# **Outstanding Shorthorn Performance Recognized**

LOUISVILLE, Ky. - Shorthorn producers were recognized and honored by the American Shorthorn Association for outstanding performance during the past year.

The awards were presented at the breed's annual meeting and award ceremony held in conjunction with the National Shorthorn Show at the North American International Livestock Exposition in Louisville, Ky.

Thirteen Shorthorn operations were named as recipients of the Century Club Award. A plaque was presented to any firm having registered 100 or more head of Shorthorns during the previous fiscal year.

This year's recipients were W. J. Hoyt & Sons, Burns, Ore,; Mantua Farms, Powell, Wyo.; Rocker Bros., Seward, Neb.; Bodmin Limited, Brussels, Ont., Canada; Don Cardey, Turlock, Calif.; Keith Lauer, Abilene, Kan.; Byland Polled Shorthorns, Loudonville, Ohio; Don R. Hoyt, Basin, Wyo.; Deer Trail Ranch, Powhattan, Kan.; Green Ridge Shorthorns, Urbana, Mo.; Whittle Bros., Golden City, Mo.; Frosty Acres, Inc. Adin, Calif.; and Shadybrook Farms, West Brome, Quebec, Canada.

Individual Shorthorn performance was recognized through the sire of the year, pacesetter dam and pacemaker sire award programs.

The Sire of the Year Award honors the top five sires in the breed determined by points accumulated by the show ring performance of their progeny. The award winning sires (in order of placings) and their owners were: 1) HS Rodeo Drive 062WR \*x, owned by the HS Rodeo Drive

NEXT

SALE

AT 9:45 AM

062WR Syndicate, Virginia, Ill.; Whitestone-Krebs, Gordon, Neb.; W. J. Hoyt & Sons, Burns, Ore.; Rex Cates & Family, Modoc, Ind.; Rex Tribbett, Linden, Ind.; and Bill Rasor, Allen, Texas; 2) Deer Trail Awesome x, owned by the Deer Trail Awesome Syndicate, Deer Trail Ranch and Ed Grathwohl, Powhattan, Kan.; 3) RPS Grand Slam x, owned by the RPS Grand Slam Syndicate and Ralph J. Pope & Sons, Metcalf, Ill.; 4)

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Three American Polled Hereford Association (APHA) members were elected to the national board of directors in November.

Jane Evans Cornelius, LaSalle, Colo.: Jim O'Mara, Jackson, Miss.; and Donato Ramos, Laredo, Texas, assumed their Board duties during the 72nd National Convention, Show & Sale in Kansas City, Mo.

sent the states of Colorado, New Mexico, and Wyoming. The owner of Coyote Ridge Ranch, she and her children have been in the Polled Hereford business for 15 years. The ranch's 100 cows and 700 acres started as a 4-H project. Her son, Hampton, and his wife, Kay, now help manage the operation and Cornelius's other children, Coleman and Katie, are also involved.

Cornelius is also a certified

CC Cujo x, owned by J&H Land Co., Quincy, Calif., and Gary Chesnut, Fithian, Ill.; 5) GR Combo \*x, owned by Green Ridge Shorthorns, Urbana, Mo.; Randy and Rhonda Henke, Salisbury, Mo.; and Kohlstaedt Farms, Wellington, Mo.

The Pacesetter Dam Award recognizes Shorthorn females that accumulated 500 P.A.C.E. show ring points on at least two progeny and have established breeding values through the Shorthorn Performance Records (SPR) program. Females achieving these standards this past year were Wernacres Duchess G, owned by Dale Wernicke, Lena, Ill.; and Mike and Marsha Mahony, Bath, NB, Canada; Waukaru First Lady x, owned by Tonquish Ponds Farm, Manitou Beach, Mich,; and Deer Trail Rhinestone x, owned by JHR Shorthorns, Effingham, Kan., and Deer Trail Ranch, Powhattan, Kas.

Two Shornhorn bukks were recognized as Pacemaker Sires. To receive the award, Shorthorn sires must accumulate 3,000 points on at least 10 progeny and who have established breeding values through the SRP program. The Pacemaker Sires were RPS Grand Slam x, owned by the RPS Grand Slam Syndicate and Ralph J. Pope & Sons, Metcalf, Ill.; and BJB Future Prophet x, owned by Don Cardey, Turlock, Calif.

### **APHA Board Elected To**

public accountant and owns her own firm in Boulder. She has been active in the Colorado-Wyoming Polled Hereford Association (PHA) and served as its secretary from 1987 to 1992. The Colorado Cattlemen's Association, Larimer and Weld County Cattlemen's Associations and the Boulder County 4-H program have also benefited from her leadership.

APHA members in Arkansas, Cornelius was elected to repre- Louisiana and Mississippi will be represented by O'Mara during the next four years. O'Mara, who owns Broadlawn Farms, began in the registered Polled Hereford business in 1982. Since then, his operation has grown to 100 females on 425 acres. He has served on the Mississippi PHA Board of Directors and as its secretary, was his state's delegate to APHA's Strategic Planning Conference in 1990 is a Mississippi Cattlemen's Association member



and belongs to the Jackson Chamber of Commerce agribusiness committee. O'Mara, who is also an attorney, and his wife, Jeanette, have two children, Jay and Angie.

Ramos was selected last March to complete an unexpired term on the board; he now begins his own four years of elected service. He spent his childhood working on his grandfather's commercial cattle operation and has been in the

purebred Polled Hereford business since 1964. Active in the Texas PHA, he has served as its president and on its board of directors. He also sits on the National Cattlemen's Association Beef Research and Education Committee and is involved in many community activities. In addition to managing his ranching enterprises, Ramos is an attorney. He has one daughter, Judy, and two sons, Don David and Freddy.

## Farm Bureau Honored For Achievements

CALLICOON, 'N.Y. - New York Farm Bureau, presented its Gold and Silver Key awards to county farm bureaus and local farm leaders with outstanding achievements.

Gold and Silver Key awards are presented to county farm bureaus who, during the course of the year, plan and execute programs designed to further the work of Farm Bureau. Gold Key awards are for overall program achievement and Silver Keys are for high achievement in a particular area. The following is a list of winners:

Gold Key Awards Seneca, Cortland and Cattaraugus Silver Key Awards

Cattaraugus County - Political Educa-tion, Women's Program, State & National

Policy Execution, National and Environmental Resources, Young Farmer Program, and Outstanding Special Project Erle County - Organization, Membership,

Local Issues and Special Communications Award/Best News Story Seneca County - Membership, Ag in the

Classroom, Outstanding Special Project, and Special Communications Award/Best Pamphiet/Best Newsletter

Montgomery County - Ag in the Class-room, Health & Safety

- Contland County Health & Safety, Women's Program
- Fulton County Women's Program Broome County- Membership

Ontario County- Information **Dutchess County- Outstanding Special** Project

Orange County- Policy Development Chenango County - Special Communication Award/Best News Story/Best Feature Article

Tompkins County - Special Communications Award/Best Newsletter

Outstanding County President of the Year: Earl Gingerich, Jr. (Erie County)

Jersey Shore

Livestock Market, Inc.

Auction every Thursday

Belknap Livestock
Wednesday, December 28, 1994
Report Supplied by Auction
STEERS CH HOLSTEINS 62 00-
64.00 GD 55 00-61 00
HEIFERS CH NONE, GD 52 00-
60 00
COWS UTIL & COM 40 00-46 25,
CAN & LO CUT 35 00-39 75, SHELLS
DOWN TO 28 00
BULLS GD 52 25
FEEDER CATTLE STEERS 58 00-
68 00, BULLS 55 00-65 00, HEIFERS
50 00-60 00
CALVES HOL BULL NO I'S
115 00-142 00, NO 2'S 90 00-114 00.
HOL HEF NO 1'S 175 00-200 50, NO
2'S 125 00-170 00 HOGS NO 1'S 32 00-42 00 NO 2'S
30 00-32 00
LAMBS GD 70 00–92 50
GOATS UP TO 75 00
FEEDER PIGS NO 15 00-20 00 NO
FEEDER FIUS NO 1500 2000 NO

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#### at 4:00 p.m. Jersey Shore, Pa. **Report supplied by Auction** Thursday, December 29 RETURN TO FARM CALF 70.00-205.00. GOOD VEAL: 70.00-150.00. COMMON VEAL: 20.00-70.00. CHOICE STEERS; 68.00-71.00. SELECT STEERS: 56.00-68.25. COMMON STEERS: 52.00-60.50. COMMERCIAL COWS: 39.00-47.25. CANNERS-CUTTERS: 33.00-43.50. SHELLS: 20.00-34.75. CHOICE HEIFERS: 67.50-70.50. SELECT HEIFERS: 52.00-69.00. COMMON HEIFERS: 44.00-48.75. GOOD FEEDERS: 45.00-65.50. COMMON FEEDERS: 45.00-55.00 BULLS: 40.00-47.50. SOWS: 32.75.

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See Additional Consignments Page B30

& Frame Workshop on 3.521 Acres of Land.

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