

ADC Awards NICE Scholarships

SOUTHAMPTON (Bucks Co.) — Atlantic Dairy Cooperative awarded scholarships to five students to attend the 1993 National Institute on Cooperative Education (NICE), July 26-29 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

The students, sons or daughters of Atlantic members, earned the scholarships by participating in the Pennsylvania Council of Cooperative's 1993 Summer Institute. The program, held June 27-30 at Shippensburg University, teaches high school students about cooperative business in a fun and educational setting.

Those receiving NICE scholarships include:

Brent England, the son of William R. and Bertha R. England of Williamsburg. Brent, 16, is a junior at Williamsburg High School, where he is a member of the National Honor Society, the Student Council, the school paper, the Barbell Club and the FFA. He also participates in basketball and football and is a student aide. He received both the Outstanding Foreign Language and Star Chapter Farmer awards. He recently attended the 1993 Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation leadership program in Pittsburgh.

Brent also is an altar server and member of the youth group at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. He is a volunteer at Garvey Manor, a retirement home.

At the Summer Institute, Brent was a member of the news team and the wake up/good night team. He was a session chairperson and a member of MINICO, a cooperative operated by the students dur-

ing the four-day program.

Karen Heilinger, the daughter of Richard and Josephine Heilinger of Newmanstown. Karen, 17, is a senior at Eastern Lebanon County High School, where she is president of her FFA chapter and secretary of the county FFA organization. She is the Lebanon County Alternate Dairy Princess and a member of her 4-H dairy club.

Karen's Summer Institute activities included the chorus, the wake up/good night team and the trivia pursuit team. She also was a member of MINICO.

Jason Krall, the son of Glen and Linda Krall of Lebanon. Jason, 18, is a 1993 graduate of Cedar Crest High School, where he was a member of his FFA chapter's parliamentary procedures, livestock and meat judging teams. He also participated in intramural volleyball. He helps with the Lebanon County Livestock Club's petting zoo and worked with a group to build a community playground.

At the Summer Institute, Jason was a member of the stage crew, the wake up/good morning team and the trivia pursuit team.

Scott Nolt, is the son of Allen and Carol Nolt of Lebanon. Scott, 17, is a senior at Cedar Crest High School, where he is president of his FFA chapter. He is active in the Annville Church of the Brethren youth group, the Junior Holstein Club and the Lebanon County 4-H Livestock Club.

At the Summer Institute, Scott was a member of the stage crew

and the wake up/good night team. He also participated in MINICO.

Elizabeth Walton, the daughter of David and Kathleen Walton. Elizabeth, 16, is a junior at Carlisle High School, where she is an Honor Roll student and a photographer for the Yearbook staff. She is an eight-year 4-H member, completing projects in dairy, cooking, sewing, quilting and

computers. She is president of the county-wide 4-H Dairy Club, recording secretary of the 4-H County Council and is a member of the 4-H State Days food and nutrition team.

She also is a member of the Cumberland County Junior Holstein Club and was the 1992 Cumberland County Junior Dairy representative.

Elizabeth's Summer Institute activities included the stage crew and the wake up/good night team. She also was a session chairperson

and a member of MINICO.

The five students will further their cooperative experience at NICE, which is sponsored annually by the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives. They will attend workshops featuring national cooperative leaders and motivational speakers.

Atlantic Dairy Cooperative represents more than 3,550 dairy farm families in Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia.



From the left, recipients of Atlantic Dairy Cooperative's NICE Scholarship are Jason Krall, Elizabeth Walton, Brent England, Karen Heilinger and Scott Nolt.

Patton To Research Milk Gene At Penn State

UNIVERSITY PARK (Centre Co.) — Stu Patton has returned to Happy Valley for the past five summers to do what he most enjoys — work!

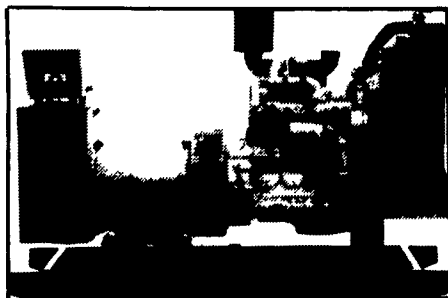
He is to spend the next several weeks with faculty and graduate students in Penn State's Department of Dairy and Animal Science classifying cows with respect to a polymorphic gene that is associated with variations in milk yield and milk composition.

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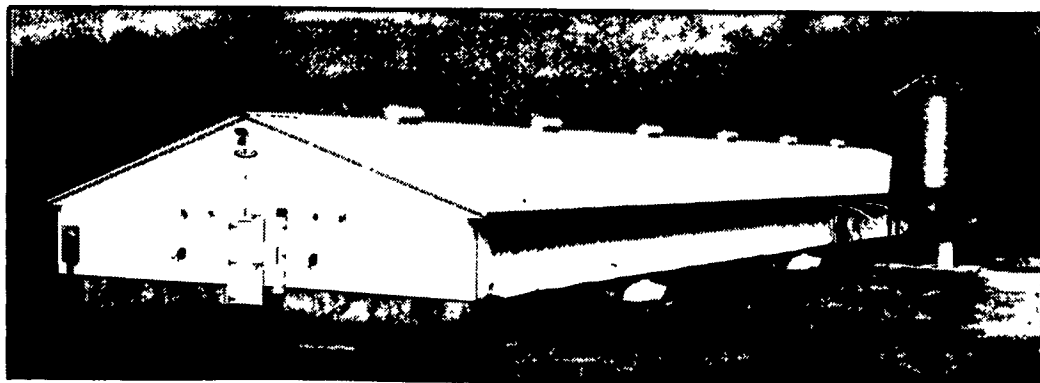
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