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Smith's Elevation takes top Md. honors

BY DONNA TOMMELLEO TIMONIUM, Md. - After more than 300 Black and Whites strutted before judge Paul King of Delta, the York County Holstein breeder liked what he saw in the 4-year-old class and tapped Debra Smith's entry as Grand Champion of the 12th Annual Maryland State Spring Holstein Show on Saturday.

Amidst waves of applause and cheers during OCS-Dairy Elevation Katie's crowning, King remarked that the 4-year-old

Elevation daughter was the kind of Cindy as reserve grand champion. cow, "you'd just love to take home" He said his choice was based on her style, balance and overall smoothness.

The tall, angular Holstein, owned and bred by Smith of Jefferson, Md., also claimed Senior Champion and Best Udder in Show titles The champion, who made more than 19,000 pounds of milk her first lactation, is out of Almeta Burke Marquanaut Kay King went with Hills-Hope C

The 5-year-old TriDay Capital C daughter was owned by junior exhibitor David Hill of Emmitsburg, Md. Out of Knob-View R. Maple Cynthia, the reserve grand champion turned in a top 4year-old record of 23,880 pounds of milk and 927 pounds of fat.

The day-long show of all-Maryland entries, featured large classes in the junior animal competition, which more than (Turn to Page B36)





Grand Champion female OCS Dairy Elevation Katie is no stranger to top awards. As a senior calf, the Elevation daughter gained All-American honors. The 4-year-old currently has two heifers on the ground, one by Glendell and one by Valiant and a future mating to Bootmaker is planned. The champ is flanked by Barbara Johnson, left, class sponsor, and Debra Lynn Smith, right, owner.

