

Congratulations Dairy Princesses

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Saturday evening, June 21, at the Honey Brook Grange Hall.

Sandy, who was selected from a group of six contestants, has been an active 4-Her in the Black and White Club and is a member of her church youth group and the Ecology Club at Owen J. Roberts High School. Sandy's family owns a herd of Holstein milking cows.

Receiving first runner-up honors was Gwendolyn Sue King, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph King, Cochranville R1.

A member of the National Honor Society, Gwen has been active in many school organizations including the chorus, intramural tennis

by the Newlins, a singing group from Downingtown.

Berks County

Berks County's new Dairy Princess is Cathy Yanos, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yanos, Douglasville. Cathy's crowning was the highpoint in a weeklong observance of June dairy month at the Berkshire Mall. Dairy groups from around the county cooperated to mount a very impressive display of dairying equipment, information - even calves - running the entire length of the Berkshire Mall.

The Dairy Princess Contest, held in the Mall on Saturday night, drew a large crowd of onlookers. They watched as master of ceremonies Ray Weber,



Crowned as the 1975 Chester County Dairy Princess was Sandy Evans (right). Gwendolyn King (left) was first runner-up in the contest. Last year's princess Tina Marie Acker joined the girls for the picture.

Cathy Yanos, will enter the University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing this fall. She is active in her 4-H club, Grange and the National Honor Society.

Runnerup in the contest was June Trexler, a senior at



Tina Marie Acker (right) Chester County's 1974 Dairy Princess hands a bouquet of roses to the newly

crowned princess Sandy Evans as Jim Sumner, emcee for the program looks on.

and the school newspaper. The Kings also have a herd of Holsteins.

Miss Cathy Wollaston, 17, daughter of Mr. Charles Wollaston, Toughkenamon, was named Miss Congeniality by her fellow contestants during the pageant.

Tina Marie Acker, the 1974 Chester County Dairy Princess, was on hand for the event and was presented with an engraved silver bowl by the Princess Committee for her promotion of the dairy industry throughout the past year. Along with a short talk on her experiences, Miss Acker presented a gymnastic exhibition which she had performed at the State competition.

Jim Sumner, Associate Director of Public Relations for Interstate, was the emcee for the evening's program with musical entertainment being provided

public relations director for the Philadelphia Dairy Council, questioned the contestants.

They listened as the Paul Miller family sang their medley of milk songs. The Millers operate a family dairy farm in Dauphin County, and their family group includes Debbie Miller, Pennsylvania State Dairy Princess, who was on hand to give a few words of encouragement to the contestants.

The winning contestant,

Kutztown Area High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steward Trexler, Kempton. June is active in a Youth Fellowship group, 4-H club, the Kempton Community Center and is a pitcher for a girl's softball team.

The other contestants in the contest were:

Gail Hamm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hamm, Kempton. Gail is also a senior at Kutztown Area High School.

Ann Marie Hetrick,



Everyone of these four young ladies was a dairy princess winner in Lancaster County last Saturday night. Donna Akers, seated, received her dairy princess crown from last year's

princess, Diane Crider, center, as alternate Lisa Hoover, left, and congeniality award winner Debra Crider looked on.

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Hetrick, Limekiln. She is a senior at Oley Valley High School.

Sharon Troutman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Troutman, Richland. Sharon is a graduate of Conrad Weiser High School.

During the program, engraved pewter plates were presented to each contestant by the Berkshire Mall Merchants Association. Also recognized were Debbie Miller, Susan Seidel, last year's dairy princess for Berks County, and Mrs. Donald Meyers, the coordinator for the contest.

Judges for the event were Glenn Ellenberger, Lehigh County Agricultural Agent,

Miss Pat Krall, Lebanon County Youth Agent, and Dick Wanner, editor of Lancaster Farming.

Dauphin County

Miss Marjie Hoffer, 19 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Hoffer of Middletown R1 was selected as the Dauphin County Dairy Princess during festivities held Friday evening, June 20 at the Colonial Park Mall.

A graduate of Middletown High School, Marjie is currently attending Harrisburg Community College majoring in Library Technology. She has been a leader in the Lower Dauphin 4-H Dairy Club and is the treasurer of the newly formed Lebanon-Dauphin Jr.

Holstein Club. Her family is presently milking 60 head of Holstein cows.

Runner-up in the event was Miss Ritha Fackler, 18 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E Leroy Fackler, Hershey R1.

A graduate of Lower Dauphin High School, Ritha was active in the Future Business leaders club, the girls athletic council and served as the FFA chapter sweetheart. The family has a herd of Holstein milking cows.

Judges for the event were Miss Anne Hinkle, Assistant Home Economist for Lancaster County, Mrs. Karen Laughman, State Dairy Princess Coordinator and William Wenner of the Pa Rural Electric Association

Lancaster County's Dairy Princess contestants, before the competition. Left to right: 1974 Dairy Princess Diane Crider, Michelle Skiles, Linda Kauffman, Jane McSparran, Debra Crider, Sue Umble, Donna Akers and Ruby Ginder.

