

4-H'ers to compete at National Congress

(Editor's Note - Students from Pennsylvania have been named state contest winners in the 1983 4-H National Awards program.

Carroll L. Howes, associate 4-H youth program director at Penn State, explained the youths were chosen on the basis of their 4-H project work, leadership ability and participation in county and state activities. They were chosen from more than 100,000 youths who annually take part in the Extension service educational 4-H program.

These students are now eligible to compete for scholarships to be awarded nationally at the National 4-H Congress Nov. 27 to Dec. 1.)

Some of the students eligible to compete are:

Berks County

UNIVERSITY PARK — Berks County youths were Deborah Ann Price, 18, of R#2, Douglassville, for the national Dairy Goat Scholarship and Megan Allen, 21, of R#3, Hamburg, for the Animal Science Scholarship.

The dairy goat project is supported by the American Dairy Goat Association of Amarillo, Texas. The animal science scholarship is supported by the Continental Grain Company Wayne Feed Division of Chicago, Illinois.

"I Dare You" award winner, and Outstanding Berks County 4-H Girl.

"4-H has contributed many things to my life," Deborah said. "It has given me sense of responsibility and accomplishment through the care of my projects. I have learned qualities of good citizenship and leadership. 4-H has taught me to get along with people better."



Megan Allen
Animal Science
Scholarship

MEGAN ALLEN

A daughter of Deborah D. Allen, Megan will be a junior at Delaware Valley College next fall where she is majoring in animal husbandry. She has been a 4-H member for seven years.

As a member of the Wrowdy Wranglers, she has served as treasurer, secretary and president. Her projects have included tenderfoot, junior horseman, senior horseman and horse science.

On the county level, Megan has participated in the Horse Bowl team for four years, 4-H Promotion Days for three years, County Fair for two years and County Round-up for six years.

Regionally, she has taken part in the volunteer horse science camp as counselor for four years, regional horse show for three years and regional Horse Bowl for four years.

On the state level, she has participated in State Days for four years and in the State 4-H Horse Show for two years.

Megan's special honors include being Junior Horseman of the Year in 1979 at the Eastern National Livestock Exhibition. being

Outstanding Senior 4-H Girl in 1981 and being Grand Champion at the County Round-up in 1979 and 1980.

Commenting on the value of the educational 4-H program, Megan said, "4-H has been a big part of my life since 1975. Through 4-H I have developed better leadership, organization and sportsmanship. I have made many good friends through 4-H. Some of my fondest high school memories are because of 4-H."

Carbon County

UNIVERSITY PARK — Diane Miller, 17, of R#4, Fairyland Farms, Leighton.

Diane will be eligible to compete on the national level for a \$750 scholarship. The Gertrude L. Warren Career Scholarship is supported by Mary Margaret Warren.

DIANE MILLER

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Miller, Diane will attend



Diane Miller
Gertrude Warren
Scholarship

college next fall majoring in communication design. She has been a 4-H member for 10 years.

As a member of the Big Creek Agriculture Club and Backpacking Club and of the Carbon County Baby Beef Club and Livestock Club, Diane has held the offices of president, vice-president,

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Deborah Price
Dairy Goat
Scholarship

DEBORAH ANN PRICE

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jere Price, Deborah will attend Penn State next fall majoring in dairy science and animal bioscience. She has been a 4-H member for 10 years.

As a member of various 4-H clubs in Berks County, Deborah has served as president, secretary, treasurer, news reporter and recreation leader in local clubs and president and secretary at the county level and chairman of contests for the 4-H fairs. She has completed projects in dairy goats, horses, poultry, pet care, veterinary science, meats, leadership, citizenship, foods, sewing, woodworking, floriculture, fruits, vegetables, electricity and public speaking.

Her county 4-H participation includes exhibitions at fairs and round-ups, club banquets, 4-H Fair, recognition night, officer's training, toastmasters program, tailgate marketing program, farm tours, county council hoedown and judging programs.

Regionally, Deborah has participated in cattle and goat exhibitions at fairs and round-ups, regional 4-H days, vegetable judging, public speaking and regional dairy judging.

On the state level, she has participated in Capital Days, Leadership Congress, State Achievement Days, dairy judging, vegetable judging, and the Penn State Dairy Exposition Judging Contest.

Deborah's honors include Eastern National Junior Dairyman of the Year for 1962-63,

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