



Other Foundation award winners at the Annual Parents and Sons night of the Cloister FFA were, (left to right) John

Weaver, Paul Horning, Barry Wissler, Jay Kreider, Richard Groff and James Felpel.



Cloister FFA President Rick Pfautz was honored with a Keystone Farmer degree at the Cloister chapter Annual Banquet. FFA advisor Kenneth Hoover made the presentation.

There was one Keystone Farmer degree presented. It went to chapter president Rick Pfautz. The Keystone degree is the highest award at the state level and is awarded to no more than two percent of the state FFA members.

An honorary farmers degree was presented to Richard Dean of Ephrata for his assistance to the chapter. The Outstanding Service Award was given to Ray Buch of

Akron who is an area dealer in farm machinery.

Recognized for receiving state project book medals for their enterprise books were Dale Martin, Nelson Weaver, Marlin Smoker, Richard Bollinger, Rick Pfautz, Paul Horning, John Weaver, Daniel Horning, and Melvin Weiler.

Richard Warren of Lancaster gave a slide presentation on the Covered bridges of Lancaster County.

Cloister FFA Parent-Son Night

The Cloister FFA Chapter held its Tenth Annual Parent and Son Banquet at Ephrata High School

on Friday, April 7. Michael Bollinger was toastmaster and feature of the program was the presentation of a number of awards.

Foundation awards were presented to Gerald Musser, Agriculture Mechanics; Dale Martin, Agri-business; Rick Pfautz, Crop farming; Paul Horning, Dairy farming; Russel Kline, Livestock farming; James Felpel, Ornamental horticulture; Dan Horning, Placement in Ag production; Melvin Weiler, Poultry farming; Michael Weaver, Natural resource development; Jay Kreider, Soil & Water

Prune Roses

When new shoots appear on roses, it is time to prune them, remind Extension ornamental horticulturists at Pennsylvania State University. Remove old wood and dead wood to keep the plant young and vigorous. Do not prune climbers and rambler roses until after they have bloomed or you will remove flower buds.

Management; Barry Wissler, Star Green Hand; John Weaver, Chapter Star farmer.



There were thirteen Foundation awards presented at the Annual Parent & Sons Banquet of the Cloister FFA chapter. Winners included, (left to right) Russel

Kline, Dale Martin, Melvin Weiler, Mike Bollinger, Daniel Horning, Gerald Musser and Rick Pfautz.



Greetings from the State FFA were brought by Jay Zimmerman, State Vice-President of Region Two.

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