

Father-Son show top Holsteins at Butler Farm Show

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BUTLER — The Butler County Holstein Show, held in conjunction with the Butler Farm Show, ended with several county exhibitors in top winning spots as judge Paul Dann announced his decisions.

A pair of five-year-old cows, showed by the father-son team of Albert and Gary Hogg, received the grand and reserve grand champion honors. Albert Hogg's "Altwi Star Happy Stacey" was named grand champion and she also earned Best Udder honors, best owned and bred and senior champion.

Hogg's son Gary took reserve senior and reserve grand champion with "Hogg-Acres Flame Chief Billie." Gary is the breeder of this fine cow.

The Hogg family's Altwi Farm also won first place awards in the best three females, dairy herd and produce of dam classes.

Graham-Haven Farm captured junior champion honors with its

senior yearling, "Graham-Haven Valiant Empress." Blue and red ribbons in several classes earned the Graham-Haven Farm the coveted Premier Breeder banner.

Premier Exhibitor honors went to Ro-Haven Farm.

Roy C. Simpson won reserve junior champion with his senior yearling, "Simpsons Monitor Cassie." He also won the three-year-old class with "Simpsons TT Peaches-Red."

Placings were as follows:

- Junior Calf**
1 Wible Farm 2&3 Rader Farms
- Intermediate Calf**
1 Graham Haven 2 Rachel Beahm 3 Rosemarie Jones
- Senior Calf**
1 Conno-Q Farm 2 Graham Haven 3 Altwi Farm
- Junior Yearling**
1 Marburger Farm Dairy 2 Graham Haven 3 Ro Ann Haven
- Intermediate Yearling**
1 Rader Farms 2 Rachel Beahm 3 Wible Farm
- Senior Yearling**
1 Graham Haven 2 Roy C Simpson 3 Ro-Ann Haven
- Junior Champion**
Graham Haven



Leroy and Dee Hogg stand in for their brother and dad, Gary and Albert Hogg, winning exhibitors in the Butler County Holstein Show. Dee holds the grand champion, Altwi Star Happy Stacey, and Leroy is at the halter of the reserve winner.

- Reserve Junior Champion**
Roy C Simpson
- Best 3 Junior Females**
1 Altwi Farm 2 Graham Haven 3 Ro-Ann Haven
- Junior 2 Year-Old**
1 Ro Ann Haven 2 Graham Haven 3 Rebecca Jones
- Senior 2 Year Old**
1 Ro-Ann Haven 2 Rader Farms 3 Graham Haven
- Dry 3&4 Year Olds**
1 Rader Farms 2 Hogg Acres 3 Ro-Ann Haven
- Dry 5 & Over**
1 Graham Haven 2 Conno-Q 3 Altwi Farm
- 3 Year Old**
1 Roy C Simpson (2 udder) 2 George & Aileen Cudoc (1 udder) 3 Ro-Ann Haven
- 4 Year-Olds**
1 Graham Haven (1 udder) 2 George & Aileen Cudoc (2 udder) 3 Wible Farm
- 5 Year Olds**
1 Altwi Farm 9 (1 udder) 2 Hogg Acres (2 udder) 3 Lehearth Farm
- 6 Years & Over**
1 Wible Farm (1 udder) 2 Conno-Q (2 udder) 3 Ro Ann Haven
- Best Udder**
Altwi Farm
- Senior Champion & Grand Champion**
Altwi Farm
- Reserve Senior Champion & Reserve Grand Champion**
Hogg Acres
- Senior Get of Sire**
1 Rader Farm 2 Conno-Q Farm
- Best 3 Females**
1 Altwi 2 Raders Farm 3 Conno-Q Farm
- Dairy Herd**
1 Altwi Farm 2 George & Aileen Cudoc 3 Graham Haven
- Produce of Dam**
1 Altwi 2 Ro-Ann Haven 3 Raders Farm
- Dam & Daughter**
1 Raders Farm 2 Conno-Q Farm 3 Raders Farm
- Premier Breeder**
Graham Haven — Norman Graham family
- Premier Exhibitor**
Ro-Ann Haven — George Dean family



Chris Ulmer with Ginger Marie, her 4-year-old Alpine that was named grand champion junior dairy goat at the Lawrence County fair.

Video program at Penn State

UNIVERSITY PARK — Community leaders in small cities and towns can learn about a successful formula for downtown revitalization through a video conference to be held at Penn State on Tuesday.

"Participants in the conference will have a rare opportunity to learn from recognized national experts how to successfully organize and implement downtown revitalization efforts in their own communities," says William Gillis, Penn State assistant professor of agricultural economics.

"Because the conference is live, those attending will also have an opportunity to ask questions using a telephone link to the Washington, D.C. studio (where the video conference is originating.)"

The five and a half hour video will highlight the National Main Street Center's successful "Main Street Approach," Gillis says.

The Main Street program was designed to preserve historic buildings in communities of less than 50,000 people. It evolved into a program of downtown revitalization with an emphasis on historic preservation.



Richard Amidon, Marcellus, NY, winner of a Labrador Retriever puppy in the SAME Tractor "Pick A Purebred" Sweepstakes, and his family with (from left) Ed Fadeley, SAME sales manager and Ken Kaputa of O'Hara Machinery Corp., Auburn, NY, SAME dealer for the area.

MARCELLUS MAN WINS SAME PUREBRED PUP PRIZE

July 9, Richard Amidon of Marcellus, NY, a dairyman, received the prize of a purebred Labrador Retriever puppy from Ken Kaputa of O'Hara Machinery Corp., the SAME dealership in Auburn, NY.

The pup comes from the AKC championship stock of Kresland Kennels in Victor, New York.

The Labrador puppy was awarded as first prize in the "Pick A Purebred" National Sweepstakes sponsored by SAME and Lamborghini Tractors of North America. According to Ed Fadeley, SAME Area Manager, the unusual prizes were chosen to emphasize that the engineering simplicity of the air-cooled SAME makes it the "Purebred" of the industry.



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