

# Poultry Accomplishments

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Industry representative nominated to serve on the board are Ron Duvall and Rich Roenigk.

The treasurer's report showed a beginning balance of \$34,768 with additional income of \$25,501 during the past year. The association spent \$54,071 on promotional events such as radio ads, school embryology projects, placemats distributed to county restaurants, banquet for home economics teachers, and education at Ag Progress days. A golf tournament was held for a fund raiser and parti-

cipation in two Gourmet Fests at Donecker's Market served as promotional events.

Also, three students were given scholarships in honor of J. Irwin, extension director emeritus, and three students were given savings bonds through the home economics program. A donation of \$1,000 was given to the Hands on House for updating facilities relating to agriculture. The main budget expenditures were the purchase of a new food booth and the professional production of a video to be used in schools and other promotional settings.

For the first time last year, the Association served a meal in Pennsylvania Governor Thomas Ridge's honor at the Water Street Rescue Mission. Outgoing president Don Brubaker said that the dinner was given in lieu of presenting a basket of poultry products to the governor during the Pennsylvania Farm Show.

"We spent lots of money but for good causes," Brubaker said.

A balance of \$6,198 was reported in the treasury.

Later, Clair and Edith High presented a check for \$3,616, profit from the food sales of \$6,900 at the Ephrata Fair.

High said of the new food booth, "It's easy up, easy down, and easy to move. Use it. It's beautiful, easy to clean, and I expect it to look as good in five years as it does now."

Mattilio said that the account balance does not include the individual memberships renewed during the banquet, and the monies gained at the banquet for ticket sales, sponsor money, and the checks from Ephrata Fair and from PDA.

After the business session, Mansion Heirs of Paradise provided southern gospel music for entertainment.



John Mattillo, left, hands Don Brubaker and his wife Louanne a certificate of appreciation for fulfilling presidential duties for the Association.



Clair and Edle High present a \$3,616 check for the Association to Don Brubaker, right. The Highs oversee the poultry food booth at the Ephrata Fair. The food booth is a fund raiser for the Association.



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