19 Lancaster County FFA Members Get Keystone Degree

Nineteen Lancaster County FFA students have been named to receive the Keystone Farmer degree in conjunction with the 55th Pennsylvania Farm Show in Harrisburg next week.

The Keystone degree cannot go to more than one farm boy in 50 in Pennsylvania. A total of 181 Keystone degrees will be granted this year in the Forum of the Education Building at the Farm Show Wednesday

The Keystone Farmer degree is the highest FFA degree at the state level and 1s awarded for outstanding achievement in agriculture and in rural life.

Henry Givler, area FFA agricultural supervisor, reported that each Keystone Farmer must have satisfactorily completed at least two years of instruction in vocational agriculture, demonstrated marked leadership, earned and invested at least \$500 productively and attained satisfactory achievement in improving the farm's efficiency or his home Ly farm's comfort.

The names and addresses of the 19 Lancaster County Keystone winners by school are as follows.

Eastern Lancaster County High School (New Holland) Alvin Schlouch, Narvon RD1; Robert W. Campbell, Narvon RD2: Larry Horst, Leola RD1; Jacob Musser, East Earl RD1. and Carl Weaver, New Holland RD1.

Schlouch was also named Region II Star Agribusiness winner

Ephrata High School-Marlın Bollinger, Denver RD2, Thomas A. Bollinger, Lititz RD4; Clark R Stauffer, Ephrata RD1, and Jay C. Zimmerman, Ephrata, . RD1

Solanco High School-Roger L. Campbell, Kirkwood RD1; Thomas D. Huber, Peach Bottcm; Carl D. Kreider, Quarryville RD1; and Scott J Kreider, Quarryville RD1.

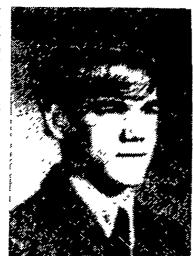
Manheim Central High School -Wilmer Groff, Manneim RD4, and Dale Nolt. Manheim RD1

Warwick High School - Ken neth E. Grube, 917 Pine Hill Road, Lititz, and Gerald Lee Martin, Lititz.

Penn Manor High School -William Landis, Lancaster RD6, and Donald W Witmer, Washington Boro RD1

Bairy Gordon Dunn, Cochranville RD2, of Octorara High School, also was named from Chester County

In addition, Cloister FFA Chapter of Ephrata High School is the Pennsylvania Proficiency Award Winner in Chapter Farm Safety for the 1969-70 year and will receive recognition at the Farm Show The chapter received a gold medal in safety at the National FFA Convention the past summer in Kansas City as the Pennsylvania safety award chapter.



Clark Stauffer Cloister Chapter

Active in sports, he was a member of the Ephrata Soccer team in 1968 and 1969 He is a member of the Lancaster County 4-H Baby Beef and Lamb



Thomas D. Huber Solanco Chapter

Thomas D. Huber

Thomas David Huber, son of Mr. and Mis David S Huber, Peach Bottom, served as treasurer of the Solanco FFA Chapter His projects consists of Holstein cows, feeding hogs and corn

He is now farming in partner- Conservation District He is ship with his father and biother currently seiving as president of James. The family herd consists the Warwick FFA Chapter He ot 135 head, including 89 cows is a member of the National and 46 heifers and calves which Honor Society, and will be atare owned by Tom and Jim

Britain Presbyterian Church

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Martin participated in county FFA area, regional and state public speaking contests He has at participant in the public speaktended farmer cooperative in-ing contest and a local and stitutes on the county, state and county participant in the parlianational level He attended the mentary procedure contests He 1969 National FFA Convention has been a member of both the as a Chapter representative,

Hc is a member of the National Honor Society and has played or, the baseball team He plans to attend Penn State University and majoi in Agricultural Education

Ken Grube

Kenneth Grube is the son of Weaverland Mennonite Church Mr and Mrs Elmer D Grube, 917 Pine Hill Road, Lititz His

farming programs have consister of veal calves, three pureb.ed Guernseys, sheep, tobacco and field corn

Concentrating on the dairy animals, he has participated in local and state shows

He attended the National Convention in 1969 and has participated in many local and state judging contests He has also taken part in parlimentary procedure, being president of the team as a freshman and junior.

He is a junior director of the Lancaster County Soil and Water



Ken Grube Warwick Chapter

tending Delaware Valley Col-Tom is a member of the Little lege of Science and Agriculture, majoring in Dairy Science.

Carl Weaver

vice president of the County the Grassland FFA Chapter and as a delegate to the County

> Weaver has been a county local and state FFA chorus He was winner of the chain gilt and has shown hogs at Lancaster

His present farming program consists of thice sows 25 fattening swine, one heifei 20 veal calves, and 2 000 breeden chickens

He is also active in the Ephrata Mennonite Choius and is a member of the youth group at



Scott Kreider Solanco Chapter

Scott Kreider

Scott Kreider, son of Mi and Mrs Allen Kreider. Quairyville RD1, is serving as president of the Solanco FFA Chapter and has served as chaplain

His FFA piojects consist of five Holstein dairy animals, five acres of wheat, five acres of coin and five acies of alfalfa He has also grown tobacco and tomatoes during his FFA years

The home faim consists of 470 acres plus 120 acres of rented land They are presently milking 107 Holstein cows He 15 a member of the Mechanics Giove Chuich of the Biethien

Alvin Schlouch

and Mrs Alvin Schlouch Si, delegate Naivon RD1, recently was named Regional Star Agribusi- won awards at the Ephrata Farm nessman

Foundation Award for Farm Livestock Exposition At the Mechanics and the FFA Foun- Ephiata Fair, he won the Chapdation Award for Agribusiness ter and area tractor driving con-Carl Weaver son of Mr and He is working on a dairy farm tests Mrs John M Weaver, New Hol- after school and full time in the land RD1, was a local delegate summer. His work involves to the National FFA Convention milking cows. driving tractor, at Kansas City He has served as driving truck, plowing, general field work and most other types of work done on the farm He is winner of the local, county, and area tractor driving contests and was a finalist in the state tractor driving contest He also won the local, county Mr and Mrs Raymond Campand area small gas engine contests and was silver medal winner in the small gas engine contest at Penn State. He was a participant in the



Alvin Schlouch Grassland Chapter

state record book contest, attended the State FFA Convention for two years and was a local delegate to the National FFA Convention

Tom Bollinger

Tom Bolhnger, son of Mr and Mrs Abram Bollinger Lititz RD4, is a twelfth glade member of the Cloister FFA Chapter. He 15 Chapter president and was County FFA secretary

Last year, he was named Star Chapter Farmer This summer he won a silver medal in dairy judging at the State FFA Convention at Penn State. Last year, he attended the National



Tom Bollinger **Cloister Chapter**

Alvin Schlouch Ji, son of Mr FFA Convention as a chapter

He has shown his livestock and Show, district and state dairy He is recipient of the FFA shows and the Pennsylvania

Clark Stauffer

A senior member and sentinel of the Cloister FFA Chapter, Clark Stauffer is the son of t Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stauffer, Ephrata RD1.

Last year he won a gold medal in meats judging at the State FFA Convention and went on to win a silver medal at the National FFA Convention

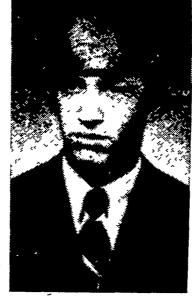
His farming program includes 115 market hogs, three market lambs, one angus steer, five acies of field coin and one acre of tobacco.

He has shown his animals at

the Ephrata Fair, the Pennsyl-Gerald Martin is a son of Mr vania Livestock Exposition and and Mrs Amos Z Maitin, Lititz the State Farm Show, winning His farming program consists of several awards. Last year, he veal calves, sheep, hogs, and won an Angus steer the Ephrata coin He is vice president of the

Jaycees annually award a member of the Cloister Chapter.

both chaplain and secretary in



Carl Weaver Grassland Chapter

His farming piogiam includes: four registered Holstein cows, one Angus steer, five Hampshire breeding sheep, three market lambs, 10 acres of field corn and one-half acre of tobacco

Roger Campbell

Rogel Campbell is the son of bell, Kırkwood RD1. His farming program includes two Holstein cows, veal calves, corn and small grains He lives on a (Continued on Page 22)

