

# Alumni Weekend 2003

On Saturday, May 17, more than 250 alumni and their guests enjoyed a variety of Alumni Weekend 2003 events at New Bolton Center. Along with the Alumni Picnic and tours of New Bolton Center during the day, more than 125 alumni and their guests attended a reception and dinner at the Brandywine River Museum in Chadds Ford, Pa.

More than 50 members of the Class of 1978 and their guests attended a separate dinner that same evening at the Sheraton Society Hill Hotel in Philadelphia, where they celebrated raising more than \$100,000 in gifts and pledges to establish the Class of 1978 Endowed Scholarship Fund.

*Alumni Weekend 2003 photography by Jim Roese (JR) and Candace diCarlo (CD).*



**Eric M. Bregman, V'95, shares a laugh with James V. Stewart, V'68, after Dr. Stewart is introduced as the new VMAS president. (JR)**



**Class of 1973: Vernon R. Durie, Dorothy J. Miller, and Randall C. Fertelmes. Photo courtesy of Vernon R. Durie.**



**Cynthia R. Ward, V'87, assistant professor of medicine at the Ryan Veterinary Hospital at Penn, receives the 2003 Excellence in Teaching Award from Eric M. Bregman, V'95, Veterinary Medical Alumni Society President, and Daniel D. Bleicher, V'53. The VMAS presents this annual award to an educator recommended by recent graduates. (JR)**



**Class of 1968: Cathy Shields, James B. Shields, H. Wesley Towers, Jr., Kenneth G. Kagan, Carolyn J. Stokes, and Kenton S. Stokes. (JR)**



**John O. Mason, V'53, speaks on behalf of the Class of 1953 before the awarding of the Fiftieth Year Reunion Certificates. (JR)**



**Class of 1963: Eugene Witiak, Joan F. Witiak, Martha S. Wenger, Melvyn G. Wenger, Donald W. Merryman, and Joy Merryman. (JR)**



**Class of 1943: Harold M. S. Smith, Joseph H. Groveman, and Joseph O. Simington. (JR)**



**Class of 1978: Karen M. Young, Cynthia D. Bossart, Nancy M. Bromberg, and Mattie J. Hendrick. (JR)**



**Class of 1958: Richard H. Stoneback, Sr., Russell J. Snyder, George Bjotvedt, Frederick R. Rude, Gerald E. Lewis, and Richard L. Cook. (JR)**



**Class of 1993: Front Row—Randall T. Busch, Ann E. Bastian, Jody M. Hoffman, and Amy L. Hartman with son, Travis. Back Row—Patricia M. Gabig, Mark T. Donaldson, Christopher Dutton, Mary C. McCabe, and Maureen Firth Krout. (JR)**



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**Class of 1953:** E. Jefferies Hathaway, Richard C. Horn, Daniel D. Bleicher, John O. Mason, Hugh J. Coleman, and Albert Singer. (CD)



**Class of 1963:** Front Row—Fred Fernich, L. Paul Lanctot, and Katherine A. Houpt. Second Row—Eugene Witiak, Donald W. Merryman, Melvyn G. Wenger, and Gordon W. Robinson. Third Row—Donald R. Shields, William B. Ames, and Sherbyn W. Ostrich. Back Row—Frederic K. Baff, Adolphe D. Grezbek, and Norman H. Altman. (CD)



**Class of 1968:** Front Row—Joel Rubin, Robert W. Stewart, Sr., and Alan Bachrach, Jr. Middle Row—Donald B. Shatto, James V. Stewart, George L. Hartenstein IV, and Maron Calderwood Mays. Back Row—Kenneth G. Kagan and Kenton S. Stokes. (CD)



**Class of 1973:** Vernon R. Durie, Douglas F. Antczak, William H. McCormick, Nancy O. Brown, Randall C. Fertelmes, and Midge Leitch. (CD)



**Class of 1988:** Karen Lutschaunig, Mark Lutschaunig, Andrea Tasi, and Roger Nicholas. (CD)



**Class of 1998:** Martha A. Franklin, Sally Anne Aschenbrand, Margaret W. Gober, and Gerald Thompson. (CD)

