

Werley And Fisher Take Lamb And Steer Honors At Kutztown

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Sheep Show

KUTZTOWN - The sheep shows at the 1986 Kutztown Fair remained very popular with exhibitors and spectators alike as 4-Hers exhibited their skills with the docile animals. Judging the events was Robert Leib, vocational agriculture teacher with the Cumberland Valley Schools.

In the market lamb competition, Tricia Werley, Shoemakersville, was awarded the grand champion market lamb rosette for her first place heavy-heavyweight market lamb. The reserve champion was Glenn Heffner, Fleetwood, with his first place light-heavyweight. There were 68 lambs entered in the competition.

In the sheep blocking and grooming contest, Joyce Heffner, Fleetwood, took the title in the junior contest, while Joshua Grim, Breiningsville, took the senior division title.

The grand champion fitter and the reserve champion fitter in the fitting and showmanship contests went to a pair of sisters. Jodi

Frantz, Lehigh County FFA, Schnecksville, was named grand champion fitter. Her sister, Tracey, received the reserve honors. But Tracey was also named grand champion showman with Glenn Heffner taking the reserve ribbons in showmanship.

Jodi Frantz, a 16-year-old FFA member, and her 18-year-old sister, Tracey, have been showing sheep for the past three years. They are the daughters of Wayne and Pat Frantz, Schnecksville. The sisters also showed several of their sheep to breed champions and competed in the market lamb contests.

Steer Show

Peter Levan judged the steer shows at the 1986 Kutztown Fair with many entries from which to select his champions in the market steer division, the showing and fitting contests, and in the breed divisions. Grand champion market steer was shown by Kent Fisher, Oley. Kennianne Rarick, Reading, exhibited the reserve champion. Showing and fitting honors went to Lori Rabenold, Lehigh County, who was named grand champion

showman and Debra Krause, Lehigh County, who was named grand champion fitter.

KUTZTOWN FAIR Market Lamb Show Light Lightweight

1 Ben Lazarus 2 Travis Werley 3 Stephen Breininger

Medium Lightweight

1 Tracy Frantz 2 Scott Lazarus 3 April Lazarus

Heavy Lightweight

1 Travis Werley 2 Lynn Lazarus 3 Amy Eshelman

Champion Lightweight

Tracy Frantz

Reserve Champion Lightweight

Travis Werley

Light-Mediumweight

1 Todd Bube 2 Lori Tyson 3 Kennianne Rarick

Medium-Mediumweight

1 Glenn Heffner 2 Lori Tyson 3 Tracy Frantz

Heavy-Mediumweight

1 Karen Stutzman 2 Todd Bube 3 Bruce Snyder

Champion Mediumweight

Karen Stutzman

Reserve Champion Mediumweight

Todd Bube

Light-Heavyweight

1 Glenn Heffner 2 Joyce Heffner 3 Leslie Lazarus

Medium-Heavyweight

1 Joyce Heffner 2 Karen Stutzman 3 Jennifer Schnabel

Heavy-Heavyweight

1 Tricia Werley 2 Kennianne Rarick 3 Tricia Werley

Champion Heavyweight

Tricia Werley

Reserve Champion Heavyweight

Glenn Heffner

Champion Market Lamb

Tricia Werley

Reserve Champion Market Lamb

Glenn Heffner

Pair of Market Lambs

1 Joyce Heffner 2 Tricia Werley

Jr Showmanship

1 Megan Perry 2 Lori Tyson 3 Tracy Voortman

Jr Fitting

1 Lori Tyson 2 Bruce Snyder 3 Tracy Voortman

Intermediate Showmanship

1 Joyce Heffner 2 Todd Bube 3 Travis Werley

Intermediate Fitting

1 Amy Eshelman 2 Karen Fessler 3 Joyce Heffner

Sr Showmanship

1 Tracy Frantz 2 Glenn Heffner 3 Joshua Grim

Sr Fitting

1 Jodi Frantz 2 Tracy Frantz 3 Joshua Grim

Grand Champion Showman

Tracy Frantz

Reserve Champion Showman

Glenn Heffner

Grand Champion Fitter

Jodi Frantz

Reserve Champion Fitter

Tracy Frantz

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Veteran fairgoers and sheep showman, Joyce, left, and Glenn Heffner, Fleetwood, pose two of their sheep champions.

Veteran Showmen Cop Kutztown Championships

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KUTZTOWN - The swine show at the Kutztown fair featured well known names among Berks County swine producers. Henry Gruber judged the shows and placings were as follows:

MARKET SWINE SHOW

Light Lightweight

1 Stephanie Manbeck 2 Chris Blatt 3 Jason Manbeck

Medium-Lightweight

1 Greg Stricker 2 Brian Gougler 3 Debbie Beck

Heavy Lightweight

1 Greg Stricker 2 Todd Rabenold 3 Jennifer Rabenold

Champion Lightweight

Greg Stricker

Reserve

Todd Rabenold

Light Mediumweight

1 Valerie Hunter 2 Steve Rohrbach 3 Paula Hunter

Medium Mediumweight

1 Leslie Lazarus 2 Laura Lazarus 3 April Lazarus

Heavy Mediumweight

1 Sheri Lazarus 2 Greg Stricker 3 Greg Stricker

Champion Middleweight

Sheri Lazarus

Reserve Champion Middleweight

Greg Stricker

Light-Heavyweight

1 Daniel Hartman 2 Amanda Cooper 3 Wendy Lazarus

Medium-Heavyweight

1 Tammie Cooper 2 Daniel Hartman 3 Daniel Hartman

Heavy-Heavyweight

1 James Manbeck 2 Mark Rohrbach 3 Ben Lazarus

Champion Heavyweight

Tammy Cooper

Reserve Champion Heavyweight

Daniel Hartman

Grand Champion Market Swine

Tammy Cooper

Reserve Champion Market Swine

Daniel Hartman

Grand Champion Showman

Todd Bennecoff

Reserve Champion Showman

Steve Rohrbach

Grand Champion

Leslie Lazarus

Reserve Champion Fitter

Kennianne Rarick

Lightweight Barrows

1 Greg Stricker 2 James Manbeck 3 Valerie Hunter

Mediumweight Barrows

1 Paula Hunter 2 Christine Hunter 3 Julie Rohrbach

Heavyweight Barrow

1 Amanda Cooper 2 Tamara Cooper 3 Jennifer Rabenold

Champion Carcass Barrow

Amanda Cooper

Reserve Champion Carcass Barrow

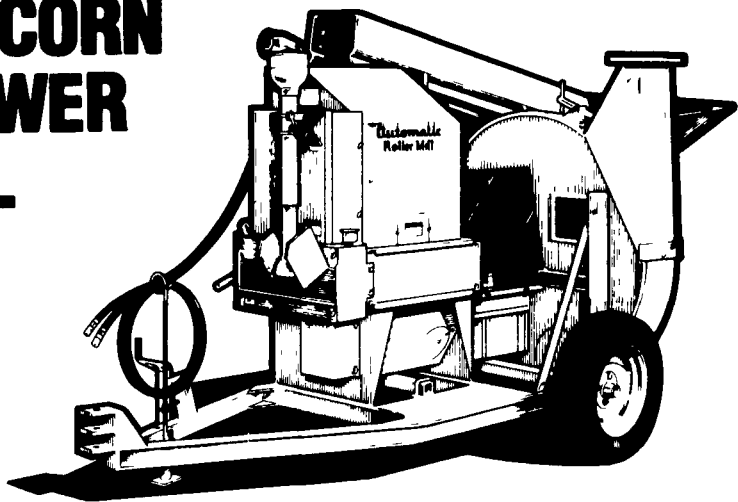
Tamara Cooper



Grand champion showman, Lori Rabenold, poses with her steer, the champion middleweight in the market show.

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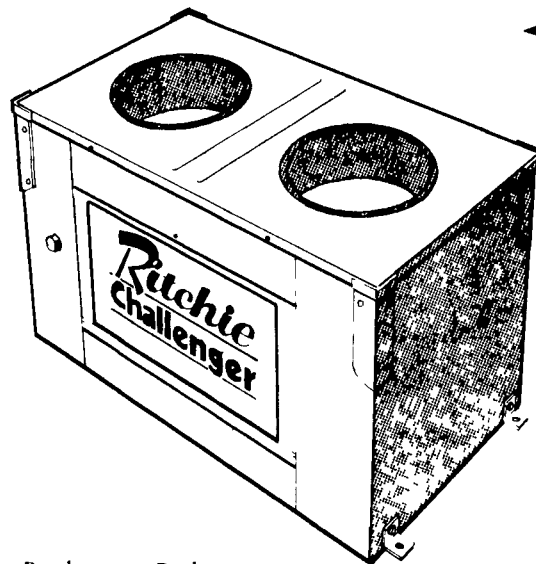
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