

# Union Holds 4-H Event

LEWISBURG (Union Co.) — The Union County 4-H Advisory Committee recently sponsored the fourth annual 4-H Recognition Event.

The 4-H members and leaders were recognized for their achievements and special accomplishments attained throughout the 1993 4-H year.

The evening consisted of many awards being presented to the 4-H members and leaders. The highest individual honor was presented by Ruth Zimmerman, Union County commissioner, to Denise Long, an 8-year member of the Busy Bees 4-H Club. Denise was named the 1993 Outstanding 4-H Member.

To recognize the important role that teens play in the Union County 4-H Program, the Union County 4-H Advisory Committee each year sponsors the Top Teen Award. This year the Top Teen Award was presented to Denise Long of the Busy Bees 4-H Club.

The highest honor for a 4-H Club to achieve is the Superclub Award. This year's winning club was the My-T-Fine 4-H Club, Leah Bingaman, 4-H leader.

Other top awards for 4-H members were:

- Best of Show awards for members with outstanding projects at 4-H Round-Up - Isaac Aeppli, Amy Croll, Chris Croll, Heath Croll, Kristin Doebler, Jennifer Evans, Emily Folk, Matt

Gower, Crystal Graham, Anita Hauck, Alisha Kurtz, Denise Long, Ben Messimer, Tiffany Myers, Jolene Nunn, Tim Reichard, Jennifer Rishel, Rachael Scheckter, Sean Snoddy, Liesl Snyder, Sheila Spangler, Adam Wolfe, Jason Wolfe and Jeremy Wolfe.

- Officer awards recognized the efforts of 4-H club officers, including President Amy Croll, Vice President Holly Reichard, Treasurer Timothy Reichard, Secretary Matthew Gower, Social Chairman Melissa Reichard, and News Reporter Chris Croll.

- Junior Blue Forms recognizes members, age 7-13 for their involvement in 4-H: first-year members - 1st, Cary Hoffman; 2nd, Christa Chappell; 3rd, Caroline Servinsky; Honorable Mention, Amy Chappell; second-year members - 1st, Emily Folk; 2nd, Sean Snoddy; 3rd, Chad Martin; Honorable Mention, Adam Wolfe; third-year members - 1st, Kathryn Hockenberry; 2nd, Grace Hockenberry; 3rd, Laura Hess; Honorable Mention, Leslie Kenamond, Carla Mapes, Juliana Brafa; fourth-year members - 1st, Justin Spangler; 2nd, Sandra Beck; 3rd, Denae Johnson; fifth-year members - 1st, Chris Croll; 2nd, Amy Croll; 3rd, Priscilla Michaels; Honorable Mention, Katy Troester, Michelle Hackman; and seventh-year members - 1st, Wendy Roush.



Members of the My-T-Fine Union County 4-H Club receive a Community Service award from Guy Temple, Extension Agent in charge of Community Development. Members present are: Sandra Beck, Sara Beck, Benjamin Messimer, and Jolene Nunn.

- National awards to senior members, age 14-19, as part of the National 4-H Awards Program - Sarah Beck, Matthew Christ, Jolene Nunn, Liesl Snyder, Amy Troester, Jason Wolfe.

- Community Service Award was presented to the top 4-H club making an entry to the Milton Delancy Award or Northeast Regional Community Development Award. This year's winner was the Green Pride 4-H Club - Carol Nunn, 4-H Leader.

Teens recognized for their completion of the 4-H Teen Leader Project were Sarah Beck, Heath Croll, Anita Hauck, Denise Long, Jolene Nunn, Emma Renninger, Jennifer Rishel, and Liesl Snyder.

4-H Leaders who were recognized for their years of dedication and service were 1st year - Carolyn Bingaman, Gracie Burdick, Nancy Kenamond; 5th year - Bonnie Conrad, Peg Doebler, Anna Wolfe; 10th year - David Showers; and 15 year - Cindy Bilger, Ronald Kieffer.



Top Teen for Union County was awarded to Denise Long by Natalie Ferry, Union County Extension Director.

## 4-H Agents Meet In Harrisburg

UNIVERSITY PARK (Centre Co.) — Key policy makers exchanged views with 4-H leaders at the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Association of Extension 4-H Agents (PAE4-HA). The conference was held recently in Harrisburg.

The event focused on partnerships between schools, universities, and 4-H. Several state government officials were on hand to address the agents and discuss current educational issues, including outcome-based education, diversity, public service activities and preventing students from dropping out of school.

"The conference was a great chance for 4-H agents to develop a dialogue with leaders in several areas," said Bruce Richards, PAE4-HA past president and 4-H agent in Philadelphia County. "We shared information about our respective programs and discussed the potential for collaboration."

Joseph F. Bard, commissioner of elementary and secondary education in the Pennsylvania Department of Education, told the agents that education comes from many directions, not just school, and noted the opportunities offered by 4-H programs.

"Bard also discussed the shift to

a 'knowledge-based' educational system," said Richards. "Students now must acquire certain skills and knowledge before graduating. The old 'time-based' system only measured the hours students spent on a subject."

Bard then joined Ellis Griffith, superintendent of the Juniata Valley School District, Dr. Donald Evans, assistant dean for extension in Penn State's College of Agricultural Sciences, and 4-H agents Roxanne Price and Zoann Parker for a panel discussion on youth education.

Former state representative Sam Hayes, on hand to receive the 1993 National and State 4-H Alumni Honoree awards, cited his 4-H experiences as fundamental to his personal development. During the last part of Monday's session, the agents received a letter of support from Vice President Al Gore, who hailed PAE4-HA's leadership in providing dynamic youth development programs.

John Briscoe, director of PennServe, brought 10 adult volunteers and nearly 20 youth to discuss "service-learning" projects in their community. "Helping the community while learning something is the educational focus of PennServe," said Richards. "For instance, the students related how

visiting local elderly residence homes helped them learn about history."

James Buckheit, coordinator of dropout prevention programs in the state, then led a workshop on how 4-H agents can develop programs with the Department of Education. During lunch, Boyd Wolff, Pennsylvania secretary of agriculture, highlighted his agency's commitment to 4-H. He discussed his family's active participation in 4-H and recalled visits to successful 4-H programs across the commonwealth.

Lt. Governor Mark S. Singel also addressed the association. "He stressed that educational reform can no longer be delegated to schools and teachers and praised 4-H for helping youth to learn skills and value education," Richards said.

Ricki Leal, president-elect of the National Association of Extension 4-H Agents, concluded the conference by discussing the importance of professional development in a 4-H agent's career. She urged Pennsylvania agents to assume leadership roles.



Commissioner Ruth Zimmerman presented the 1993 Outstanding 4-H'er Award to this year's recipient, Denise Long. Denise also received the 1993 Top Teen Award. She is a member of the Busy Bees 4-H Club.

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