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From the Dean



Dear Friends:

The concerns regarding foot and mouth disease, BSE, bioterrorism, and the heroism demonstrated by search and rescue animals in New York City have once again highlighted the critical role veterinarians and veterinary medicine play in enhancing human as well as animal health. Veterinarians are recognized as essential members of the health care team. In the coming year, our college will continue to promote this concept in all its teaching, research, and service programs.

Our new strategic plan emphasizes the College's role in eradicating and/or controlling important animal and zoonotic infectious diseases. The College's investigators are making significant progress in controlling turkey respiratory pathogens, such as avian pneumovirus, and have made eradication of the Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome a major priority. Faculty are sequencing the genes of critical human and animal pathogens and defining the genetic determinants of the body's immune response.

In addition to infectious disease control, clinical scientists continue to develop useful animal models of human diseases to improve diagnosis and treatment of cancer, arthritis, renal disease, and diabetes mellitus.

Our new Center for Animal Health and Food Safety will coordinate faculty efforts to enhance the safety of our food supply. The Center will take the lead in risk communication, development of certification programs for food animal products, and establishment of degree and certificate programs in food safety.

In the Veterinary Teaching Hospitals, a new computer system and management structure are two examples of our ongoing efforts to improve hospital operations. Clinicians, technicians, and staff continue to provide outstanding care and service to more than 30,000 animals and their owners each year.

In this annual report edition of *Profiles*, we are proud to highlight the many ways the College of Veterinary Medicine improves both animal and human health.

Thank you for your past support. I look forward to working with you as we keep Minnesota's animals and people healthy.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey S. Klausner, DVM, MS
Dean, College of Veterinary Medicine

Disease Eradication—No Longer an Elusive Goal

Thanks to modern farm management techniques and sophisticated veterinary diagnostics, solutions are in sight for many diseases afflicting the swine industry.

They don't raise pigs the way they used to. Today's biosecurity measures place pigs in tightly controlled environments. This isolation keeps diseases and infections from spreading and can make total eradication of certain swine diseases possible.

To go from possibility to reality, the College of Veterinary Medicine has formed the Swine Disease Eradication Center.

"We intend to develop and validate practical strategies and techniques to help pork producers eliminate diseases. Eradicating disease is probably the single biggest way we can have an impact on the cost of

"The ability to eradicate even one disease would have a profound impact on our industry," says Galen Johnson, Grandview Hogs, who represents the Minnesota Pork Producers on the Center's advisory board.

production, animal welfare, and swine employee job satisfaction," says Carlos Pijoan, center director.

"The expertise and technology housed within the College makes it an obvious

place to start this effort," he adds. The College has the largest faculty group in the world devoted to swine health and our internationally-recognized molecular biology faculty focus much of their work on swine and swine pathogens.




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The Veterinary Diagnostic Lab performs more than 15,000 porcine tests each year, giving faculty ready access to samples and information on the actual diseases affecting Minnesota swine.

"By having the state's official veterinary diagnostic lab operated

by the University, we can quickly identify new threats to swine health and devise research strategies to eliminate those threats," says Pijoan.

Center faculty will work closely with colleagues at other universities and with industry. Pijoan is creating an Industry Advisory Board composed of representatives from swine-related companies, including swine genetic, pharmaceutical, and production companies, and pork producers. It will work closely with the Minnesota Pork Producers Association by providing individual, on-farm eradication strategies. For more information, visit the web site at www.cvm.umn.edu/sdec. 



Research Farm Provides Real-Life Laboratory

How can you determine the distance a virus can spread in the air? That knowledge is critical if you're going to separate sick pigs from healthy ones.

To find out, College of Veterinary Medicine researchers are leasing an isolated farm near Appleton, Minn. Ten miles from neighboring farms, researchers can safely evaluate eradication techniques for many diseases in a controlled environment resembling actual farm operations.

After reviewing actual farm-to-farm transmission patterns of a swine virus called PRRS, researchers were confident ten miles was a sufficient safeguard to determine how far the PRRS virus could be transmitted via air.

They found that healthy pigs housed in the same barn as diseased pigs contracted the disease within 72 hours but healthy pigs kept in a trailer just three feet away did not get sick – nor did the healthy pigs housed 100 feet away.

Clinical Investigations Benefit People—and Their Best Friends

Many diseases afflict both people and their pets.

Veterinary research is perfecting therapies for both.

Imagine being able to grow new knee joint cartilage rather than having to undergo major surgery to replace a failed joint. You and your pet may be able to one day, thanks to a collaboration between the College of Veterinary Medicine and the University's Medical School.

College faculty members Cathy Carlson and Timothy O'Brien are working with Robert LaPrade, associate professor of orthopaedic surgery in the Medical School, on a technique for growing cartilage from stem cells derived from bone marrow from adult dogs. The cartilage would then be placed into the dog's knee joints to replace worn or damaged tissue. The idea is to perfect the technique in dogs and then transfer it to humans.

"Clinically, the technique has potential for use in either animals or humans since animals develop many of the same diseases of joints as humans," says Carlson.

This project is just one of several being coordinated by the College's Clinical Investigation Center (CIC) that stands to benefit both people and pets. Many of

these projects, CIC director Bonnie Sweeney says, begin with a medical researcher looking for a veterinarian to help with animal testing.

"When we start to talk, we figure out things that benefit both humans and animals," she says. "The light bulbs go on and we come up with ideas that will have practical benefits for both."

Other CIC-coordinated projects that hold promise for both humans and animals include a study of a painkiller for dogs that may find application in human joint surgery; efforts to use a medication that boosts human organ transplant success, eye treatment for horses; and research on laser therapy for canine tumors that may eventually be used in people with cancer.



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"This kind of 'win-win' collaboration is what the CIC is all about," says Sweeney. "Because the Center serves as a focal point for applied research in the College, we can help develop proposals into coordinated efforts that benefit humans and animals alike."

For more information see www1.umn.edu/vcic or call 612-624-2752. ☒



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Current Trials

Clinical trials currently being coordinated by the Veterinary Clinical Investigation Center include studies of:

- the effectiveness of prednisone-cyclosporin therapy for hemolytic anemia in dogs
- the effect of diet modifications on seizure control in dogs
- the use of diet and drug therapy in dogs and cats with renal disease and hypertension
- use of photodynamic therapy to treat recurrent cancers in dogs
- determinants of hair regrowth in dogs after clipping
- use of a cyclosporine-releasing implant to treat "moon blindness" (uveitis) in horses
- use of an antidepressant medication to treat cats that lose their hair
- effectiveness of distemper virus to treat dogs with relapsed lymphoma

Reaching Beyond Campus

From community meetings on anthrax in northwestern Minnesota to bi-monthly seminars for veterinarians in Rochester, the College of Veterinary Medicine outreach programs provide knowledge when and where it's needed most.

What's the latest advice for preventing lameness or colic in horses? How do you care for a diabetic dog? What role do veterinarians play in combating bioterrorism?

No matter how much a person knows about animals, there's always another question. For 34 years, the College's Veterinary Outreach department has been making sure there's an answer, too.

Veterinary Outreach works with the Minnesota Extension Service and other public and private partners to share the expertise of the University with veterinary professionals, pet owners, agricultural producers, industry specialists, and others from around Minnesota, the nation—and even the world. Recent offerings included a laser surgery workshop for veterinarians and technicians, a school for turkey producers and flock managers, and a presentation in northwestern Minnesota on BSE (mad cow disease), anthrax, and foot and mouth disease.

The Allen D. Lemman Swine Conference, an annual event, is a prime example of how Veterinary Outreach serves an international audience. Each fall veterinarians, academic faculty, pork producers, and other interested persons from around the world come together to share information and to gather new insights to take back to colleagues, clients, and others. This year's conference included sessions on disease diagnostics, food safety and biosecurity, insurance and information management, as well as a disease eradication symposium offered in both English and Spanish.

Feedback is consistently positive: "You provided a very interesting mix of topics." "Very timely discussions." "I enjoyed the biosecurity topics with the science to back it." "I will use this to help my customers – which helps me." "This is my first time attending and I loved it. It was worth the visit."

Some 3,000 individuals participate in educational opportunities sponsored by Veterinary Outreach each year. Last year, nearly 600 of them were from outside the U.S. But with outreach programs, the ultimate impact is far greater than the individual attendees.

"When we connect with veterinarians, they connect with their clients," says Director Jan Swanson, "so our education programs really have a multiplier affect." ☞

Upcoming Outreach Programs

December 3–5 — Turkey
School I: Health of Turkeys

Mather Lecture Series

November–April,
First Thursday

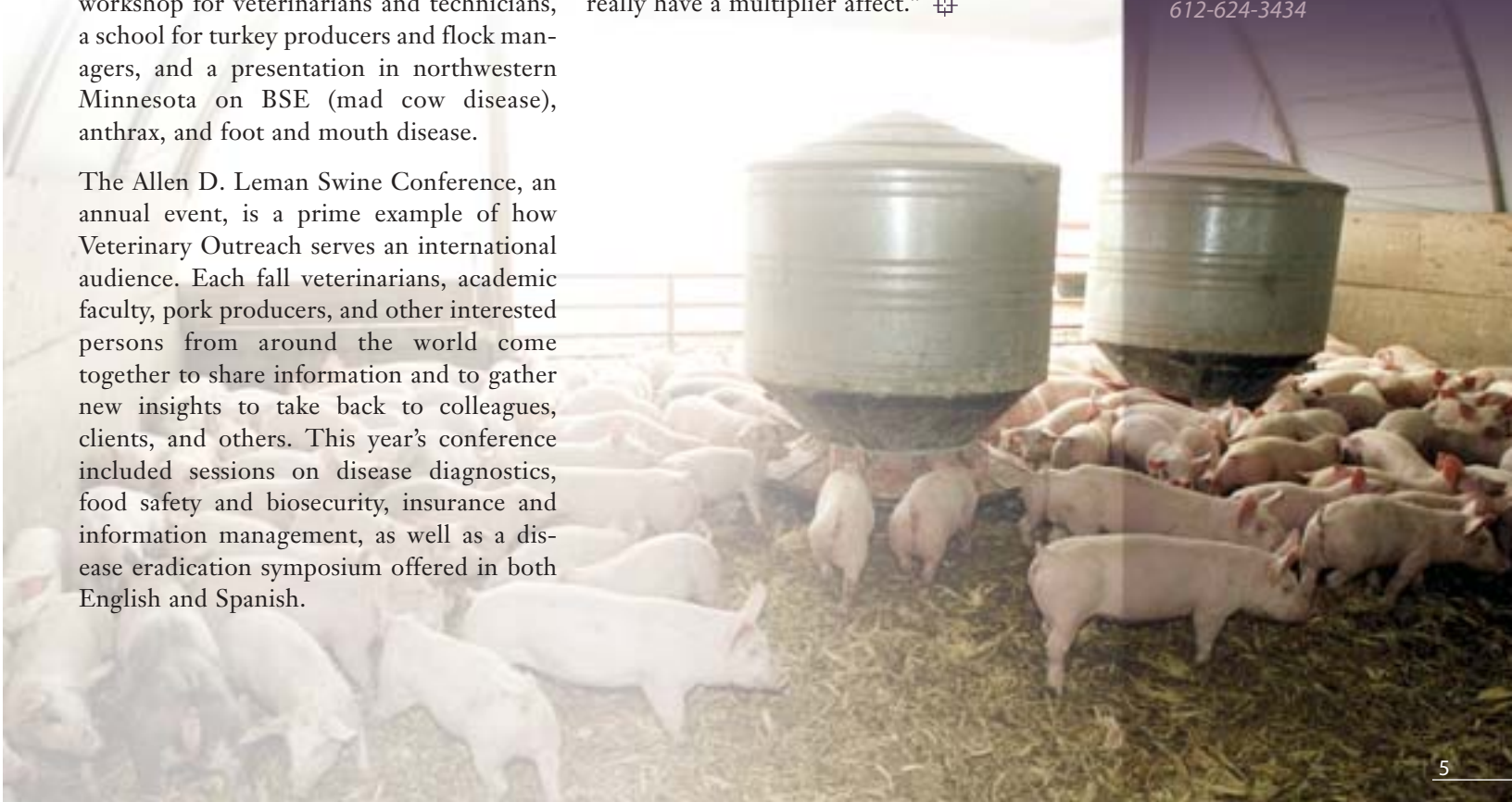
Rochester Outreach Series

January 10 – Novel
Therapies for Anemia-
Oxyglobin and Chinese
Herbs

March 14 – Dentistry

May 9 – Reading Your
Radiographs

For more information call
612-624-3434





Richard Isaacson, Chair, Department of Pathobiology

Richard Isaacson joined the faculty July 1, 2001 to serve as chair of the Department of PathoBiology. A professor of microbiology and immunology, he joins the College from the University of Illinois.

Q: *Why were you interested in chairing a department?*

A: One of my favorite aspects of research is pulling together and working with the research team. For me, the greatest reward in academia is helping others get excited about research. In this job, I have the opportunity to mentor junior and senior faculty members in addition to students. It also gives me an opportunity to provide leadership and strategic development for the department and researchers. Working as a team, we will be able to accomplish great things.



Richard Isaacson, Chair,
Department of PathoBiology

Q: *Why Minnesota?*

A: There are only 27 veterinary colleges in the U.S. and this was one of the few dream jobs available. The department is full of young, vibrant, well respected faculty who are known nationally and internationally for their work. I can't say that about many other veterinary colleges.

In addition, this is a good fit for my research interests, especially with the new Center for Animal Health and Food Safety. And the genetic techniques and facilities available to me will really facilitate my research.

Q: *What is your personal area of research?*

A: I study bacterial infectious disease, trying to understand how pathogens cause disease at the molecular and genetic level. For example, one of the problems we have with bacteria such as salmonella is that the animals show no clinical signs of the bacteria. The animals appear perfectly healthy at slaughter and then the bacteria get in the food chain. We're trying to understand the specific mechanism on how salmonella infects animals yet doesn't make them sick.

Q: *You are not trained as a veterinarian. Why did you choose to do your research in veterinary medicine?*

A: I like conducting research with the natural host, the actual diseased animals, where you can test and verify what you've done right away. Human medical research is more ambiguous because you have to test your theory in lab animals first and the results in people may not be the same. In veterinary medicine, what we find applies directly to the disease. ☞

Vet Med: Year in Review

The College of Veterinary Medicine made excellent progress this year toward its mission of educating current and future veterinarians and biomedical scientists, discovering and disseminating new knowledge and skills, and providing innovative veterinary services.

**VET MED
YEAR IN REVIEW
FY 00-01**

Mission

Educating Current and Future Veterinarians and Biomedical Scientists

- Approximately 300 professional veterinary students and 100 graduate students attend the College.
- During 2000-01, 73 DVM degrees, eight master's degrees and ten Ph.D. degrees were awarded, and eight internships and ten residencies were completed.
- More than 3,000 people from more than 47 countries attended educational outreach programs.
- A highlight was facilitating the high profile International Conference on Animal Genetics that brought more than 700 scientists from around the world to downtown Minneapolis in July 2000.



The Class of 2005 and their mentors visited the state fair on the first day of classes. Each group was given a camera to record the experience.

Profile – Class of 2005

- 853 applications – 172 male, 681 female
- 80 enrolled students – 81% Minnesota residents; mean GPA in required courses – 3.61; mean standard score on GRE – 1920.

Profile – Class of 2001

- Number of graduates – 73
- Number practicing in Minnesota – 31
- Number entering small animal private practice – 31
- Number entering large animal or mixed practice – 15
- Average salary for private practice – \$45,800
- Average age – 29
- Average indebtedness – \$64,468

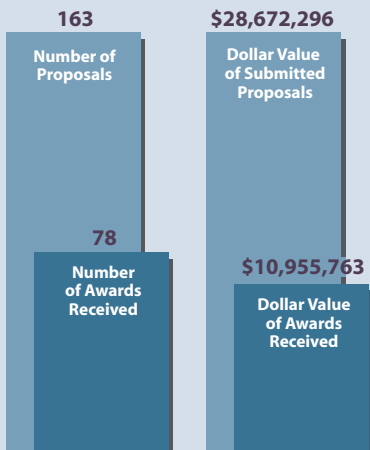
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Mission

Discovering and Disseminating New Knowledge and Skills

Research Proposal Awards

Each year, faculty submit proposals to various research funding agencies. This is an extremely competitive process—most agencies fund 30 percent or less of submitted proposals. Forty-eight percent of proposals submitted by College faculty were funded.



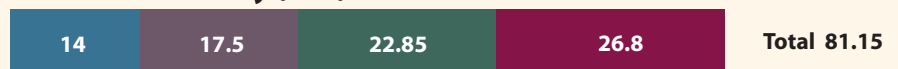
- The amount of research grants awarded to the College increased by \$900,000 for a total of nearly \$11 million in the past year. Researchers received \$3.6 million in new grant money. Cathy Carlson received a \$1 million grant from the National Institutes of Health to study new techniques to diagnose osteoarthritis. Vivek Kapur received a \$1 million grant from the United States Department of Agriculture to sequence the genome of the disease-causing bacteria *Lawsonia intracellularis*.
- The College made a major commitment to the University’s new Biomedical Genomics Center. The College’s Advanced Genetic Analysis Center was administratively aligned with the new center and a faculty member, Vivek Kapur, became associate director.
- Faculty share their discoveries – and protect the University’s intellectual property – through invention disclosures, patents, and licenses. Faculty filed 22 invention disclosures and five patents; five patents and nine licenses were issued.
- The Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory (VDL) identified a new strain of swine influenza virus designated H1N2, expanded influenza monitoring using advanced molecular techniques, and developed new laboratory tests leading to five invention disclosures, two U.S. patent applications, two patents issued and five actively licensed VDL technologies. Royalty income from VDL inventions continues to rank second in the Academic Health Center and fourth within the University.

Research Productivity

College faculty share knowledge by publishing their research in peer-reviewed, scientific journals and by authoring book chapters. This past year, 81 faculty published 191 research papers and 91 book chapters. Following is a breakdown by department:



Number of Faculty (FTE)



Research Publications



Books and Book Chapters



Mission

Providing Innovative Veterinary Services

Teaching Hospitals

- The hospital managed more than 34,000 patient admissions last year providing excellent clinical teaching opportunities for the students, faculty, and staff.
- The hospital received 18,170 small animal cases and 2,846 large animal cases from veterinarians throughout the state and region.
- Faculty and students travelled throughout the state including 50 visits to large dairy herds to consult on record systems, reproduction problems, nutrition counseling, and quality milk programs; 22 field trips on herd mastitis problems; 48 investigations of disease problems in small ruminants; ten investigational trips on bovine reproductive problems; 48 visits to swine farms on disease or production problems; 25 visits to equine farms on various problems; and 92 calls to treat 391 zoo animals.
- To ensure that students and patients have access to state of the art technology, the hospital acquired a spiral computed tomography (CT) scanner and a high definition echocardiography imaging system. The CVM is the first veterinary hospital in the country with a CT scanner. The hospital also purchased and installed a new information management program to improve efficiency.

Diagnostic Laboratory

- The diagnostic lab evaluated 51,451 accessions, representing a request for laboratory assistance because of animal health or productivity concerns. Twenty-two faculty, 55 staff, and 20 student employees conducted over one million laboratory tests.
- The diagnostic lab played a vital role in eradicating swine pseudorabies by providing laboratory testing for the Minnesota Board of Animal Health. Testing was expanded to help control avian pneumovirus in turkeys and Johne's disease in cattle. The Udder Health Laboratory, one of the premier programs of its kind nationally, continues to expand services to address mastitis, one of the two most costly diseases affecting the Minnesota dairy industry.

Raptor Center

- The Raptor Center admitted 834 birds of prey, including 97 bald eagles, and released 266 birds back into the wild. More than 300 volunteers contributed approximately 24,000 hours to the program in fiscal year 2001, the equivalent of more than 11 full-time employees. More than 1,300 educational programs for schools, community organizations and corporations nationwide were conducted, reaching approximately 296,000 people.



Internationally recognized BSE expert, Will Hueston was hired to lead the Center for Animal Health and Food Safety, pictured here with First Lady Terry Ventura at an event at the Governor's Residence last April. The new Center fosters interdisciplinary collaborative initiatives with producers, food system industries and government agriculture and public health agencies in risk communication, quality control and health certification, and innovative outreach and graduate education.



The new spiral CT scanner enables rapid and accurate diagnosis of illness and injury. It is particularly useful in treatment planning for cancer surgeries.

Finances

Financial Highlights (FY 00-01)

How We Rank

Each year, the Association of American Veterinary Medical Colleges provides comparative data. The following are highlights of how the University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine ranks against its 27 peer colleges.

Rank Description

1	Number of dog patient visits to teaching hospital
1	Number of cat patient visits to teaching hospital
4	Teaching hospital revenue
4 (tie)	Number of Ph.D. degrees awarded
5	Total research grants
7	Total revenue
10	Revenue from tuition and fees
10	Cost of DVM tuition per year for state residents
11	Median level of educational debt for DVM students at graduation
17	Number of DVM students enrolled, classes 2001 – 2004
17	Number of faculty
17	Median faculty salary for full professor
20	Number of faculty paid with state funds
23	State appropriation

Source: AAVMC Comparative Data Report 2000-01

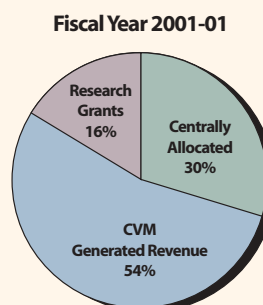
Sources of Revenue

CVM Generated Revenue	
Veterinary Teaching Hospital	\$11,710,324
Tuition	4,155,202
Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory	3,100,475
Sales & Service	3,250,910
Endowments & Gifts	1,872,671
Other	2,008,287
Subtotal	26,097,869
Centrally Allocated	
State Funding	9,136,651
State Special (VDL)	2,159,789
Ag & Experiment Station	1,739,300
MN Extension Service	344,692
Other	890,000
Subtotal	14,270,432
Research Grants	
National Institutes of Health	3,588,925
Private Industry	2,852,223
USDA	1,171,446
National Science Foundation	15,805
Other	109,907
Subtotal	7,738,306
TOTAL REVENUE	\$48,106,607

Expenditures

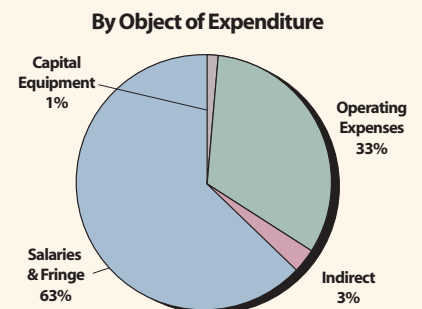
Faculty Salary/Department Support	\$8,525,637
Veterinary Teaching Hospital	12,555,258
Research	15,670,815
CVM Operations	2,959,891
Veterinary Diagnostic Lab	3,495,465
The Raptor Center/Outreach/Public Service	4,805,881
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$48,012,947

Sources of Revenue



Total Revenue \$48,106,607

Expenditures



Total Expenses \$48,012,947

Note: Each year the College of Veterinary Medicine publishes a detailed annual report. To request a copy of this 30+ page report, call 612-624-6244. Dr. Dale Sorensen, professor emeritus, compiles the report.

Helping Around the World and At Home

For Richard Huston (DVM, '63), giving is as natural as breathing. A veterinary consultant based in Faribault, Minn., Huston has participated in four Christian Veterinary Mission service trips, applying his expertise in large animal veterinary practice to help others by improving food production in developing countries. He took the trips—one each to Bolivia and Mongolia, and two to Romania—because he wanted to give something back.



Glenda and Richard Huston

Huston and his wife, Glenda Taylor, recently focused their philanthropy on building a strong future right here in Minnesota by endowing the Dr. Richard V. and Glenda Huston Scholarship Fund in the College of Veterinary Medicine. The fund provides support for third-year students pursuing a career in bovine medicine.

“My wife and I are both extremely interested in education,” he says. “We thought it would be good to give back to the profession and the College.”

Formerly part of a six-person mixed practice in Faribault, Huston turned to consulting after someone asked him to evaluate veterinary records for a legal case. Today he spends most of his work time advising others in business conflict resolution and product liability. But he’s always alert to opportunities to donate time or money where it’s needed.

“Being able to earn this kind of living is a gift,” he says. “We have an obligation to help others along the way.” ☒



Tom Steinbach

Greetings From Kosovo

“Howdy from Kosovo,” writes Tom Steinbach (DVM '99), a captain in the Army Veterinary Corps. “Things here are going pretty well. I can’t complain. We live in permanent structures, not tents. We have showers, gyms, Burger King, and a cappuccino bar (although it is no Starbucks). For a deployment, life isn’t too bad. Jobwise, I enjoy quite a bit of autonomy. I get to practice some medicine and surgery, but not enough . . . I thought I would enclose a ‘recruiting’ photo from Kosovo. Hope you enjoy it!” Steinbach, a former Navy pilot, is a native of Alexandria, Minn.



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From Veterinary Medicine

NEWS NEWS

New Projects Awarded Rapid Agricultural Response Funds

Each year, the Minnesota Legislature allocates money for agricultural research. Ten of 16 University research projects that received new funding involved animal health. Research projects underway within the College include: developing and disseminating “best practices” for use of drugs on Minnesota dairy farms; determining gene expression involved in resistance to Johne’s disease and identifying factors predisposing cows to Johne’s disease; and several studies dealing with the causes and prevention of avian pneumovirus.

A Golden Opportunity

The CVM’s first graduating class, the Class of 1951, held its 50th reunion in July. The informal event included a tour of the Minnesota Veterinary Historical Museum and a dinner.

Barcus earns alumni award



Kevin Barcus, left

Kevin Barcus (DVM ’86), president of the College of Veterinary Medicine Alumni Society, earned a University of Minnesota Alumni Association “Hats Off Award” Friday, September 14, at the association’s annual national awards ceremony. Barcus was cited for his work in rejuvenating the College’s alumni-student mentor program.

Symposium Coordinates Avian Pneumovirus Efforts

Avian pneumovirus has cost Minnesota turkey producers more than \$45 million in production losses. First identified in 1997 by CVM scientists, the disease has not been reported in any other major turkey producing states. To focus efforts on combating this disease, more than 55 poultry researchers, producers, and others from Minnesota and Georgia converged on the Twin Cities in September for a mini-symposium sponsored by the College of Veterinary Medicine.



Participants in the first ever Miracle of Birth exhibit at the Minnesota State Fair.

Twin Cities Hot Spot for Pets

The Twin Cities ranked second out of 50 Pet Healthiest Cities in America by the Purina Pet Institute’s Healthy Pets 21 Consortium. Criteria for the ranking included access to veterinary care, pet-related expenditures, and pet-friendly legislation. Among the factors cited as supporting Minneapolis’ designation is PetCARE, a pet owner information Web site sponsored in part by the College of Veterinary Medicine (www.petcare.umn.edu).

Miracle of Birth Thrills Fairgoers

Visitors to this year’s Minnesota State Fair had an opportunity to witness the birth of cows, pigs, and lambs at the Miracle of Birth Center, a new exhibit sponsored by the Minnesota Veterinary Medical Association, the College of Veterinary Medicine, and the Minnesota State FFA Association. The exhibit was cochaired by Florian Ledermann (DVM ’66) and Mary Olson (DVM ’76). Five veterinari-an students were on clinical rotation at the fair—assisting with births, talking with visitors, and conducting news media interviews.

Effectiveness of Commercial Disinfectants

Norwalk and Norwalk-like viruses cause as much as 40 percent of all food borne illnesses in the U.S. Commercial disinfectants are relied upon to decontaminate surfaces and equipment at food service establishments. Studies on the effectiveness of these disinfectants on Norwalk and Norwalk-like viruses had not been done because they could not be grown in cell culture systems. College of Veterinary Medicine researchers and colleagues at the School of Public Health recently conducted tests using a feline virus, which is similar to the human Norwalk virus. Seven commercial disinfectants for food-contact surfaces and three sanitizers for fruits and vegetables were tested against the feline calicivirus (FCV). None of the disinfectants were effective when used at the manufacturer's recommended concentration for 10 minutes, suggesting that FCV and perhaps the human Norwalk virus are very resistant to commercial disinfectants. This research appeared in the *Journal of Food Protection*.

APV Vaccine Minimizes Losses in Turkeys

Researchers developed and tested the efficacy of a live, attenuated vaccine against avian pneumovirus (APV). This virus causes a disease that has cost Minnesota turkey growers more than \$45 million in production losses in the last three years. When compared with unvaccinated flocks on the same farm from the previous year, the medication cost, total number of birds not accepted at the slaughterhouse, and mortality rates attributed to APV prior to slaughter were significantly lower in vaccinated flocks. The research was published in *Avian Diseases*.

Enzyme Deficiency Afflicts Quarter Horse Foals

College of Veterinary Medicine equine researchers, led by Stephanie Valberg, have identified a new genetic disease that is killing quarter horse foals by two months of age. Scientists examined seven related foals that died by seven weeks of age and obtained tissue samples from their mothers, half and full siblings to study the structure of glycogen and the two enzymes involved in its synthesis. The foals in the study were missing one of the enzymes necessary to form glycogen, the glycogen branching enzyme (GBE). Without sufficient glucose for energy metabolism, the newborn foals failed to thrive. It is vital to maintain glucose levels in newborns. The research, which is scheduled to appear in the *Journal of Veterinary Internal Medicine*, suggests that GBE deficiency may be a common cause of neonatal mortality in Quarter Horses that is obscured by the variety of clinical signs that resemble other equine neonatal diseases.

Alleviating Animal Pain

"In the past ten years, pain has become a recognizable and treatable condition for animals," says Elaine Robinson.

Recently, Robinson and graduate student, Mona Al-Gizawiy, began looking at post-operative pain in cats. They are conducting a study which compares a new injectable, non-steroid, anti-inflammatory drug with a commonly used analgesic. Up to 60 cats will be observed for 48 hours after an elective spaying operation. Researchers will evaluate signs of discomfort, eating and drinking behavior, posture, and physical items such as heart rate, breathing, and blood composition.

"You don't need to speak to show pain; animals show pain in many ways," says Robinson, who admits it has taken a lot of time to devise a scoring and grading system for animal pain.

Robinson is particularly interested in pain research involving cats. "Cats seem to show pain in different ways than dogs. While dogs might vocalize, and even be more aggressive, cats tend to become withdrawn and quiet. We are just starting to interpret these behaviors as a cat being in pain."



Elaine Robinson and Mona Al-Gizawiy

College News

The following faculty and graduate students passed board exams to become diplomates in the respective specialty colleges. **Jeffrey Bender**, diplomate, American College of Veterinary Preventive Medicine (ACVPM); **Christie Malazdrewich**, diplomate, American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (ACVIM); **Erica McKenzie**, diplomate, ACVIM; **Joni Scheftel**, diplomate, ACVPM; and **Jane Sykes**, diplomate, ACVIM. **Brian Husbands** passed the board exam and is preparing for the certifying exam for the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine.



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Tom Molitor has been named director of graduate studies for the veterinary medicine program and **Mark Rutherford** has been named director of graduate studies for the molecular veterinary biosciences program...**Carl Osborne** was named 2001 recipient of the Hill's Career Achievement Award for significant advancements in the field of veterinary nephrology and urology...**John Osborne** received the Student AVMA Teaching Excellence Award for Basic Sciences.

Alumni News

Bonnie Beaver (DVM '68) has been elected chair of the American Veterinary Medical Association executive board. Beaver is a professor in the Department of Small Animal Medicine and Surgery at Texas A&M University College of Veterinary Medicine... **René Carlson (DVM '78)** has been reelected secretary of the American Veterinary Medical Foundation...**Charles Casey (DVM '63)** has been named dean and director of the University of Minnesota Extension Service...**Janet Donlin (DVM '81)** received the American Veterinary Medical Association President's Award for her leadership during the organizational and developmental phase of the National Commission on Veterinary Economic Issues... **Delmar R. Finco (DVM '59)** received the Robert W. Kirk Award from the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine...**John Komarek (DVM '58)** was honored for his contributions to saving wetlands at a ceremony held at the Minnesota State Fair in August...**Ralph Palmer (DVM '52)** received a Distinguished Alumnus Award from South Dakota State University in recognition for his many years of service to the livestock industry of South Dakota.



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In Memoriam

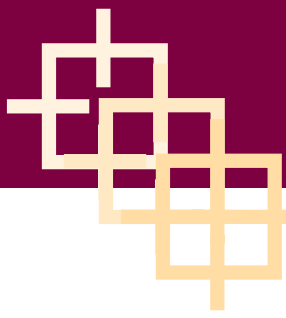


Lloyd Van Pelt (DVM '59) died in May. A diplomate of the American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine, Van Pelt had served as chief of veterinarian services with Harbor-UCLA Medical Center and director of the Center for Experimental Animal Resources at Northwestern University.

Bertram Berg (DVM '66) died of a heart attack on September 13 at his home in Hettinger N.D. He is the first person in his class to die and classmates are coordinating a class gift in his name to support a student interested in a food animal career. For more information on the gift, contact Kathleen McLaughlin at 612-624-1247.

Liz Wirt-Victor (DVM '99) died on Thursday, September 20.

Wesley Anderson (DVM '51) of Arvada, Colorado, died peacefully on October 2. After 12 years in private practice, he returned to the U of M to receive his Ph.D. He went on to become head of the Veterinary Anatomy Department at the University of Saskatoon, Canada, and then The Ohio State University.



College of Veterinary Medicine Donors

The College of Veterinary Medicine extends a sincere thank you to all the individuals, corporations and foundations that made a contribution between July 1, 2000 and June 30, 2001.

Individual Contributions

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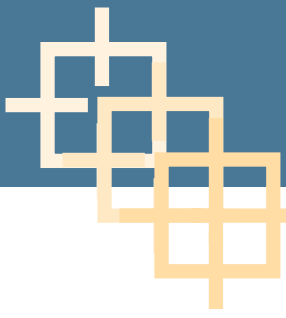
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Butch, pet of Bonnie Storm given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Buttons, pet of Doug and Lynda Ramier given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Buzzer, pet of Karen Kelly given by West Village Vet Hospital

C J, pet of Claude Shirts given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

C. G., pet of Robert and Mary McDougall given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Caedmon, given by Mary Ann Saurino

Cairo, pet of William Blake given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Calico, pet of Irja Strautmanis given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Calico, pet of Gay Young given by West Village Vet Hospital

Callie, pet of Ginnie Brandstrom and Brian Crossley given by Crossroads Animal Hospital

Casey, pet of Diane Sullivan given by Animal Health Practice

Casey, pet of Gloria Buhaug given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Casey, pet of The Moreshi Family given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Casper, pet of Kim Pahl and Family given by Crossroads Animal Hospital

Cass, pet of Cindy Beaver given by East Valley Animal Clinic



Bird, pet of Ralph and Youwadee Green given by Monticello-Big Lake Pet Hospital

Bitsy, pet of Peggy Miller and Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic

Black Kittah, pet of Elaine Burt given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Bobo, pet of Mr. and Mrs. John Eng given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Boe, pet of Dr. Jane Armstrong given by Tom and Julie Munsey

Bondo, pet of Steve Paul given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Cassandra and Pagan, pet of Elaine Beaty given by Felines and Ferns Catsitting Service

Cassie, pet of Ron and Ann Wood given by Dr. Angela Greco

Cassie, pet of Jack and Joan Glover given by Equine/Small Animal Medical Center

Cassie, pet of Amy Grossman given by West Village Vet Hospital

Casumere, pet of Robert Lee Morris given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Caviar, pet of Ruth Cohen given by West Village Vet Hospital

Cesar, pet of The Zeimet Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic

Cesar, pet of James and Sharon Dow given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Celia, pet of George Watson given by West Village Vet Hospital

Celine, pet of Alexis Rockman given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Cervantes, pet of Gary and Ivana Croghan given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Champ, pet of Arlen, Patty, Dan and Scott Bjorklund given by Larry and Carol Bjorklund

Charco, pet of Richard Fawver given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Charco, given by Richard and Jenean Fawver

Charlee, pet of Jesse and Kristine Smith given by West Village Vet Hospital

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Chase Manhattan and Smiley, given by Patricia Lewis

Chaugo, pet of Elizabeth and David Browne given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Chaz, pet of Marcia Cutting given by East Valley Animal Clinic

Chelsea, pet of Nick and Natalie Lastavich and Family given by Monticello-Big Lake Pet Hospital

Chelsea, pet of Lisa Hazel given by West Village Vet Hospital

Chelsee, pet of Joseph Sipos given by West Village Vet Hospital

Chester, pet of Crystal Kirgiss given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Chester, pet of John and Judy Bridell given by Patricia A. Lewis

Chester, pet of Vivian Scholl given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Chester, pet of Robin Dichtenberg and Family given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Chester, pet of Robin Dichtenberg and Family given by West Village Vet Hospital

Chewie, pet of Grace Rafferty given by East Valley Animal Clinic

Chewy, pet of Linda Hupf given by Sontag Animal Medical Center

Chi Chi, pet of Duane Dann given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Chipper, pet of Ken and Ann Shroyer given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Chippie, pet of Richard and Jan Waldie given by East Valley Animal Clinic

Chloe, pet of Marcy Pavlo and Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic

Chloe, pet of Tony Hansen given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Chloe, pet of Beverly Markis and Jim Palmquist given by Kathleen McLaughlin and Jeff Klausner

Chloe, pet of Ruby Packard given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Chloe, pet of Pamela Gordon given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Cindy, pet of Wanda and Brent Olson given by Monticello-Big Lake Pet Hospital

Cinnamon, pet of Steve Christopherson given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Circe, pet of Bernice Cortelle given by West Village Vet Hospital

Clancy, pet of Tim and Kathy Shea given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Cleo, pet of Jean and Ed Olsen given by Arcade Animal Hospital

Cleo, pet of Scott Clark and Paul David Stanko given by Arcade Animal Hospital

Cleo, pet of Terry Nelson given by Hudson Road Animal Hospital

Cleo, pet of Elaine Burt given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Cleo, pet of Mark Kogan given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Cleo, pet of Michael Morris given by West Village Vet Hospital

Coal House, pet of Craig Zehms given by West Village Vet Hospital

Coalie, pet of Dan and Julie Mostem given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Coco, pet of Kay Blanchard given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Coco, pet of Michael and Lisa Ackerman given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Coco, pet of Craig Marks given by West Village Vet Hospital

Coconut, pet of Dawn Preston given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Cody, pet of Michael and Wendy Holman given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital

Coffee Bean, pet of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hilson given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Collage, pet of Patti Carpenter given by West Village Vet Hospital

Columbus, pet of Jeremy Broughton given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Comet, pet of Nancy Dickerson given by Monticello-Big Lake Pet Hospital

Conna Marra, pet of Virginia and Martin Sheridan given by West Village Vet Hospital

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Corky, pet of Bud Sawka given by Arcade Animal Hospital

Cowboy, given by James and Darleen Cassidy

Cowboy, pet of Deborah Trisman given by West Village Vet Hospital

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Cream Puff, pet of Clare Waterhouse given by West Village Vet Hospital

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Cricket, pet of Grace Fitzgerald given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

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Cuca, pet of Elaine Cecula given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

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D. J., pet of James Czaja given by Animal Health Practice

Daisy, pet of Mary Mumert given by Monticello-Big Lake Pet Hospital

Dakota, pet of Amy and Mike Vandelinde given by Edinburgh Pet Hospital

Dalton and Hank, pet of Joel Schneider given by Apache Animal Hospital

Dane, pet of Tim and Pam Robeck given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Danny, pet of Martin and Judith Mueller given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Dasha, given by Elizabeth Weyerhaeuser

Dexter, given by James and Irene Bohn

Dick, pet of Kelly and Deb Shannon given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Dickens, pet of Cathy Bentham given by Monticello-Big Lake Pet Hospital

Digby, pet of Chris Alexander given by West Village Vet Hospital

Digger, pet of Elizabeth Lehn given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Dinah, pet of Andrew Leonard given by West Village Vet Hospital

DoDo, pet of Jennifer Ma given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Doll, pet of Ed De Sautis given by West Village Vet Hospital

Dolly, pet of Marie Bonsoque given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

Domino, pet of Jeanne Dahnke given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Donavon, pet of Roseanne Arntz given by East Valley Animal Clinic

Doogie, pet of Leon and Sally Pitzen given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital

Dorie, pet of Robert Gilsdorf given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital



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- Dorothy, given by Susan M. Brucklacher
- Duchess, pet of Dean Mickelson given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Duchess, pet of Tim Ronning given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Duchess, pet of Thomas and Karen Klein given by Rice Pet Clinic
- Dudley, pet of Patricia Olson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Duke, pet of Kevin and Ann McLaughlin given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Duke, pet of Joseph and Diane Grill given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Duke, pet of Patrick Holt given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Duke, pet of Kevin and Denise Plotz given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Duke, pet of Win and Laura Shen given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Duncan, pet of Nancy Moore given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Duncan, pet of Nancy Moore given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Dustin, pet of The Ramstad Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
- Dusty, pet of Karen Rainville given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Dusty, pet of Phillip and Julie Viet given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Dusty, pet of Betsy Smith given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Dusty, pet of Joe and Michelle Bechel given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Dutch, pet of Steve and Evelyn Mohlke given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Dutch, pet of Vincent Messina given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Dutchess, pet of Kevin Pull given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
- Dutchess, pet of James Mistelske given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Dutchess, pet of Cos and Sue Stondzia given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Ebony, pet of Robert Hansen given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Eddie, pet of Nancy Cole given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
- Eddie, pet of Judy Ward given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Eddie Larose, pet of John Craig given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Edgar, pet of Nicole Palumbo given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
- Elektra, pet of Roger Katz given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
- Eliot, pet of Tim Kessler given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Ellie, pet of Scott and Sue Schwartz given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Emily, pet of Carl and Kristen Chan given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Emma, pet of Tom Fritz given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Eros, pet of Gwen Sperling given by Animal Health Practice
- Evie, pet of Randy Antes given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
- Fala, pet of Diane Pflipsen given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
- Fanny, pet of The Alexander Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
- Fantasia, pet of Kim Miner given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Fatman, pet of Nicodemus Giannelli given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Faunus, pet of Phyllis Collins given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Fay, pet of Dr. Betty Kramek given by Rita Miller
- Fay, pet of Dr. Betty Kramek given by The Staff at the VTH
- Ferdinand, pet of John Hall given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Fernand, pet of David Bonnou Vrier given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Fleck, pet of Brad and Michele Schmidt given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Fortuna, pet of Alan Showe given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Fossey, pet of Peg Flanagan given by Dr. Angela Greco
- Francis, given by Frank and Kirsten Loiseaux-Purcell
- Francis, given by Maggie and Ron Thompson
- Freckles, pet of Julie Johnson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Fred, pet of Robin and Steven Jewett given by Companion Animal Hospital
- Fred, pet of Helen DuPont given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Frisky, pet of Sue Young given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Fritz, pet of The Simi Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
- Fritz, pet of Craig McElroy given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Frog, pet of Rich Rowley given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Fuzzy, pet of Evelyn Rudahl given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
- Gabby, pet of Lloyd Kagin given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Gander, pet of Howard Rower given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Gata, pet of Dan Flynn given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Gelsey, pet of Barbara Pokras given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
- George, pet of Wynkoop Blair given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Giacomo, pet of Rebecca Moore given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Gin and Miko, pet of Terry O'Bryan and Mark Hyland given by Prior Lake Pet Hospital
- Gina, pet of Don Koosman given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Ginger, pet of Dan and Nancy Casada given by Crossroads Animal Hospital
- Ginger, pet of David Daggett given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Gizmo, pet of Brian and Sandy Cooper given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Gizmo, given by James and Nora Ritter
- Goldfinger, pet of Barry Sollom given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Goldie, pet of Allan Witthoeft given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Goona, pet of Dan Wasserman given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Gorky, pet of Peter Girardi given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Gozer, pet of Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jacobson given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
- Gozer, pet of Jennifer Jacobson given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Gracie, pet of Tom Cambridge given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Grant, pet of Geneva Carr given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Gretchen, pet of John and Mary Freeman given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Gretchen, pet of Dallas and Susan Nelson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Gretchen, pet of The Yant Family given by John Arnold and Barbara Meredith
- Gregory, pet of Becky and Craig VanNieter given by The Equine/Small Animal Medical Center
- Grover, pet of Gena Hegelman and Family given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Guido, pet of Mrs. Dallas Flynn given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Gulliver, pet of Elizabeth Brown given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Gus, pet of Greg Johnson given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Gus, pet of Nicholas Nash given by Ed Kosciolk
- Gus, pet of Jules Nelkin given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Gypsy, pet of Nancy Smith given by East Valley Animal Clinic
- Halcyon, pet of William Stephens given by West Village Vet Hospital
- Hallway, pet of Karen Pearlman given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Hamlet, pet of Claudia Bogdanos given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
- Handsome, pet of Linda Yellen given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Hank, pet of Robert and Beverly Robinson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Hannah, pet of Tim and Mary Dallman given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Hanz, pet of The Stoerzinger Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
- Happi, pet of Carolyn Blaney given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Harlow, pet of Monique Gibson given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Harold, pet of Andrea Johnson given by Hudson Road Animal Hospital
- Harold, pet of Elaine Sabol given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
- Harriet, pet of Phil and Fran Johnson given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
- Heckle, pet of Paul LaRocca given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Hector, pet of Janice Stucky given by Heritage Pet Hospital
- Heidi, pet of Duane Brownlee given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Heidi, pet of Larry and Sue Mattson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Heidi, pet of Craig and Michelle Johnson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Heidi, pet of Linda O'Brien given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Henry, pet of Nancy Schmidt given by West Village Vet Hospital
Hera, pet of Dwight Heil given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Hershey, pet of Rick Lynch given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Hey Guy, given by Jerry and Jacqueline Powell
Heywood, pet of Pat Mangan given by West Village Vet Hospital
Hilde, pet of Dr. Aafeldt given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Hilde, pet of Samantha Teschendorf given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Hobbess, pet of Ellen Wong and Family given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Holly, pet of Lemal Edwards given by West Village Vet Hospital
Homer, pet of Barb Faust and Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Honey, pet of Thomas and Jo Ellen Ehrsam given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Hope, pet of Jerry Neren given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Huckleberry, pet of Jan Horsfall given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Iggy, pet of William Zerfuss given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Ingaborg, given by Noreen and Dennis Gilberts
Irene, pet of Elizabeth Alford given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Iris, pet of Diana Tschida given by Arcade Animal Hospital
Ivan, pet of Kim Jurkovic given by West Village Vet Hospital
Jack, pet of John and Sally Miller given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital

Jade, pet of Kevin Schroder given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
Jake, pet of Todd and Christie Boit given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Jake, pet of The Dostal Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Jake, pet of Marsha Schultz given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Jake, pet of Jeff and Paige Alexander given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Jake, pet of Don and Charlotte Timm given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Jasmin, pet of Larry and Kathy Quimby given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Jasmine, pet of Ruth Thomas given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Jasper, pet of Jerry and Wilma Hanson given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Jee, pet of Owen Morrel given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Jeff, pet of Robert Dannenberg given by West Village Vet Hospital
Jenny, pet of Tim and Sally Griffin given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
Jenny, pet of Irma Hurley given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Jer, pet of Paschal and Sharon Hammond given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Jessica, pet of Rebecca Holden given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Jessie, pet of Eric and Dee Voldal given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Jessie, pet of Ron and Charleen Huber given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Jet, pet of Jerry Simison given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Jet, pet of The Bender Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Jet, pet of Jim and Pat Glatzmaier given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Jetta, pet of Steve and Jennifer Ommen given by Heritage Pet Hospital

Joey, pet of Sal Esposito given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Josie, pet of Jim Quailley given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Josie, pet of Don Clark given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Josie, pet of Katie and Marc Friedman given by Monticello-Big Lake Pet Hospital
Josie, pet of Michelle Andriani given by West Village Vet Hospital
Judy, pet of Brian Ales given by West Village Vet Hospital
Juma, pet of Michelle Gerson given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Junior, pet of Alair Townsend given by West Village Vet Hospital
Jupiter, pet of Alan Anderson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Jupiter, pet of Laurence Waltman given by West Village Vet Hospital
K. C., pet of The Cegla Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Kafka, pet of Gabrielle Hamill given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Kahla, pet of Bob and Lavonne Nelson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
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Kaiser, pet of Gary Smith given by Heritage Pet Hospital
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Kamikaze, pet of Dennis and Laurel Scalfe given by Heritage Pet Hospital
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Kody, given by Dorothy Larson
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Lara, pet of Sue Borgert given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
Laredo, pet of Jan Hashey given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Latoka, pet of Richard Peterson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
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Layla, pet of Ally Hyun given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
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Liberty, pet of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth D'Auria given by Animal Health Practice
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Lily, pet of Kenna Thompson given by West Village Vet Hospital
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Lucy, pet of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vogt given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Lucy, pet of Phyllis Deer given by Equine/Small Animal Medical Center
Lucy, pet of John Daly given by West Village Vet Hospital
Lyle, pet of Judd and Cindy Sheppard given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Mac, pet of Dan Schnur given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Macharana, pet of Dee Miller given by Arcade Animal Hospital
Macho Son, given by James and Debra Shimon

Maddie and Schnautzie, given by Jerry Workman
Madison, pet of Jan Horsfall given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Madison, pet of Frank Morty given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
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Maestro Feisto, pet of Link Yaco and Susannah Juni given by West Village Vet Hospital
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Maggie, pet of Linda and Jeff Leitheiser given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Maggie, pet of Donna Broin given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Maggie, pet of Mrs. Jodi Socoloff-Velarde given by West Village Vet Hospital
Magi, pet of Sally Kelsey given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
Magic, pet of Scott Schneider given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
Magic, pet of John and Mary Walter given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Magnum, pet of Win and Laura Shen given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Mandy, pet of Ellen Thrower given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
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Mandy, pet of Dr. Julie Churchill given by Phil and Cheryl Durante
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Massimo, pet of The Pangburn Family given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital

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Max, pet of Ellen Meyer given by Animal Health Practice
Max, given by Barbara J. Westerbur
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Max, pet of Scott Neil given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Max, pet of Kathleen Byer given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Max, pet of Erika Olson given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Max, given by Gary and Rossellyn Vidlock
Max, pet of Deborah Iniguez given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Max, pet of Hugh and Christy Dwyer given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Max, pet of Jaffe Miatelle given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Max, pet of Nury Sanchez given by West Village Vet Hospital
Maxi, pet of Rocio Sanz given by West Village Vet Hospital
Maxine, pet of Gary and Carol Barnum given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Maxwell, pet of Beverly Smith given by Battery Park Veterinary Hospital
May, pet of Dick and Molly Pingel given by Heritage Pet Hospital
May, pet of Wayne and Kris Roen given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Maya, pet of Stan and Sarah Gruska given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Meggie, given by Sally Booth
Mei Mei, pet of Ginger Miles given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Mekia, pet of The Newton Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Memphis, pet of Turid Meeker given by West Village Vet Hospital
Menina, pet of Jamie MacAuther given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Meow Meow, pet of David Dowling given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
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Mia, given by Christine Mistretta
Micha, pet of Neil Kramer given by West Village Vet Hospital
Mickey, given by Armand and Marie Maanum
Mickey, pet of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Colby given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Mickey, pet of Robert Westlake given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Mickey, pet of Ken and Marsha Swanton-Plummer given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Mickey, pet of Maryte Murphy given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Mickie, pet of Marlene Evenson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Midget, pet of Joan Erpelding given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
Midnight, pet of Linda Vidich-Stein given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Mighty, pet of Maureen Mahoney given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Mik, pet of Jim and Linda Malec given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Mike, pet of Robert and Karla Brunett given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Miles, pet of Mike and Melissa Hjalmerin given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Millie, pet of The David Raven Family given by Arcade Animal Hospital
Millie, pet of Rebecca Antoniou given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Milo, pet of Deborah McTigue given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Milo, pet of Steve Wada given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Mindy, pet of Chris Dow given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Minina, pet of Eliana Villafuerte-Bednarek given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Minx, pet of Carol Jokinen given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Mishe, pet of David Fisher given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Mishka, pet of Sanford and Deborah Hirsch given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Missy, pet of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Gilbertson given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital

Missy, pet of Lyle and Shirley Fisher given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Missy and Sitka, pet of Sharon Lethersen and Ambrose Knuz given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
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Misty, pet of Pam Mills given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Misty, pet of The Havrilla's given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Misty, pet of Jim and Mary Lee Matthes given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Misty, pet of Arlyn and Linda Ward given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Misty, given by Shirley Stark
Misty and Terra, pet of Sandy Greene given by Animal Health Practice
Mitzi, pet of David Gervai given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Mo, pet of Nancy and Denny Jensen given by East Valley Animal Clinic
Mocha, pet of Dennis and Terri McKenzie given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Mollie, pet of Randy and Julie Buhr given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
Mollie Lucrista, given by Jean Guyer
Molly, pet of Bill and Sue Ryan given by Animal Health Practice
Molly, pet of Jane Bleichner given by Cold Spring Veterinary Hospital
Molly, pet of Mr. and Mrs. James Salness given by Detroit Lakes Animal Hospital
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Molly Malone, given by Jenna Rasmussen
Mona, pet of Mitsuko Leite given by Tribeca Soho Animal Hospital
Moon, pet of Susan and Alan Mortensen and Family given by The Equine/Small Animal Medical Center
Moose, pet of Travis and Marlene Elmertson given by Heritage Pet Hospital
Mooshou, pet of Tracie Hathaway and Family given by East Valley Animal Clinic
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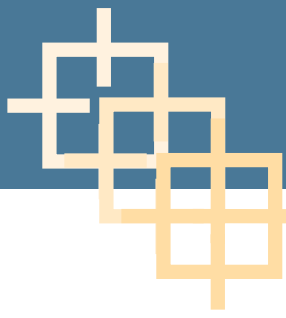
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Staff News

Swanson Named Outreach Director

Jan Swanson has been named Director of the College's outreach programs after serving as interim director. "Jan has played a major role in the development of numerous activities, and under her leadership, Outreach Programs have been widely recognized for their high quality content and service to the community," says Dean Jeff Klausner.

Molgaard Named Associate Dean

Laura Molgaard has been named Associate Dean for Academic and Student Affairs. She completed a DVM degree at Iowa State University in 1991 and was in private practice in Athens, PA, before moving to Minnesota. She served as an instructor at the Minnesota School of Health Sciences for five years prior to joining the College of Veterinary Medicine in 1997 as a clinical instructor in the Small Animal Clinical Sciences Department.

Hospitals Name New Administrator

Barbara J. Klick was named administrator of the Veterinary Teaching Hospitals in August. Formerly assistant vice president of operations for Hennepin Faculty Associates, a Minneapolis physician group, Klick is a registered nurse and holds two degrees in business administration. She also worked as associate director of trauma services for Hennepin County Medical Center.

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One Hundred Years and Counting:

A New Future for Old Anatomy?



Old Anatomy, the ivy-covered brick two-story building on the corner of Gortner and Fitch, has had generations of students studying veterinary medicine cross its threshold. Built in 1901 to serve the growing

interest in veterinary medicine, it is now the oldest building on the St. Paul campus.

When the College of Veterinary Medicine was established in 1947, the building became the home of the new college.

“It WAS the college when we were freshmen. That was it,” says Glen Nelson (CVM ’51), professor emeritus and member of the college’s first graduating class. Since then, Old Anatomy has been home to the Veterinary Medical Library, the Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory, the Raptor Center, and its current tenant, the Wildlife Rehabilitation Center.

In 1997, Old Anatomy was put on a list of buildings proposed for decommissioning, but a recently released assessment shows it to be structurally repairable as well as architecturally and historically significant.

Old Anatomy is likely the last remaining structure on campus designed by well-known architect Charles R. Aldrich, according to Jim Litsheim, the University architect who headed the assessment. Constructed of yellow Chaska brick with a unique circular room, the building offers a valuable perspective on the materials and design ideas of the times. If it is not demolished, Litsheim expects it to make the National Register of Historic Places.

“It’s a little gem architecturally,” he says. “We’re suggesting it be used as office classroom space, particularly for administrative offices for the College of Veterinary Medicine.”

College facilities manager, Ed Kosciolek, says he hears a lot of support for the proposal.

“It would be great for the College to go back to its original home. Think of the impression such a stately and historic place would make on visitors,” he says.

Kosciolek says economics argues for the rehabilitation, too. New construction would cost 20 percent more than revamping Old Anatomy. Relocating administrative offices would free up space for laboratories, classrooms, or additional faculty offices. ☞

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