

Grand champion steer from the Lehigh County 4- H Roundup, exhibited by Todd Lee Bennecoff Jr., sold to Springfield Meats Company, represented by Richard and Arlene Baringer, Richlandtown, for \$1,375.

First Lehigh Roundup Sale At Allentown A Success

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ALLENTOWN (Lehigh Co.) Half the proceeds from the grand champion hog, exhibited by Timothy Billig at the Lehigh County 4-H Roundup Sale last Saturday, was donated to Lehigh County Special Olympics.

The hog was purchased for \$575 by MidAtlantic Farm Cred-

Roundup Sale conducted for the first time in recent history at the Allentown Fair.

The sale included 10 steers that averaged \$1,360, 12 lambs that averaged \$335.42, and 40 hogs that averaged \$303.38, according to show coordinator Cheryl Bennecoff, Kutztown.

A cake donated by Giant Foods was sold for \$400, pur-

it during the Lehigh County 4-H chased by S & S Amusements and John and Dee's Fun and Games Concessions.

There were a total of 134 buyers at the sale and 29 4-H exhibitors. Auctioneer was Ralph Zettlemoyer.

Bennecoff noted that the Lehigh County 4-H livestock clubs would "like to say 'thank you' to all the support we had to have a successful sale!"



Justine Ann Bennecoff exhibited the grand champion lamb, purchased by the Garges Brothers Livestock for \$600.



Reserve champion hog at the Lehigh County 4-H Roundup was exhibited by Daniel Billig. Leidy's Pork Products, Inc., Souderton, represented by John Sholl, purchased the hog for \$400.

All photos by Andy Andrews





Lehigh County 4-H Roundup reserve champion steer, exhibited by Wyatt Gehringer, sold to New Tripoli National Bank, Wayne C. Wessner, Valve Tech, Inc., and Four Springs Farm for \$1,250. In photo is Harold Gehringer, Wyatt's grandfather.



Andrew Reinert exhibited the reserve champion lamb. Buyer was MidAtlantic Farm Credit, who purchased the lamb for \$375.



Grand champion hog of the Lehigh County 4-H Roundup was exhibited by Timothy Billig, left. MidAtlantic Farm Credit, represented by Charles Suloff, purchased the hog for \$575.