Herrs dominate Ephrata Fair lamb show

By JOAN LIESAU EPHRATA - Margaret Herr, Narvon RD2, along with her sister, Barbara, and brother Christian, took top honors at the Ephrata Fair lamb show, judged by William MacCauley III, Atglen on September 27.

Margaret, 11, exhibited the champion market lamb along with the reserve champion pen of three lambs. She also captured the on-foot carcass lamb class with her champion suffolk entry.

Barbara, 15, not to be out done, won the champion pen of three lambs with her Hampshire entries. She was later named grand champion sheep showman and grand champion sheep fitter.

Christian, 16, won reserve champion market lamb with his Dorset entry. He also took second place in the senior fitting and showmanship contests.

Gary Martin, East Earl captured champions in the first and second year fitting and showmanship contests.

Third and fourth year showmanship was won by Margaret Herr, while the fitting contest was won by Debbie Martin, East Earl.

Cheviot

1. and 2. Barry Martin, East Earl.

Dorset

1. and 2. Christian Herr, Narvon RD2; 3. and 4. Hans Groff, Ephrata; 5. Don Good, Ephrata RD2. Suffolk

1. and 2. Margaret Herr. Narvon RD2; 3. and 4. Debbie Martin, East Earl; 5. Janis Longenecker, Denver **RD1**.

Hampshire

1. and 2. Barbara Herr, Narvon RD2; 3. and 4. Randy Bucher; 5. Charles Bewley, Reinholds RD1. **Champion Market Lamb** Margaret Herr **Reserve Champion** Market Lamb Christian Herr Pen of Three Lamb Class Dorset



Hans Groff, Ephrata, won reserve champion on-foot carcass with his Hamsphire entry, at the Ephrata Fair lamb show.



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Christian Herr: 1. 2. Hans Groff; 3. Don Good. Suffolk Margaret Herr; 2. 1. Debbie Martin; 3. Gary Martin; 4. Dwayne Hernley, Elizabethtown. Champion Pen of

Three Lambs Barbara Herr **Reserve Champion** Pen of Three Lambs Margaret Herr **Carcass Lamb Class** On foot 1. Margaret Herr; 2. Hans Groff; 3. Barbara Herr; 4. Christian Herr; 5. Barry Martin.

Champion **On-foot carcass** Margaret Herr **Reserve Champion On-foot carcass** Hans Groff



Margaret Herr, 11, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Herr, Narvon, showed her champion on-foot carcass lamb at the Ephrata Fair lamb show held September 27. She also won the champion market lamb, and took reserve champion honors in the pen of three lamb class.

Herr wins carcass show

Margaret Herr, 11, Narvon RD2, won grand champion carcass lamb with her Suffolk entry, September 28 at the Ephrata Fair. Her entry was selected the day before as the champion onfoot carcass, and went on to win champion on-rail contest. Margaret's lamb had a 4.3 square inch loin eye. It's leg measured 20 inches and the carcass was 33 1/2 inches long with a back fat of $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.

Christian Herr, 16, won reserve champion on-rail with his Dorset entry which had placed fourth in the onfoot competition. His entry had a 4.5 square inch loin eye, and a leg measurement of 18¼ inches. The carcass was 31¹/₂ inches long with a back fat of ¼ inch.

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