

Barbara Hehnly weavers the wool into a lovely pattern during the four-hour demonstration.

## Sheep To Shawl

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"We are growing gray together," Hehnly said of the team's camaraderie in sharing their love for fine wool.

In 1976, Hehnly became interested in weaving through occupational therapy nursing. About 10 years ago, Hehnly decided to use her weaving expertise in sheep to

shawl competition. She thinks the most important part of these competitions is to produce a fine-quality product — not merely complete a project in record-breaking time. In many competitions, she believes speed wins over skill, a fact she laments shows in the final quality of a project.

Hehnley does not sacrifice quality in her efforts to complete a project in three to four hours. And, she proudly proclaims that every project is one of a kind. She never repeats the same pattern with the same colors of wool.

For the Lebanon fair, Hehnley selected a plain weave with "huch"

Hehnly prefers the wool of Border Leister sheep, for the length of the staple, its ease in spinning, and the soft wool shawl it produces.

When it was completed, the shawl was presented, as dictated by tradition, to Lebanon Fair Queen Kristy Wright of Jonestown.

#### **Foundation Changes** Name

Pennsylvania Foundation for Better Living, sponsor of the state's Ag in the Classroom program, is sporting a new name to better reflect its commitment to agricultural awareness.

The Foundation's board of directors in June voted to change the organization's name to the

AIRVILLE (York Co.) - The Agriculture Awareness Foundation of Pennsylvania. The new name was officially announced on July 21 during the Foundation's annual teacher's workshop at Penn State University.

According to Pat Sueck, executive director, the Foundation's mission and purpose remain the same." "We will continue to promote agriculture and its impact on the state's economy," she said. "Agriculture is Pennsylvania's number one industry."

For more information about the Agriculture Awareness Foundation of Pennsylvania, contact Pat Sueck, Executive Director, R.D. 1, Box 43, Airville, PA 17302; the phone number is (717) 862-3486.

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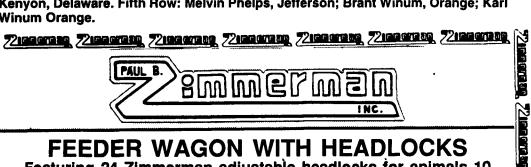
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