

# Chester Co. Holstein Club honors Pa. Princess

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**PARKESBURG** — At their annual banquet and meeting Tuesday night, Chester County Holstein breeders showed their appreciation for a young woman who recently made state headlines.

Chester County Dairy Princess Charlene Rohrer of Cochranville competed, last month, against more than 40 other Dairy Princesses representing the entire Commonwealth and brought the State Dairy Princess Crown home to Chester County.

Charlene, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Rohrer, accepted a silver tray from Chester County Holstein President Bob Pepple on behalf of the entire organization.

Later in the evening, the 19-year-old State Dairy Princess entertained the group with a poem describing the ins and outs of milk-making. She also performed the educational skit that she received honorable mention for at the state pageant.

Several junior members were also honored for their outstanding dairy achievements. Ed Breckbill had his hands full of trophies following the production awards. The Oxford dairyman received the awards for three of his Black and Whites.

Twin-Hills Breck Ari Del, Breckbill's 2-year-old, finished with 16,894 lbs. of milk and 723 lbs. of fat with a 4.3% test. Breck-A-De Sheryl Sylvia, a 4-year-old,

completed her lactation at 26,289 lbs. of milk and 813 lbs. of fat.

Breckbill's aged cow, 5-year-old Breck-A-De Lass Chief Linda boasted a record of 23,476 lbs. of milk and 757 lbs. of fat.

Breckbill, a 1978 graduate of Oxford High School, was also honored for his outstanding achievement during his FFA career.

Duane Hershey's aged cow, AR-Joy-Rear Admiral Janet took a first place in butterfat production. The Cochranville dairyman's Holstein finished with 21,217 lbs. of milk and 785 lbs. of fat.

In her final FFA year, April Plumley, 18, was honored for

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Pennsylvania Dairy Princess Charlene Rohrer accepts a silver tray from Chester County Holstein Club President Bob Pepple on behalf of the county's Holstein breeders. Charlene, 19, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Rohrer, Cochranville, Chester County.



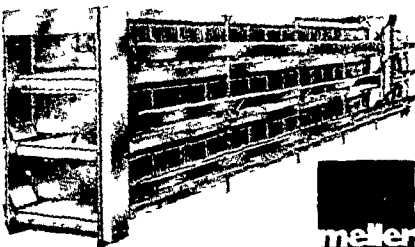
These Chester County junior Holstein members display the awards they received for outstanding dairy achievements and production competition. From the left to right

the group includes: April Plumley, Pottstown; Ed Breckbill, Oxford; Brad Hershey (accepting for brother Duane), Cochranville; Anthony Beiler, Cochranville.



Elected at the annual meeting and banquet of the Chester County Holstein Club, Tuesday, the new directors step into a three-year term on the Board of Directors. The directors from left to right are: Freeman Evans, Chester Springs; Carl Yoder, Elverson; Stanley Guest, Pottstown.

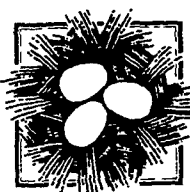
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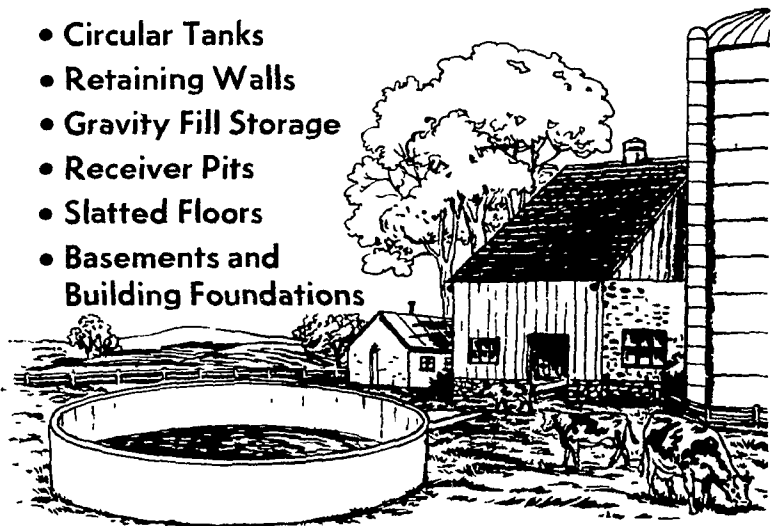


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