

Heffners take honors at Oley livestock shows

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OLEY — Taking a significant portion of the livestock awards home from the Oley Fair this year was a brother and sister, showing in the beef and sheep divisions.

Ronald Heffner, 16 of Fleetwood was named grand champion in the market steer show while his younger sister, Elaine, 14, won the champion showmanship and fitting of the sheep show. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Heffner, both Elaine and Ronald are in tenth grade, Elaine at Fleetwood while her brother attends Oley Valley where he is enrolled in Vocational Agriculture.

Enjoying the limelight of the swine show was eleven year old Greg Stricker. Greg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stricker, RD1 Bernville. He shows both beef and hogs in 4-H and attends sixth grade in the Hamburg Area School District. This year Greg was awarded Grand Champion Market Hog honors as well as placing

first in the Fitting competition. Following are the results:

SHEEP
Market Lambs
Lightweights

1. Heath Remp, Sinking Spring; 2. Elaine Heffner, Fleetwood; 3. Joe Crisafulli, Mohrsville; 4. Marianne Yanos, Douglasville; 5. Joe Crisafulli.

Middleweights

1. Ty Remp, Sinking Spring; 2. Elaine Heffner, 3. James Heffner, Fleetwood; 4. James Heffner, 5. Glenn Heffner, Fleetwood.

Heavyweights

1. Valerie Ernst, Sinking Spring; 2. David Ernst, Sinking Spring; 3. Ann Berger, Reading; 4. Steve Ernst, Sinking Spring; 5. Andy MacKay, Boyertown.

Showmanship - Elaine Heffner; reserve champion showman - Joe Crisafulli; **champion fitter** - Elaine Heffner; reserve champion fitter - Glenn Heffner; **champion blocking and groomer** - Ty Remp; reserve champion blocker and groomer - Heath Remp.

In the Breeding Sheep

Show, champion ram went to a Corriedale exhibited by Ty Remp, while reserve champion was awarded to a Suffolk exhibited by Valerie Ernst. Champion ewe was a Suffolk exhibited by Valerie Ernst and reserve champion ewe, also a Suffolk was shown by Marianne Yanos.

MARKET SWINE
Light-Lightweight

1. and 2. Todd Miller, Hamburg; 3. Jan Adams, Hamburg.

Medium-Lightweights

1. Mark Rohrbach, Shoemakersville; 2. Darlene Dietrich, Hamburg; 3. Charles Seidel, Lenhartsville.

Heavy-Lightweight

1. Greg Stricker, Bernville; 2. Allan Rohrbach, 3. Marek Rohrbach.

Champion lightweight - Greg Stricker; reserve champion lightweight - Allan Rohrbach.

Light-Mediumweight

1. and 2. Terry Snyder, Hamburg; 3. Steve Rohrbach, Shoemakersville.

Medium-Mediumweight

1. Charles Seidel, Lenhartsville; 2. Cheryl Adams, Hamburg; 3. Jan Adams, 4. Rodney Reichard, Mohrsville.

Heavy-Mediumweight

1. Kenianne Rarick, Reading; 2. Henry Seidel, Lenhartsville; 3. Steve Rohrbach.

Champion mediumweight - Kenianne Rarick; reserve champion mediumweight - Terry Snyder.

Light-Heavyweight

1. Allan Rohrbach, 2. Greg Stricker, 3. Rex Peters, Lenhartsville.

Medium-Heavyweight

1. Gary Rohrbach, 2. Cheryl Adams, 3. Rex Peters.

Heavy-Heavyweight

1. Gary Rohrbach, 2. Darlene Dietrich, 3. Kenianne Rarick.

Champion heavyweight - Gary Rohrbach; reserve



The grand champion market steer was a Charolais exhibited by Ronald Heffner of Fleetwood.



Elaine Heffner of Fleetwood earned the champion showman and fitter awards in the Oley Farm sheep competition.

champion heavyweight - Gary Rohrbach.

Grand champion market swine - Greg Stricker; reserve champion market swine - Kenianne Rarick.

Champion showman - swine - Charles Seidel; reserve champion showman - Kenianne Rarick.

Champion fitter - Greg Stricker; reserve champion fitter - Terry Snyder.

MARKET STEERS

Light-Lightweight

1. Rodney Reichard, Mohrsville; 2. Ronald Heffner, Fleetwood; 3. Cheryl Adams, Hamburg.

Medium-Lightweight

1. Kent Fisher, Yellow House; 2. Michael Strause, Hamburg; 3. Elaine Heffner.

Heavy-Lightweight

1. Christine Hoffman, 2. Sarah Hoffman, 3. Glenn Yanos.

Champion lightweight - Kent Fisher; reserve champion lightweight - Rodney Reichard.

Light-Mediumweight

1. Andrew Haas, Douglasville; 2. Wilson Hoffman.

Medium-Mediumweight

1. Mike Rarick, 2. Glenn Heffner, 3. Greg Zook, Oley.

Heavy-Mediumweight

1. Darlene Dietrich, 2. Greg Stricker, 3. Liane Haas.

Champion mediumweight - Mike Rarick; reserve champion mediumweight - Andrew Haas.

Light-Heavyweight

1. Darlene Dietrich, 2. Marianne Yanos.

Medium-Heavyweight

1. Ronald Heffner, 2. Kenianne Rarick, 3. Carol Strause.

Heavy-Heavyweight

1. Kirk Fisher, 2. Lynn Lorah, Oley.

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