

# Heffner, Oliver, Reibson Named

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Forty acres of orchard supply apples, peaches, pears, plums, and nectarines. Another ten acres is devoted to small fruits and vegetables.

Heffner is chairman of the Agway board of directors and will complete that twelve-year tenure next year. He is a member of Agway's executive and compensation committees, the audit committee, and the county group business review committee. He serves on the board of council of the Nationwide Insurance Company, is a member of the State Horticultural Association of Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania Vegetable Growers' Association, and the Pennsylvania Farm Bureau. In addition, he is a director and secretary of the Schuylkill Savings and Loan Association and is a former vice-chairman and chairman of the Wayne Township Planning Commission, a director of the Friedensburg Fish and Game Association, and he served as an officer in St. John's Lutheran Church.

Betty Reibson, Forksville, received the 2000 Distinguished Dairy Women award. Active on the family farm with her husband Milo and two sons, she helps with the barn chores and keeps the farm's financial records. This past November she was re-elected to another term as Sullivan County commissioner, where she garnered the most votes of any candidate. She has been involved in local township government for 18 years, where she currently is secretary/treasurer. She serves on the Sullivan County High School Scholarship Committee and is a past president of Sullivan County Republican Women.

Reibson has served on the Penn State Extension executive



Dale Oliver, right, receives the extension award from Frank Orner.

board as president and was named Sullivan County Extension Person of the Year. She has been a 4-H leader, local and state legislation committee member for Pennsylvania Farm Bureau and

has served as vice-president of the Pennsylvania Cooperative Council Youth Committee.

She is involved in the dairy industry as vice-chairperson for the Sullivan County Dairy



Betty Reibson, left, receives the Distinguished Dairy Women award from Dixie Burris.

Promotion Committee and helps provide leadership in the Pennsylvania Dairy Princess and Promotion Services, Inc., where she is assistant state executive director. Currently, she serves as

secretary of the Pennsylvania Dairy Stakeholders.

Dale Oliver, a member of the Penn State Dairy and Animal Science Department, received the Extension Award. After



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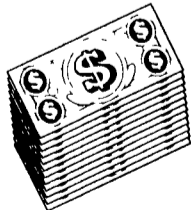
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