



HAPPENINGS

Volunteer Efforts Fund 4-H Endowment

The efforts of hundreds of 4-H volunteer leaders across Pennsylvania have led to the creation of a new endowment through Friends of 4-H in Penn State's College of Agricultural Sciences.

The 4-H Volunteer Leader Forum and Education Endowment will provide funds for training current and future 4-H volunteer leaders.

The endowment got its start at the 1991 Northeast Regional 4-H Leaders Forum held in Hershey. This annual event unites volunteer leaders from 12 states and

Washington, D.C., for training, discussion and networking sessions.

Many of the state's 15,000 adult and teen 4-H volunteer leaders pitched in to raise awareness of the event and to solicit donations from interested individuals, organizations, and associations.

"It was a real team effort," said Dr. Robert Lewis, professor of agricultural and extension education and a member of the planning committee. "We received contributions from almost every county in Pennsylvania, and 200 more leaders than anticipated attended the forum."

"The planning committee took every possible measure to keep costs down yet still deliver a high-quality program," Lewis said. "As a result, we ended up with more than \$24,000 to start the endowment."

"The members of the planning committee agreed that the remaining money should be used for future volunteer leader education, since it was collected for that purpose."

Funds from the endowment will be used to support educational programs for 4-H volunteer leaders, including seminars, scholarships, and future forums.

"I'm continually impressed with the amount of time and effort people are willing to give," Lewis said. "4-H simply couldn't deliver what it does without the efforts of its volunteer leaders."

4-H Beef Show

The annual Adams County 4-H Beef Show was held at the 1992 South Mountain Fair.

Ben Stine, East Berlin, showed the 1,255-pound champion 4-H steer. Ben received a rotating plaque presented by Rhodes Enterprises, New Oxford, and a permanent plaque from the South Mountain Fair. He was also selected champion fitter and received a rotating plaque presented by K-Hill Farm, Abbottstown and a permanent plaque by South Mountain Fair.

Sarah Grim, East Berlin, showed the reserve champion 4-H steer. Sarah was also selected reserve champion fitter.

Mandy Hilbert, Littlestown, was selected champion 4-H showman. She received a rotating plaque presented by Elva Ward, East Berlin and a permanent

plaque by South Mountain Fair.

Following is a list of show placings.

Jr. Fitting: 1 Sarah Grim, 2 Wayne Flickinger, 3 Bert Martin.

Jr. Showmanship: 1 Buddie Sowers, 2 Wayne Flickinger, 3 Claudette Drenzo.

Intermediate Fitting: 1 Karena Kaiser, 2 Missy Becker, 3 Julie Boyer

Intermediate Showmanship: 1 Marc Scott also Reserve Champion, 2 Julie Boyer, 3. Karena Kaiser.

Sr. Fitting: 1 Ben Stine, 2 Mandy Hilbert, 3 Janelle Boyer.

Sr. Showmanship: 1 Mandy Hilbert, 2 Kris Kaiser, 3 Karen Millar

Class and weight division placings were as follows:

Lightweight Division

Light Class: 1 Julie Boyer - Reserve Champion Lightweight, 2. Bert Martin, 3 Traci Lobaugh.

Medium Class: 1 Marc Scott, 2 Stan Reever

Heavy Class: 1 Janelle Boyer - Champion Lightweight, 2. Eugene Hunt, 3 Mark Wessel.

Middleweight Division

Light Class: 1 Sarah Grim - Champion Middleweight, 2. Wayne Flickinger, 3 Travis Rhodes.

Medium Class: 1 Mandy Hilbert - Reserve Champion Middleweight, 2 Karen Millar

Heavy Class: 1 Karena Kaiser, 2 Levi Bream.

Heavyweight Division

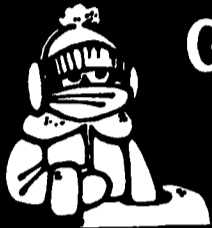
Light Class: 1 Ben Stine - Champion Heavyweight, 2 Buddie Sowers

Medium Class: 1 Kris Kaiser, 2 Jena Rhodes

Heavy Class: 1 Missy Becker - Reserve Champion Heavyweight, 2 Claudette Drenzo

The 1992 Adams County 4-H Steer program will conclude on Thursday, October 29 with a show and sale at Wenger's Saddlery, north of York Springs, just off Rt. 15. The sale is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. on Thursday, October 29.

Hauling of the steer for either alternative can be arranged. Contact Jared Tyson, County 4-H Agent, at (717)334-6271 or (717)624-4525 for more information.

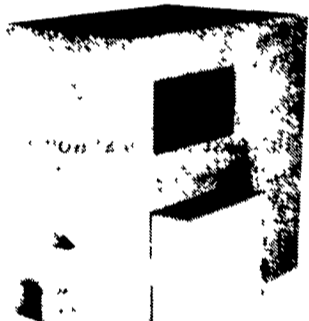


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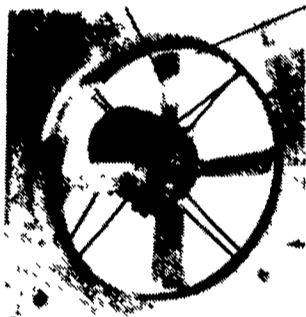


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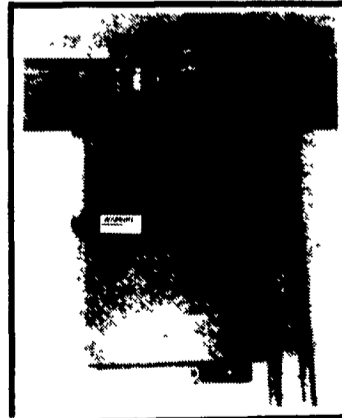
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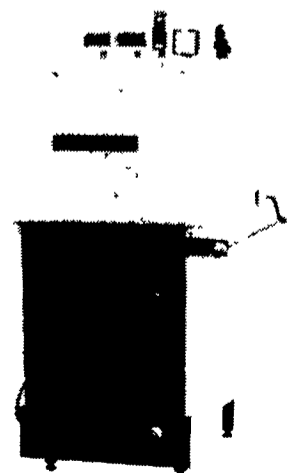
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