

Manor FFA Honors Banquet Participants

MILLERSVILLE (Lancaster Co.) — Manor FFA's 38th annual banquet was held April 16 in the Penn Manor High School cafeteria.

Awards were presented to recognize student and community member achievements. This year 10 seniors in FFA received Keystone awards, the highest FFA honor statewide.

At the banquet, Jerry Phillips from Keystone Farm Credit received the Blue and Gold Award for many years of FFA support at the local fairs.

Also, the following awards were also presented: Leadership Award: Emily Hubbs, Adam Nissley, Audrey Nissly, Holly Nissley, Ryan Nelson, and Jeremy Railing. Star Red Rose Placement: Tyler Swanson. Star Red Rose Production: Beth Frey.

Star Chapter FFA Award, Placement: Adam Nissley. Star Greenhand Award, Placement: Austin Kibler. Star Chapter FFA Award, Production: Alan Herr, Jr. Star Greenhand Award, Production: Garrett Neff.

Outstanding Farming Program: Klint Frey. Outstanding Ag Mechanic: Dave Warhay.

High Fruit Salesman, 9th grade: Cheri Lake. High Fruit Salesman, upperclassman: Jason Hamish.

Also, Vince Metzler was named Outstanding Ag Student. Vince, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Metzler, Pequea, was named winner of the 1998 Dekalb Agriculture Accomplishment Award. Metzler, who attends Penn Manor, has been president and adviser of Manor FFA, Student of the Month, and an Honor Roll student. His agricultural program consists of corn, hay, wheat, and vegetables. After graduation, Vince plans to work for Gerlach's Drilling and blasting and production farming.



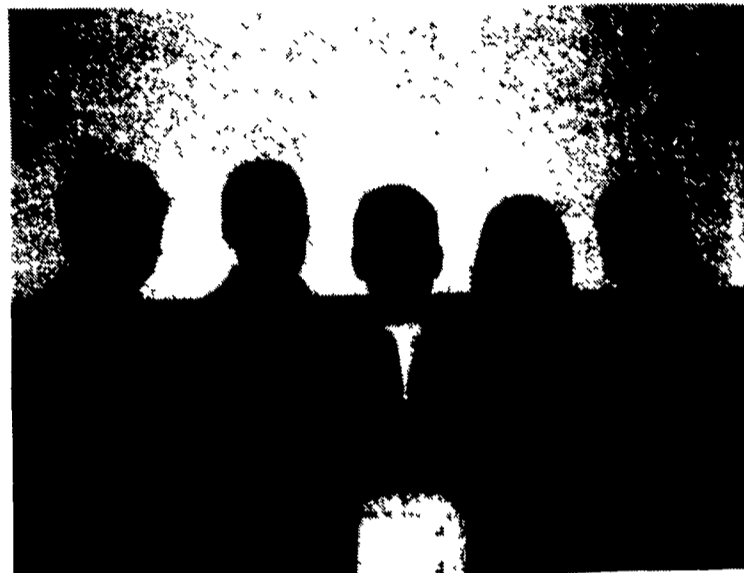
Jerry Phillips, left, was honored with the Blue and Gold Award for support of the Manor FFA. The award was presented by Vince Metzler.



Manor FFA members honored include, from left, Randy Charles, Vince Metzler, and Dave Warhay.



Manor public speaking winners, from left, Beth Frey, Tyler Swanson, and Cheri Lake.



Manor FFA Dairy Products Team, from left, Garrett Neff, Josh Murry, Andrew Railing, Cheri Lake, and Julie Greider.

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Team Places First

This year's Manor FFA dairy products team placed first in the Lancaster County competition at the Lampeter Strasburg High School in March.

The contest involved many aspects of the dairy industry. Some include identifying various artificial products, inspecting milking equipment, and tasting and identifying various cheeses and other dairy products.

Team members were Garrett Neff, Cheri Lake, Andrew Railing, Ryan Boas, Josh Murry, and Julie Greider.

Eastern Region Public Speaking

At the end of April, three Manor FFA members competed in the Pennsylvania state region FFA public speaking contest.

Beth Frey received second place and Tyler Swanson received third in extemporaneous speaking. Cheri Lake placed second in the FFA creed speaking contest.

Tyler Swanson, Beth Frey, and Cheri Lake were chosen from this contest to compete in the state contest to be held June 9 during FFA Week at Penn State. Cheri Lake will be presenting the FFA creed at the state contest and Tyler Swanson and Beth Frey will be presenting an extemporaneous speech.





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