## Dairy Of Distinction Winners Named

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Russ Rooks, president of the Pennsylvania program said that dairymen want the sign at their tarm to provide advertising for milk. Others use the designation to help find good employees for the farm.

Created in 1983, the Dairy of Distinction Program is designed to highlight those farms that help to create a positive image for milk. Applicants for the award are judged by committees who evaluate the farms' roadside appearance, as well as the cleanliness of the grounds and buildings.

Winners receive official 18x24 "Dairy of Distinction" signs which are mounted at the roadside for all to see. Award-winning farms are also visited annually by the judging committee to ensure that they continue to meet the standards of excellence set by the program.

Pennsylvania has 10 districts that are run by local committees with area coordinators. These coordinators are:

District 11, George Wilcox, Erie; District 12, Brett Brumbaugh, Brockway; District 13, Susan Alexander, Brockville; District 14, David & Janet Hileman, Tyrone; District 16, Norman Coons; District 16, Robert Hockenbrock, Richfield; District 17, Craig Williams, Wellsboro, District 18, Allen Roszel, Montrose; District 19, Southampton; and District 20, Russell Rooks, Allentown.

The list of Dairy of Distinction farm winners for 1998 are as follows:

District 11: Melvin R. Rogers, Jr. 42306 State Rt. 77 Spartonsburg, Pa 16734

District 12 John Hildreth, RD 1, Box 181, Sycamore, Pa. 15364

District 13
Penn State
Mark Amsler,
Dairy Adminstration,
University Park, Pa. 16802

Sugar Hill Dairy John Engel, 151 Sugar Hill Rd., St. Marys, Pa. 15857

District 14
May Hill Farm
Harry and Virginia Rhoads,
722 Round Hill Rd.,
Berlin, Pa. 15530

David M. Moyer, RD 1, Box 77, Woodburry, Pa., 16695

Andy-Bar Farm Anthony and Barbara Wertz, 5138 Milligans Cove Rd., Manns Choice, Pa. 15550

Cove-Acres Farm Ellis Sollenberger, Box 64, Curryville, Pa. 16631 Grandview Farm Harold and Ella Troutman, 444 Grandview Dr., Hyndman, Pa., 15545

Gar-Mar Acres LeRoy and Janet Garman, 248 Wild Cherry Tree Dr., Martinsburg, Pa. 1666.

District 15 H. E. Heindel & Sons Box 146, Brogue, Pa. 17309

District 16 Orchard Dew Farm Ray & Dan Geissinger, RD 2, Box 236, Mifflintown, Pa. 17059

Middle Creek Farms Tanya & Karl Hertzler, RD 4, Box 36, Middleburg, Pa. 17842

Millbrook Farm Charles & Doireen Pent, 7599 Ferguson Valley Rd., McVeytown, Pa. 17051

District 17 Black Creek Farms David, Gloria, & Paul Zeafla, RD1, Box 173, Liberty, Pa. 16930

Button Hill Farms Oliver & Virginia Button, RD 1, Box 51a, Millerton, Pa. 16936 Ken Heyler, RD1, Box 182, Morris, Pa. 16938

Leisure Acre Farm George & Dave Ulrich, RD1, Box 196, Allenwood, Pa. 17810

Bonnie K. Ulmer, 3923 Rt. 973 East, Cogan Station, Pa. 17728

District 18 Dunns-Pride Farm James Dunn, RD 1, Box 160m, New Ringgold, Pa. 17960

John & Diane Rickard, RD 2, Box 795, Honesdale, Pa. 18431

R. M. Shipsky & Sons, RD 1, Box 105, Forest City, Pa. 18421

Rick Stevens, RD 1, Box 224, Mehoopany, Pa. 18629

District 19 Bodendale Farm Glenm & Brenda Book, 655 Strasburg Pike, Lancaster, Pa. 17602

District 20 Conebella Farm Donald C. Gable, 337 Chestnut Tree Rd., Elverson, Pa 19520 Marshck Dairy Farm University of PA Vet School, New Bolton Center, 382 West Street Rd., Kennets Square, Pa. 18041

Edn Shaynah Kee Farm Noel Schlegel, 506 North Main St., Topton, Pa 19562

Kieffer Farms, Inc. Robert Kieffer, 420 Strausser Rd., Hamburg, Pa. 19526

Maulfair Acres Dale Maulfair, RD 4, Box 5665, Jonestown, Pa. 17038

Reid & Diane Hoover RD 4, Box 805, Lebanon, Pa. 17042

Mark & Melody Stoltzfus, 413 September Rd., Honeybrook, Pa 19344

Glen Run Way Farm John S. Smoker, 301 Glen Run Rd., Atglen, Pa. 19310

Evergreen Farm Richard G, Lloyd Family, Box 235, Chatham, Pa. 19318

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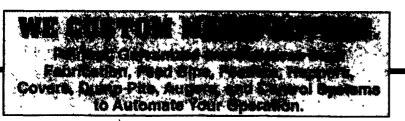


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This election will be held in conjunction with the MPPA board of directors meeting at the Maryland State Fair Grounds in Timonium, Md.

All Maryland pork producers are invited to attend.

The National Pork Board determines the manner in which checkoff monies, generated from the sale of pork, are spent. Checkoff funds can be used for promotion, research, and education.

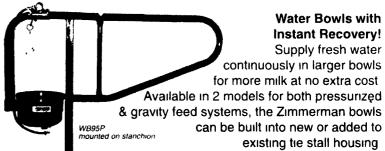
Any producer who is a resident of the state and has paid all assessments due may be considered as a delegate candidate.

For more information, contact Lynne Hoot, Executive Director, 410-956-5771, or write to MPPA, 53 Slama Road, Edgewater, MD 21037.

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