 12, faculty, staff and students participated in the Carnivale of the Dogs, held in partnership with Commerce Bank. The event included a pet parade, live music, dog adoptions from the city shelter and even a paw reader. Veterinarians from the School answered questions at an Ask the Vet booth, and students and faculty members staffed the Penn M*A*S*H* Unit, where they helped children give injured stuffed animals a new “leash” on life. At left and bottom, staff and students help children repair their stuffed animals. At right, Ai Takeuchi, V’06, and Dr. Lillian Aronson, V’92, answer questions at the Ask the Vet booth.
Dr. Laurie Landeau, V'84, W’84, unveils the portrait of Dean Alan Kelly at a recognition event held in his honor in Philadelphia in October 2005.

Amanda Theodore (right), president of the Class of 2008, with Brian Robbins at the Pyramid Club dinner for Dr. Kelly.

Mary McMahon Stewart, PT’66, and Robert Stewart, V’68, join Dr. Michael H. Goldschmidt at the Philadelphia reception.

Dean Alan Kelly Farewell Galas

Board of Overseer Chair Christine Connelly greets Dean Kelly at a farewell gala held at New Bolton Center in September 2005.

A Scottish piper leads guests into dinner at the New Bolton gala.

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Sean Stark, Renee Landen, Beverly Ensor, Wayne Grafton, Alexandra Lamars and Betsy de Marino, V’80 represented “An Evening in Old Philadelphia” at the New Bolton gala.

Amanda Theodore (right), president of the Class of 2008, with Brian Robbins at the Pyramid Club dinner for Dr. Kelly.
Rush Shippen Huidekoper Society Dinner

Each year, the Rush Shippen Huidekoper Society Dinner recognizes Penn Veterinary Medicine’s most generous donors and friends. Named after that School’s first dean, the Rush Shippen Huidekoper Society honors those who contribute $1,000 or more to the School in a fiscal year. This year’s dinner was held at the College of Physicians in Philadelphia.

Attending this year’s Rush Shippen Huidekoper Society Dinner were, left to right, Patrick Ford, V’06, Vernon Hill, W’67 with Duffy, Shirley Hill, Joan Hendricks, V’79, GR’80 and Alexander Chan, V’06. Patrick and Alex are Opportunity Scholars.

Members of the Class of 2006 representing the fifth graduating class of Opportunity Scholars and their mentors are, standing, left to right, Timothy Mann, V’06, D. Ray Hostetter, V’69, Brenda Stewart, V’70, James Stewart, V’68, Sandy Koenig, Charles Koenig, V’57, Charles Raker, V’42, Andrew Elser, V’87, Patrick Ford, V’06 and Alexander Chan, V’06; seated, left to right, Kari Lyon, V’06, Christin Veeder, V’06, Leslie McLaughlin, V’06, Michelle Patrick, V’06, Nadine Solomon, V’06, Lauren Greene, V’06 and Amanda Lang, V’06.

Joan Hendricks, V’79, GR’80, receives a bouquet of flowers from Dr. Alan Kelly.