

4-H HAPPENINGS

York 4-H

The following members were honored for their outstanding achievements at the 1999 York County 4-H Achievement Program.

• Outstanding 4-H Project Awards, Juniors: beef, Cory Thompson, Wellsville; ceramics, Andrea Yohe, Spring Grove; Create a Project, Molly Crawford, Hanover; clothing and textiles, Amy Laughman, York; dairy, Tracy Richardson, Fawn Grove; foods and nutrition, Sarah M. Myers, Thomasville; horse, Chantrelle Asper, New Oxford; leisure education, Cassandra Smith, Glenville; pet care, Tyler Devilbiss, Glenville; Plant Science, Lyndsey Hoover, Thomasville; poultry, Brandy Bankert, Red Lion; public speaking, Amy Bachel, Dillsburg; rabbit, Stephanie Coluccio, Hellam; rocketry, Lee Bosley, Glenville; sheep, Kelly Jo Bankert, Red Lion; shooting sports, Shelly Wirt, Dillsburg; small engines, Alicia Wilson, Glen Rock; swine, Chad Menges, Hanover; wildlife, Ben Unkle, Stewartstown; wood science, Travis Brown, Loganville.

Seniors: beef, Greg Daugherty, Dover; Dairy Angie Beshore, New Cumberland; foods and nutrition, Philip Baer, Glenville, health, Beth Baer, Glenville; horse, Tammy Wirt, Dillsburg; leadership, Heather Bankert, Red Lion; public speaking, Rijelle Kraft, Manchester; small engines, Christine Lawyer, York; and swine, Susan

Richardson, Fawn Grove.

• National 4-H Congress delegates for 1999: Mandy Brown, Loganville, and Tabitha Eimerbrink, Lewisberry.

• Recognized for 10 years of volunteer leader service: Sue Bankert, Red Lion; Debbie Bosley, Glenville; Ryan Bridge, York, Bertha Jasienski, Felton; Deb Jeffrey, Wrightsville; Donna Maenner, Jacobus; David and Rose Tharp, Felton; and Lori Weller, New Cumberland.

• Recognized for 15 years of volunteer leader service: Michael Bankert, Red Lion; Lisa Butler, York; Marcelene Douglas, Delta; Barry Dubbs, Glen Rock; Beverly Hoover, Thomasville; and Ina Kilgore, Delta.

• Recognized for 20 years of volunteer leader service: Maryann Breneman, Seven Valleys; Kathy Church, Spring Grove; Richard Rishel, Seven Valleys; and Anna Shermeyer, Dover.

• Recognized for 30 years of volunteer leader service: Darla Doll, Glen Rock, and Sara Eisenhart, Thomasville.

• Recognized for 35 years of volunteer leader service: Gordon Shive, Seven Valleys.

• The following teens were recognized for volunteering a total of 2,450 hours to the 4-H program this year. This average out to 62.8 hours per teen of volunteer time: Amanda Arnold, Dillsburg; Emily Brandy and Heather Bankert, Red Lion; Kayla Baughman, Felton; Mandy Brown, Loganville;

Heather Crowl, Airville; April Daugherty, York; Greg Daugherty, Dover; Tyler Devilbiss, Glenville, Tabitha and Tanya Eimerbrink, Lewisberry, Abbey Frey, Wellsville, Ethan Gallardo, Dover, Sarah Grim, East Berlin; Lane Innerst, Red Lion; Lindsay Jones, East Berlin, Lucas and Rijelle Kraft, Manchester; Sonni Mayberry, Airville; Beth and Mark Parrish, Hellam; Steph Pomraning, Delta; Rachael Price, Dover; Susan Richardson, Fawn Grove; Jay Rishel, Seven Valleys; Chris and Rachel Schreck, Spring Grove; Brian Snyder, Red Lion; Josh Spahr, Lewisberry; Cory Stump, East Berlin; Ben Unkle, Stewartstown; Joe Warner, Windsor; Jamie Welsh, East Berlin; Melissa Wherley, Dover; and Tammy Wirt, Dillsburg.

• Special recognition was given to Kelly Jo Bankert, Red Lion, for giving 195 hours to the 4-H program.

• The following members were honored as the 1999 outstanding York County 4-H members: Outstanding 4-H historian, Ellie Bair, Hanover; Outstanding 4-H news reporter, Chantrelle Asper, New Oxford; Outstanding 4-H secretary, Kelly Jo Bankert, Red Lion; Outstanding girl rookie: Lyndsey Hoover, Thomasville; Outstanding boy rookie: Chad Menges, Hanover; Outstanding junior girl: Stephanie Coluccio, Hellam; Outstanding junior boy: Travis Brown, Loganville and Cory Thompson, Wellsville; Outstanding senior: Mandy Brown, Loganville and Rijelle Kraft, Manchester; and Outstanding 4-H Club: Horse Crazy 4-H Club, Hanover.

• As Outstanding Senior Girl in York County 4-H, Mandy Brown was honored for her many years she has devoted to

4-H. She is a member of the Loganville 4-H Club where she has served as president, other offices, and as a teen leader. Mandy is also a member of the 4-H County Council where she shares her expertise as a camp counselor and in many other 4-H activities. Mandy has also been a member of the 4-H Senior Exchange Club. She has helped with summer programming at the Migrant Child program. Another honor for Mandy was being chosen as a 1999 National 4-H Congress delegate. Mandy is a senior at Dallastown Area High School and will be pursuing a degree in Elementary Education in the fall.

• Rijelle Kraft has been an active member of York County 4-H for nine years. She is president of the 4-H County Council, a state 4-H ambassador, president of the 4-H Rabbit Club, vice president of the 4-H Swine Club, secretary of the 4-H Poultry Club, and social chair of the 4-H senior exchange. She is a teen leader in many of her clubs and is a teen counselor at 4-H camps. Rijelle is a junior at York Catholic High School. She will be pursuing a degree in agriculture/journalism.

• As National 4-H Congress Delegates, Tabitha Eimerbrink, Lewisberry and Mandy Brown, Loganville will represent York County and Pennsylvania at the National 4-H Congress in Atlanta, Ga. in November. Tabitha is a freshman at Northwestern University in Oklahoma where she is pursuing a degree in physical therapy. She is a member of the Wellsville Boots and Saddle 4-H Club, where she has served as officers' and teen leader. She also was a member of their

Equestrian Drill Team Tabitha served as president for the 4-H Senior Exchange Club and as vice president of the 4-H County Council. She has been an active member as a teen leader and camp counselor.

4-H Junior Cloverleaf Awards
The Bucks County 4-H Junior Cloverleaf Awards were presented to outstanding 4-H youth at the 4-H Achievement Day Program recently.

Awards for the 12- to 13-year age group were given to Kara Lombardo, daughter, of Daniel and Debrah Lombardo, Doylestown; Ashley McBrien, daughter of Bob and Betty McBrien, Quakertown; Curtis Poorman, son of Ken and Sharon Poorman, New Britain; and Kim Shmidheiser, daughter of Wayne and Claudia Shmidheiser, Furlong.

Awards in the 8- to 11-year age group were presented to Rachel Crouse, daughter of Donald and Mary Crouse, Riegelsville; Alyssa Poorman, daughter of Ken and Sharon Poorman, New Britain; Lauren Stewart, daughter of Curtis and Barbara Stewart, Quakertown; and Lindsay Urban, daughter of Matt and Lynne Urban, Doylestown.

These annual awards recognize youth leadership and 4-H accomplishments. The Achievement Day event was conducted at the Lenape Valley Presbyterian Church, New Britain.



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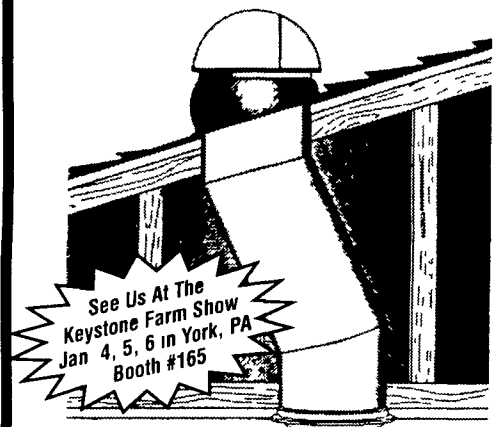
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