## 4-Year-Old Is Champion Of District Jersey Show

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Cumberland Co. Correspondent SHIPPENSBURG (Franklin Co.) — Curtis L. Reichard should be pretty pleased with his 4-yearold Jersey, Reich Dale Brigadier Sandra Dee.

He should be happy because that animal won the grand champion awards in the open and FFA competitions during the District Jersey Show at the Shippensburg Fair.

The Chambersburg youth's cow also was picked as the best animal bred and owned by an exhibitor at the show.

J. Craig and Susan Wicker of Centre Hall also took home some honors to be proud of when their junior 2-year-old, Four Springs Junio Asmine, won the reserve champion spot in the open contest.

The champion animal in the 4-H event was C B F Sooner Bonnie, a 4-year-old owned by Bradley Reichard of Chambersburg.

Mel-O-Dawn Sooner Budlight, the 4-year-old of Cory J. Mellott of Mercersburg, was the 4-H reserve champion for the show.

The FFA reserve champion was a senior 2-year-old owned by Bradley Reichard named Reich-Dale Brook Hillary.

The Premier Breeders Award was won by Four Springs Farm of Centre Hall, with the Pleasant Valley and Mel-O-Dawn operations placing second and third, respectively.

Jemi Jerseys of Shippensburg captured the premier exhibition award followed by Four Springs in second and Pleasant Valley in third

In the junior segment of the show, the open champion was Jemi Imperial Bethie, the winter calf of Jeffrey and Michele Reasner of Shippensburg.

Pleasant Valley Design Sassy, the fall yearling of Kelly R. Rotz of Newville, won both the 4-H junior champion and the open reserve junior champion awards.

The FFA junior champion was Pleasant Valley Expo Pearl, the fall calf of Benjamin Mickey of Waynesboro.

The FFA reserve junior champion honor went to Julie Ann Dyarman of Newville for her spring yearling, Pleasant Valley Leaders Satin

Curtis Reichard was back in the winner's circle in the junior competition as well when his fall calf, SV Sundown RD Jude Jasmine-ET, became the 4-H reserve junior champion.

The judge of the show was Ron Heffner.

## DISTRICT JERSEY SHOW RESULTS

Spring Calf: 1. J. Craig and Susan Wicker; 2. Honey Do Farm; 3. James R. and Sherrie Mellott

Winter Calf: 1. Jeffrey and Michele Reasner; 2. Kirsten Reed; 3. Aaron Horst. Fall calf: 1. Curtis Reichard; 2. Benjamin Mickey; 3. Curtis Reichard. Summer yearling: 1. Jeffrey and Michele Reasner; 2. J. Craig and Susan Wicker; 3. Curtis Reichard.

Spring yearling: 1. Plessant Valley Jerseys; 2. Julie Ann Dyarman; 3. Jeffrey and Michele Reasner.

Winter yearling: 1. J. Craig and Susan Wicker; 2. J. Craig and Susan Wicker; 3. Jack

Rotz.
Fall yearling: 1. Kelly Rotz; 2. Christina Mickey; 3. Douglas Martin.

Dry cow 3 years and under: 1, Jeffrey and Michele Reasner; 2. Matthew Reichar. . Junior 2-year-old: 1, J. Craig and Susan Wicker; 2. Douglas Matin; 3. Matthew Reichard.

Senior 2-year-old: 1. Cory Meliott; 2. Barbara Lynn Reichard; 3. J. Craig and Susan Wicker

Junior 3-year-old: 1. Jeffrey and Michele Reasner: 2. Jennifer Kellerman; 3. Rebecca

omman. Senior 3-year-old: 1. Douglas Martin; 2. Jeffrey and Michele Reasner; 3. Cory Meliott. 4-year-old: 1. Curtis Reichard; 2. Bradley Reichard: 3. Cory Meliott.

Reichard; 3. Cory Mellott.
5-year-old: 1. J. Craig and Susan Wicker;
2. Jeffrey and Michel Reasner; 3. Lester

Martin. 100,000 pound class: 1. Jeffrey and Michele Reasner; 2. Douglas Martin; 3. J.

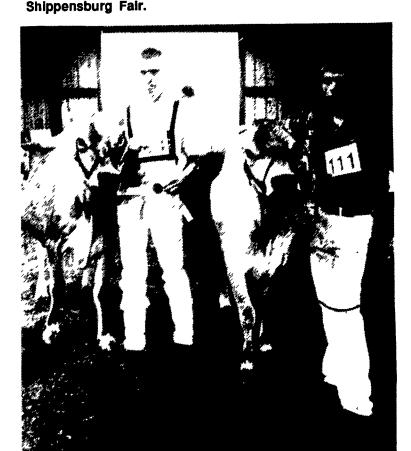
Craig and Susan Wicker. 6 years and over: 1. Honey Do Farm; 2. Jeffrey and Michele Reasner; 3. Rebecca



The FFA reserve grand champion Jersey title went to Bradley Reichard with the FFA grand champion Jersey title going to Curtis Reichard.



The champions in the Jersey show, from left, junior champion shown and owned by Michele and Jeff Reasner, reserve grand champion shown by Steve Cornman and owned by J. Craig and Susan Wicker, grand champion of the Jersey Show awarded to Landmark Genetics presenting the awards.



From left, junior champion Jersey claimed by Kelly Rotz with the junior champion Jersey award going to Jeff Reasner. Ron Heffner, judge of the District Jersey Show at the

In the 4-H Jersey competition, left, Cory Mellott received the reserve grand champion award while Bradley Reichard captured the 4-H grand champion Jersey award.

## Landmark Genetics presenting the awards. Sarah, Jarvis Take Lancaster County Swine Roundup

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MANHEIM (Lancaster Co.) — "Jarvis," a 259-pound heavy-weight champion market hog, was named supreme champion market hog Wednesday evening at the annual Lancaster County 4-H Swine Roundup at the Manheim Fairgrounds.

The barrow was shown by Sarah Boyd, 15, daughter of Kerry and Deb Boyd, Ephrata. As a pig, it looked pretty good, according to Sarah, an Ephrata High School sophomore who walked the hog for a half mile a day and hand fed it. It was this intense management style that helped Sarah clinch the championship, her first at the roundup in three years.

The grand champion was purchased by Hatfield Quality Meats for \$2.75 per pound for a total of \$712.25.

Sarah plans to show two hogs at the Elizabethtown Fair, six at Ephrata, two at Denver, three at the Keystone International Livestock Exposition, and one at Farm Show.

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