

Jersey Juniors Slate Seminar

EVERETT — The fourth annual Junior Jersey Seminar will be held Thursday, July 31 and Friday, August 1 at the Fall Creek Hunting Club near Liberty.

Hosted by Normandell Farm, the seminar will include a presentation of type trait appraisal by Fred Stout, Mt. Carmel, Ill., a noted type appraiser for the American Jersey Cattle Club. Also on the program is a dairy bowl competition as well as time for

recreation.

Juniors are reminded to bring sleeping bags, extra clothes, swim suits, snacks and recreational equipment for the two-day seminar. Those attending should plan to arrive between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. on Thursday. The event will conclude at 4 p.m. on Friday.

Reservations can be made by contacting Carolyn Norman, RD 1, Box 26, Liberty, Pa., 16930, 717-324-2891 by July 25.

Pennsylvania Swiss Assoc. Holds Picnic

BERNVILLE — The annual Pennsylvania Brown Swiss picnic was held recently at Victory Acres, home to Dean and Brenda Daubert, Bernville.

During the business meeting, breeders were urged to advertise on the Pennsylvania page of the Brown Swiss Bulletin. It was noted by secretary-treasurer, Audrey Queitzsch, that an unfilled page costs the Association money, while advertising could increase profits for the breeder, notifing perspective customers of the availability of breeding stock.

This year the Association will be sponsoring a Owner-Breeder trophy for the Junior Swiss exhibitor at the All-American Show. The Youth Committee was delegated the duty of working out the details of a Swiss Ambassador Program to replace the Swiss Miss Program that was used in previous years. Target date for naming the first Swiss Ambassador is in September at the All-American Show.

To date, six consignments have been contracted for the Pennsylvania All-American Brown Swiss Sale in September. Anyone interested in making quality consignments should contact Dean Daubert, Bernville, 215-488-6508 or Gary Oakes, Mercer, 412-475-4799.

The National Brown Swiss Convention will be held this year in Buffalo, N.Y. on July 15 to 18. National Director William "Ronnie" Daubert noted the recent change in classification rules allow a 2-year old to be classified excellent. Previously the highest attainable classification score was VG-89. To be scored excellent the cow was required to have had more than one calf.

Daubert exhibited a genuine Swiss bell and other Swiss items which he and his wife, Rhonda, picked up on their trip to Europe earlier this year. These items will be donated to the Fun Auction at the National Convention on behalf of the Pennsylvania Association.

A picnic for the western region of Pennsylvania will be held tomorrow, June 29, at the Kennedy farm in Butler.



Lebanon County Holstein Club

LEBANON — Board of directors for the Lebanon County Holstein Club are: Reid Hoover, president; Donald Bollinger, vice-president; Daryl Balmer, secretary; Ken Sellers, treasurer; Amos Balsbaugh, reporter; Phares Musser, director; Barry Donmoyer, director; Barry Donmoyer, director; David Himmelberger, director; Robert Lentz, state director; Connie Hoffer, sales representative; and Malcolm Sonnen, director.

They announced that their an-

nual field day will be held at the Jay Hershey Farm, located one mile north of Rt. 22, on August 7. Guest speaker will be Steve Neely from Sire Power. Also on the schedule are judging contests for all ages.

The annual heifer sale is scheduled for August 29, 7 p.m., at the Lebanon Area Fairgrounds. Anyone wishing to consign a heifer can contact any sale committee members or the co-chairmen, David Himmelberger and Connie Hoffer.

Brown Swiss enthusiasts from across the state met at Victory Acres, home of Dean and Brenda Daubert, Bernville, to renew friendships and discuss the latest in the dairy and Swiss businesses.

