

# Livestock Sale Brings In \$127,772

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**BEDFORD** (Bedford Co.)—The excitement mounts as the Bedford County Fair Junior Livestock Sale time draws closer.

Lamb producers fill the air with the smell of grilling lamb samples, pork producers provide the unmistakable scent of hot dogs with sauerkraut, and beef farmers rustle up barbecue sandwiches.

A new arena allowed this year's sale to be more pleasant than ever. Gone were the trapped smells, the unbelievable noise, and the impassable seating arrangements.

In place of all these atrocities was the new open, airy show and sale arena paid for by a host of donations and grants. Some of the \$127,772 raised by the sale was turned back over to the building fund by generous purchasers through resale of the animals.

Bob Sweet, founder and president of Creative Pultrusions in Alum Bank, purchased the champion steer owned by Justin Claycomb of Osterburg. Sweet paid \$7.50 for the 1198 pound Angus steer.

Reserve champion owned by C.A. Detwiler of Roaring Spring went for \$4.25 to Central Bank.

Generous as always William Campbell, owner of Bedford Ford and the Hoss's Steak and Sea House chain, purchased numerous animals with auction bids totaling more than \$10,000.

Grand champion lamb owned by Andy Blackburn of Bedford, went for \$14 to Dean Lemley owner of the Graystone Galleria. Lemley turned the lamb over to the Mary Jane Mitchell House, a home for abused women in Bedford.

Reserve grand champion was brought by Hosses for \$7.

Bedford Ford purchased the 261 pound grand champion hog from Nicole Over for \$6.50.

Mid-State Bank bid Nicole Barnett's reserve grand champion to \$3.25.

There were numerous human interest stories interspersed throughout the sale.

Krista Myers had a 108 pound lamb took reserve middle weight honors making her the sixth into the sale ring.

The pretty young lady had to fight back the tears and for good reason. Her younger brother, Kyler, age 5, had shown "Blackie," in

the Lead Line contest last week, placing second.

After a summer of leading the lamb around by the neck Kyler was in no mood to let her go to market. He cried, he offered to pay his sister his only \$5, and he prayed that somehow God might work a miracle to save Blackie.

Meanwhile, his mother had two co-workers working overtime trying to find some benevolent buyer to give "Blackie" back to Kyler. One of them was Bill Popovitek, Farm Bureau Manager.

The bidding started fast and furious. It was over in a few minutes. Tears were streaming down the cheeks of Kyler and Krista's mother. Kyler buried his face in his mother's neck. The auctioneer's gavel struck at \$4.25.

It wasn't eight of the two sought buyers who had the winning bid. Instead it was a great-uncle of Kyler's, Roy Kegg, who works for United Telephone and owns real estate around Bedford. He hadn't known anything about Kyler's attachment to "Blackie."

When he heard the story, he quickly gave the lamb to Kyler explaining that he hadn't really wanted it in the first place. "I just wanted to help my kin folk get a good price for the lamb," he smiled.

It was a "happy ending" kind of story. Kyler was beaming, Krista

had a handsome check, and Mr. Kegg had that deep down good all over feeling. "Blackie" probably doesn't feel too bad herself!

Jimmy Wilkins had suffered an attack of appendicitis several days prior to the sale. It took a lot of pleading with his doctor, James Vreeland, to allow him to go to the sale.

Someone else showed his 123 pound lamb. It was purchased by, who else? Dr. Vreeland himself.

Summer Lingenfelter was crying as she entered the ring with her 123 pound, first year, lamb. Dean Lemley saw the tears, purchased the animal for \$1.90 and gave it back to the little girl.

Accountant Ben Kendall says he went far over budget buying more animals than he knows what to do with. "If I see a kid not getting a good bid, I have to run the price up," he says. "I just like to make them happy."

Dr. Mark Finder and State Representative Dick Hess each bought a pig for the Bedford County Heart Association to have a pig roast on September 17.

Purchases by the "Road Kill Cafe," brought some laughs as the owner of this locally notorious, back woods, general store/restaurant bought several animals.

There were a total of 59 lamb, 48 steers, 124 individual hogs and 40 hogs in group lots sold at the Bedford Fair.



The grand champion hog owned by Nicole Over was purchased by David Sell.



Krista and Kyler Myers with Uncle Roy Kegg who purchased the lamb to return to the young owners.



Grand champion market lamb owned by Andy Blackburn sold to Dean Lemley.



The grand champion market steer owned by Justin Claycomb sold to Bob Sweet. With Sweet are Matthew Petrees and Stephen Sweet.

## Lowest SCC Lancaster DHIA Herds For July



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The 50 lowest rolling SCC herds in Lancaster DHIA as of the month of July are as follows:

NAME	TOWN	BRD	RHA	NO. COWS
GARY & JENNY BOWMAN	NOTTINGHAM	H	110	52
FLOWING SPRING FARM	DRUMORE	H	119	45
IRA M HEISTAND JR	ELIZABETHTOWN	H	129	50
ROY E SEMSEWIG	NOTTINGHAM	H	130	75
CLAY FARM	LITITZ	H	130	55
GARY LEE MASE	LEBANON	H	130	25
SONNEN SPRINGS FARM	RICHLAND	H	139	51
REBECCA F. CRAMBERT	NARVON	J	144	40
CURTIS E AKERS & SON	QUARRYVILLE	H	145	58
SAMUEL F LONG	PEACH BOTTOM	X	145	10
J. KENNETH GROFF	LEOLA	H	148	53
BO JOY FARM	QUARRYVILLE	G	153	10
STEPHEN F STOLTZPUS	CHRISTIANA	H	154	49
WATERLOO FARM	GAP	H	157	54
BO JOY FARM	QUARRYVILLE	H	157	12

BO JOY FARM	QUARRYVILLE	B	161	44	DANIEL B ZOOK JR	GORDONVILLE	H	204	31
GORDON E HERR	NOTTINGHAM	H	164	83	P ROBERT WENGER	QUARRYVILLE	H	205	54
CHRIST P BEILER	ROWKS	H	165	38	MAR MULLDALE FARM	QUARRYVILLE	H	206	140
GARY LEE MASE	LEBANON	B	176	37	GORDON & CAROLE HOOVER	GAP	H	210	108
KENT HOPPER	LEBANON	H	177	56	DAVID R WENGER	MANHEIM	H	211	55
WARREN A SCHMUCK	PEACH BOTTOM	A	178	78	STEVIE Z GLICK	GORDONVILLE	H	211	40
LEE NOME FARM	GORDONVILLE	H	181	33	JOHN Z STOLTZPUS	LITITZ	H	212	29
CARLEADARLENE EBERLY	READING	H	181	76	END OF JOB				
ELMER E KAUFFMAN JR	CHRISTIANA	H	185	44	ENTER STARTING LINE # / # LINES TO PRINT; OR "STOP" TO RETURN TO SAS PROCEDURES				
KENNETH R MARTIN	QUARRYVILLE	H	185	73	?PA				
DALE L MARTIN	KINZERS	H	186	48	ENTER SAS JOB NAME WHICH WAS ASSIGNED (SXXXXXXXX)				
HOWARD H MOORE	DRUMORE	H	187	46					
GALEN C MARTIN	EAST EARL	H	188	63					
EARL & ANNA MAE REIFF	SPHRATA	H	193	39					
RON L FOX JR	ELVERSON	H	193	61					
DANIEL S STOLTZPUS	DRUMORE	H	197	39					
WALTER K HEISBY	NEWMANSTOWN	H	197	57					
TIMOTHY L METZLER	QUARRYVILLE	H	198	52					
CARL E & NANCY G BRANDT	MANHEIM	H	198	80					
CHRIST S FISHER	HONEY BROOK	H	198	43					
WALNUT RUN FARM	LITITZ	H	199	266					
BREZZY VIEW JERSEYS	LANCASTER	J	200	30					
SAMUEL S STOLTZPUS	BIRD IN HAND	H	201	34					
STEPHEN S RIEHL	CHRISTIANA	H	201	45					
SAMUEL F LONG	PEACH BOTTOM	H	202	42					
DANIEL LANDIS	LANCASTER	H	202	112					
GLENN P SHERK	LITITZ	H	202	119					
PILLAR - PRIDE FARM	QUARRYVILLE	H	203	67					

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