

Stonen Farm hosts Jr. workshop and forum

ARKPORT, N.Y. — Randy Becker, herdsman at Spring Bottom Farm, Fairfield, and president of the Pennsylvania Polled Hereford Junior Association and Terry Shearer, farm manager at Pigeon Hill Farm, Abbottstown, were instructors at a recent Junior Workshop sponsored by Stonen Farm, Arkport, N.Y.

More than 60 young people were enthusiastic participants in the Junior Workshop.

Becker, Shearer and Paul Freeland, herdsman at Stonen Farm, gave group instruction in clipping and blocking show cattle, grooming and final preparation for the show ring, and in halter breaking. Washing and care of show equipment was a topic of interest to the workshop juniors.

Dr. Eugene Johannes, DVM, Almond, talked to the group about health regulations for fairs and

shows and how to keep the animal healthy during the competitions. William Hudson, Bath, Steuben

County Cooperative Extension Agent, spoke about the nutrition of the project animal.



Candid cattle conversation was the order of the day as cattlemen from New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania gathered for the Breeder Forum sponsored by Stonen Farm, Arkport, N.Y. The Forum and Junior Workshop were independently sponsored by Stonen Farm and were well received.

While the young people were involved with the Junior Workshop, the more than 80 adults present were taking part in a Breeder Forum on the topic "Strategies For Success of Small Herds."

Stephen Dennis, cattle manager at Stonen Farm, moderated the panel discussion. Panel members were Robert Morrison of Lexington, Ohio; Jim Herman of Edgerton, Ohio; Ken Swan of Whitney Point, N.Y.; Peter Comerford,

livestock grading specialist with the New York State

Department of Agriculture (Turn to Page C38)

Horse show

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OPEN HUNT SEAT EQUITATION

1. Harry Zimmerman; 2. Karen Schengrund; 3. Ann Lansberry, Lebanon; 4. Sharon Henry, Myerstown; 5. Debbie Bednasz.

FLAG RACE

1. Julie Trimmer; 2. Darryl Baer; 3. Charly saam; 4. Greta Scott; 5.

Carla Ditzler.

BREAK AND OUT

1. Robin Moulton; 2. Kris Buck; 3. Debbie Bednasz; 4. Charity Saam; 5. Marg Wood.

ROAD HACK

1. Kathy Ranzinger, York; 2. Chris Swartzbaugh; 3. Bruce Hardy, Myerstown; 4. Karen Schengrund; 5. Jessie Zarfoss.



Randy Becker, herdsman at Spring Bottom Farms, Fairfield, gives instruction to interested young people about fitting and grooming show cattle at the recent Stonen Farm (Arkport, N.Y.) sponsored Junior Workshop.

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