# York 4-H Beef Honors Extension Secretary

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SEVEN VALLEYS (York Co.) — York extension secretary Kathy Wise had the tables turned on her when the 4-H beef club named her its outstanding award winner for 1992.

The surprise honor was announced during the club's annual banquet and awards program, held Jan. 25 at the Seven Valleys Fire Company hall. For 14 years, Wise had helped to surprise the annual outstanding award honorces of the beef club, gathering biographical information and compiling the booklets for each year's awards dinner.

In addition to her work with the beef club, Kathy assists with other 4-H programs and handles extension secretarial responsibilities for various adult livestock programs. She also works closely with the board of the York County 4-H



From the left, Jason Rankin, Amy Trowbridge, Sandy Eisenhour and Robin Shive receive attendance awards as members of the York 4-H Beef Club.



Special recognition is given to 4-H Beef Club winners of the 1991 York Fair. From the left are Kenley Jo Myers, Jen Sweitzer, Shawn Waltimyer, Keith Grubb, and Suzanne Bishard.

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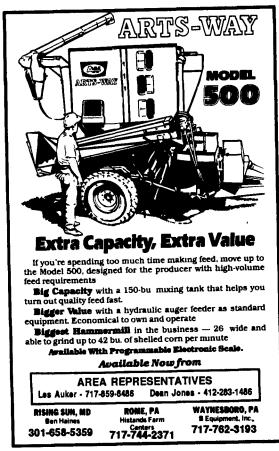
Kathy serves as secretary of the South Central Pennsylvania Cattlemen's Association. A member of the state and national Angus associations, she has a small herd of Angus beef cows at her family's farm near Spring Grove.

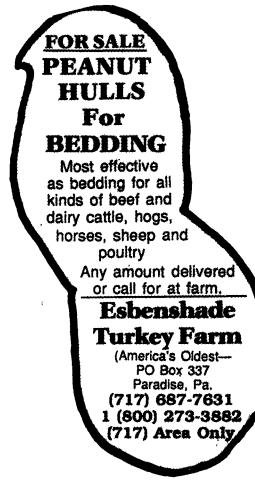
She is also a member of the Pennsylvania Angus Ladies Auxiliary and has chaired the state's Angus queen contest.

Actively involved at the Mt. Zion United Church of Christ in Spring Grove, Kathy is a youth Sunday School teacher and former junior department superintendent.

Others were also recognized. Two leaders of the York beef club were honored for their years of service to the 4-H program. Daniel Shive, Seven Valleys, has worked with York 4-H beef members for 37 years. Charles Sunday, York, is a 30-year leader with the beef program.

Special recognition was extended during the awards presentations to Bill Campbell, own-(Turn to Page D10)

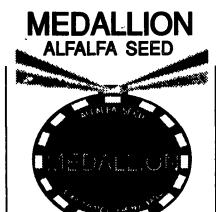






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Penn State	1989	1989-91	Landisville	8.42 T/A
Cornell/NYSFGC	1988	1991	Tompkins	126%
Cornell/NYSFGC	1988	1990	**	110%
Maryland	1989	1990	Clarksville	8.78 T/A***
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