Mifflin Youth Hold Auction

MIFFLIN (Mifflin Co.) — A record total of 204 FFA and 4-H animals entered the auction ring at the Mifflin County Youth Park at the end of fair week bringing a total of \$65,805 even though average prices were low.

4-H'ers and FFA youth once again saw community, agribusiness, and individual support for their projects as the bidding began.

To begin the sale of 47 market lambs, Fisher Bee Company bought the 124-pound grand champion market lamb for \$570 from Jeremy Fisher while Gayle Stine's 114-pound reserve champion went to Paul Brown Excavating for \$3.25 per pound.

The sale of 117 swine began with Brad Wilson's 241-pound market hog bought by Mike's Excavating & Landscaping for \$3.75 per pound. Matt Kline's reserve grand champion sold to Hoss's Steak & Seafood House for \$3.10 per pound.

Samantha Speicher's 72-pound Grand Champion goat went to Allensville Planing Mill for \$126 while Kish Valley Buying Station bought Becky Seitz's Reserve Champion for 103.50.

Hoss's Steak and Seafood purchased Josh Bowen's Grand Champion beef for \$3,015. Robin Brubaker's Reserve Champion beef went to Juniata Concrete for \$1,736.



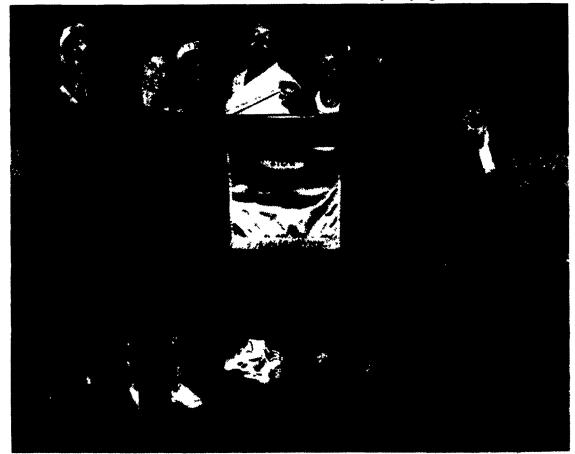
Robin Brubaker



Wade Fisher of Fisher Bee Farm bought Jeremy Fisher's 124-pound sheep at the Mifflin County Youth Fair for \$570.40.



Becky Seitz's reserve grand champion goat went to Sherman Glick at Kish Valley Buying Station.



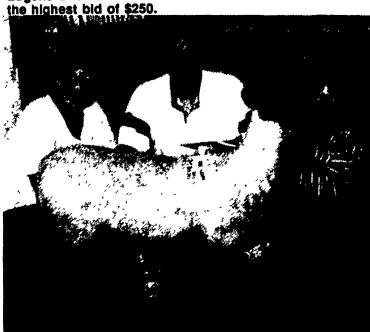
Josh Bowen (right) sold his grand champion beef to Hoss's Steak and Seafood for \$3,015. Representing Hoss's were (I to r) Mike Lightner, Angle Bender, DeAnn Smith, Chad Hollenbaugh, and Paula Stricker.



Mike Watson (left) of Mike's Excavating and Landscaping purchased Brad Wilson's grand champion swine for \$903.75.



Matt Kline paraded his grand champion cow as bids were placed to purchase a gallon of grand champion milk. Eugene Glick of the Belleville Livestock Market locked in



Louise and Paul Brown of Paul Brown Excavating, Mill Creek, bought Gayle Stine's reserve grand champion sheep for \$370.50.



Gien Hummel (right) of Hoss's Steak and Seafood bought Matt Kilne's reserve grand champion swine for \$750.40.