4-H Calendar

Sunday, July 23

11:30 p.m. - Silver Spurs 4-H Horse and Pony Club Show, Lancaster County Riding and Tennis Club.

2 p.m. - County Council Road Rally, Farm and Home Center.

Monday, July 24 9 a.m. — Mount Joy Busy Bakers 4-H Cooking Club, St. Mark's Methodist Church.

9 a.m. - Mount Joy 4-H Sewing, Knitting and Cooking Club, St. Mark's Methodist Church. Strasburg Merri-Maids Sewing

and Cooking Club, Martin Mylin Junior High School.

Tuesday, July 25

9 a.m. - Lancaster County 4-H Dairy Club Roundup, Guernsey Sales Pavilion, July 25 - 26. 9 a.m. - Mount Joy 4-H Sewing, Knitting and Cooking Club, St. Mark's Methodist Church.

Thursday, July 27 Pequea Valley 4-H Sewing Club fashion show.

Friday, July 28 Pequea Valley 4-H Sewing Club picnic, New Holland Park.



Gary Dean, right, present County Council president, presented 4-H pen and pencil sets to Ray Brubaker, left, past Agriculture

County Council president, and Peggy **Hamilton, Home Economics County Council** president.

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4-H County Council Plan Future Activities

The July 4-H County Council meeting was held last Monday night at the Charles Mevers Black and White Holstein Barn. North Carolina and Michigan 4-H'ers were guests of the County Council for the meeting and square dance that followed. Heat and humidity chased the square dance outdoors where a good time was had by all.

County Council is having a Road Rally on Sunday, July 23. It will start at the Farm and Home Center at 2 p.m. Any 4-H'ers and friends are invited.

A 4-H skating party will be held at Overlook Skating Rink August 30. Cost is \$1 for admission and 50c for skates. The public is in-

The 4-H County Council made plans for the annual 4-H Achievement Day August 17. An added feature this year will be a

sale table. Individuals may bring in flea market or specially made items and sell them for the benefit of 4-H County Council.

Any club or person who wishes to donate some items (even baked goods) may call the Extension office at 394-6851.



4-H News



Merri-Maids Elect Queen Candidates

The Strasburg Merri-Maids Sewing and Cooking Club met Monday, July 17 at the Martin Mylin Junior High School. The president, Joyce Houser, led the Club pledge and roll call was by answering by naming a favorite hobby.

Queen candidates were elected. Senior queen candidate is Cathy Good and junior queen candidate is Julie Bare.

Sandy Weaver gave a demonstration on how to make a sewing bag of felt. Sue Groff gave a speech she plans to use in the 4-H Speaking competition.

The sewing girls worked on their garments while the cooking girls made a biscuit mix for bread. They used this to make banana bread.

The next meeting will be held July 24. Roundup is July 31.

News Reporter Julie Bare

Penn Willows Elects 4-H Queen Candidates

The Penn Willows 4-H Club held its fourth monthly meeting last week at a splash party at the Conestoga Swimming Pool.

Following swimming the Club had refreshments and a business meeting. During the business meeting 4-H'ers from North Carolina and Michigan were introduced to the Club by their hostesses.

A junior and senior queen candidate was chosen. Junior queen candidate is Debbie Landis, Lancaster RD6, 13 years of age, and senior candidate is Denise Martin, Pequea RD1, 14 years old.

A trip for the next meeting was discussed but is uncertain at the present time. **News Reporter** Sue Campbell

Mount Joy 4-H Club

The Mount Joy Second and Third Year 4-H Sewing Club met Tuesday, July 18 for the fifth work meeting.

The girls are to have their garments finished and books filled in by next week for judging. News Reporter, Carol Jean Nolt

Clashing Thimbles Donate Funds to Two Organizations

The fourth meeting of the Penn Manor Clashing Thimbles was opened with members reciting the 4-H pledge. The roll was called with 20 present.

The minutes were read and stood approved. The treasurers report was given. It was decided to give half the money to the Farm and Home Center and half to the salvation Army for flood relief victims.

Kris Stehman volunteered to do a demonstration. A cleanup committee was chosen, consisting of Lisa Johnson and Carolyn Judge. Meeting was adjourned and the Club went into work groups.

At the fifth meeting of the Clashing Thimbles, the Club was led in the 4-H pledge. Roll was called with members responding by giving the names of their favorite flowers. There were 27 present.

The minutes were read and stood approved as read. The treasurers report was given. A demonstration was giver by Kris Stehman on how to press a garment. Meeting was then adjourned

News Reporter, Vickie Siglin

Pequea Valley Club Plans Annual Picnic

The Pequea Valley 4-H Sewing Club met recently at the Pequea Valley Intermediate School. The various sewing groups worked on their projects followed by the business meeting.

The date for the fashion show was set for July 27. The decorating committee will meet Monday at 2:30 p.m. to decide on the decorations for the fashion

The picnic will be held July 28 (rain date will be July 31) at the New Holland Park. It was decided that the Club treasury would pay half the cost to get into the New Holland pool at the picnic. All of the food for the picnic was volunteered by the Club members.



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