

Five-Acre Corn Club

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- Kenneth Glazier, McConnellsburg, took first place with an average of 202.9 bushels per acre with Hubner H3505.
- Second place went to Harry Johnston, McConnellsburg, with an average of 189.1 bushels per acre with Pioneer 33G26.
- Tim Gordon, also of McConnellsburg, won third place with an average of 166.8 bushels per acre with Pioneer 33G26.
- Shelled Corn Tilled (3-year average):
- First place went to Matthew Maximuck, Doylestown, with an average of 184.6 bush-

els per acre with Dekalb DKC60-09.

• Second place in the same class went to Robert Rook, Ivyland, who checked in with 162.3 bushels per acre using Pioneer 33Y18.

• Third place was Norman Jodikinos, Clinton, with an average of 161.1 bushels per acre with Pioneer 34B23.

Shelled Corn No-Till Class (3-year average):

• Carl Shaffer, Mifflinville, again took a first in the class. Shaffer had an average of 199 bushels per acre with Pioneer 33A14.

• Robert Dorazio, Lake Lynn, won second place with

192.4 bushels per acre with Pioneer 3335.

• Third place was William Rook, Ivyland, who had 189 bushels per acre with Pioneer 33A14.

Shelled Corn No-Till: (27 eligible)

• Kyle Henninger, Breinigsville, Lehigh County, won first place with 223.7 bushels per acre with Dekalb DKC60-09.

• Second place with to Charles Gander, Mercer County, who checked in with 201.1 bushels per acre with Dekalb DKC58-53.

• Herman Manbeck, Berks County, had 197.4 bushels per acre with Pioneer 33B51.

Shelled Corn Tilled: (25 eligible)

• D. Richard Snyder, Lycoming County, took a first with 192 bushels per acre and Pioneer 31G98.

• Second place winner was Jack Coleman, Lancaster County, with 189.2 bushels per acre with Pioneer 33B51.

• Chris Pilgrim, Mercer County, won third with 187.9 bushels per acre with Pioneer 34M94.

Ear Corn Class: (10 eligible)

• John Tabaj, Fayette County, had a first with 160.7 bushels per acre with Agway 6001.

• Second place winner was Ray Laurenson, Lycoming County, with 140.9 bushels per acre and Merit 23197.

• Kenneth Glazier, Fulton County, had a third with

137.9 bushels per acre with Hubner 23948.

The Pennsylvania Soybean Yield Contest, sponsored by the Pennsylvania Soybean Promotion Board, had 15 entries, the top nine each from different counties.

Soybean yield contest winners include:

• Jason Haycock, Shippensburg, won first place with 71.23 bushels per acre with Pioneer 94B01.

• Kyle Henninger, Breinigsville, had a second with 69.44 bushels per acre with DeKalb DKB36-51.

• Jack Coleman, Lancaster County, had 67.35 bushels per acre with Pioneer 93B53.

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PCGA Announces Results Of 5-Acre Corn Club Contest

This year was one of the most difficult to grow high corn yields that we have had in many years. The year ranged from too cold and wet and then too hot and dry. Despite the weather, some club members this year were able to produce some very high yields including two reports over 200 bushels/acre. That critical rainfall in late July and August that most folks missed apparently made the difference. As expected, our entries were down this year, but we still managed to record 67 entrants. Production practice trends were similar to previous years, but producers reported more barren and down plants than usual. Our club members have again demonstrated that high yields of corn can be produced in an environmentally sound way.

This is the first year we are back to a full complement of three-year awards for all of our classes. Winners in these classes represent the ability to produce high yields consistently.

Many thanks are due to the extension agents and crop consultants who help collect the yield and cultural information for the club. Also, many thanks are due to Mark Antle in the Department of Crop and Soil Sciences for his diligent work in pulling this report together.

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2002 STATE AVERAGES	ENTRIES	BUSHEL/ACRE	GRAIN MOISTURE	% DOWN	% BARREN	PLANT POPULATION
SHELLED CORN TILLED	25	132.3	23.5	3.8	4.6	25893
SHELLED CORN NO-TILL	27	146.1	22.8	2.8	4.0	26140
EAR CORN	10	126.8	21.3	2.6	3.6	24305
AVERAGE		137.4	22.8	3.0	4.2	25716
TOTAL ENTRIES HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	62					
HARVESTED AS SILAGE	5	20.4	62.4			26397
TOTAL ENTRIES	67					

AWARD CLASSES

- SHELLED CORN TILLED CLASS, HARVEST SAMPLE 1 25 ACRES MINIMUM
- SHELLED CORN NO-TILL CLASS, HARVEST SAMPLE 1 25 ACRES MINIMUM
- EAR CORN CLASS
- 3 YEAR AVERAGE SHELLED CORN - TILLED CLASS
- 3 YEAR AVERAGE SHELLED CORN NO-TILL CLASS
- 3 YEAR AVERAGE EAR CORN CLASS

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