

Manor FFA-ers Receive Awards

On Thursday, March 21, the Manor F.F.A. Chapter held its 14th annual banquet in the high school cafeteria. Toastmaster was Dave Eckman.

At 7:15 the meeting was called to order by Clair Hostetter, chapter president. Opening ceremonies were held by the Chapter officers. Bob Rohrer recognized the guests. The Creed was then recited by Jim Risser, who won the Chapter Creed Contest. The presentation of awards then began.

Star Greenhand was awarded to Steve Witkowski. Bob Buckwalter presented the Star Chapter Farmer Award to Ron Hunt. Mr.

Valassis, Assistant Principal of Penn Manor, awarded Bob Buckwalter with the Star Red Rose Award.

Mr. Trout, also Assistant Principal, named those who received the Keystone Farming Awards. These were Dave Hess, Glenn Long and Clair Hostetter. Robert Bucher, from Commonwealth National Bank, presented Clair Hostetter with the County Bankers Award. Greg Landis presented the Dekalb Award to the most outstanding senior, Clair Hostetter.

Farm Show Awards were then presented by Rick Burkholder. Local and County judging ribbons were



Some of the awards presented to Manor FFA Chapter members at their recent banquet included, left to right, Steve Witkowski, Star Greenhand;

Ron Hunt, Star Chapter Farmer and Robert Buckwalter, Star Red Rose Farmer.

awarded by Mark Farmer. Certificates of Appreciation were given to Melvin Charles, Lloyd Harnish, Abe Hess, Abe Herr and Robert Censier. Mr. Davis, Principal, presented Charles Kauffman with the Out-

standing Farming Program Award. David Eshbach and Robert Malick were presented with the Honorary Chapter Farmer Award.

The Special Agricultural Award was given to Abe Bucher. The F.F.A. Foun-

dation Awards were presented by Randy Hunt to Jim Risser and Bob Burkholder.

Three gilts were awarded to Craig Harnish, Galen Long and Bob Hess. A calf was given to Bruce Landis.

Thomasville 4-H Club Meets

The Thomasville 4-H Club met on March 25, at the 4-H Center. Pledges were led by Nancy Eisenhart and Christina Parr.

Members of the club will be collecting money for the York County Division of the National Hemophilic Foundation on March 31. They will be canvassing Stoverstown, Palingtown, Nashville, and Roth's Church Road.

Jeff Roth gave a talk on the York County 4-H 1974 Spring Flower Bulb Sale to be held from March 18 thru April 19.

Tommy Welsh reported on the 4-County Teen Leader Workshop held at Gettysburg recently. Jeff Roth and Tim Eisenhart from our club also attended.

Demonstrations were given by Betty Rauhauser, Paul Myers III, and Joey Welsh.

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Give carpeting or rugs in heavily traveled spots a rest. Move furniture occasionally and reverse the rugs. Use a rug in front of doorways, chairs, or furnishings if the

rug is soft. But don't use an extra piece of carpeting for this purpose, cautions Mrs. Puskar. The hard surface backing will tear the carpet fibers.

To improve the appearance of charred spots due to cigarette burns, use small, sharp scissors and carefully clip off the blackened ends of tufts. Then apply a small amount of the following solution you make yourself. Use a teaspoon of neutral detergent—one that's recommended for fine fabrics—and a teaspoon of white vinegar to a quart of warm water. Blot with white absorbent tissue. Dry. And brush the pile back into place.

If the color of your carpet or rug appears dull, Mrs. Puskar says this doesn't necessarily mean it's fading. It can mean the floor covering is getting a soil film

which needs professional cleaning to remove. If your carpet or rug shows this dimming, treat it with absorbent powder cleaning.

The first few times a new carpet or rug is vacuumed, the vacuum bag will probably contain a lot of fiber fluff. It's normal for the fluff to show up on the surface of new carpets and rugs. And fluff doesn't affect their life or quality.

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