





A pint-sized foursome led by Becky Aurand chugged their pints of white milk while farther up the ring bigger kids downed bigger quarts.

Held Indoors because of rain, the Kiddle Tractor Pull went on without a hitch.

Why Are These Kids Having Fun?

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Can you imagine a country without a president? A marching

band without a drum major? A ball team without a coach?

If that sounds crazy, well try to imagine your own summer youth fair without any leaders or volunteers!

It'd be pure chaos! The hay, vegetable, and corn entries would be eaten by the cows, and the sheep would want all the "Make It With Wool" entries back.

Just imagine what would happen! Goats in the cotton candy, pigs rooting through the ceramics, and rabbits everywhere!

Thankfully those situations don't happen too often because an organized fair has leaders - special leaders who not only volunteer their time but do something else that's very important shape future leaders.

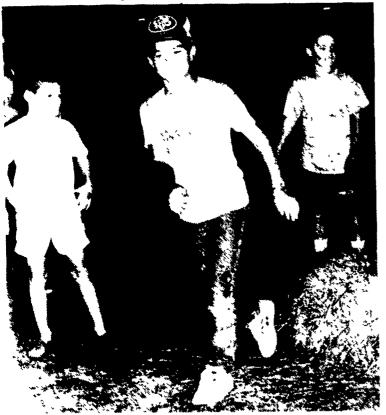
If you're a 4-H'er or an FFA'er, you may not know it, but your leader is teaching you some very valuable life skills. Skills that will make a future leader out of YOU! For example for the past four

years, Helen Kirk, with help from her daughter Sharon White and husband Jamey White, has been sponsoring the Barnyard Olympics at the Mifflin County Youth





Occasional downpours made the Barnyard Olympics a muddler event than usual. Matthew Shank of Milroy discovered waterlogged hay for the hay-throwing contest.



A long line-up of kids and spectators watched as A.J. Miller tried his best tossing a waterlogged bale.

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