



HAPPENINGS



The Mike Knaub family of Dallastown, York County, loves antique John Deere tractors. So, why not let one of them fill the role of Santa Claus in the family's annual Christmas tractor display? Behind Santa Deere's flowing white whiskers and festive, red fabric hat is Knaub's restored John Deere Model R.

Gum Tree 4-H

Gum Tree 4-H Horse and Pony Club held its annual awards banquet recently at the Masonic Hall in Oxford. Year pins were presented to members. New officers were also installed.

Officers for the 1991-1992 year are president - Megan Markward; vice president - Adrienne Law; secretary - Christi Scott; treasurer - Michele Cusick; newspaper - Lora Shelton; newsletter - Robby Rausch, Jessica Moore, Chastity Moran, Michele Cusick, Brooke and Dolly Coldiron, and Moriah Nickerson; historian - Jimmy Healy, Anna Wax; librarian - Ross Johnson; county council representatives - Beverly Crowl, Valerie Freese, Adrienne Law, Karen Guerrina, Megan Markward; teen leaders - Karen Guerrina (junior workshop), Beverly Crowl (novice workshop).

Special awards were also given to members. The awards are most courageous rider - Romy Brossman; horsemanship - Christi Scott; trailmanship - Jimmy Healy; most promising over fences - Jessica Moore; most improved horse - Rick's Boy; most consistent rider - Devyn Law; most promising western rider - Ross Johnson; most improved rider - Chastity Moran; most promising halter handler - Alyssa Baker; most promising on the flat - Ashley Singleton; best overall equitation - Megan Markward; most

diligent care of horse - Anna Rose Denver; most improved saddle seat - Robbie Rausch; most improved western rider - John Ripple; most enthusiastic roper - TR Serio; most industrious rider - Beverly Crowl; 4-H ambassador - Jimmy Healy; most valuable to club - Jessica Moore; sportsmanship - Lora Shelton, Anna Wax. Dawn McCuen, organizational leader of Gum Tree 4-H Horse and Pony Club, was presented with a gift for her support and guidance throughout the year. All 4-H members were awarded door prizes.

Chambersburg 4-H Horse & Pony Club

The Chambersburg 4-H Horse and Pony Club recently held their 17th annual awards banquet at Grandview Elementary School.

The following awards were presented:

Best Project Book Awards went to Brooke Diehl, Best Tiny Trotter; Renee Bowman, Best Novice; Angela Cosey, Best Tenderfoot; Beverly Miller, Best Junior; and Karlen Zimmerman, Best Senior.

Perfect Attendance Award recipients were Beth Barnett, Renee Bowman, Beth Diehl, Brooke Diehl, Robert Faith, Larissa Mel-lott, Beverly Miller, Kathryn Ringer, Aimee Wolgemuth, and Johnny Wolgemuth.

60 Point Awards were earned by Beth Barnett, Renee Bowman, Heidi Coccagna, Beth Diehl, Brooke Diehl, Robert Faith,

Trisha Martin, Beverly Miller, Kathryn Ringer, Aimee Wolgemuth, and Johnny Wolgemuth.

The High Point Junior Award was earned by Beth Diehl with 173 points, and the High Point Senior Award was earned by Beverly Miller with 251 points.

Production awards went to Beverly Miller for first place and Robert Faith for second place.

I Dare You Leadership Award Recipients Named

Michael Cornman and Amy Jones, both of Carlisle, have been awarded the national I Dare You Leadership Award in recognition of personal integrity, balanced living, and motivation for leadership. The honor was presented by Mark Yarish of Knisely's Agriculture Center at ceremonies held at the 4-H achievement banquet recently.

The I Dare You Award is made available each year by the American Youth Foundation in cooperation with 4-H leaders and county agents across the country. The award was first offered in 1941 by William H. Danforth, founder of the Ralston Purina Company in St. Louis, who dared young people to achieve their highest potential and to influence others through lives of service. The award takes its name from the book, "I Dare You," written by Danforth, in which he commends the balanced life of mental, physical, social, and spiritual development as the backbone of leadership.

Michael and Amy were recognized for their character, responsibilities accepted, dedication, and for participation in leadership at 4-H activities and personal interest in promoting what the 4-H stand for.

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- 1.) Nutrient Management Legislation
- 2.) Pesticide Review
- 3.) 1990-91 BACS Field Research Results

Jan. 6.....	Solanco Fairgrounds.....	7-9:30 p.m.....	Snack
Jan. 10....	Cochranville Fire Hall.....	9-11:00 a.m.....	Snack
Jan. 13....	White Horse Fire Hall.....	9:30-11 a.m.....	Snack
Jan. 17....	Rutters Market Square, Shrewsbury, York Co.	9:30-11 a.m.....	Snack
Jan. 22....	Yoder's Restaurant.....	11-2:00 p.m.....	Lunch*
Jan. 29....	Dauphin Co.-Gratz Fire Hall.....	9:30-11 a.m.....	Snack
Feb. 4.....	Mt. Joy Country Table Rest.....	11-2:00 p.m.....	Lunch*
Feb. 12....	Jaindl's Farms (Lehigh Co.).....	9-2:30 p.m.....	Lunch*
Feb. 14....	Western Sizzlin, Bloomsburg.....	11-2:00 p.m.....	Lunch*
Feb. 18....	Binkley & Hurst, Lititz.....	8-4:00 p.m.....	Lunch*

* Reservations appreciated for lunch meetings - 717-627-0065

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