



Award for Best Decorated Pumpkin in Cedar Crest FFA contest is presented to Jimmy Houser by Clyde Forney, judge.

Cedar Crest FFA judges pumpkins

LEBANON — The Cedar Crest FFA held its annual pumpkin contest at the high school agriculture shop. Third and fourth grade students from the Cornwall-Lebanon School District participated.

Judge for the contest was Clyde Forney, an out-of-school member. While the judging was being completed, the participants enjoyed a movie and refreshments. The winners received cash awards and first-place winners received a trophy. The results of the contest:

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1st, Paul Perini, Cornwall; 2nd, Kevin Kissinger, Cornwall; 3rd, Marci Leitz, South Lebanon; 4th, Chris Hummel, Ebenezer; 5th, Terry Wise, Ebenezer; 6th, Jenifer White, Ebenezer; 7th, Brigitta Bergman, South Lebanon

Most Uniform

1st, Marci Leitz, South Lebanon

Best Decorated

1st, Jimmie Houser, Cornwall; 2nd, Korey Wanzler, Cornwall; 3rd, Jennifer White, Ebenezer;

Cloister FFA initiates greenhands

EPHRATA — Twenty-seven first-year FFA students received their Greenhand Degrees at initiation ceremonies recently in the Ephrata High School Auditorium.

Scott Gingrich served as master of ceremonies for the program and the opening ceremony and initiation ceremony were conducted by chapter officers.

Kevin Devine, of the Cloister chapter, State FFA treasurer, addressed the group of parents and greenhands. A slide program of FFA activities was presented by Ron Weaver, Merle Martin and Dean Weaver.

Following the program the parents and grandparents toured the high school vo-ag department.

Greenhand initiates include Doris Anderson, James Artz, Lonnie Bauman, Michael Bollinger, Troy Carvell, Wayne Elser, Christina Ferrari, Steve Fox, Brian Frey, Jonathan Givler, Norman Good, Dale Horning, Nevin Horning, Anthony Jenkins, Jimmie Lausch, Brian Leathery, Ronald Lindberg, Steven J. Martin, Kerri McClellhenney, William Nuse, Andrea Patterson, Jeffrey Schnupp, Edwin Snyder, Clair Weaver, Gary Weaver and James Zimmerman.



Attending the National FFA Convention in Kansas City this week from the Cloister Chapter in Ephrata are, from the left, Advisor Christine Adam, Steve Moyer, Brian King, Dwight Greybill, Jim Musser, Merle Martin, Richard Stauffer and Dan Lynch. Martin is a member of the Pennsylvania milk judging

FFA leadership session held

LEBANON — Eleven members of the Cedar Crest FFA recently attended a FFA Leadership Training Conference at the Anville-Cleona High School. The purpose of the event was to familiarize FFA officers and members with their duties and responsibilities as chapter leaders.

The group was greeted by James C. Campbell, principal of Anville-Cleona High School. As part of the program, Douglas Hershberger, State FFA President, Glenn T. Wenger, State FFA Vice President, and Dean Patches, State FFA Secretary, spoke to the group about leadership. A demonstration on proper etiquette was presented by Mrs. Cyril Beck, Home Economist.

After dinner, all members retreated to an officer group room where specific duties of each FFA officer were described. The highlight of the evening was the Green-

hand Quiz Contest where first year FFA members from Lebanon and Schuylkill Counties competed. The contestants had to orally answer difficult questions dealing with the history of the FFA. Competing from Cedar Crest were Ann Lannsberry, receiving 4th place, Ed Zuck, placing 6th and Gary Krall placing 8th.

Those in attendance from Cedar Crest: Bob Houser, Dave Ludwig, Scott Eckenrode, Dana Lape, Jeff Zuck, Steve Wenger, Bob Bomberger, Mark Patches, Ann Lannsberry, Heidi Peiffer, Ed Zuck, Gary Krall and Mr. Harold Berkheiser, Chapter advisor.



Judge Kerry Boyd, right, presents awards in Cloister FFA capon contest to Dean Saylor, left, first-place winner; and Dennis Saylor, second place. The contest was held November 3.



Greenhand initiates at Cloister FFA include, from the left, front row, Steve J. Martin, Ron Lindberg, Andrea Patterson, Wayne Elser, Brian Frey and Doris Anderson; middle row, Jim Artz, J. Marvin Zimmerman, Lonnie Bauman, Mike

Bollinger, John Givler, William Nuse and Tony Jenkins; back row, Brian Leathery, Norman Good, Jeff Schnupp, Steve L. Martin, Gary Weaver, Kerry McKellheny, Clair Weaver, Steve Fox, Troy Carvell, Nevin Horning and Chris Ferrari.