

Holstein Breakfast

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Somerset.

Cash awards were presented to three county clubs that met membership goals. Recipients of \$200 awards were McKean and Mercer counties, and Lehigh County received a \$100 award.

Awards were also presented for genetic achievement and showing accomplishments by Holstein members.

All-Pennsylvania Awards went to 51 head which placed in the top of the 18 classes of the three major Holstein shows in the state with more than 1,050 total animals exhibited. Five of the All-Pennsylvania awards went to Steve and Chris Wood, Penn Gate Farms, Littlestown, three went to James and Nina Burdette, Mercersburg, and the remaining were split among 32 other exhibitors.

Progressive Genetics Herd recognition went to 63 Pennsylvania Holstein breeders, from among the 500 herds across the country on the DHIR testing program finishing with the highest TPI.



Sid Bream, owner of Grand Slam Holsteins and major league baseball player, is awards breakfast speaker.

Forty-four Pennsylvania breeders received the prestigious Progressive Breeder Registry award, based on a formula recognizing production, classification type and percentage of homebred cattle. The Donald Seipt family's Keystone Farm, Easton, topped the longevity list of PBR winners at 37 years, while 10 state Holstein breeders were first-year recipients.

Progressive Breeder Registry Awards - 1994

- 37 Years - Keystone Farms, Easton
- 28 Years - Richard H. & Marilyn Packard, Troy
- 23 Years - Jay H. & Mary F. Houser, Spring Mills
- 15 Years - Junge Farms Inc., New Tripoli
- 12 Years - Hillside Farms Inc., Shavertown
- 11 Years - Keith E. Decker, Knox
- 9 Years - Allegen Farms, Genesse; Thomas A. Boyer, York;
- 7 Years - Thomas W. Kelly, Tyrone
- 6 Years - John H. & Susan A. Howards, Willow Street
- 5 Years - Allen & Lorraine Anndrews, Gillette; Lewis W. & Barbara Berkley, Berlin; Raymond & Richard Coursen, Spring Mills; L. Leroy & Ida Jane Piance, Wellsboro; Chnst L. Stoltzfus, Honey Brook; Vincent A. & Juliet Wagner, Meyerstown; Richard D. Wheeler, Gillette
- 4 Years - Gerald F. & Patricia L. Carr, Somerset; Delaware Valley College, Doylestown; Kirby L. & Sheryl A. Horst, Newmans-town; Wayne & Roger Sherwood, Meshoppen
- 3 Years - Philip Beachey, Salisbury; Richard Higley, Forksville; Dennis & David Hotenstein, New Albany; Miller & Rex Inc., Andreas; M. Thomas & Cindy L. Sheaffer, Carlisle
- 2 Years - Ramsay S. Jr. & Scott Cooper, Delta; Dream-On Holsteins, Lebanon; Richard E. Hostetter, Parkesburg; Timothy & Teresa Kissling, Robesonia; Mt. Glen Farms, Columbia Cross Roads; Peasedale Farms, Susquehanna; Shelmar-Acres, Mount Joy; Andrew D. Stoltzfus, Morgantown
- 1 Year - Charles & William Black, Saegertown; Brenton S. Buckwalter, Watsonstown; Ronald J. & Candice Cooney, Ulysses; Luther A. Davis, Kutztown; DJSP Schuler, Fleetwood; Fountain-Hill Holsteins, Gap; John B. Kline, Myerstown; Londondale Farm, Punxsutawney; David E. Mattocks, Tunkhannock; One-O-One Holsteins, Rochester

Progressive Genetics Herd Award

FOUR YEARS
Joe & Sandy Lusby, Aitglen; Kenneth Um-

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Receiving progressive breeder genetics herd awards are, from the left, Bruce Snider and children Rachel and Greta, Lewis and Barbara Berkley, Keith and Deb Decker, Dale and Paula Wack, and Jay and Mary Houser.



Receiving progressive breeder genetics herd awards are, from the left, Denise and Charles Bean, Mike and Cindy Welmer, Donald and Gerry Seipt, Tom and Peg Kelly, and Terri Packard for the Richard Packard family.



Receiving progressive breeder genetics herd awards are, from the left, John and Susan Howard, Alan and Kendra Myers, Darren and Caryn Peachy, Michael Ammon, and Steve Mower for Em-Tran Inc.



Steve and Chris Wood are awarded the Pa. Holstein Association's 1995 Outstanding Young Holstein Breeder award.



Bill Nichol looks on as Sid Bream, a major league baseball player and owner of Grand Slam Holsteins, dons a Pennsylvania Holstein Association jacket that was presented to him by Nichol.



Long time progressive breeder registry honors are presented to, from the left in the front row, Jay Houser, Keith Decker, and Terri Packard for the Richard Packard family; and from the left in the back row, tom Kelly, John Howard, Donald Seipt, and Warren Sutton for Hillside Farms.