



Greg Musselman of Lancaster holds the banners his outstanding Hampshires captured at the York Fair. The sheep show judges, Monty Chappel (center) selected Musselman's sheep as the fair's supreme champion ewe and ram. Gregg Strausbaugh exhibited the champions.



Alicia Strausbaugh, 14, of York took the 4-H Grand Champion market lamb rosette at the York Fair with her Suffolk ram.



The 1987 York Fair Grand Champion beef was owned and exhibited by Kenni Anne Rarick of the Triple C Farm of Fleetwood. The purebred Simmental was the first supreme champion for Rarick.



John Eaton of Windsor captured the York Fair 4-H steer grand championship with his Chianina/Angus crossbreed. Jason Rankin of Abbottstown took the reserve championship. Pictured from the left: Bill Rankin, Lois Rankin, Karena Rankin, Jason Rankin, John Eaton, Sr.; John Eaton, Jr. and Janet Rankin.

Champions Named At York Fair

YORK (YORK CO.) — Glenn Musselman of Lancaster took home two coveted awards from the York Fair sheep shows Monday evening. When the dust settled in the sheep show ring, Musselman was holding both banners for the York Fair supreme champion ram and supreme champion ewe. Gregg Strausbaugh of York exhibited the outstanding Hampshires.

Other show rings at the fair were also busy. The pure bred Simmental bred and raised by Kenni Anne Rarick of Fleetwood took the number one spot in the York Fair beef competitions. This 16-month-old steer from the Triple C Farm, named "Junior" captured the grand champion beef title and Paul Miller took the reserve championship title Monday evening.

This was the first time Rarick had won the grand champion title at the York Fair. However "Junior" had taken the grand champion honors in June at the Pennsylvania Junior Simmental Preview. Kenni Anne is the daughter of Kenneth and Rose Ann Rarick.

Repeating what he had done four times before at the York Fair, John Eaton, Jr. of Windsor captured the 4-H grand champion steer banner with his 16-month-old Chianina/Angus named "Thunderbolt". Eaton purchased his champion from Mike Simon in New York and raised the steer at Eaton's Triple J Acres. Joining him in the winners' circle was Jason Rankin of Abbottstown taking the reserve grand champion in the 4-H steer competition.

Eaton, the 18-year-old son of John and Janet Eaton, has had four grand champions and three reserve

champions at the York Fair 4-H shows in the past eight years. Eaton completing his last year of 4-H competition said he wanted to "go out with a bang" and apparently that's just what he is doing. Eaton also won several championships in the sheep showing for his Cheviot sheep at the fair. Eaton is a freshman at Penn State's York campus where he is majoring in bioscience in preparation for veterinary school.

Jason Rankin is the 12-year-old son of Bill and Lois Rankin.

Karena Rankin, 15, and Ed Livingston, 14, won the 4-H 1987 York Fair Beef Herdswoman and Herdsman trophies for their out-

standing sportsmanship and conduct in and out of the show ring which exemplifies what 4-H represents. Karena is the daughter of Bill and Lois Rankin. Livingston is the son of George and Madlyn Livingston of Dover.

The champion market lamb in the open class was a Hampshire exhibited by a Berks County 4-H'er, Joyce Heffner of Fleetwood. Joyce is the daughter of Wilson and Mary Heffner.

In the 4-H division, Alicia Strausbaugh of York captured the champion market lamb with her Suffolk.

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Joyce Heffner of Fleetwood in Berks County won the championship in the market lamb open class with her champion Hampshire at the York Fair.



Paul Miller won the reserve champion title in York Fair beef competition.