



The Boer crossbred goat shown by Paul Shealer placed first in market goat competition.



Paul Shealer shows the champion steer and Naon Schaeffer, the reserve.

SCHUYLKILL FAIR RESULTS

MARKET RABBITS SHOW AND FIT
 Junior showman 1 Benjamin Shoener
 2 Scarlett Hester 3 Jessica Pacenta
 Intermediate showman 1 Jamie Hoffman
 Intermediate fitter 1 Jamie Hoffman

MARKET GOATS
 Market goats 1 Scarlett Hester 1 Emily Schaeffer 1 Isaac Schaeffer 1 Paul Shealer 1 Paul Shealer 2 Kelly Kramer 2 Paula Lengle 2 Jessica Pacenta 2 Emily Schaeffer 2 Naomi Schaeffer 3 Scarlett Hester 3 Elijah Roeder 3 Isaac Schaeffer 3 Naomi Schaeffer

MARKET RABBITS
 California senior 1 Scarlett Hester 1 Scarlett Hester 2 Scarlett Hester
 New Zealand senior 1 Benjamin Shoener

MARKET RABBITS
 Market rabbits 1 Zak Hester 2 Benjamin Shoener 3 Scarlett Hester

DAIRY GOATS
 Alpine doe 1-2 years not in milk 1 Emily Schaeffer 2 Emily Schaeffer 3 Jessica Smith
 Alpine doe 5 years and over 1 Naomi Schaeffer 2 Emily Schaeffer 3 Naomi Schaeffer

DAIRY GOATS
 Alpine best udder 1 Emily Schaeffer 2 Paula Lengle 3 Naomi Schaeffer
 Lamancha doe 5 months-1 year 1 Jessica Smith
 Lamancha doe 2-3 years 1 Isaac Schaeffer

DAIRY GOATS
 Lamancha doe 3-5 years 1 Isaac Schaeffer
 Lamancha best udder 1 Isaac Schaeffer

DAIRY GOATS
 Nubian doe under 5 months 1 Briana Shealer 2 Briana Shealer 3 Briana Shealer
 Nubian best udder 1 Briana Shealer

DAIRY GOATS
 Saanen doe 3-5 years 1 Naomi Schaeffer
 Saanen best udder 1 Naomi Schaeffer
 Grades doe under 5 months 1 Rachel



Peggy Hor has a green thumb when it comes to raising prize winning plants. With her are Bobbi Lea Kramer, left, with daughter Hannah Lea.



The champion and reserve hogs were shown by the Shealer siblings, Briana and Paul, respectively.

DAIRY GOATS
 Grades 5 months-1 year 1 Jeremiah Snyder 2 Emily Schaeffer
 Grades doe 1-2 years not in milk 1 Crystal Smith 2 Emily Schaeffer 3 Emily Schaeffer
 Grades 2-3 years 1 Naomi Schaeffer 2 Crystal Smith 3 Briana Shealer

BREEDING SHEEP

Cornedale spring ewe lamb 1 Jessica Smith
 Dorset yearling ewe 1 Kori Morgan
 Hampshire yearling ewe lamb 1 Naomi

Snyder
 Grades 5 months-1 year 1 Jeremiah Snyder 2 Emily Schaeffer
 Grades doe 1-2 years not in milk 1 Crystal Smith 2 Emily Schaeffer 3 Emily Schaeffer
 Grades 2-3 years 1 Naomi Schaeffer 2 Crystal Smith 3 Briana Shealer

MARKET SWINE
 Market swine 1 Scott Fellows 1 Briana Shealer 1 Paul Shealer 1 Paul Shealer 1 Jessica Smith 2 Matt Hepler 2 Keith Kramer 2 Shannon Morgan 2 Briana Shealer

Erie County 4-H Livestock Sale Sept. 7

Interested in filling your freezer with high quality beef, lamb, or pork? Then come on out to the annual Erie County 4-H Livestock Sale at the Waterford Fair Thursday, Sept. 7.

The sale will start promptly at 6 p.m. with the sale of the grand and reserve champion market lambs, followed by the sale of the balance of the market lambs.

The grand and reserve champion market hogs will be sold next, followed by the sale of the balance of the market hogs. The sale will close with the sale of the grand and reserve market steers, followed by the sale of the balance of the market steers.

According to Sarah Diehl, Corry, 4-H livestock subcommittee chairman, all buyers at the sale will receive excellent quality meat and will be encouraging area youth in a worthwhile educational experience. The sale culminates the long project year for the approximately 60 4-H and FFA members who participate.

Many of these young people selected their feeder calves nearly a year ago, and now these steers are ready for market, having been grain-fed throughout the past 10 months. Lambs and hogs were selected in the spring, and

they've also been carefully raised for market in the past several months.

In all, approximately 25 steers, 25 market lambs, and 55 market hogs will be offered for sale Sept. 7. All hogs offered for sale will be judged at the Waterford Fair on Monday afternoon, Sept. 4. Lambs will be judged on Tuesday evening, Sept. 5, and the steers will be judged on Wednesday evening, Sept. 6.

Auctioneers for the sale will include Raleigh Chesley, Chesley Auctioneers, North East; Doug Chesley, Chesley Auctioneering, North East; Sherman Allen, C. Sherman Allen Auctioneer and Associates, Conneaut Lake; Jeff Bennett, Union City Livestock Auction, Union City; and Gary Shidemantle, Gary's Sales Service, Edinboro. These auctioneers will sell all of the livestock to the highest bidder.

This year's auction will also feature the sale of a charity hog. The hog, donated by 4-H volunteer leaders Dayna and Jesse Fiske, Waterford, is being raised by members of the Waterford Livestock Wranglers 4-H Club. The sale of this hog will benefit the Waterford Food Pantry. The charity hog will be sold at the end of the hog sale order at approximately 8 p.m. on Sept. 7 by

the "Breakfast Flakes" from Froggy 94.7. The buyer will be taking home high quality meat as well as supporting the designated charity. In addition, the buyer will receive a commemorative plaque.

The auction will also feature the sale of both a market lamb and a steer to benefit the Erie County 4-H/Youth Development Program Scholarship Fund. The market lamb, being raised by Morgan Komarow, Belle Valley, of the True Grit 4-H Club, Wattsburg, was donated to 4-H by Walter and Denise Clark of Sunshine Acres in Meadville. This scholarship fund benefit lamb will be sold at the end of the lamb sale order at approximately 7 p.m.

Joe Reiser, Cranestown, is raising the steer that will be sold at the end of the sale to benefit the scholarship fund. The feeder calf was donated to the program by Gerald and Darlene Wise and Paul Wise, all of Wise Acres Farm, Springfield. Reiser is a member of the New Millennium 4-H Club.

Contact the Erie County Cooperative Extension Office at (814) 825-0900 for more information.

4-H HAPPENINGS

Cumberland Horse, Pony 4-H

On Aug. 1, the Cumberland County Light Horse and Pony Club's two horse judging teams traveled to Penn State to attend Penn State 4-H Achievement Days.

This three-day event had several categories for club members to compete in both individually and as a team.

One junior team and one senior team from Cumberland County competed in the state horse judging contest. Teams throughout Pennsylvania came together for this one-day contest.

The junior team consisted of Kristin Egolf, Jessica Heinemann, and Michelle Thomas. Seniors were Heidi Evelhoch, Trevor Long, Carrie McLaughlin, and Mary Strasbaugh.

Judging took place on Aug. 2 at 8:30 a.m. Each individual team member needed to judge six classes of horses. Four of the classes were halter with two performance classes.

The halter classes were aged Quarter-horse geldings, aged hunter-type geldings, aged Quarter-horse mares, and yearling Haflinger fillies. Individuals were judging these classes on the conformation of the horse.

The performance classes were western pleasure and hunter under saddle. Each class had four horses and contestants placed the horses according to their conformation and performance. The junior teams also were required to give a verbal set of reasons in placing the aged hunter-type geldings. Senior teams were also required to give verbal reasons for this same class along with aged Quarterhorse mares.

The morning of Aug. 3, teams attended the awards ceremonies. Individual and team placings were announced at this time. Thanks to the efforts of Cumberland County's horse judging coach and 4-H leader, Barb Rebert, the junior and senior teams placed second in the state.