# Gilmores take grands at Chianina Field Day



The first place judging team was from York County.



The Junior Judging Contest winners were: from left, Kim Hopple, first; Willie Nelson, second; and Gorden Smith, third.



James Glass, Field Day Chairman, congratulates the winners in the Men's Judging Contest: from left, John Zimmerman, third; Don Sunday, second;



The Ladies' Judging Contest winners were: from left, Loraine Krause, third; Brenda Ruch, second; and Donna Moore, first.

brother and sister team exhibited the grand and reserve grand champion heifer at this year's North-Region Chianina Field Day, held recently here at Lauxmont Farms.

Brady Gilmore and his sister Sherri tied up the heifer championships, with Brady capturing the grand and Sherri coming in with the reserve grand.

During the steer competition, Sherri rallied and took home another reserve grand championship trophy for her entry. Gorden Smith, of Landenberg, exhibited the grand champion steer.

Another pair of siblings championship received trophies for their outstanding showmanship abilities. Diane and Deborah Krause, sisters from Lehigh County, placed first in the 17. years and older division and 13 years and under division, respectively.

Christine Shive, from York County, received the champion showmanship award for the 14 to 16 year old division.

The York County judging teams swept first and second places in the contest for teams.

In the Junior judging contest, Kim Hopple was the top scoring individual. Harold Haas placed first in the Men's judging contest. While Donna Moore was the first place contestant in the Ladies judging competition.

Over 700 people participated in the Field Day held at beautiful Lauxmont Farms, with contestants and entries representing New York, New Jersey, Maryland, and Pennsylvania.

Judge for the day was Penn State's Erskine Cash.

Complete show results are as follows:

#### **STEERS** Class 1

1. Brett Eberly; 2. Doug Deppen; 3. Kenianne Rarick; 4. Ivan Bechtel; 5. R. Danner.

### Class 2

1. Grayson Fair; 2. Karen Fought; 3. Bonnie Frey; 4. Matt Keiter; 5. Bryan Eberly.

# Class 3

1. Fritz Frey; 2. Josephine Popp; 3. Judy Fair; 4. Beth Holtzinger; 5. Dwayne Messick.

## Class 4

1. Judy Zimmerman; 2. Bob Snyder; 3. Christine Hopple; 4. Bob Snyder; 5. Cheryl Fought. Class 5

1. Sherri Gilmore, grand champion; 2. Kurt Hess; 3. Kaye Sweigard; 4. Ernie Frey; 5. Brian Ruch.

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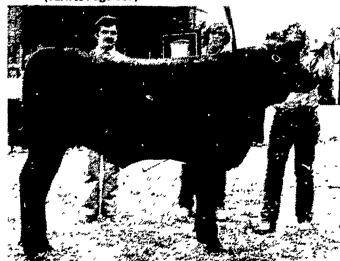
Brady Gilmore, Bellefonte, exhibited the grand champion heifer at the Northeast Region Chianina Field Day held recently at Lauxmont Farms, Wrightsville.



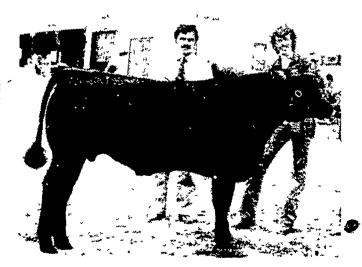
The reserve grand champion steer was exhibited by Sherri Gilmore.



Diane Krause accepts the champion showman trophy from Chairman James Glass.



Sister Sherri Gilmore captured the reserve grand champion honors with her heifer entry.



Gorden Smith showed his steer entry to the grand championship at the Chianina Field Day.