

205 Leaders With Vision To Receive Keystone Honor

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Trisha, 18, daughter of Gary and Lucinda Haas, Millerstown, plans to attend college at either Penn State or Oregon State University. The West Perry FFA member has served as chapter secretary and vice president.

Trisha has also served on the following committees: junior high, citrus, slide show, and calendar. She completed projects in dairy calves, wildlife, and dairy herd. Trisha has earned her Greenhand and chapter degrees.

Jim Hamilton

Four-year FFA member Jim Hamilton said he enjoys "being able to travel and compete with friends as well as meeting new ones."



Jim, 17, son of Gary and Tina Hamilton, has served as served as chapter sentinel, treasurer, and vice president. Jim has served on the safety, citrus, and program of activities committees.

Jim completed various projects, including what he noted was the first successful caged fish project, and work on a farm. He received a silver for his project book. He plans to help out on the farm and "better my education." Jim received his Greenhand and chapter honors.

Bruce Hartman

"The FFA gives me a chance to meet new people and to learn more about the agriculture industry," wrote three-year Brothersvalley FFA member Bruce Hartman.



Bruce, 18, son of Dale and Dorothy Hartman, has served as chapter president, vice president, and parliamentarian. He indicated that FFA is "part of a vast business and industry of the U.S., and being part of it is like being part of that industry."

Bruce plans to attend Bob Jones University in Greenville, S.C. to major in agribusiness. He has served on the educational trip and parents and members banquet committees. Bruce has completed projects in dairy calves and heifers and rabbit production.

Bruce received awards in scholarship and parliamentary procedure. He received his Greenhand and chapter degrees.

John R. Haymaker

Five-year FFA member John Haymaker plans to attend Johnstown Technical Institute to train to be a veterinary technician.

John, 17, son of James and Donna Haymaker, Gardners, has served as chapter sentinel. He has been involved in the following committees: citrus, bulb, and calendar sales, and completed SAE work in goat production and work experience

off-farm. He has also been involved in leadership training, state activities week, and band.

Vicki Laraine Henry

Four-year Clearfield FFA member Vicki Laraine Henry enjoys meeting new people at contests and showing her animals at the fair. "There is always something new and exciting happening," she noted.



Vicki, 17, daughter of Thomas and Kathy Henry, Clearfield, has served as chapter treasurer. She served on various committees, including leadership, banquet, and scholarship.

She completed projects in dairy heifers, beef steers, and dairy steers. She won contests in dairy and beef and in land judging. She plans to attend college to obtain a degree in agribusiness and has received her chapter and Greenhand honors.

Jonathan Hess

Four-year Hans Herr FFA member Jonathan Hess wrote that he enjoyed the leadership development and CDEs (career development events) "because they are preparing me for bigger responsibilities in life."



Jonathan, 18, son of Karl M. and Elma J. Hess, Lancaster, plans to attend Penn State to major in dairy and animal science with a science option. He served as Hans Herr FFA reporter and chaplain.

In addition, Jonathan has served on the alumni relations, community, and SAE projects committees. He has worked on the family farm, raising beef and crops. He has earned awards in farm business management at the national level and a chapter beef proficiency award. He earned the Greenhand, chapter, and Red Rose degrees.

Clint Hile

Four-year Greenwood FFA member Clint Hile noted that he enjoys the friends he has made and meeting new people in FFA.

Clint, 17, son of Larry and Shelby Hile, Millerstown, plans to enter the work force after graduation. He served as chapter chaplain and adviser.

Clint, who served on the citrus and community service committees, has completed work experience and wood skills projects. He received awards in the creed contest, livestock judging and Envirothon. He earned the area and Greenhand honors.

Justine Hill

Four-year Solanco FFA member Justine Hill indicated she enjoys the fun and leadership opportunities in her chapter and gained confidence in herself.

Justine, 18, daughter of Rick and Kathy Hill, Kirkwood, has served on various committees, including student leadership, ag career, chapter leadership, and ag awareness. She completed beef and swine finishing projects, swine breeding, sheep, and home gardening projects.

She received the Star Greenhand, Star Chapter, state project book, diversified livestock proficiency, and other awards.

Justine plans to attend Delaware Valley College and has received her Greenhand and chapter degrees.

Desirae D. Hillegass

Two-year Brothersvalley FFA member Desirae D. Hillegass enjoys the opportunities in FFA to meet new people, because, she noted, "you never know who you'll run into."



Desirae, 17, daughter of Douglas and Debra Hillegass, Berlin, plans to attend Penn State and major in dairy and animal science and minor in ag communications. She serves as chapter secretary.

She served on the following committees: apple cider and butter, educational trip, calendar, public speaking, and demonstration. She completed projects with dairy calves, dairy herd, and dairy cows.

In contests, Desirae received dairy proficiency and first place in dairy judging, first in county in prepared speaking, and third at regionals. She received her Greenhand and chapter degrees.



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