

Stoneboro Fair features NW Polled Hereford Show

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STONEBORO — Held in conjunction with the Great Stoneboro Fair, the fifth Junior Northwest Polled Hereford Show was accompanied by bucketfuls of rain over the Labor Day weekend. But with trophies at stake, the youngsters didn't seem to mind treading through the mud.

Grand champion female as well as champion bred-and-owned laurels went to Lisa Brudney of Valencia, with the reserve champion being exhibited by Robert Poole of Stoneboro.

Both senior fitting and showmanship awards went to Shelbee Poole of Stoneboro. The event's top junior showman was Alan Steadman of Cochranon,

with Cochranon's Stacey Dalton taking junior fitting honors.

Trophies for the show were provided by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McClellan, Lisa Brudney, Kris Schultz, Elroy Dalton, and the Junior club.

Handling judging responsibilities were Craig Smith of Fence Post Farm, Franklin, for the Junior event, and Butler County agent Curt Hughes for the open show.

Youngsters traveled from four counties to participate, with all exhibitors receiving a Junior Northwest Polled Hereford Association T-shirt.

In other Stoneboro Fair beef show action, the McKean Brothers exhibited the champion Angus bull and female, with George Hunter

taking the same championship awards in Shorthorn competition and Brian Kasbee showing the champion Simmental bull and female.

The Fair's champion steer was shown by Nancy McDowell, with Kevin Minor taking reserve champion honors.

In sheep competition, Ken Scott's Rambouillet was named supreme champion ewe, and Bob Burdick took champion ram honors with his Dorset.

Other exhibitors of champion sheep were: Shropshire ram and ewe, Guy McKean; Cheviot ram, Gerald Thoma; Cheviot ewe, Donner Cheviots; Dorset ram and ewe, Bob Burdick; Montadale ram

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DPF Topline Duke, a Sept. 20, 1983 son of Transformer 307K, was named champion bull in the Open Show. He is owned by Paul and Paula Findlay of Double P Farm. At halter is Paula Findlay.



Senior fitting and showmanship honors went to Shelbee Poole, shown here with her calf. To her right is the show's top junior showman, Alan Steadman.



Lisa Brudney of Valencia exhibited the grand champion female in both junior and open competition at this year's Junior Northwest Polled Hereford Association Show held in conjunction with the Great Stoneboro Fair. Her heifer, Sundance Lady, was sired by Wild Cat Sundance 7K. With Lisa is her sister Allison displaying her Junior Show trophy.

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