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- Quilt and Garden Festival, Kitchen Kettle Village, Intercourse, 9 a.m.-6 p.m., rain or shine, (800) 732-3538.
- Southern Cove Power Union Association's Spring Plow Days and Antique Tractor Show, New Enterprises, and April 6.
- Raising Meat Goat Seminar, Mercer County 4-H Park, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., (724) 662-3141.
- Perch Workshop, Ohio State University South Centers at Piketon, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., (740) 289-2071.

Sunday, April 6

- Daylight Saving Time begins. NIAA annual meeting, National Institute for Animal Ag, Weston Hotel, downtown Cincinatti, Ohio, thru April 10, (270) 782-9798.
- State Convention Pa. Association of Township Supervisors, Hershey Lodge and Convention Center, Hershey, thru April 9, (717) 763-0930.

Monday, April 7

- Global Positioning Systems and Mapping Training, Franklin County extension, (717) 334-6271.
- National Distillers Grain Marketing Conference, Des Moines, Iowa, thru April 9.
- Heifer International Beef and Fund-raising Dinner, Yoder's Restaurant, New Holland, 6 p.m.; April 8, Fieldcrest Room, Brethren Village, Lititz Pike, Lancaster, noon; April 8, East Fairview Church of the Brethren, Fairview Road, Manheim, 6 p.m., (717) 397-1253.
- Mid-Atlantic Farm Credit Area Annual Stockholders' Meeting, Shoemakersville Fire Hall, Shoemakersville, 6 p.m., (800) 442-7334.
- Rural Road Safety Week, April 7-13.

Tuesday, April 8

- Introduction to RUSLE. Mvers Farm, Centre County, Penn State Nutrient Management, thru April 9.
- White-Tailed Food Plot and Supplental Feeding Seminar, Lebanon Valley Exposition Center, 7 p.m.
- Pork Quality Assurance Update Training, Line Mountain High School cafeteriã, 7 p.m. (570) 784-6660.
- Mid-Atlantic Farm Credit Area Annual Stockholders' meeting, Holiday Inn Select, Timonium, Md., (800) 442-7334.
- Heifer International Fund Raiser, . Buffet Lunch at Assembly Hall, Brethren Village, Lancaster, (717) 397-1253.
- Organic Dairy Meeting, extension office, Watertown, N.Y., (607) 564-1060.
- Pa. Farm Bureau News Conference, Harrisburg Capitol Rotunda, 10:30 a.m., (717) 761-2740.

Wednesday, April 9

- Stray Voltage and Dairy Farms" Conference, Radisson Penn Harris Hotel, Camp Hill, thru April 11, (607) 255-7654.
- Wine Growers Technical meeting in western Pa., Wingate Vineyard, Smucksburg, Washinton Penn State Extension, (724) 228-6881.
- **Bucks County Extension Living** on a Few Acres Workshop, Backyard Poultry, Doylestown, 7:30 p.m., 9:30 p.m., (215) 345-3283.
- Conference for Farm Advisers, **Educators, Utilities and Public** Policy Advisers, Radisson Penn Harris Hotel and Convention Center, Camp Hill, thru April 11.
- Dairy-A-Phair Workshop, Frey Dairy, Lancaster County, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., (814) 863-3912.
- Mid-Atlantic Farm Credit Area Stockholders' meeting, Walk-ersville Fire Hall, Walker-

Competition Awards Homegrown Items

winner in the 2003 Pennsylvania Fair Home Grown and Homemade Competition," said Beverly Gruber, chairman of the competitive exhibits for the upcoming fair at the Philadelphia Park Race Track, May 15-26.

Potential exhibitors may enter their creative work in a wide variety of classes outlined

PHILADELPHIA --- "Be a in the 2003 Exhibitors Handbook. All homegrown and homemade products produced by the exhibitors are welcome at the fair.

> Categories of entries include sheep, goat, home-baked products, canned products, needlecraft, arts, crafts and photography, hay and grain, vegetables, nut, fruits and berries, floral exhibits, and homemade wine.

The 54-page guide lists possible cash prizes and rules for entry, display, and removal of exhibits. First, second, and third place cash prizes as well as ribbons will be awarded to each class. A "best of show" ribbon will also be given in each general category.

For your official Exhibitors Guide, write to P.O. Box 5, New Tripoli, PA 18066, or call (610) 767-5026.

Tri-county DHIA Records Work-

Bucks County Holstein Club

shop, Dutch Treat, Spartans-

burg, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., (814)

Barn Meeting, Delaware Val-

ley College Dairy, 7 p.m., (215) 489-2399.

Tuesday, April 15

Windows II Class, York County

Delmarva Poultry Booster Ban-

Grape Growers Technical meet-

Home Center, 1 p.m.-4 p.m.

Adams County Farm Bureau an-

Penn State Extension Dairy

Health and Nutrient Manage-

ment Workshop, DHIA Lab,

Manheim, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.,

Farm Recordkeeping, Cum-

berland County extension,

9:30 a.m.-3 p.m., (717)

Wednesday, April 16

Soil Quality Field Day, Mont-

Project Grass Northeast Spring

Bucks County Extension Living

Southwest Sensation Holstein

grounds, Uniontown, 7 p.m.

Pork Quality Assurance Update

Sale, Fayette County Fair-

gomery County Geriatric Cen-

ter, Royersford, (610)

Meeting, Columbia County

Extension office, Bloomsburg,

on a Few Acres Workshop, Doylestown, 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., (215) 345-3283.

240-6500, thru April 16.

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p.m., (717) 642-9306.

(717) 394-6851.

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10:30 a.m.

quet, Wicomico Youth and Civic Center, Salisbury, Md.,

ing, Lancaster Farm and

nual spring meeting, Gen. Pickett's Buffet, Gettysburg, 7

Extension, also April 16.

(302) 856-9037.

15, (814) 863-1113.

563-9388.

sville, Md., 6 p.m., (800) 442-7334.

- Deer Density Workshop, McKean County Extension, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
- Organic Dairy Meeting, Tally Ho Restaurant, Richfield Springs, N.Y., (607) 564-1060.

Thursday, April 10

- Dairy Nutrition Trouble Shooting Barn Meeting, Richard Harrington Farm, Spring Creek, 1:30 p.m., (814) 563-9388.
- Worker Protection Standards for the Green Industry, Warren County extension office, 1 p.m., (814) 563-9388.
- Meet a Cow, Meet a Sheep Day, Ag Arena, University Park, (814) 863-3914.
- NCGA Regional Distillers Grain Workshop, Des Moines, Iowa, (636) 733-9004.
- Susquehanna River Basin Commission meeting, Days Inn, Huntingdon, 8:30 a.m., (717) 238-0423.

Friday, April 11

- Western Pa. Holstein Spring Spectacular Sale, Mercer County 4-H Park, Mercer, 7 p.m.
- Pa. State Jersey meeting, Howard Johnson Inn, Mercer, thru April 12.
- New York Spring Dairy Carousel, Syracuse, N.Y., thru April 14.
- Northeast Hoof Training School, Finger Lakes Region, New York, thru April 12. Also Aug. 8-9, Oct. 24-25. Also June 24-27 and Nov. 4-7, (800) 619-6546.
- Elizabethtown Heritage Day Event, Antiques Appraisal

Show, Winter Heritage House Museum, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., (717) 367-4672.

- Building Strong Families Seminar, Towanda Country Club, 8:30 a.m., (570) 265-2896.
- Friends of Agriculture Breakfast Series, Modern Maturity Center, Dover, Del., 7:15 a.m., (302) 831-2512.
- Cornell Conference on Globalization and Rural Livelihoods, Ithaca, N.Y., thru April 12, (607) 255-7684.

Saturday, April 12

- **Bucks County Extension Living** on a Few Acres Workshop field trip, 9 a.m.-noon, (215) 345-3283.
- Northampton County 4-H Tack Swap, 4-H Center, Nazareth. 11 a.m.-2 p.m., (610) 837-7294.
- 33rd Annual Maryland State Holstein Show, Timonium Fairgrounds, 9:30 a.m., (301) 271-0048.
- Penn State Little International Livestock Exposition, Ag Arena, 8 a.m.
- Advanced Pastured Poultry Workshop, Albany, N.Y., (518) 427-6537.
- Penn State Dairy Exposition, University Park, 1 p.m.
- John Deere Antique Tractor Plowing Demonstration, Ron Moyer Farm, Hereford, (215) 679-6592.
- Backyard Poultry Workshop, Wayne County Courthouse, Honesdale, (570) 253-5970, ext. 239.
- FFA Chapter Farm and Forest Landowner Forestry Workshop, Stockbridge Valley Central School, Munnsville, N.Y., (315) 495-4483.
- Equine Garage Sale, Northampton County 4-H Center, Nazareth, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., (610) 837-7294.

the Poppy, thru April 19.

334-6271.

State's Ag Arena, thru April

training, Lycoming County extension office, 7 p.m., (570) 784-6660. Horse Pasture Management Meeting, Circle D Farm,

Woodbine, Md., 7 p.m.-9 p.m., (410) 489-7987.

Mapping Training, Lebanon

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