

# State FFA Awards Keystone

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## Heather L. Becker

The daughter of Gayle and Patricia Becker, Narvon, Lancaster Co., Heather Becker has been involved in various FFA committees and projects, including dairy herd, DHIA milk tester, on-farm work, and as chairman of the alumni and leadership committees. A four-year veteran of the Pequea Valley FFA, Heather has served as president, vice president, and secretary of the chapter. She has received the Star Chapter Farmer, PAFC, PCC scholar staff, and AIC-NICE recognition. She placed first in the state ag sales contest and third in dairy foods competition, in addition to the silver at the National Dairy Foods and National Ag Sales competitions. Future plans include attending Penn State to major in ag business.



## Karen Becker

Karen Becker's FFA projects during the past four years at Manheim FFA have included beef, sheep, and swine finishing, in addition to sheep breeding and off-farm work at Smuckers Meats. Committee work included citrus sale chairman, chicken barbecue sale chairman, and work on the turkey sale. Karen, daughter of J. Marlin and Nancy Becker, Manheim, Lancaster Co., has received the Star Greenhand, Star Chapter, and Red Rose degrees. She also won the state record book contest and an award for citrus sales. She has held positions as chapter advisor, secretary, and treasurer. Future plans include work at Smuckers Meats and to work on a hog farm.



## Tiffany Becker

Rabbit production and pleasure horses were some of the FFA activities undertaken by Tiffany Becker, a four-year member of the Cone-wago Valley New Oxford FFA. The daughter of Mr. and



Mrs. Lewis Becker, Tiffany has also served on the chapter's BOAC and executive committees. She has also served as chapter chaplain and president, and received honors in public speaking and the Star Chapter Farmer degree. She wants to attend a four-year college and work as a dairy veterinarian.

## Dawayne Betzer

Selinsgrove FFA member Dawayne Betzer has served on a variety of chapter committees, including scholarship, plant sales, cider, banquet, leadership, and Food for America. Dawayne also attended the National FFA Convention, and has been involved in various BOAC and large window exhibit FFA projects. Dawayne has also served as chairman of the leadership, plant sales, and Food for America committees, and has served as chapter secretary and SUN area secretary. Future plans including attending the Pennsylvania College of Technology at Williamsport to study landscape/nursery design and to start own business after college.



## Amy Michelle Byers

Amy Michelle Byers has been involved in a wide range of Greenwood FFA projects, including work on the chapter BOAC, safety, citrus, earning and savings, conduct of meetings, and cooperation committees. The daughter of Lloyd and Sue Byers, Liverpool, Perry Co., this four-year FFA'er has received the Greenhand, Star Greenhand, Chapter, Star Chapter Farmer, and Area Degree honors. She has also received the chapter leadership and Star Greenhand honors. Amy has served as chapter historian, treasurer, and president, and also was selected area president. She plans to attend Delaware Valley College and major in animal science, and to start her career in the research field.



## Jennifer Blair

Jennifer Blair is the 19-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Blair, Butler. She has been a member of the Knoch FFA chapter at the Junior/Senior High School for four years. Jennifer has work experience with horses and was a member of the demonstration team for two years. She has been chapter president, and secretary. She won the DeKalb Agriculture Award

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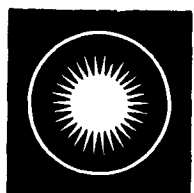
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