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The New Jersey Veterinary Education Foundation awarded scholarships to **Jay Jasan, V'93**, and **June Hacker, V'95**. Jay Jasan also received the Richard Dorr, Jr. Scholarship. The other recipient of this scholarship is **Christopher Hill, V'93**. The Clark Foundation awarded a scholarship to **Joshua Hasbrouck Clay, V'95**.

Lance Bassage, V'93, is the recipient of the Westminster Kennel Foundation Scholarship. Three students received scholarships from the American Kennel Club. They are: **Christopher Hunsinger, V'94**, **Michele Trammell, V'93**, and **Gillian Ruth Gibson, V'94**. Ms. Gibson also received a scholarship from the Union County Kennel Club.

Debra Buchanan, V'95, received a scholarship from the Trushel Scholarship Trust. **John Price, V'94**, is the recipient of the first Clifford F. Wright, Jr. Scholarship. **David M. Rutledge, V'93**, is the recipient of the David I. and Victoria R. Greenberg Memorial Scholarship. **Mark Hanlon, V'93**, has been awarded the Israel and Anna Live Scholarship. **Jill L. Stetz, V'94**, received a scholarship from the Grand Chapter of Pennsylvania Order of the Eastern Star. **Maureen Firth, V'93**, received a scholarship from the Maine Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources.

The Burlington County Kennel Club awarded a scholarship to **Deborah Mandell, V'93**. The Lancaster Kennel Club, Inc. awarded three scholarships, the recipients are: **Nancy J. Brady, V'95**, **Lisa A. Ruth, V'94**, and **Betsy C. Squires, V'93**. **Lauren P. Flato, V'93**, is the recipient of the Amlan Foundation scholarship. **Joseph Vito, V'93**, has been awarded the New York Farmers Scholarship.

Megan Hilf, V'94, received a scholarship from the Cairn Terrier Club of America for her work on culturing canine cartilage cells to investigate the pathogenesis of inherited metabolic disease and approaches to testing in vitro therapy using gene transfer.

Dean's Scholarships

Lara Chavin, V'95, has received the Henry S. McNeil, Jr. Dean's Scholarship. Three dean's scholarships were established by the Estate of J. Maxwell Moran, Sr. The recipients of the J. Maxwell Moran, Sr. Dean's Scholarships are: **Krista Price, V'95**, **Laureen Smith, V'93**, and **Deborah Mandell, V'93**.

The recipients of the Charles S. and Phyllis F. Wolf Dean's Scholarships are: **Joshua Clay, V'95** and **Judith A. Surdam, V'94**. **Michele A. Trammell, V'93**, has received the Anne Linn White Dean's Scholarship.

Bryan Cherry, V'96, received the Hill's Pet Products Dean's Scholarship. The Jack Mara/Hill's Pet Products Dean's Scholarship was awarded to **Lisa J. Saravis, V'94**. **Svea K. Wahlstrom, V'94**, is the recipient of the Mrs. Jack L. Billhardt Dean's Scholarship. The Bruce J. Heim Dean's Scholarship was awarded to **Amy L. Dowd, V'93**.

Newly Established Foundation Supports the Vet School

Mr. and Mrs. John A. McCrane, clients of New Bolton Center and the Small Animal Hospital, established a private foundation earlier this year to support animal welfare, the arts, family and children's services, and conservation. The School of Veterinary Medicine is among the first beneficiaries of the McCrane Foundation's largesse.

In October the McCrane Foundation made two gifts to the School of Veterinary Medicine. One grant for \$15,000 will purchase a cardiac output computer for the Intensive Care Unit at VHUP. Although this piece of equipment is routinely used in human medicine to measure cardiovascular status, only one other veterinary hospital uses a cardiac output computer for clinical patients, and only on occasion. VHUP's will be used routinely several times a week.

The second grant for \$20,000 will purchase specialized video equipment for the high speed treadmill at New Bolton Center. It will be used to standardize looking at ways both lame and sound horses travel while in motion and for a broad spectrum of other projects in Equine Sports Medicine.



Dean Edwin J. Andrews and Dr. Harry Rozmiarek, director of ULAR, cut the ribbon to the new University Laboratory Animal Resources facility on the second floor of the Veterinary Quadrangle Building.

The facility includes a sterile two-operating-room suite equipped with vacuum and central oxygen; kennel rooms with 23 runs with automatic feeders and waterers; a treatment room, quarantine space, and two rooms for cats. The facility exceeds federal requirements for animal housing and is part of the University's program to upgrade all animal care and use facilities on campus.

The renovations were funded by grants from the University Research Development Fund and the National Institutes of Health.