

# Shippensburg Fair Hosts Colored Breed Show



The Brown Swiss grand champion title went to Lonni Wickard, left, with the reserve grand champion Brown Swiss received by Aaron Cornman.

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**SHIPPENSBURG** (Franklin Co.) — Richard and Rachel Martin came away as the big winners during the Ayrshire competition at the Shippensburg Fair Colored Breed Show.

The Chambersburg couple's senior 3-year-old, Benefactor Maya Mandy, was picked as the second grand champion in the open contest and also was chosen as the best animal bred and owned by an exhibitor.

The Ayrshire 4-H grand champion and open reserve champion was Masonic Homes Jade Megan, the 5-year-old of Michelle Ocker of Shippensburg.

The FFA Ayrshire grand champion was Rushing Springs Babes Iris, the junior 2-year-old of Christopher Semple of Shirleysburg. Justin Semple, also of Shirleysburg, showed the FFA reserve champion, the junior 2-year-old, Rushing-Springs Milkmac-Jackie.

In the Brown Swiss contest, the best animal bred and owned by an exhibitor was La-Mel-Lo Trad Tad Emmy Lou, a senior 3-year-old shown by Larissa Mellott of Saint Thomas.

Lonni A. Wickard of Shippensburg had the Brown Swiss open grand champion with his 6 years and over animal, Lo-Vi Lady Ensign Lill. The reserve champion in the open was Quaker-Haven Patrick Queen, the junior 2-year-old of Aaron B. Cornman of Carlisle. That animal also was the 4-H champion.

The senior 2-year-old of Larissa Mellott, We-Gotta Ensign Fiette, was the 4-H reserve champion.

The FFA grand champion Brown Swiss was Swamp Creek Jill, the 4-year-old of Melissa Brantner of Lurgan. Brantner also had the reserve FFA champion with her summer yearling, Brandy-O Jills Missy.

The Guernsey show saw Le-Len Magic Velvet, the senior

2-year-old of Linnea Hoover of Boiling Springs, win the open grand champion spot and the best animal bred and owned by an exhibitor honor.

Brian W. Nailor of Mechanicsburg took the open and 4-H reserve champion spots with his fall yearling McCulloughs Slymer Flirt.

The 4-H grand champion Guernsey was Rod-Ken Caleb Sugar Baby, the 4-year-old of Donna Garber of Waynesboro.

Jennifer Garber of Waynesboro had the FFA champion Guernsey with her senior 2-year-old Walnut-Lane Idaho Popcom. The FFA reserve champion was the spring yearling, Brandy Merryly Hunter Joie of Melissa Brantner.

In the Milking Shorthorn event the best animal bred and owned by an exhibitor and the FFA reserve champion was Brandy-O Cathy, the spring calf of Melissa Brantner.

The open and 4-H Milking Shorthorn grand champion was Three Springs O T Jewel, the spring calf of Shana Falk of Newville. The FFA grand champion was Melissa Brantner's winter calf Brandy-O Twilite Samantha. Jason Nailor of Mechanicsburg had the 4-H reserve champion with his fall calf Pinesedge RCM Nikki.

In the junior competitions, the open and 4-H champion Ayrshire was the fall yearling, Ockerdale Reliable Julie Joy, of Michelle Ocker of Shippensburg. The reserve open and 4-H champion was Ockerdale Reliable Jessica, the fall yearling of Heath Ocker of Shippensburg.

The open junior Brown Swiss champion was Lonni Wickard's winter calf Lo-Vi Valor Monique. The junior open reserve champion was Fulton Emory Alexas, the winter yearling of Julie Fulton of Shippensburg, which also was the 4-H junior champion.

The FFA Brown Swiss junior champion was Melissa Brantner's



In the open competition in the Ayrshire breed, Michele Ocker, left, claimed the reserve senior and reserve grand champion awards. Richard and Rachel Martin claimed the senior and grand champion awards. Rebecca Cornman, Cumberland County Dairy Maid, presented the awards.

summer yearling Brandy-O Jills Missy and the FFA reserve champion was Brantner's summer yearling Brandy-O Joys Angel. Aaron Cornman had the 4-H reserve junior champion with his fall calf Justa-Beauty Jet Blair.

The Guernsey junior open and 4-H champion was Brian Nailor's fall yearling, McCulloughs Slimer Flirt, while the open reserve champion was Linnea Hoover's winter yearling, Le-Lin Jay Velveta. The FFA junior champion was Melissa Brantner's spring yearling, Brandy Merryly Hunter Joie, and the 4-H reserve champion was O C S Dairy Jeans Molly Moo, the fall calf of John Leib Jr. of Carlisle.

The junior open and 4-H champion for the Milking Shorthorns was Shana Falk's Three Springs OT Jewel. The FFA junior champion and open reserve champion was Melissa Brantner's Brandy-O Twilite Samantha. The 4-H reserve champion was Jason Nailor's fall calf, Pinesedge RCM Nikki, and the FFA reserve champion was Melissa Brantner's Brandy-O Chathy.

## Shippensburg Fair Colored Breed Show Results

**Ayrshires**  
Spring Calf: 1. Melvin Brant Jr.; 2. Jennifer Zinn; 3. Melvin Brant Jr.  
Winter calf: 1. Melvin Brant Jr.  
Fall calf: 1. Richard and Rachel Martin.  
Summer yearling: 1. Le Ann Witmer; 2. Melvin Brant Jr.  
Winter Yearling: 1. Jennifer Zinn; 2. Janel Zinn; 3. Richard and Rachel Martin.  
Fall yearling: 1. Michelle Ocker; 2. Heath Ocker; 3. Melvin Brant Jr.  
Dry cow 3 years and under: 1. Richard and Rachel Martin; 2. Melvin Brant Jr.  
Junior 2-year-old: 1. Christopher Semple; 2. Justin Semple.  
Senior 3-year-old: 1. Richard and Rachel Martin; 2. Melvin Brant Jr.  
4-year-old: 1. Janel Zinn; 2. Heath Ocker.

**Brown Swiss**  
Spring calf: 1. Lonni Wickard; 2. Larissa Mellott.  
Winter calf: 1. Lonni Wickard; 2. Larissa Mellott; 3. Trent Wickard.  
Fall calf: 1. Aaron Cornman; 2. Lonnie Wickard.  
Summer yearling: 1. Melissa Brantner; 2. Melissa Brantner; 3. Richard and Rachel Martin.  
Spring yearling: 1. Lonni Wickard; 2. Lee Hoover.  
Winter yearling: 1. Julie Fulton; 2. Sarah Wickard; 3. Amy Witmer.  
Fall yearling: 1. Heather Wickard.  
Dry cows 3 years and under: 1. Lonni Wickard; 2. Linnea Hoover.  
Junior 2-year-old: 1. Aaron Cornman; 2. Lonni Wickard; 3. Sarah Wickard.  
Senior 2-year-old: 1. Larissa Mellott; 2. Lonni Wickard.  
Junior 3-year-old: 1. Lonni Wickard.  
Senior 3-year-old: 1. Larissa Mellott; 2. Sarah Wickard.  
4-year-old: 1. Melissa Brantner; 2. Lonni Wickard.  
5-year-old: 1. Aaron Cornman.  
6 years and over: 1. Lonnie Wickard.

**Guernseys**  
Spring calf: 1. Jason Nailor.  
Winter calf: 1. Donna Garber.

Fall calf: 1. John Leib Jr.  
Spring yearling: 1. Melissa Brantner.  
Winter yearling: 1. Linnea Hoover.  
Fall yearling: 1. Brian Nailor.  
Junior 2-year-old: 1. John Garber III.  
Senior 2-year-old: 1. Linnea Hoover; 2. Jennifer Garber.

4-year-old: 1. Donna Garber.  
Milking Shorthorns  
Spring calf: 1. Shana Falk; 2. Melissa Brantner.  
Winter calf: 1. Melissa Brantner.  
Fall calf: 1. Jason Nailor.  
Spring yearling: 1. Linnea Hoover.  
Fall yearling: 1. Rebecca Cornman.  
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Winning the reserve grand champion Milking Shorthorn title went to Melissa Brantner, left, and grand champion award went to Shana Falk.



Donna Garber, right, won the 4-H grand champion award and the 4-H reserve grand champion Guernsey award went to Brian Nailor.



Receiving the FFA Brown Swiss grand champion was Melissa Brantner.