

Berks Co. 4-H'ers named winners at National Awards Program

UNIVERSITY PARK — Eight Berks County 4-H'ers were recently named winners in the 1984 4-H National Awards Program in recognition of their outstanding records in 4-H work.

Carroll L. Howes, associate 4-H youth program director at the Penn State University, said the 4-H'ers were judged on the basis of project work, leadership ability, and participation in county and state activities.

The winners were picked from among the more than 145,000 youth who annually participate in the extension service educational 4-H program.

Deborah Price of Douglasville was named state Public Speaking Award winner. The daughter of Jere and Patricia Price, she is a freshman at the Penn State University. She has been a 4-H club member for 11 years.

A member of the Berks County 4-H club, she served as president and secretary. She also assisted with club activities and events as a teen leader. She was the National Dairy Goat Scholarship winner in 1984.

Price has completed projects in public speaking and leadership and took part in the 4-H Fair and Communications Night, and in the Capital Days and Leadership Congress.

James Heffner, Fleetwood, was named state Personal Development Award winner. The son of May and Wilson Heffner, he is a short order cook at the Kountry Kitchen Restaurant. He has been a 4-H member for nine years.

A member of the Berks County 4-H club, he served as president and vice president. He also assisted with club activities and events as a teen leader.

Heffner has completed projects in beef breeding and marketing and participated in livestock and dairy judging. He also took part in the Leadership Congress and Farm Show.

Patricia Dreisbach, of Hamburg, was named state Agricultural Careers Scholarship nominee in the 1984 4-H National Awards Program. The daughter of Robert and Helene Dreisbach, she is a freshman at the Virginia Polytech Institute. She has been a 4-H member for 10 years.

A member of the Tilden Community 4-H club, she served as president and vice president. She also assisted with club activities



Patricia Dreisbach



Deborah Price



Jamie Batz



Nannette Coryell



Christine Rebman



Kenianne Rarick



Kevin Shollenberger



James Heffner

and events as a teen leader. She is also a member of Northern Berks 4-H Dairy Club.

Dreisbach has completed projects in public speaking and pet care, and took part in the 4-H Fair, dairy shows, Capital Days and state judging contests.

Nanette Coryell of Womelsdorf was named state Food and Nutrition Award winner. The daughter of Rodger and Nancy Coryell, she is a freshman at Penn State University. She has been a 4-H member for eight years.

A member of the Rehrersburg Adventurers 4-H club, she served as vice president and secretary. She also assisted with club activities and events as a teen leader.

Coryell has completed projects in food science and photography

and took part in the 4-H Fair and Communications Night, and in the Leadership Congress and Capital Days.

Jamie Batz, Richland, was named state Food Preservation Award winner. The daughter of James and Barbara Batz, she is a sophomore at the University of Delaware. She has been a 4-H'er for 11 years.

A member of the Rehrersburg Adventurers club, she served as president and vice president. She also assisted with club activities and events as a teen leader.

Batz has completed projects in clothing and drying foods. She participated in the 4-H Fair, the Regional Fashion Revue, Capital Days and Leadership Congress.

Kenianne Rarick, Reading, was named state Beef Award winner.

The daughter of Kenneth and Roseanne Rarick, she is a senior at the Fleetwood Area High School. She has been a 4-H member for nine years.

A member of the Berks County 4-H club, she served as president and vice president. She was also a teen leader.

Rarick has completed projects in marketing and beef breeding, and has participated in the 4-H Fair, livestock judging, Capital Days and Achievement Days.

Christine Rebman, Rehrersburg, was named state Home Environment Award winner. The daughter of LeRoy and Arlene Rebman, she is a freshman at the Indiana University of Pa. She has been a 4-H'er for 11 years.

A member of the Rehrersburg Adventurers 4-H club, she served

as president and vice president. She also assisted her club as a teen leader.

Rebman has completed projects in clothing and bicycling and has participated in the 4-H Fair, 4-H Puppy Clinic, and in Leadership School and Council.

Kevin G. Shollenberger of Hamburg was named state Citizenship Award winner. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Shollenberger, he is a freshman at Penn State University. He has been a 4-H member for 10 years.

A member of the Tilden Community 4-H Club, he served as president and vice president. He was also a teen leader.

Shollenberger has completed projects in leadership and citizenship and took part in Regional 4-H Days and Capital Days.

Three Lebanon 4-H'ers named state award winners

UNIVERSITY PARK — Three Lebanon county 4-H members have been named state award winners in the 1984 National Awards Program.

Troy Funk and Natalie Wagner, both of Lebanon, and Larissa Smith, Myerstown, will attend National 4-H Congress in Chicago this November, where they will be eligible for \$1,000 - \$1,500 scholarships provided by corporate donors.

Carroll L. Howes, Associate 4-H

Youth Program Director at The Pennsylvania State University announced the award selection. Judging was on the basis of project work, leadership ability, and participation in county and state activities, he said.

Troy Funk was a winner in Health. He is planning a career in respiratory therapy, a decision he made in 4-H. In 4-H, he is most active in health education and photography.

Troy has been vice-president and

treasurer of Norsolebco 4-H Club. As a teen leader, he planned club and county activities including 4-H Camp, Teen Council, and the Fair. He also attended Regional Night, State Days, Fashion Revue, and Leadership Congress.

Troy is the son of Judith and Richard Funk, Bunker Hill. He is a 1984 graduate of Northern Lebanon High School.

Larissa Smith won the Forestry Award. Larissa, a junior at Elco High School, has been a member of

the Myerstown 4-H Raiders for eight years. She was president,

secretary, and teen leader.

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Shiner receives E.T. Meredith Scholarship

UNIVERSITY PARK — Daniel Shiner, of Myerstown, who has compiled an outstanding record in 4-H work, was named state E.T. Meredith Scholarship nominee in the 1984 4-H National Awards Program.

Support for the E.T. Meredith Scholarship is provided by Edwin T. Meredith Foundation.

Carroll L. Howes, associate 4-H youth program director at Penn State University, who announced the award selection, said Shiner was judged on the basis of project work, leadership ability, and participation in county and state activities.

Shiner was picked from among the more than 145,000 youth who annually take part in the Extension Service educational 4-H program.

The son of Daniel and Gail Shiner, he is a freshman at the Penn State University. He has been a 4-H member for 11 years.

A member of the Myerstown Raiders 4-H club, he served as president and vice president. He

also assisted with club activities and events as a teen leader.

Shiner has completed projects in rocketry, health, and electric, and has participated in the 4-H Camp and State Days. Shiner also participated in the National Congress and Conference.



Natalie Wagner



Troy Funk



Larissa Smith



Dan Shiner