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4-H'ers Prepare For States At Regional Competition

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MANHEIM (Lancaster Co.) — 4-H'ers from southeastern Pennsylvania had a reason to smile on Tuesday afternoon as many took home trophies from the Southeast Regional 4-H Livestock Judging Contest, a prelude to the state 4-H Achievement Days next week.

Top senior team was awarded to Lebanon County, comprised of 4-H'ers Jon Harnish, Brian Kreider, and Dan Atkins. The Lebanon team placed first in three of four categories, including beef, sheep, and reasons, finishing second in swine judging. Overall individual came from the team, awarded to Jon Harnish, who placed first in beef, sheep, and reasons.

Lancaster County was awarded top junior team, comprised of John Hess, Dean Livengood, and Travis Donough. The team captured first in every category, which included beef, sheep, and swine. Top individual came from the team, which was awarded to John Hess, who placed first in sheep.

The seven counties participating included Lancaster, Lehigh, Berks, Lebanon, Dauphin, Chester, and York. All the 4-H'ers are eligible to compete at the Pennsylvania 4-H Activities Day, which runs from July 27-29 at State College.

Judges for the event were Brian Fitzgerald, beef; Keith Bryan, swine; Kelley Shearer, sheep; and Cheryl Fairbairn, referee.

Following is a list of show placings.

S.E. REGIONAL 4-H LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST

Junior Division
Beef 1. Derick Bollinger. 2. Heather Jasinski. 3. Marie

Stoltzfus. Sheep: 1. John Hess. 2. Dean Livengood. 3. Bobbi Myers. Swine: 1. Nathan Tice. 2. John Hartman. 3. John Hess.

Overall Individual: 1. John Hess. 2. Dean Livengood. 3. Travis Donough. Teams: Beef: 1. Lancaster. 2. Chester. 3. Dau-

phin. Sheep: 1. Lancaster. 2. York. 3. Berks. Swine: 1. Lancaster. 2. Berks. 3. Chester. Overall: 1. Lancaster. 2. Ches-

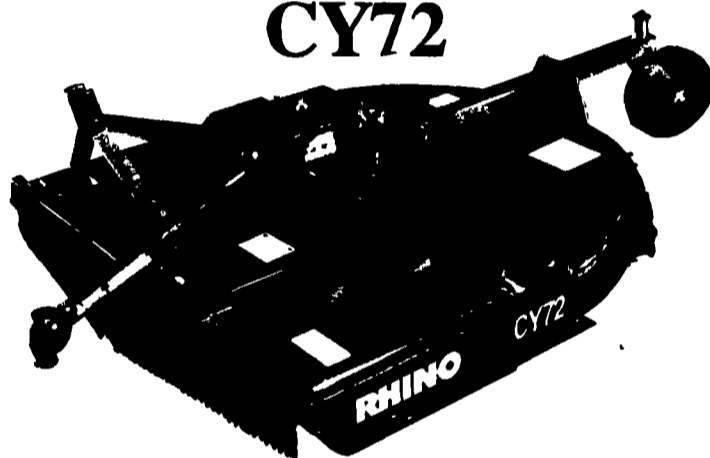
ter. 3. York. Senior Division: Beef: 1. Jon Harnish. 2. Jason Rankin. 3. Wendy Atkins.

Sheep: 1. Jon Harnish. 2. Brian Kreider. 3. Jason Stein. Swine: 1. Matt Sellers. 2. John Howe. 3. Jon Harnish. Reasons: 1. Jon

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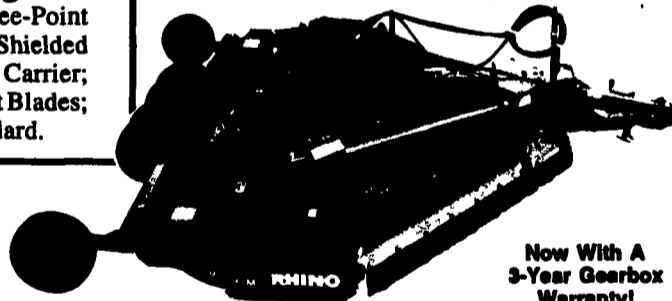
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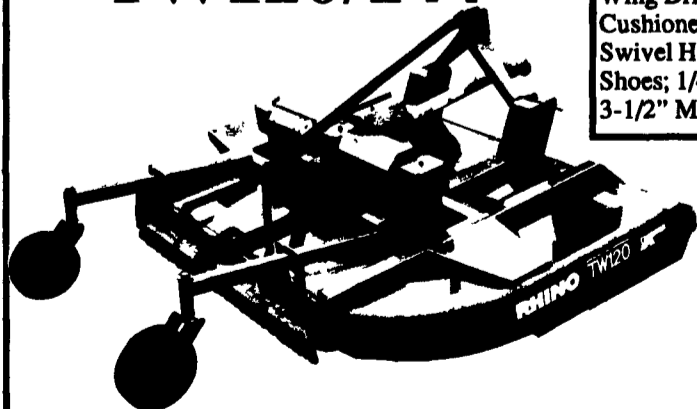


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