



## 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.



## 1988 Penn Annual Conference

The 1988 Penn Annual Conference promises to be an exciting and informative event. A partial list of speakers includes:

- Dr. James Becht *Diagnosis and Management of Acute Diarrhea in Foals and Adult Horses*
- Dr. Larry Bramlage *Equine Orthopaedics*
- Dr. Colin Burrows *Current Topics in Feline Gastroenterology/Gastrointestinal Pharmacotherapy*
- Dr. Martin Burton *Drug Therapy, Metritis in Cows*
- Dr. Paul Greenough *Contemporary Concepts in Bovine Lameness*
- Dr. Gail Kunkle *Topics in Dermatology*
- Dr. Horst Leipold *Congenital and Hereditary Defects in Cows/Congenital and Hereditary Defects in Horses*
- Dr. Dennis McCurmin *Practice and People/Practice Management*
- Mrs. Katherine McKeever *Owl Behavior*
- Dr. Al Merritt *Robert R. Marshak, D.V.M. Seminar in Bovine Medicine*
- Dr. Marvin Olmstead *Pathophysiology and Treatment of Canine Hip Dysplasia with Emphasis on Total Hip Replacement*
- Dr. Ralph Redden *Management of Laminitis in the Horse*
- Dr. Peter Schwarz *Surgical Oncology/Challenges with Practical Solutions*
- Dr. H. Fred Trout *Robert R. Marshak, D.V.M. Seminar in Bovine Medicine*
- Dr. Edwin Workman, Jr. *Advances in Immunodiagnostic Technology*

The Conference will be held on Wednesday, January 27, and Thursday, January 28, 1988, at the Adam's Mark Hotel in Philadelphia.

On Tuesday, January 26, a dinner and roast in honor of Dr. Robert Marshak will be hosted by Roger Caras. Friends, faculty, and alumni will be on hand to salute the achievements of Dr. Marshak. For further information call: (215) 898-4234.



### 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.