

# Kid's KOrner

## Amanda Kolb At Home With Her Sisters And Brother

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LANCASTER (Lancaster Co.)  
— Amanda Kolb has a job to do.

She is a Lancaster County Dairy Darling. That means she helps the dairy princess tell others how good milk is for them. She hands out

samples of cheese and dairy drinks. She helps out with the program called Ag in the Classroom. She takes a calf or a cow to classrooms and tells them how she takes care of it and what she needs to do to show it.

Amanda is nine years old. She hopes to become the county dairy princess when she is older. Later, she plans to be a lawyer.

Amanda has lots of talents. "I kind of like to write," she said. Recently, she was selected as a winner in the Newspaper In Education Week Journalism Contest. More than 19,000 students participated in the contest. A copy of her winning story appears on page B12.

Amanda is in cheerleading, swimming, gymnastics, softball and Girl Scouts.

As a 4-H Dairy Club member, Amanda shows cows and calves at many shows. At the Manheim Farm Show, she was chosen as the Dairy Junior Showmanship Champion. Her 15-year-old brother was chosen as the Senior Showmanship Champion. This meant that she had to compete against her brother for Showmanship Champion overall.

Her brother got it, but nine-year-old Amanda was proud that it took the judges a while to decide.

Amanda's parents are Deborah and Dennis Kolb. Amanda has two sisters and one brother: Matthew, 15; Rebecca, 6; and Allison, 4.

Matt is in Penn Manor FFA, 4-H Dairy Club, football, track, and weight lifting. He plans to major in agriculture at Penn State. Someday he hopes to take over the family business, Melvin Kolb Cattle



Lancaster County Dairy Darling Amanda Kolb promotes milk and dairy animals.



"I like kitty cats," Allison said. She also likes glraffes, but doesn't have any to hold.



Allison, 4, and Becky, 6, have lots of fun both inside and outside the barn.



Becky finds a favorite resting place in the barn. She said, "I like to work in the barn and Jerry (the hired man) said that I'm a good worker."

Dealing.

Becky is in kindergarten. She plays soccer and is a daisy Girl Scout. She considers herself a tomboy who likes to help in the barn. She said the hired men nicknamed

her Mike. She likes to tease her brother. She said, "Jerry (the hired man) said that I do better than Matt."

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The Kolb kids and their mother, Deborah, pose for a picture. From left: Deborah, Allison, Amanda, Rebecca, and Matt.