

## York 4-H Dairy Members Honored

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**BAIR (York Co.)** — Nine York County 4-H dairy club members have been named outstanding achievement winners. The nine members were honored as the highlight of the annual York 4-H Dairy Achievement program, held November 18 at the county's 4-H Center.

Outstanding winners from the Southwest Dairy Club are Jacob Smith, junior division; Daphne Doll, intermediate division; and Brad Walker, senior division. Central Dairy Club honored Angie Beshore as the outstanding junior and Katie Shoemaker, outstanding intermediate member.

Four of the award winners were from the Milk and Money Club. First-year member Mickey Greek was named outstanding rookie, along with junior winner Susan Richardson, intermediate Sara Greek, and senior Todd Morris.

Trophies were presented to breed winners from the county dairy roundup, held in July. Jesse Stambaugh took senior and grand champion Ayrshire honors with his aged cow, placing over his brother Jason's bred and owned senior two-year-old in the reserve senior and grand placing. Both Ayrshire top junior division honors went to Jason Stambaugh, who took junior champion with his intermediate yearling and reserve with his senior calf entry.

Brown Swiss senior and grand champion was Josh Hushon, exhibiting a junior two-year-old, with Heather Crowl in the reserve senior and grand placing with her aged cow. Heifer division winners were Jacob Hushon, who took junior champion honors with his bred and owned intermediate yearling, and Ben Smith, who exhibited his senior calf to the reserve junior champion spot.

In the Guernsey classes, Will Jenkins finished with junior and grand champion honors for his senior calf. In the reserve junior and reserve grand champion placing was a bred and owned junior calf, exhibited by Todd Morris.

Kathleen Jenkins was the Jersey junior and grand champion award

winner with her summer yearling entry, and Heather Crowl took junior and grand champion title in the Milking Shorthorn class with her intermediate yearling.

Senior and grand champion Holstein, as well as supreme champion of the show, was the four-year-old exhibited by Brad Walker. Walker also had best bred and owned with his three-year-old entry. Reserve senior and grand champion was the three-year-old entry of Amy Trimmer. Junior champion Holstein was the intermediate yearling exhibited by Daphne Doll, while reserve junior champion honors went to Jacob Hushon's senior calf.

Showmanship winners in four age groups were honored: Nicole Marks, Cloverbud; Angie Beshore, junior; Jason Stambaugh, intermediate, and Dixie Doll, senior. The Milk and Money Club was cited for its third-place finish in the 4-H and youth division of the annual HOARD'S DAIRYMAN magazine judging contest.

Two dairy club members were recognized for achievements in public speaking presentations. Susan Richardson earned a gold ribbon award at the regional speaking out night, and Angie Beshore took a red ribbon at the county public speaking presentation.

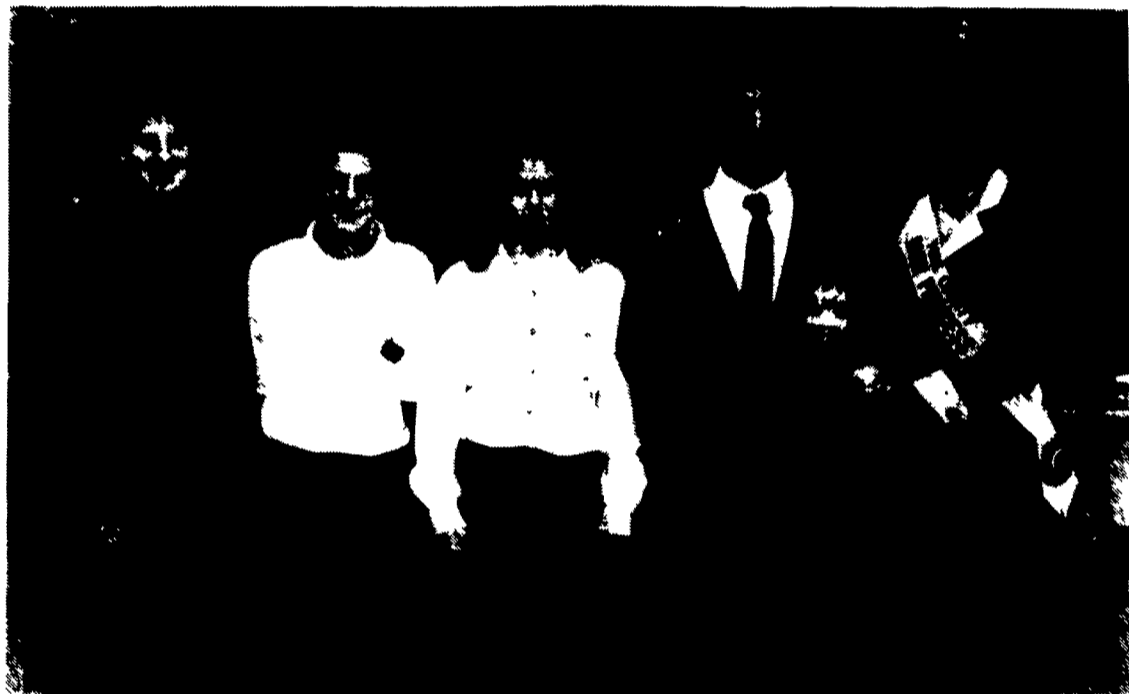
Two teams competed at the Delaware Valley College dairy judging event. Junior team members included Michele Walker, Joshua Hushon, Becky Kilgore and Susan Richardson. On the senior team were Brad Walker, Greg Walker, Gina Shelton and Heather Crowl. Members Becky Kilgore and Susan Richardson participated also in the state judging forum. Other county dairy judging participants were Daphne Doll, Dixie Doll, and Jacob Hushon.

Dairy bowl members included Kyle Bitzer, Jacob Smith, Jesse Stambaugh and Mark Lucabaugh, coached by Norma Luckabaugh.

Beginning 4-H'ers who exhibited at the county level as cloverbuds were Marshal Heaps, Joseph Hushon, Lisa Greek-Jones, Shane Kitner, Nicole Marks and Kimberly Pomraning.



Outstanding winners at the York 4-H Dairy Achievement Night included, front from left, Michael Greek, Daphne Doll, Jake Smith, and Angie Beshore. Rear from left, Sara Greek, Susan Richardson, Katie Shoemaker, Todd Morris, and Brad Walker.



York 4-H dairy roundup winners included Holstein exhibitors, from left, Amy Trimmer, Joshua Hushon, Daphne Doll, Brad Walker, and York dairy princess Kelly Jo Myers.



Among the honorees at the York 4-H Dairy Achievement night were from left, dairy maid Tanya Thoman, Ayrshire winner Jesse Stambaugh, Guernsey winner Todd Morris, Ayrshire winner Jason Stambaugh, and Alternate Dairy Princess Angela Mummert.

## F.O. 4 NFMS \$1.11

**ALEXANDRIA, Va.** — Middle Atlantic Order Market Administrator Rex F. Lothrop has announced a producer nonfat milk solids price of \$1.11 per pound for October.

The weighted average differential base milk price was \$1.04 per hundredweight and the price per pound of butterfat was 73.17 cents. The producer NFMS price was down 1 cent from last year while the base differential increased 18 cents.

The standardized base milk price per hundredweight for producer milk with the market average nonfat milk solids content and 3.5 percent butterfat would have been \$13.33 and the excess price would have been \$12.29.

The base price per hundredweight was unchanged from the previous year, while the excess price decreased 18 cents. The nonfat milk solids price, applicable to handler payments, was \$1.119 per pound for the month, down slightly from last October. The weighted average price for October was \$13.34 per hundredweight and would have been approximately 19 cents higher without the effect of the Class III-A price.

Mr. Lothrop said that producer

receipts totaled 521.8 million pounds during October, a decrease of .7 million pounds from last October, and the average daily delivery of 3,284 pounds per producer increased 129 pounds or 4.1 percent from a year earlier.

Total nonfat milk solids production for the month was 45.7 million pounds. This represents an average NFMS test of 8.77 percent, up from 8.76 percent last October. Class I producer milk totaled 247.5 million pounds and was down 5.6 million pounds, or 2.2 percent from last October.

Class I milk accounted for 47.43 percent of total producer milk receipts during the month, compared with 48.43 percent in October 1993. Base milk accounted for 93.41 percent of total producer milk receipts in October compared with 94.11 percent last year.

The average butterfat test of producer milk was 3.7 percent, down from 3.73 percent last October.

Middle Atlantic Order pool handlers reported Class I in-area milk sales of 203 million pounds during October, a decrease of .2 percent from a year earlier, after adjustment to eliminate variation due to calendar composition.

## AJCA Award Nominations Due

Reynoldsburg, Ohio — American Jersey Cattle Association award nominations are due in the office by Jan. 1 for the master breeder award, distinguished service award, and young jersey breeder award.

Breeders must be nominated by their state office.

The master breeder award is bestowed annually to a living member of the American Jersey Cattle

Association, who in the opinion of the board of directors, has bred outstanding animals for many years and thereby made a notable contribution to the advancement of the Jersey breed in the United States.

The distinguished service award is bestowed annually upon a member of the American Jersey Cattle Association, who has rendered unselfish service for many years, and in doing so, made a notable

contribution to the advancement of the Jersey breed in the United States.

The young jersey breeder award is awarded annually to AJCA members and/or member's families, who in the opinion of the board of directors, merit recognition. The winners selected by the AJCA Board of Directors must be active members of the AJCA and under 36 years of age on Jan. 1, 1994.