

# Farm Show salutes vegetable grower winners

**FARM SHOW** — Carrots, collards (kale), and celery were just a few of the taste-tempting vegetables entered by Pennsylvania farmers at this week's 67th Farm Show here in Harrisburg. Bucks Countian Eugene Digirolamo of Bensalem walked away with the blue-ribbon award for his collection of vegetables.

Winners listed by vegetable category follow:

- VEGETABLES**  
**Best Growers Collection**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo, Bensalem, 2 Richard Solly, Ivyland, 3 Udino Checchia, Langhorne
- Beets**  
 1 Joseph Digirolamo, 2 Joseph Digirolamo Jr., 3 Eugene Digirolamo
- Carrots**  
 1 Joseph Digirolamo, 2 Eugene Digirolamo, 3 Joseph Digirolamo Jr.
- Carrots, Long**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo, 2 Virginia Haist, Ivyland, 3 Joseph Digirolamo
- Carrots, Nantes**  
 1 Matt A. Haist, Ivyland, 2 John Wilson, Ivyland, 3 John Filippi, Ivyland
- Celery**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo, 2 Joseph Digirolamo Jr., 3 Eugene Digirolamo
- Collards**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo Jr., 2 Joseph Digirolamo, 3 Joseph Digirolamo
- Kale**  
 1 R B Mull, Litzitz, 2 Eugene Digirolamo, 3 Joseph Digirolamo
- Onions**  
 1 Daniel A. Brubaker, R1, Ephrata
- Onions, Medium globe**  
 1 D B Brubaker, R1, Ephrata, 2 Daniel A Brubaker
- Onions, Large globe**  
 1 Daniel A Brubaker, 2 D B Brubaker
- Parsnips, All American**  
 1 Robert Solly, Ivyland, 2 Richard Solly, Ivyland, 3 William Solly, Ivyland
- Radish, White**  
 1 Merv Keasly, R1, Washington Boro, 2 Elmer E Herr, R3, Columbia, 3 Daniel A Brubaker
- Radish, Black**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo, 2 Daniel A. Brubaker, 3 Joseph Digirolamo Jr.
- Rutabagas**  
 1 Daniel A Brubaker, 2 D B Brubaker
- Spinach**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo, 2 Joseph Digirolamo, 3 Joseph Digirolamo Jr.
- Sweet Potatoes, Pink**  
 1 Daniel A Brubaker, 2 D B Brubaker

- Sweet Potatoes, Yellow**  
 1 Ken Breneman R6, Manheim, 2 Daniel A Brubaker
- Turnips**  
 1 James E Smith, R3, Newville, 2 Frank S Herr & Sons, R1, Washington Boro, 3 Merv Keasly, R1, Washington Boro
- Brussels Sprouts**  
 1 Amos Funk, R1, Millersville, 2 Fred Funk, Millersville, 3 Rudy Grob, R1, Millersville
- Cabbage, Chinese**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo, 2 Joseph Digirolamo, 3 Daniel A Brubaker
- Cabbage, Danish**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo, 2 Joseph Digirolamo Jr., 3 Eugene Digirolamo Jr.
- Cabbage, Savoy**  
 1 Eugene Digirolamo Jr., 2 Joseph Digirolamo Jr., 3 Joseph Digirolamo
- Celery**  
 1 Fred Funk, 2 Esta Funk, R1, Millersville, 3 Amos Funk
- Celery, Easy Blanching**  
 1 Rudy Grob, 2 Amos Funk, 3 Frank S Herr & Sons, R1, Washington Boro
- Celery, Fordhook-Houser**  
 1 Fred Funk, 2 Amos Funk, 3 Rudy Grob
- Celery, Pascal**  
 1 Frank S Herr & Sons, 2 Esta Funk, 3 Amos Funk
- Celery, Pennrcip**  
 1 Rudy Grob, 2 Eugene Miller, R1, Washington Boro, 3 Amos Funk
- Horseradish**  
 1 Ronald Sleppy, R1, Penn Run, 2 Dave Sleppy, R1, Penn Run, 3 William Willard, R1, Penn Run
- Leeks**  
**Under 6 inches white stem**  
 1 Joseph Digirolamo, 2 Eugene Digirolamo, 3 Joseph Digirolamo Jr.
- Leeks**  
**Over 6 inches**  
 1 Myron Kressman, R1, Kintnersville, 2 Joseph Digirolamo, 3 Eugene Digirolamo Jr.
- Pumpkins, Small Sugar**  
 1 Howard Sleppy, R1, Penn Run, 2 Dave Sleppy, 3 The Peters Orchards, R1, Gardeners
- Pumpkins, Neck**  
 1 R L Mull, Litzitz, 2 R B Mull, Litzitz, 3 Michelle Beck, Harrisburg
- Pumpkins, Connecticut**  
 1 Ronald Sleppy, 2 James E Smith, R3, Newville, 3 Wm Willard, R1, Penn Run
- Pumpkins, Largest**  
 1 William Willard, 2 Ronald Sleppy, 3 Calvin Sleppy, R1, Penn Run
- Root Parsley**  
 1 Joseph Digirolamo, 2 Eugene Digirolamo Jr., 3 Joseph Digirolamo Jr.
- Salsify**  
 1 A B Brubaker, 2 Daniel A Brubaker, 3 D B Brubaker
- Squash, Queen**  
 1 Carol Ann Bender, R4, Newport, 2 Donald L Dobbs, R3, Newport, 3 Cridy M Dobbs, R3, Newport
- Squash, Butternut**  
 1 The Peters Orchard, 2 Jamie Lyn Hower, Northampton, 3 Paul T. Hower, R1, Northampton

- Squash, Buttercup**  
 1 R B Mull, 2 Anna Shertzer R2 Lancaster 3 Elizabeth Shertzer, R2, Lancaster
- Squash, Hubbard**  
 1 The Peters Orchard, 2 Ronald Sleppy 3 R L Mull
- Squash, Delicious**  
 1 R B Mull, 2 R L Mull 3 The Peters Orchard
- Squash, Boston-Marrow**  
 1 Daniel A Brubaker
- Squash, Mammoth**  
 1 Ronald Sleppy, 2 R B Mull, 3 Calvin Sleppy
- Squash, Turk's Turban**  
 1 Gwendolyn Perry, R2, Hamburg, 2 Howard Sleppy, 3 Bob Willard
- Squash, Other**  
 1 The Peters Orchard, 2 Dave Sleppy, 3 Calvin Sleppy
- Squash, Largest**  
 1 Ronald Sleppy, 2 Howard Sleppy 3 The Peters Orchard

- Mushrooms, Cream-Buttons**  
 1 Amadio Inc Temple 2 Carroll H Pratt R1 Avondale
- Mushrooms, Cream-Fancy**  
 1 Don Neerham Chatham 2 Emidio Filippini Temple 3 Mark Woods Avondale
- Mushrooms, Cream-Special**  
 1 Arte Needham Chatham, 2 Carroll H Pratt
- Mushrooms, Off-white-Buttons**  
 1 Sandhill Mushroom Co Fleetwood 2 Amadio Inc 3 Alvis Pomponi Temple
- Mushrooms, Off-white Fancy**  
 1 Amadio Inc, 2 Emidio Filippini 3 Donald Schwab Temple
- Mushrooms Off-white Special**  
 1 Sandhill Mushroom Co, 2 Dominic Hitti Temple, 3 Sabatucci Mushrooms Temple
- Mushrooms, Off-white Jumbo**  
 1 Sabatucci Mushrooms, 2 Donald Schwab
- Mushrooms, White-Buttons**  
 1 William B Goodley, Oxford, 2 Amadio Inc 3 Lawrence Wood Oxford

- Mushrooms White-Fancy**  
 1 William B Goodley 2 Larry McDowell R1 Nottingham 3 Lawrence Wood
- Mushrooms, White-Special**  
 1 Montgomery T Root R1 Oxford 2 William B Goodley 3 Larry McDowell
- Mushrooms White-Jumbo**  
 1 William B Goodley
- Mushrooms**  
 1 Elite Mushroom Co Avondale 2 Phillips Mushroom Farms Kennett Square 3 C & G Packing & Trans Inc Oxford
- Mushrooms**  
 1 Lindco Farm Oxford 2 Phillips Mushroom Farms 3 C & G Packing & Trans Inc
- Mushrooms**  
 1 Elite Mushroom Co 2 C & G Packing & Trans Inc
- Miscellaneous**  
 1 Bob Willard R1 Penn Run 2 D B Brubaker R1 Ephrata, 3 William Willard

## Control bots in horses

**LANCASTER** - Horses are affected by more than 75 internal parasites in nearly every organ of the body. They are so widespread that even the best kept horses cannot escape them.

For the health and well-being of every horse, a well-planned program of parasite control is essential, says Dr. L. Dwight Schwartz, Penn State Extension veterinarian.

Bots attach themselves to the lining of the horse's stomach with spiny mouth hooks, causing inflammation and digestive problems. Infected animals often suffer from colic or other gastric disturbances. The larvae feed on the horse's stomach wall. Several hundred larvae may be found on the stomach wall at one time.

To prevent injury from bots and other parasites, clean stalls at least once a week and add fresh bedding every day. Feed hay and grain from manure-proof bins, never from the ground.

Dr. Schwartz recommends rotating pastures if possible. He also suggests dragging pastures to break up droppings and moving the water tank and salt block to a clean area every week.

Administer anthelmintics specific for the destruction of worm species present and to interfere with the parasites' capacity to lay fertile eggs. It is necessary to treat adult horses 2 to 4 times per year. Foals should be dewormed at 6 to 8 week intervals.

Schwartz recommends broad spectrum anthelmintics. A workable deworming schedule for Pennsylvania is December, February, June and September. The December and February treatments should include drugs effective against bots.

Protect horses with a well-planned parasite control program, says Schwartz. Don't let bots or other internal parasites ruin an animal's appearance.



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