

State 5-Acre Contest Announces Awards

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HARVEST CLASS: SHELLED CORN

HARVEST SIZE: 3 Acre +

18 ELIGIBLE

Farmer	Yield (Bu/A @15.5%)			Average	County
	1997	1996	1995		
1 Jack Coleman*	188 16	220 70	228 70	212 52	Lancaster
2 Clarence A Keener Jr	195 14	234 40	202 40	210 65	Lancaster
3 Richard C Kreider*	189 32	224 40	205 50	206 41	Lebanon
4 Floyd Kurtz	192 30	198 90	188 20	193 13	Berks
5 Lee Spangler	208 53	192 70	168 10	189 78	Union
6 Glen R Krall	174 92	211 20	182 30	189 47	Lebanon
7 Carl T Shaffer	185 50	179 20	195 60	186 77	Columbia
8 Stanley & Richard Crone	213 33	182 10	150 10	181 84	Northumberland
9 Lloyd George	161 49	178 80	198 60	179 63	Columbia
10 Keith Bissinger	137 82	210 00	181 60	176 47	Columbia

*1995 or 1996 three year champion- ineligible to compete in 1997

Crop Management Programs of the 3 Year Champions

HARVEST CLASS HARVEST SIZE	EAR CORN REGULAR / HAND
PLACE	CHAMPION
NAME	David Schantz
COUNTY	Berks County
HYBRID	Pioneer 33Y09
YIELD	225 0
% DOWN	0 3
1996 CROP	Alfalfa
TILLAGE	Moldboard
PLANTING DATE	5/20/97
YIELD CHECK SAMPLE SIZE	0 03
HARVEST METHOD	hand
ROW WIDTH	30
CULTIVATIONS	0
HERBICIDE	Harness Extra, Prowl
SOIL INSECTICIDE	Force
TRIPS ACROSS FIELD	7
PLANTING DEPTH	1 5
SIDE DRESS	150#
STARTER	300# 8-32-16
MANURE	none
TOTAL N APPLIED (lb/A)	174
GRAIN MOISTURE	23 8
% BARREN	0 6
PLANT POPULATION	27592

Crop Management Programs of the 3 Year Champions

HARVEST CLASS HARVEST SIZE	SHELLED CORN REGULAR	SHELLED CORN 3 ACRE +
PLACE	CHAMPION	CHAMPION
NAME	Jeff Mitchell	Clarence A Keener Jr
COUNTY	Chester County	Lancaster County
HYBRID	Pioneer 3335	Pioneer 3335
YIELD	206 0	195 1
% DOWN	1 1	5 5
1996 CROP	soybeans	soybeans
TILLAGE	no-till	Min-till
PLANTING DATE	5/2/97	4/23/97
YIELD CHECK SAMPLE SIZE	0 92	1 25
HARVEST METHOD	machine	machine
ROW WIDTH	30	30
CULTIVATIONS	0	1
HERBICIDE	Roundup, Broadstrike	Accent, Banvel, Atrazine
SOIL INSECTICIDE	None	Force
TRIP ACROSS FIELD	4	8
PLANTING DEPTH	1 5	
SIDE DRESS	none	none
STARTER	250# 10-34-0	120# 13-35 5-5-4-1
MANURE	none	none
TOTAL N APPLIED (lb/A)	190	154
GRAIN MOISTURE	28 0	23 5
% BARREN	2 7	3 1
PLANT POPULATION	25265	33454

**-1997-
CHAMPIONS**

**SHELLED GRAIN CLASS
-REGULAR HARVEST SIZE-**

NAME	ADDRESS	HYBRID	POPULATION	YIELD
1ST Lloyd Zook Berks County	144 Covered Bridge Rd Oley	Pioneer 3394	19624	212 3
2ND Joseph Matejik Bucks County	5901 Mechanicsville Rd Mechanicsville	Hytet HT 4612	31029	211 9
3RD Jeff Mitchell Chester County	80 Martin Dr Reinholds	Pioneer 3335	25265	206 0

-3 ACRE + HARVEST SIZE-

1ST Stanley and Richard Crone Northumberland County	3036 Sunbury Rd Danville	NK 7639Bt	29155	213 3
2ND Lee Spangler Union County	RR 2, Box 526 Mifflinburg	Pioneer 3335	25287	208 5
3RD James Hershey Lancaster County	338 Sunnyburn Rd Elizabethtown	Pioneer 3394	27966	199 3

**EAR CORN CLASS
-HAND HARVEST-**

1ST David Schantz Berks County	1913 Woodside Ave Alburtis	Pioneer 33Y09	27592	225 0
2ND Joseph Albright Perry County	RR 1 Landsburg	Hubner 3809	22406	198 6
3RD Kenneth L. Schlegel Berks County	RD 2 Fleetwood	Pioneer 32K61	24221	192 3

-MACHINE HARVEST-

1ST Steven Fehnel Northampton County	2120 Newlins Mill Rd Easton	Pioneer 3394	20868	183 9
2ND Clarence Fehnel Northampton County	2120 Newlins Mill Rd Easton	Pioneer 3293	21129	183 8
3RD John Tumpey Northampton County	2718 E Beersville Road Bath	Cargill 6888	22176	164 0

1997 EAR CORN RANKINGS TO TENTH PLACE

HARVEST CLASS: EAR CORN/HAND HARVEST

HARVEST SIZE: REGULAR

18 ELIGIBLE

Farmer	Bu/A	Yield (Bu/A @15.5%)		County
		Plants/A	Hybrid	
1 David Schantz	224 99	27592	Pioneer 33Y09	Berks
2 Joseph Albright	198 63	22409	Hubner 3809	Perry
3 Kenneth L. Schlegel	192 29	24221	Pioneer 32K61	Berks
4 Lester Poust	179 99	25061	Pioneer 3260	Lycoming
5 H Grant Troop	167 86	26124	NK 7639Bt	Lancaster
6 Jeffery E Reed	164 93	29916	Pioneer 3905	Cameron
7 Jacob V Heisey	162 28	24030	Doebiers 636XP	Clinton
8 Robert B Richards	151 44	21196	Hubner H3410	Fulton
9 Sandy Ridge Farms	146 72	36248	Pioneer 3437	Clanton
10 Kendale Farm	146 53	26530	Seneca 2104	Bradford
Average	173.57	26333		

HARVEST CLASS: EAR CORN/MACHINE HARVEST

HARVEST SIZE: REGULAR

6 ELIGIBLE

Farmer	Bu/A	Yield (Bu/A @15.5%)		County
		Plants/A	Hybrid	
1 Steven Fehnel	183 95	20868	Pioneer 3394	Northampton
2 Clarence Fehnel	183 82	21129	Pioneer 3293	Northampton
3 John Tumpey	183 96	22176	Cargill 6888	Northampton
4 Gary Fehnel	161 64	21024	Pioneer 3394	Northampton
5 Charles Tumpey	142 63	22935	Cargill 6303	Northampton
6 Greg Kennis	112 80	22562	Pioneer 3752	Clearfield
Average	158 13	21782		

1997 SHELLED CORN RANKINGS TO TENTH PLACE

HARVEST CLASS: SHELLED CORN

HARVEST SIZE: REGULAR

22 ELIGIBLE

Farmer	Bu/A	Yield (Bu/A @15.5%)		County
		Plants/A	Hybrid	
1 Lloyd Zook	212 27	19624	Pioneer 3394	Berks
2 Joseph F Matejik	211 86	31029	Hytet HT4612	Bucks
3 Jeff Mitchell	206 04	25265	Pioneer 3335	Chester
4 Matthew Maximuck	202 18	29186	Dekalb 618	Bucks
5 Lyle Henninger	201 02	29186	Dekalb 618	Lehigh
6 Larry E Moyer	189 83	24124	Pioneer 3335	Lehigh
7 Juniperdale Farms	183 22	25846	NK 6800Bt	Northampton
8 David Koch	174 89	23749	Pioneer 3525	Schuylkill
9 Luke Kurtz	172 50	23499	Pioneer 32K61	Berks
10 Herman Manbeck	169 68	23655	Pioneer 33Y09	Berks
Average	192 35	25516		

HARVEST CLASS: SHELLED CORN

HARVEST SIZE: LARGE

40 ELIGIBLE

Farmer	Bu/A	Yield (Bu/A @15.5%)		County
		Plants/A	Hybrid	
1 Stanley & Richard Crone	213 33	29155	NK 7639Bt	Northumberland
2 Lee Spangler	208 53	25287	Pioneer 3335	Union
3 James E Hershey	199 33	27966	Pioneer 3394	Lancaster
4 Gerald Hursh	198 90	24742	NC+ 5445	Lancaster
5 Clarence A Keener Jr	195 14	33454	Pioneer 3335	Lancaster
6 Floyd Kurtz	192 30	24030	Pioneer 3260	Berks
7 Dwight D Rohrer	191 81	27966	Pioneer 3335	Lancaster
8 Richard C Kreider	189 32	24742	Pioneer 3335	Lebanon
9 Paul C Bucher	188 92	24132	Doebiers 746XT	Lancaster
10 Solomon A Melson	188 42	28467	Pioneer 3335	Dauphin
Average	196 60	26994		

Crop Management Programs of the 1997 Shelled Corn Champions

HARVEST CLASS HARVEST SIZE	SHELLED CORN REGULAR	SHELLED CORN 3 ACRE +
PLACE	CHAMPION	CHAMPION
NAME	Lloyd Zook	Stanley and Richard Krone
COUNTY	Berks County	Northumberland County
HYBRID	Pioneer 3394	NK 7639Bt
YIELD	212 3	213 3
% DOWN	2 1	1 0
1996 CROP	Soybean	Soybeans
TILLAGE	Chisel/disk	Minimum
PLANTING DATE	4/25/97	4/22/97
YIELD CHECK SAMPLE SIZE	0 63	1 43
HARVEST METHOD	machine	machine
ROW WIDTH	30	30
CULTIVATIONS	1	0
HERBICIDE	Bullet, Prowl Pounce	Bullet, Prowl, Clarity
SOIL INSECTICIDE	Furadan	None
TRIP ACROSS FIELD	6	7
PLANTING DEPTH	1 75	1 5
SIDE DRESS	80	182
STARTER	150# 6-21-7	260# 7-21-6
MANURE	Steer	None
TOTAL N APPLIED (lb/A)	89	272
GRAIN MOISTURE	21 6	23 8
% BARREN	1 6	1 2
PLANT POPULATION	19624	29155

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