

Mase's Brown Swiss Supreme At Lebanon Fair

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NORTH CORNWALL (Lebanon Co.) — Garrett Mase of Lebanon on Tuesday exhibited a senior 3-year-old Brown Swiss cow to win the supreme championship of the 1998 Lebanon Area Fair youth dairy shows.

The win was a first for Garrett, with his senior 3-year-old, Towpath Jetway Gilda, the grand champion of the FFA and open division Brown Swiss shows of the Lebanon Area Fair.

His win was also a first for the Lebanon Area Fair, because it was the first time, to knowledge, that a pair of siblings captured both the supreme and runner-up supreme titles at the same time.

Garrett's younger brother, Anthony Mase, showed the runner-up supreme champion, an 8-year-old, Pheasant Ridge Marie, that was grand champion of the 4-H division show.

Garrett received the supreme championship trophy, while younger brother Anthony received a fancy show halter.

The boys are the sons of Gary and Patti Mase, who own and operate a Brown Swiss dairy farm at the edge of the city of Lebanon. The family has consistently exhibited highly competitive Brown Swiss cattle at the fair, as well as at regional and national breed industry shows.

They have a daughter, Alicia, who exhibited a supreme champion several years ago at the fair. Also a Brown Swiss, that champion was Meadowhill Jade Alice, a 7-year-old that Alicia showed this week to win first place in the aged cow, 5-years-old and older, class.

Alicia also exhibited a senior 3-year-old Brown Swiss, Meadowhill Patrick Alania, a daughter of that seven-year-old homebred and past show-winning cow.

In the open division Brown Swiss show, Gary Mase showed the reserve grand champion. The family's entries dominated the cow classes.

But the supreme champion is selected from the grand champions of the Lebanon Area Fair youth 4-H and FFA dairy cattle breed shows, all held Tuesday.

The open division shows for all but the Holstein breed were held Tuesday. The open division Holstein show was to have been held Friday, after press deadline.

In addition to the Brown Swiss youth champions, the 4-H and FFA division champion Holsteins, Jerseys, Ayrshires, and Guernseys were also in competition for the supreme title.

The Lebanon Area Fair supreme championship class for youth was started years ago as a local version of the supreme championship titles that have been awarded at the state Farm Show, as well as the Pennsylvania All-American Dairy Show.

The Lebanon Area Fair was held throughout the week at the Lebanon Area Fairgrounds, located in North Cornwall Township, along Cornwall Road, south of the city of Lebanon.

Show judge of the colored breeds shows (all except Holsteins) was Dennis Patrick of Woodbine, Md. Judge for the Holstein show and for the supreme show was David Hill, of Thurmont, Maryland.

Brown Swiss

In the rest of the Brown Swiss open division show, the junior champion was a summer yearling,

Viking Pride Jetway Heidi, bred and owned by Michael Kunkle of Jonestown.

The reserve junior champion was a fall calf, One-Hill Jetway Lena, bred and owned by Melissa Moyer of Womelsdorf.

In the Brown Swiss 4-H division, Anthony's aged cow was grand champion, while his senior 2-year-old, Meadowhill Jade Aubrice, was reserve grand champion.

The 4-H junior champion Brown Swiss was a summer yearling, One-Hill Preview Abigail, bred and owned by Kristen Moyer of Womelsdorf, while her spring yearling Dublin Hills PR Pecan TW was reserve junior champion.

The reserve grand champion of the Brown Swiss FFA show was Garrett's senior 2-year-old, Meadowhill Jade Afton ET, bred by Alicia.

Holstein

The youth Holstein show was large, though mostly consisting of 4-H exhibitors. There were 19 4-H entries in the fall calf class; 16 entries in the spring calf class, and the same number of winter calves.

In the 4-H division Holstein show, the grand champion was last year's supreme champion, 4-year-old Dalee-Bred Counselor Posie, bred and owned by Timothy Vail, of Lebanon.

The reserve grand champion was a senior 3-year-old, Oakenbound CR Fancy-ET, owned by Jaclyn Troutman of Oakenbound Farm in Richland.

Amy Moyer of Womelsdorf showed the 4-H junior champion Holstein, a winter yearling, Ju-Vindale Marksman Hanna. The reserve junior champion was the second-place winter yearling, Dream-On Starboy Aundry, bred and owned by Katie Lentz, of Dream-On Holsteins, near Fredericksburg.

In the FFA division Holstein show, the grand champion was a dry cow, Sonnylee Tesk Annie, bred and owned by Melinda (Bomgardner) Hossler of Lebanon.

The reserve grand champion was a junior 3-year-old, Shuey-Dizam Mister Hilda, owned by Andrew Ebersole of Lebanon.

The junior and reserve junior champions of the FFA show were a pair of fall yearlings. Jamie Horning of Stevens showed Turnpike-View Charles BL to win the junior championship, while Kurt Hostetter of Annville showed his bred and owned reserve junior champion, Dale-Pride Osado Beauty.

Jersey

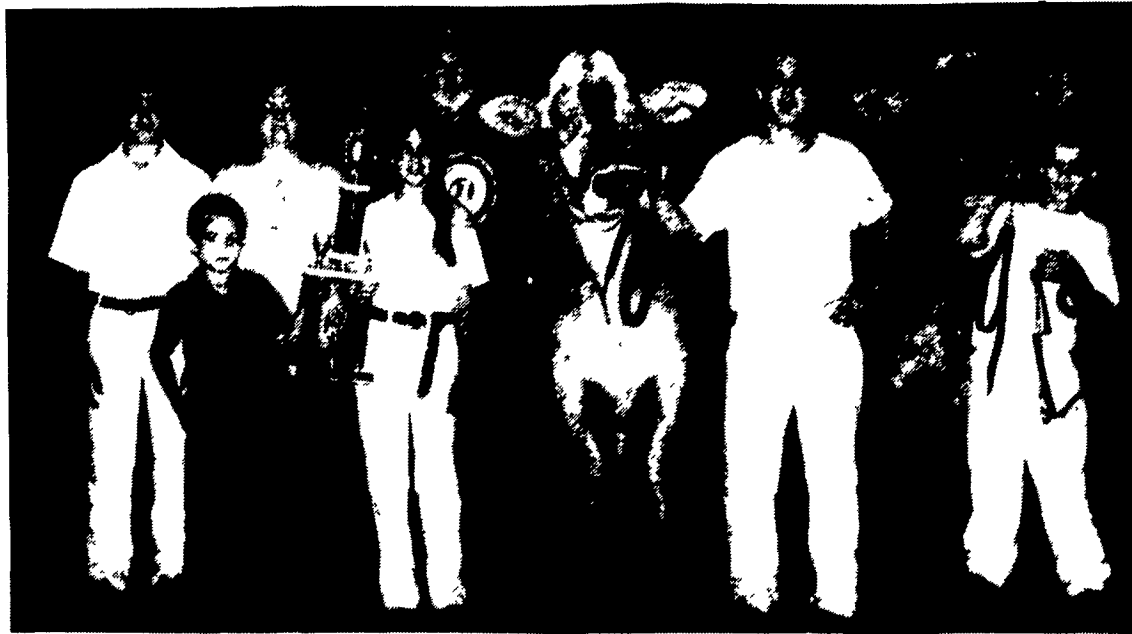
The Jersey show was the second largest show, indicating a growth in the breed in the county.

In the open division show, the grand champion was 8-year-old Maranatha Deacons Cherub, owned by Andrew Dice of Fredericksburg. It was also the grand champion of the FFA division show.

The reserve grand champion was a senior 3-year-old, Gaywinds Berretta Camay, owned by Bethanie Heagy, of Lebanon. It was also the grand champion of the 4-H division.

The open division junior champion was a fall calf, Sonnylee Centurion Sierra, bred and owned by Joel Bomgardner, son of Harvey E. and Kathy Bomgardner of Sonnylee Holsteins in Lebanon. It was also the junior champion of the 4-H division show.

The reserve junior champion was a spring yearling, Sandstone Acres Arlison, owned by Little



Award sponsors Dale and Pattie Maulfair family present the trophy for supreme champion of the Lebanon Area Fair youth dairy shows. From the left are Daryl, Pattie and Dale Maulfair, with David and Jennifer holding the trophy, Garrett Mase holding the halter of his supreme champion, and Anthony Mase, who holds the halter of his runner-up supreme champion, and in the other hand holds his show-halter prize.



Showing the open division champion Ayrshires of the Lebanon Area Fair are, from the left, Merritt Hernley with her reserve junior champion, Dale Maulfair with his junior champion, Amber Hernley with the reserve grand champion, Wesley Harding with the grand champion, and show judge Dennis Patrick and Lebanon County Dairy Princess Heidi Finicle.



Showing the open division champions of the Brown Swiss show of the Lebanon Area Fair are, from the left, Lebanon County Dairy Maid Laura Blanch, Melissa Moyer with her reserve junior champion, Michael Kunkle with his junior champion, Gary Mase with the reserve grand champion, and Garrett Mase with the FFA and open division grand champion.

Hill Farm, of Lebanon.

In the 4-H division Jersey show, the reserve grand champion was a 4-year-old, Oakenbound Bold Reba, bred and owned by Justin Troutman of Richland.

The 4-H division reserve junior champion was a spring yearling, AJM Marcus Lexie, bred and owned by Alex Werner, of Jonestown.

In the FFA division, the reserve grand champion was Andrew Dice's bred and owned 7-year-old, Blue Mountain Yankee Jane.

The junior champions of the

FFA division were also owned by Dice. His summer yearling, Stoney Acus Baretta Smiley, was junior champion, while his winter calf, Blue Mountain Fascinator, was reserve junior champ.

Ayrshire

In the open division Ayrshire show, the grand champion was a senior 2-year-old, Justa S. Star Kathern's Kathy, bred and owned by Wesley Harding Jr. of Lebanon.

The reserve grand champion of the open division was a 6-year-old,

Heather-Brooke-S.S. Parsley, owned by Heather, Merritt and Amber Hernley, all of Lebanon.

Pattie Maulfair of Jonestown showed the junior champion of the open division, a fall yearling, Forest Park Patricia.

Merritt Hernley showed the open division reserve junior champion, a fall calf, West Meadow Sienna, that was also the 4-H division junior champion.

In a close placing for grand champion of the 4-H division,

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