

258 Keystone Degree Recipients

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David and Susan Halverson, Somerset, plans to enroll in technical school to study welding.

Thomas has served as Somerset FFA reporter and is vice president. He has served on the banquet and work committees.

In addition, Thomas has completed various projects, including record book, metal work, and welding. He received the Star Greenhand honor and the Greenhand and chapter degrees.

Marshall Hamilton

Four-year Headwaters FFA member Marshall Hamilton wrote that he enjoys the trips the FFA takes. "Because I have fun going to places and meeting different people," he noted.

Marshall, 18, son of Larry and Phyllis Hamilton, Ulysses, plans to attend college to study forest technology.

Marshall has served his FFA as treasurer and is president. He also served on a varie-

ty of committees, including Big Buch contest and donkey basketball, in addition to program of activities. Also, Marshall has completed several projects, including maple production, hay production, and on-farm work.

Marshall has received honors, including the Star Greenhand, a gold in dairy judging, a silver in wildlife, and others. He also received a North Central Regional Keystone in specialized agriculture, in addition to the Greenhand and chapter degrees.

Amanda Jean Harnish



Three-year Manor FFA member Amanda Jean Harnish plans to further her education in agriculture, "live my life for God, and eventually get married and live on a farm," she wrote.

Amanda also noted why she enjoys being a member of FFA. "The lasting friend-

ships I have made and the many skills I have learned that I can apply to daily life."

Amanda, 18, Willow Street, is the daughter of J. Martin and Sandi Harnish. She has served as reporter and is corresponding secretary.

In addition, Amanda has served on several committees, including banquet, fruit sale, petting zoo, yearbook, and scrapbook. She also completed projects with dairy cows, steers, capons, and garden. She has received awards for chain steer, chain capon, dairy proficiency, and was on the third place dairy team. She also received her Greenhand, chapter, and Red Rose degrees.

Susan Hartman



Meeting new people and traveling to different places are a common theme to those who join FFA. Susan Hartman, Conococheague FFA member, explains why: "I just enjoy being around people," she wrote, "and helping people learn new things."

The 18-year-old daughter of Chet and Kathy Hartman, St. Thomas, Susan plans to attend college.

Susan is chapter adviser. In addition, she has served on the supervised ag experience committee and completed dairy herd projects. She received a gold at the state level in public speaking and a bronze for project book.

Susan has received her Greenhand, chapter, and county degrees.



Ronnie Hauck

Four-year Selinsgrove FFA member Ronnie Hauck has plans to become a dairy farmer, he wrote. But he enjoys meeting new people and making new friends in FFA.

Ronnie, 17, is the son of Ronald and Ruby Hauck, Winfield. Ronnie has served as student adviser and is vice president.

Ronnie has served on various Selinsgrove FFA committees, including chair of the dairy chain and membership committee. In addition, he has completed dairy herd and on-farm work experience projects.

Ronnie has received a Star in Agribusiness and a proficiency award. He also received the Greenhand, chapter, and SUN Area degrees.

Robert J. Hedges



Robert J. Hedges plans to attend Ohio State University to study veterinary medicine.

The 17-year-old son of Jeff and Mary Hedges, New Florence, enjoys various community activities and meeting people in the FFA.

Robert has served as sentinel and vice president of the United FFA. In addition, Robert has served on the tree and Food For America committees. He also has completed projects in wildlife management and diversified livestock.

Robert has received several awards, including state SAE record book, public speaking, and proficiency awards in horticulture and forest management. He also received his Greenhand and chapter degrees.

Tabatha Henderson



Seventeen-year-old Tabatha Henderson plans to own her own horse facility. Tabatha, daughter of James and Deborah Henderson, Albion, enjoys going on trips with the FFA. "I learn new things and have new experiences," she wrote.

Tabatha, four-year Albion FFA member, has served as student adviser. Additionally, she has been a member of various committees, including FFA Week, Farm Show trip, and pig roast.

Tabatha has garnered several awards, including equine proficiency, dog breeding proficiency, poultry proficiency, and various roundup placings. She has completed various projects in horse pleasure, dog breeding, and poultry.

Tabatha has received the Greenhand and chapter degrees.

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