

# 'Gold' goes to Quarter Horse winners

BY SHEILA MILLER

PARADISE — More than 200 'golden' trophies of assorted shapes and sizes filled a table the length of one wall at the Dutch Town and Country Restaurant here on Saturday evening. Members of the Keystone Quarter Horse Association filled the hall to overflowing as they gathered in Lancaster County for their Annual Awards Banquet.

It was the culmination of a season of hard work and long hours for the 310 members of KQHA, with

members hailing from eastern Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware and New Jersey. The top winners in halter and performance competition in the region were recognized for their outstanding accomplishments in the Quarter Horse industry.

The first grand champion honored was the top scoring stallion for 1980, Buddy Sweet, foaled in 1977. He was shown by Dark Hollow Farm, owner Alfred Krusa; Wycombe. The grand champion mare was Cajuns Wild



Grand champion hips in the production divisions of the Keystone Quarter Horse Association went to: Merrill Shahn and Richard Mentzer, Strasburg, grand champion mare; Alfred Krusa, Wycombe, grand champion stallion; and Dave Brechbiel and daughter, Leslie, Waynesboro, grand champion gelding.



Golden-hued trophies will grace the mantels of the following champion's homes: Mike McGrane and mother Dee Dee, Collegeville, All Around Performance Champion; Wendy Weatherby, Middletown, All Around Amateur Champion; Rhonda Replogle, Woodbury, All Around Youth.

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Long Island, N.Y.

Graduate Student Presentation Award (\$200) - A.D. Brede, Penn State (co-author J.M. Dulch) Title "Poa pratensis Seeding Rate Affects Poa annua Encroachment." Runner-up (\$100) - A.S. McCue, Cornell Univ (co-author R.D. Sweet) Title "Summer and Fall Control for Yellow Nutsedge." Honorable Mention L.K. Thompson, USDA-SEA-AR, Frederick, MD and Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, VA (co-authors G.R. Leather and M.G. Hale) Title "Ovule Culture for Testing Maternal Regulation of Weed Seed Dormancy."

New officers for 1981 include President, R.B. Taylorson, USDA-SEA-AR, Beltsville, MD, President-Elect, Stephan Dennis, Stauffer Chemical Co., Dayton, NJ, Vice-President Tom Watschke, Pennsylvania State

University, University Park, PA, and Secretary-Treasurer, R.R. Hahn, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY.

Committee Representatives appointed by Taylorson are Awards, M.G. Schnappinger, Ciba-Geigy Corp., Centreville, MD, Weed Science Society of America Representative, Dean L. Linscott, USDA-SEA-AR, Department of Agronomy, Cornell Univ, Ithaca, NY, Editorial, C.B. Coffman, USDA-SEA-AR, Beltsville, MD, Sustaining Membership, Barbara Emerson, Union Carbide Agricultural Products Co., Inc., Ambler, PA, Public Relations, Deborah S. Clayton, Gibbs & Soell, Inc., New York, NY, and Research Co-ordinator, Richard Henne, Campbell Institute for Agricultural Research, Napoleon, OH.

Next year's meeting is scheduled for the Sheraton Centre in New York City, January 5-7, 1982.

Fire, a yearling, co-owned by Merrill Shahn and Richard Mentzer of Strasburg. And Go With Skip was the 1980 grand champion Quarter Horse gelding, owned by Dave Brechbiel, Waynesboro.

The All Around Performance Horse for 1980 was Brush Cut. Accepting the award on Saturday were the horse's owner, Mike McGrane, and Mike's mother, Dee Dee McGrane of Collegeville. Both mother and son rode the horse to

the top honors, taking first in KQHA All Age Trail and All Age Western Riding divisions.

Middletown's Wendy Weatherby tied up the All Around Amateur championship in KQHA competition riding Rocket Bar Forecast to first place in four of five divisions. Weatherby and mount came in at the top of the list for Horsemanship, Trail, Bridle Path Hack, and Hunt Seat Equitation to earn the championship.

The All Around Youth championship went to Rhonda Replogle of Woodbury and her Quarter Horse, Balli Hi. On her way to the top, Replogle also was the top equestrienne in the 14-18 age group in Horsemanship, Barrels, Pole Bending, and Showmanhip, and was named the All Around Youth in her age division.

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