

Lancaster 4-H Dairy Show Starts Season

VERNON ACHENBACH JR.
Lancaster Farming Staff
QUARRYVILLE (Lancaster Co.) — The show season started Wednesday for Lancaster County 4-H youth with the county show held at the Solanco Fairgrounds in Quarryville.

David Castrogiovanni, of Montrose, judged the animals, while Joy Crouthers, of Oxford, judged for showmanship. Tom Arrowsmith, of Peach Bottom, judged fitting.

In the Brown Swiss breed, Elizabeth Smith, of Denver, showed a junior 2-year-old, K&Q Brigadier Lollipop, to win senior and grand champion titles.

Gerald Boyd, of Ephrata, showed his junior 2-year-old, KEB Clayview Emory Baffy, to win reserve senior and reserve grand champion titles. Boyd also showed the reserve junior champion, a junior calf, Dublin Hills Pro Posie.

Andrew Smith, of Denver, showed an intermediate calf, K&Q Simon Angel, to win the junior champion honor.

In the Guernsey breed, Brian Smith of Denver showed all champions. His junior champion was a senior yearling, K&Q Jasper Tulip. His senior and grand champion was junior 2-year-old K&Q Sheldon Violet. She was also the best bred and owned. Brian's reserve senior and reserve

grand champion was his 4-year-old K&Q Queen Fayette Flower.

In the Jersey breed, Marsha Balmer, of Manheim, showed the grand champion which was also the junior champion, a senior calf Bo Joy Starbuck M&M. Denise Bollinger, of Manheim, showed the reserve junior and reserve grand champion, a junior yearling, Petermans Pride Lynx Darla.

In the Holstein breed, Marsha Balmer, of Manheim, showed her junior 3-year-old, Len-Mer-Pine Majestic Cani to win senior and grand champion honors.

Reuben Kennel, of Mount Joy, showed the reserve senior and reserve grand champion, a senior 2-year-old, PA-Cornerstone Cubby Noreen, and he showed his intermediate yearling, PA-CG Broker Victoria, to win the reserve junior champion honor.

Kristopher Martin, of Manheim, showed the junior champion Holstein, an intermediate calf, Leh-Mer-Pine Roy Nin.

Lancaster 4-H Dairy Show

BROWN SWISS
JUNIOR CALF: 1.Gerald Boyd; 2.Lori Hess
INTERMEDIATE CALF: 1.Andrew Smith
SUMMER YEARLING: 1.Elizabeth Smith
JUNIOR CHAMPION: Andrew Smith
RESERVE JR CHAMP: Gerald Boyd
JR 2-YR-OLD: 1.Elizabeth Smith; 2.Gerald Boyd
5-YR-OLD: 1.Elizabeth Smith
SENIOR CHAMPION: Elizabeth Smith
RESERVE SR CHAMP: Gerald Boyd



From the left, Elizabeth Smith holds the halter of her grand champion Brown Swiss named Lollipop, while Gerald Boyd shows his reserve grand champion and Andrew Smith shows his junior champion.



From the left, Reuben Kennel shows his reserve senior and grand champion Holstein, while Marsha Balmer shows her grand champion.

GRAND CHAMPION: Elizabeth Smith
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION: Gerald Boyd

GUERNSEY
SENIOR YEARLING: 1.Brian Smith
JUNIOR CHAMPION: Brian Smith
JR 2-YR-OLD: Brian Smith
SENIOR 2-YR-OLD: Jason Henisee
4-YR-OLD: Brian Smith
SENIOR CHAMPION: Brian Smith
RESERVE SR CHAMP: Brian Smith
GRAND CHAMPION: Brian Smith
RESERVE GRAND CHAMP: Brian Smith

JERSEY
SENIOR CALF: Marsha Balmer
JUNIOR YEARLING: Denise Bollinger
JR CHAMPION: Marsha Balmer
RESERVE JR CHAMP: Denise Bollinger
GRAND CHAMPION: Marsha Balmer
RESERVE GRAND CHAMP: Denise Bollinger

(Turn to Page A31)



Denise Bollinger shows her reserve grand champion Jersey.



Marsha Balmer shows her grand champion Jersey.



From the left, Brian Smith holds the halter of his grand champion Guernsey, while grandfather Alvin Smith holds Brian's reserve grand champion, and Brian's father Tom Smith holds the junior champion.