

Laura Shares Limelight With 'Macy' At KILE Lead Line

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HARRISBURG (Dauphin Co.) — It has been only two years since Laura Langlotz, 18, stood underneath the championship banner in Harrisburg.

Holding "Macy," her Southdown yearling ewe, Laura, 18 daughter of Bill and Ruth Ann Langlotz, Monkton, Md., walked to the senior championship at the Keystone International Livestock Expo (KILE) Lead Line contest

last Saturday afternoon. Laura, a business administration major at Villa Julie College in Steveson, Md., won intermediate champion at the lead line contest in 1992. Laura displayed her raspberry wool coat dress, topped with a black wool hat with matching raspberry wool rosette. Her coat dress was highlighted with pearl jewelry.

Laura constructed her dress from 100 percent Pendleton Raspberry wool. The dress features



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Seniors line up last week at the KILE Lead Line contest. In all, there were 34 contestants.



Juniors line up for the judges at the KILE Lead Line.



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front button closure and pleated skirt. She has fully lined her dress and accented it with pearl buttons. Macy, her Southdown ewe, sported a bow-tie made from fabric scraps.

Laura is a 10-year 4-H member and has a flock of 25 registered Southdowns. She has been showing Southdowns for 12 years. She won the senior champion in the clothing department at the Maryland State Fair.

Shelley Patton, 15, walked her Suffolk yearling, "Sedalia," to intermediate champion. Shelley, daughter of Rick and Janice Patton, Waynesburg, is a sophomore at Waynesburg Central High School. She wore a forest green slim skit made of 100 percent wool. The garment has a back vent and zipper. The loose-fitting vest is made of red plaid 100 percent wool. Details of the vest include a shaped front, a back buckle, and is accented with silver buttons. Shelley also wore green hose, black shoes, and silver jewelry.

Shelley is a member of both the 4-H market lamb and breeding sheep clubs. She intends to go to college to study for an architectural engineering degree.

Amanda Miller, 9, daughter of Joan and Ron Miller, Mertztown, held the reins to "Reba," her Southdown yearling ewe, to junior championship. Amanda wore a 100 percent wool navy, red, and camel pleated dress from the American Girls collection. The pleated dress has very full sleeves with inserted heads at the shoulders to enhance the fullness. The sleeves gather into cuffs made of three contrasting fabrics of the main navy, red, and camel fabric, (Turn to Page B13)



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