

# First year 4-H'er takes Solanco beef show title

By JOANNE SPAHR  
 QUARRYVILLE - 4-H'ers and FFA members competed against each other for the grand champion baby beef of the Solanco Fair on Thursday evening with a 13-year-old first year 4-H member walking away with the coveted title.

Brett Holzauer, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holzauer, Holtwood R1, exhibited a 1025 pound Angus/Chianina crossbred to the champion of the 4-H show and the eventual grand champion overall.

In the reserve champion slot for the entire show was a 1085 pound Angus/Simmental crossbred shown by Bryan Groff, 16, the son of Donald L. Groff, Peach Bottom R1. Groff, a member of the Solanco FFA, showed beef for the first time this year.

Judge Henry Gruber, head of livestock procurement for Arbogast and Bastian, Inc., Allentown, praised the champion for being "a little trimmer, a little neater looking, and a more stylish calf" than the reserve champion.

Holzauer, a member of the 4-H Red Rose Beef and Sheep Club, plans on taking his champion, purchased from Fred Frey, Quarryville, to Farm Show,

Groff's FFA champion and reserve champion of show, which was sold in Friday's sale, was "not a cheap" animal, he commented. Rather than starting with an average quality animal, he went to top quality, which he

felt helped him win the FFA title. The crossbred was purchased at the Octorara Farm Club Calf sale.

The reserve champion of the FFA show went to Sam Long, Peach Bottom R1 for his lightweight crossbred.

In the 4-H show, the reserve champion was Bill Coyne, Quarryville R2, with an Angus.

Complete results of the show follow:

### FFA STEER SHOW

**Angus Lightweight**  
 1. Tim Baughman, Quarryville R2; 2. Brent Hess, Quarryville R2; 3. Tim Hanks, Drumore R1; 4. Robert Frick, Quarryville R1; and 5. Scott Heidelbaugh, Quarryville R1.

**Angus Heavyweight**  
 1. Trof Groff, Quarryville R2; 2. Les Hershey, Kirkwood R1; 3. Vickie Warfel, Quarryville R1; 4. Richard Drumm, Kirkwood R1.

**Angus Champions**  
 Angus champion - Troy Groff; Angus reserve champion - Tim Baughman.

**Hereford**  
 1. Brenda O'Donnell, Quarryville R1; 2. Scott Heidelbaugh, Quarryville R1; 3. Wanda Carter, Quarryville R2.

**Crossbred Lightweight**  
 1. Sam Long, Peach Bottom R1; 2. James Bell, Peach Bottom R1; 3. Tim Baughman; 4. Dwayne Peifer, Kirkwood R1.

**Crossbred Heavyweight**  
 1. Bryan Groff; 2. Dave

Holzauer, Holtwood R1; 3. John Shuman, Peach Bottom R1; 4. Chuck Groff, Quarryville R4.

**Crossbred Champions**  
 Champion - Bryan Groff; reserve champion - Sam Long.

### 4-H STEER SHOW

**4-H Angus**  
 1. William Coyne, Quarryville R2; 2. Tracy Groff, Quarryville R2; 3. Tom Herr.

**4-H Crossbred Lightweight**  
 1. Dave Holzauer, Holtwood R1; 2. Sharon Long, Peach Bottom; 3. Darlene Herr, Quarryville R2; 4. Ernie Frey, Quarryville R2.

**4-H Crossbred Mediumweight**  
 1. Brett Holzauer, Holtwood R1; 2. Kim Weaver, Quarryville R2; 3. Jamie Frey, Quarryville R2; and 4. Debbie Herr, Quarryville R2.

**4-H Crossbred Heavyweight**  
 1. Fritz C. Frey, Quarryville R2; 2. Dwight Herr, Quarryville; 3. Karen Weaver, Quarryville R2; and 4. Dan Martin, Pequea R1.

**Crossbred Champions**  
 Brett Holzauer - Champion; Dave Holzauer - reserve champion.

**Fitting**  
 1st year & 2nd year members

1. Bryan Groff; 2. Bill Coyne; 3. Brett Holzauer.

**Fitting**  
 2nd & 3rd year & over

1. Kim Weaver; 2. Dwight Herr; 3. Bonnie Frey, Refton.



In the 4-H and FFA baby beef show at the Solanco Fair, Bret Holzauer, Holtwood R1, right, took the grand champion overall with his Chianina / Angus cross which he raised as a 4-H project. The FFA champion, owned by Bryan Groff, Peach Bottom R1, left, was the reserve champion.

**Showing**  
 1st & 2nd year  
 1. Dwayne Peifer; 2. Bill Coyne; 3. Jamie Frey; 4. Brian Groff.

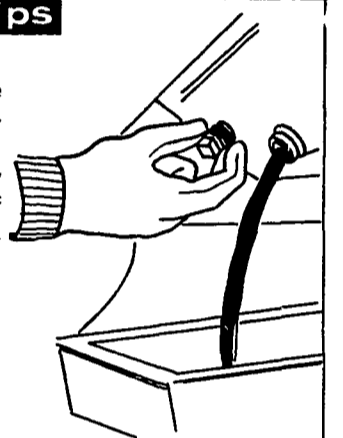
**Showing**  
 3 Years & Over  
 1. Bonnie Frey; 2. Karen Weaver; 3. Sam Long.

**Fitting champions**  
 Grand champion - Kim Weaver; 2. Reserve champion - Bryan Groff.

**Showing Champions**  
 Grand champion - Bonnie Frey; 2. Reserve champion - Kim Weaver.

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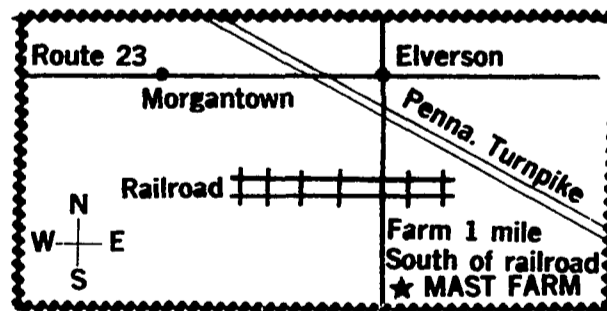
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