

## Wessner Shows Kutztown Swine Champion

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in percentage of lean," he told the exhibitors and audience.

Stephen also showed the champion Yorkshire from the fair's swine breed show.

Trostle, who maintains a small Hampshire herd, said the reserve market hog, picked from the heavyweight class, simply wasn't quite as heavy as the supreme, but had enough muscle in keeping with the needs of the market. The reserve, a 193-pound Hampshire cross, was a gilt shown by Brian Eschbach.

Brian, 13, is the son of George and Kathy Stump, Shoemakersville. The gilt was obtained at a commercial sale in Manheim in April. Brian was reserve grand champion about five years ago at the Kutztown Fair Swine Show. Brian, who will attend grade 8 in the Fleetwood Middle School, will showing at the Oley and Reading fairs.

George Stump said that Brian, who once worked at a farm, picked the hog at the Manheim sale. He said that the six-year Berks County 4-H member knows what traits in a potential swine championship to look for.

Fitting grand champion went to Anita Manbeck and reserve to Kristen Haas. Grand champion showman was Joseph Schick and reserve was Grant Lazarus.

Breed show champions were Hampshire, John Strawbridge; champion Landrace went to Grant A. Lazarus III; and Yorkshire champion went to Stephen Wessner.

Overall, there were a total of 25 carcass hogs, 32 breed hogs, 111 market hogs, and 39 exhibitors.

Following is a list of show placings.

### KUTZTOWN FAIR SWINE SHOW RESULTS

#### MARKET HOGS

Lightweight: Class 1 (87-125 lbs.): 1. Tracy Lazarus. 2. Mark Gelsinger. 3. John Hartman. Class 2 (128-145 lbs.): 1. Mark Gelsinger. 2. Grant Lazarus III. 3. Corey Eschbach. Class 3 (147-153 lbs.): 1. John Strawbridge. 2. Diane



Yorkshire champion of the Kutztown Fair went to Stephen Wessner.

Bond. 3. David Newpher. Champion: Mark Gelsinger. Reserve: Tracy Lazarus. Middleweight: Class 1 (157-166 lbs.): 1. Kevin Gelsinger. 2. Brian Eschbach. 3. Grant Lazarus III. Class 2 (167-175 lbs.): 1. John Strawbridge. 2. Justine Wisser. 3. Kelly Lazarus. Class 3 (177-183 lbs.): 1. Richard Kerper. 2. Kelly Lazarus. 3. Jeremy Wisser. Champion: Kevin Gelsinger. Reserve: Richard Kerper. Heavyweight: Class 1 (184-195 lbs.): 1. Stephen Wessner. 2. Brian Eschbach. 3. Julie Bond. Class 2 (202-216 lbs.): 1. Diana Bond. 2. Michelle Bond. 3. Julie Bond. Class 3 (217-289 lbs.): 1. Benjamin Lazarus. 2. Benjamin Lazarus. 3. Justin Levan. Champion: Stephen Wessner. Reserve: Brian Eschbach.

#### GRAND CHAMPION MARKET HOG Stephen Wessner RESERVE Brian Eschbach

#### SHOWMANSHIP AND FITTING

18 Years and Over: 1. Jason Manbeck. 2. Richard Kerper. 3. Christine Hunter. 17-18 Years Old: 1. Kristen Haas. 2. Jennifer Rabe-nold. 3. Tracy Lazarus. 16-17 Years Old: 1. Julie Bond. 2. Leon Hunter. 3. Calvin Lazarus III. 15-16 Years Old: 1. Anita Manbeck. 2. Jill Schick. 3. Kelly Lazarus. 11-14 Years Old: 1. Joseph Schick. 2. Justin Levan. 3. Kelly

Haas. 10-11 Years: 1. Justin Wisser. 2. Corey Eschbach. 3. John Strawbridge. CHAMPION Anita Manbeck RESERVE Kristen Haas

#### SHOWMANSHIP

18 Years and Over: 1. Richard Kerper. 2. Jason Manbeck. 3. Christine Hunter. 17-18 Years Old: 1. Jennifer Hess. 2. Tracy Lazarus. 3. Kristen Haas. 16-17 Years Old: 1. Grant Lazarus. 2. Matthew Hess. 3. Leon Hunter. 15-16 Years Old: 1. Anita Manbeck. 2. Stephen Schaeffer. 3. Brian Eschbach. 11-14 Years Old: 1. Joseph Schick. 2. Elizabeth Wisser. 3. Michelle Bond. 10-11 Years Old: 1. Corey Eschbach. 2. John Strawbridge. 3. Matt Manbeck.

#### CHAMPION Joseph Schick RESERVE Grant Lazarus III

#### CARCASS RESULTS

Lightweight Class 1: 1. Kevin Gelsinger. 2. Joseph Schick. 3. John Mason. Middleweight Class 2: 1. Lara Schick. 2. Jason Manbeck. 3. Leon Hunter. Heavyweight Class 3: 1. Mark Gelsinger. 2. Anita Manbeck. 3. Christine Hunter.

#### CHAMPION CARCASS Lara Schick RESERVE Jason Manbeck



Hampshire champion gilt was shown by John Strawbridge at the Kutztown Fair Swine Show.



Landrace champion was shown by Grant A. Lazarus III at the Kutztown Fair.



Showmanship at fitting champions of the Kutztown Fair Swine Show. Second from left, Kristen Haas, reserve champion fitter; Anita Manbeck, champion fitter; and Grant Lazarus, reserve champion showman. Far left is Ron Trostle, show judge.



Brian Eschbach, right, was honored with reserve champion market hog on Tuesday at Kutztown. At left is Ron Trostle, show judge.

## Kutztown Fair Posts Holstein Show Results

KUTZTOWN (Berks Co.) — Following is a list of results from the Holstein Open Show at this week's Kutztown Fair.

### KUTZTOWN FAIR HOLSTEIN SHOW RESULTS

Junior Calf: 1. Suzie Luckenbill. 2. Marisa Wanski. 3. Dwight Zimmerman. Intermediate Calf: 1. Leslie Nirschl. 2. Reu-Hei Farms. 3.

Jessica Luckenbill. Senior Calf: 1. Steven Younker. 2. Leslie Nirschl. 3. Stacey Geist. Summer Yearling: 1. Suzie Luckenbill. 2. Ray and Frances Davis. 3. Alicia Gross. Junior Yearling: 1. Jesse Butler. 2. Trisha Geist. 3. March Schroeder. Intermediate Yearling: 1. Elliot Heffner. 2. Mark Sattizahn. 3. Steven Younker. Senior Yearling: 1. Reu-Hei Farms. 2. Crystal Miller. 3. Angela Werley.

#### JUNIOR CHAMPION Reu-Hei Farms RESERVE Elliot Heffner

Junior Best 3 Females: 1. Leslie Nirschl. Dry Cow: 1. Paul and Scott Youse. 2. Stacey Dietrich. 3. Alicia Gross. Junior 2-Year-Old: 1. Tammy Epting. 2. Stacey Dietrich. 3. Kristen Gross. Senior 2-Year-Old: 1. Lynette Heffner. 2. Leslie Nirschl. 3. Michael Davis. Junior 3-Year-Old: 1. Crystal Miller. 2. March Schroeder. 3. Angela Werley. Senior 3-Year-Old: 1. Brandon Schroeder. 2. Brennan Johns. 3. Leslie Nirschl. 4-Year-Old: 1. Jennifer Davis. 2. Robert and Sherry Bashore. 5-Year-Old: 1. Jennifer Davis. 2. Robert and Sherry Bashore. 3. Janice Youse. 6-Years-

And-Over: 1. Robert and Sherry Bashore. 2. Paul and Scott Youse.

#### SENIOR CHAMPION Tammy Epting RESERVE Lynette Heffner

#### GRAND CHAMPION Tammy Epting RESERVE Lynette Heffner

Cow in Milk-Best Udder: 1. Stacey Dietrich. 2.

Jennifer Davis. Get of Sire: 1. Leslie Nirschl. 2. Alicia Gross. 3. Brandon Schroeder. Best 3 Females: 1. Jennifer Davis. 2. Leslie Nirschl. 3. Brandon Schroeder. Dairy Herd: 1. Jennifer Davis. 2. Robert and Sherry Bashore. 3. Stacey Dietrich. Produce of Dam: 1. Jennifer Davis. 2. Reu-Hei Farms. 3. Leslie Nirschl. Dam and Daughter: 1. Leslie Nirschl. 2. Stacey Dietrich. 3. Angela Werley.