York 4-H first at Penn State Livestock Judging Contest

UNIVERSITY PARK — York County 4-H livestock judging team was the high scoring team at this year's Penn State Livestock Judging Contest.

The contest, held April 12 at the University's Beef and Sheep Center, was sponsored by the Block and Bridle Club.

Forty-five teams and over 200 contestants competed in the judging which was divided into two categories: juniors, which combined 4-H and FFA teams; and collegiate.

In the junior division, the teams were classified as beginners or advanced. The beginner teams were not required to give oral reasons for their placings, whereas the advanced teams had to give oral reasons.

In the junior beginner category, Tom Herr, of Solanco FFA, was the high individual in cattle judging. Herr was the third high individual over-all.

Chad Cash, a Centre County 4-H'er, was the high scoring junior beginner in the contest. He was also the high individual in judging sheep.

Robin Bekassy, of Shawnee Lakers 4-H, Bedford County was the top individual for placing swine.

Barbara Herr, of the Eastern Lancaster FFA, swept the advanced junior competition, winning three of the five individual awards. She was the high scoring individual over-all, and was first in judging sheep and in presenting oral reasons.

Diane Krause, Lehigh County 4-H, followed Barbara in individual placings. She was the second high individual in the advanced junior division, and was the top scoring contestant in judging cattle. The Lehigh County 4-H team was the high scoring team in the advanced junior competition.

First place in judging swine in the advanced junior division was Missy McIlwain, Armstrong County.

In the collegiate competition, Linda Ebaugh, from York County, achieved the recognition of high scoring individual in the advanced division. She was first in presenting oral reasons for her placing classes of cattle, sheep, and swine.

Ken Brubaker, from Lancaster County, was the first place winner in the cattle judging class.

Mark Wagman, a student from West Virginia captured the first place honors in both the sheep and swine classes.

In the amateur collegiate division, Bernice White, from Delaware County, came in first. The amateur contestants were not required to present oral reasons.

The following are the judging contest results: JUNIORS BEGINNERS

Cattle

1.Tom Herr, Solanco FFA, 3rd 1nd.; 2. Scott Augsberger, Steelers 4-H Lancaster; 3. Bill McCauley, Chester Co.; 4. Bill Loyne, Steelers 4-H; 5.Marcy Jones, Westmoreland Co., 5th ind.

Sheep 1.Chad Cash, Centre Co. 4-H, 1st ind.; 2. Doug Martin, Eastern Lancaster FFA; 3. Todd Himler, Derry Area FFA; 4. Tim Kinsley, York Co., 2nd ind.; 5. Tom Herr, Solanco FFA.

Swine 1.Robin Bekassy, Shawnee Lakers 4-H, 4th ind.; 2. Ben Burkholder, ´Elizabethtown FFA; 3. Brett Brumbaugh, Armstrong Co. 4-H; 4. Cnad Cash; 5. Tim Kinsley.

High Teams 1. York Co. 4-H; 2. Solanco FFA; 3. Steelers 4-H; 4. Shawnee Lakers; 5. Eastern Lancaster.

ADVANCED

Cattle 1. Diane Krause, Lehigh 4-H, 2nd ind.; LeRoy Bowles, York Co. 4-H; 3. Brenda Walter, York Co. 4-H, 3rd ind.; 4. Carl White, Derry FFA; 5. Chris Sunday, York Co. 4-H.

Sheep

1. Barbara Herr, Eastern Lancaster FFA, 1st ind.; 2. Brenda Walter; 3. Nelson Beam, Chester Co. 4-H, 4th ind.; 4. Blaine Clowser, Armstrong 4-H; 5. Chris Shive, York Co. 4-H. Swine

1. Missy McIlwain, Armstrong Co. 4-H, 5th ind.; 2. Diane Krause; 3, Barbara Herr; Tammy Minich, Armstrong Co. 4-H; Greg Ingold, West Greene FFA.

Best Reasons 1. Barbara Herr; 2. Diane Krause; 3. Brenda Walter; 4. Chris Sunday; 5. Tammy Minich. High Team

1. Lehigh Co. 4-H; 2. York Co. 4-H; 3. Eastern Lancaster FFA; 4. Armstrong Co. 4-H No. 1; 5. Armstrong Co. 4-H No. 2. COLLEGIATE ADVANCED Cattle

1. Ken Brubaker, Lancaster, 4th ind.; 2. Linda ane Ebaugh, York, 1st ind.; 3. r; 4. Brenda Werner, York; 4. Brian Keister, Susquehanna, 5th ind.; 5. Tom Templeton, Ebensburg.

Sheep 1. Marc Wagman, W. Va., 2nd ind.; 2. Mary Street,

Chester; 3. Jeanne Molinda, Pittsburgh; 4. Linda Ebaugh; 5. Mark Wild, Pittsburgh, 3rd ind. Swine

1. Marc Wagman; 2 Ann Gresslar, Blair; 3. Mark (Turn to Page C33)





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