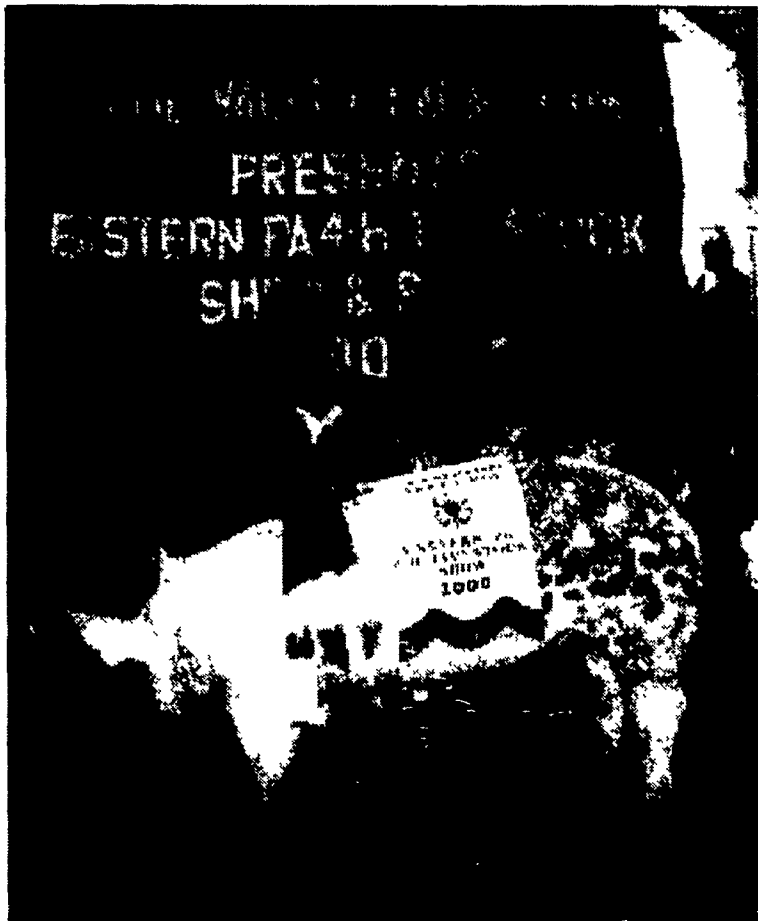


Eastern Pa. Livestock Show, Sale Releases Results

NAZARETH (Northampton Co.) — Recently the Eastern Pennsylvania Livestock Show and Sale was conducted at the Blue Valley Farm Show Complex in Bangor. Following are the photo results.



Christina Graver was awarded grand champion market hog and market hog pair. The champion sold for \$2.13 per pound to Hatfield Quality Meats and the second hog sold for \$1 per pound to MidAtlantic Farm Credit. Christina is a 10-year-old, second-year 4-H member from Carbon County.



Sarah Blackadar of Northampton County received the grand champion bred/owned market lamb award. Her lamb sold for \$2.06 per pound to Germansville Farm and Feed Supply. Sarah is 14 years old and has been a member of 4-H for six years.



Berks County Conducts 4-H Roundup Sale

KUTZTOWN (Berks Co.) — The 2000 Sale of Champions at the Berks County 4-H Roundup was conducted here the end of September at the Kutztown Fairgrounds.

About 70 buyers bid \$47,545. Auctioneers were John Fry and Harry Bachman.

The project animals included a skillathon, showmanship, fitting, and evaluation.

The county 4-H club has scheduled its annual banquet Nov. 4 at 7 p.m. at the Kutztown Grange.

This was an expansion year for the dairy beef and market goat classes at the roundup.

At the roundup sale, the champion market hog project, exhibited by Gwen Powers, Bethel, was sold for \$550 to MidAtlantic Farm Credit. Champion market lamb project, raised by Amanda Miller, Womelsdorf, was bid for \$300 to Lebanon Valley Farmers Bank.

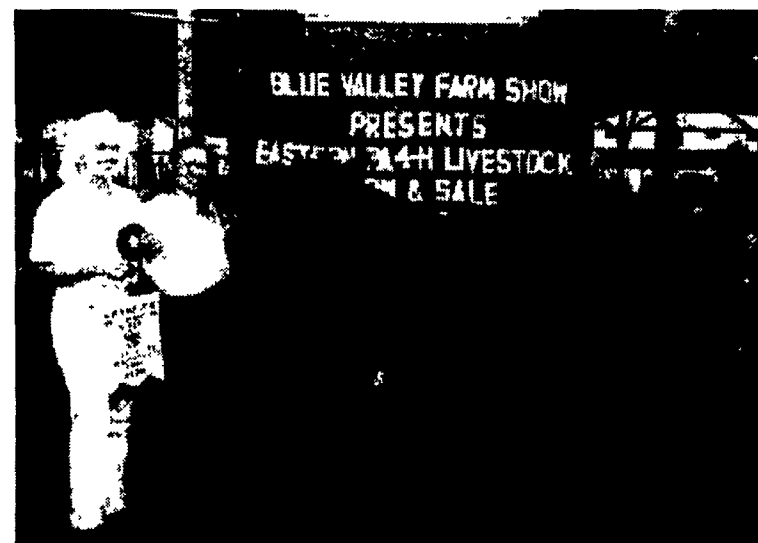
Champion meat goat project, raised by Jill Neiman, Fleetwood, was sold for \$300 to Willow



James Ford of Northampton County received the grand champion market lamb and pair of lambs award during the lamb show. His champion lambs sold for \$2.61 per pound to Main Street Market. James is a 15-year-old, seven-year 4-H member.



Jennifer Hower was awarded the grand champion market steer honor. Hower's crossbred steer sold for \$1.14 per pound to Main Street Market, Bangor. Jennifer is 15 years old and a member of Northampton County 4-H.



Jamie Hower of Northampton County received the grand champion bred/owned market steer award. Her purebred Angus steer sold for 76 cents per pound to Suburban Carwash, Allentown. Jamie completed her last year of 4-H with the bred/owned award.

Penn State Expands Trial Garden Sites Across Pa.

UNIVERSITY PARK (Centre Co.) — In the second year of an evaluation project called the Gardener Selects program, experts in Penn State's College of Agricultural Sciences will plant the seeds for thousands of flower and vegetable varieties in gardens at 38 sites across Pennsylvania, including 10 new sites.

"We're planting 20 to 30 of the best new cultivars from our Horticulture Trial Gardens in gardens at public parks or Penn State Cooperative Extension offices throughout Pennsylvania," said Robert Berghage, associate professor of horticulture.

The sites for Gardener Selects gardens are:

- Adams County: west side of business Rt. 15, Gettysburg, across from North Gettysburg Shopping Center
- Allegheny County: Point Breeze, downtown Pittsburgh
- Beaver County: the 911 Center, Beaver
- Berks County: Berks County Ag Center, Leesport
- Blair County (2): Penn State Altoona campus, Altoona
- Valley View Home, Valley View Boulevard, Altoona
- Bradford County: Penn State Cooperative Extension office, 701 S. Fourth St., Towanda
- Bucks County: Neshaminy Manor Center, Doylestown
- Butler County (3): Roebbling Park, Saxenburg
- Seven Fields Borough Community Center
- Cranberry Township Municipal Building
- Cambria County: Penn State Cooperative Extension office, Ebensburg
- Carbon County: Palmerton Park, Palmerton
- Centre County: Penn State Trial Gardens, University Park
- Crawford County: Penn State Cooperative Extension office, 13400 Dunham Road, Meadville
- Dauphin County: Hershey Gardens, Hershey
- Ned Smith Nature Center, Millersburg
- Delaware County: Penn State Delaware County campus, Media
- Fayette County: Perryopolis Park, Perryopolis
- Franklin County: Penn State Cooperative Extension office, 191 Franklin Farm Lane, Chambersburg
- Huntingdon County: Huntingdon County Fairgrounds off Route 22
- Jefferson County: Heritage House Senior Center, Brookville
- Lancaster County (2): Farm and Home Center, Lancaster and Southeast Research and Extension Center, Landisville
- Lawrence County: Hoyt Institute of Fine Arts, New Castle
- Lehigh County: Burnside Plantation, Bethlehem
- Luzerne County: Luzerne County Community College, Nanticoke
- Mercer County: Mercer County 4-H Park, Mercer
- Montgomery County: Montgomery County Extension Center, Colledgeville
- Northumberland County: 161 Moser Road, Danville
- Pike County: Pocono Environmental Center, Dingmans Ferry
- Washington County: California University of Pennsylvania
- Westmoreland County: Donohoe Center, Greensburg
- Wyoming County: 28 State Route 1008, Tunkhannock
- York County: Rudy County Park, York