

4-H And FFA Entries Increase At Philadelphia County Fair

PHILADELPHIA (Philadelphia Co.) — The 12th annual Philadelphia County Fair, which took place in Fairmount Park recently, drew a total of 197 exhibitors.

Saul High School and the two 4-H livestock clubs in the city increased their fair participation in the animal exhibits.

The Manatawna 4-H Club leaders are Darl and Dave Weatherill. Bill McFadden continues to be the leader at the Fox Chase 4-H Club, but will be moving in mid-summer.

The 2003 Market Hog Auction was conducted on Thursday of the fair. All 33 market animals went for over \$200 a head. Auctioneer was Bill McCauley, Atglen.

Secretary of Agriculture, Dennis Wolff attended the livestock sale and gave encouragement to the many youth present.

Following is a list of show champions:

4-H SWINE LIVESTOCK CHAMPIONS

MARKET GRAND CHAMPION

Brenda Schiff, Manatawna/Saul

MARKET RESERVE CHAMPION

Allison Walker, Manatawna/Saul

FITTING GRAND CHAMPION

Allison Walker, Manatawna/Saul

SHOWMAN GRAND CHAMPION

Jessica Klitch, Manatawna/Saul

4-H DAIRY LIVESTOCK CHAMPIONS

CONFIRMATION GRAND CHAMPION

Brenda Schiff, Manatawna/Saul

CONFIRMATION RESERVE CHAMPION

Erin Merkel, Manatawna/Saul

FITTING GRAND CHAMPION

Nate Moser, Manatawna/Saul

FITTING RESERVE CHAMPION

Erin Merkel, Manatawna/Saul

SHOWMAN GRAND CHAMPION

Krista Moser, Manatawna/Saul

SHOWMAN RESERVE CHAMPION

Dan Fuller, Manatawna/Saul

4-H BEEF LIVESTOCK CHAMPIONS

BREEDING GRAND CHAMPION

Krista Moser, Manatawna/Saul

BREEDING RESERVE CHAMPION

Dan Fuller, Manatawna/Saul

MARKET GRAND CHAMPION

Amanda Vockeroth, Manatawna/Saul

MARKET RESERVE CHAMPION

Jenna Moser, Manatawna/Saul

FITTING GRAND CHAMPION

Pam Vockeroth, Manatawna/Saul

FITTING RESERVE CHAMPION

Nate Moser, Manatawna/Saul

SHOWMAN GRAND CHAMPION

Jenna Moser, Manatawna/Saul

SHOWMAN RESERVE CHAMPION

Amanda Vockeroth, Manatawna/Saul

4-H SHEEP LIVESTOCK CHAMPIONS

RAM GRAND CHAMPION, CROSSBREED

Mandy Welsh, Foxchase

RAM GRAND CHAMPION, SUFFOLK

Lauren Fleming, Manatawna/Saul

RAM RESERVE CHAMPION, SUFFOLK

Kelly McDonnell, Foxchase

RAM GRAND CHAMPION, DORSET

Nate Moser, Manatawna/Saul

RAM RESERVE CHAMPION, DORSET

Wayne Whitfield, Manatawna/Saul

RAM GRAND CHAMPION, OTHER

Esther McCrea, Manatawna/Saul

RAM RESERVE CHAMPION, OTHER

Megan Potoma, Manatawna/Saul

EWE GRAND CHAMPION, CROSSBREED

Kimmy McFadden, Foxchase

EWE RESERVE CHAMPION, CROSSBREED

Caitlin Ciquera, Foxchase

EWE GRAND CHAMPION, SUFFOLK

Wayne Whitfield, Manatawna/Saul

EWE RESERVE CHAMPION, SUFFOLK

Wayne Whitfield, Manatawna/Saul

EWE GRAND CHAMPION, DORSET

Erin Merkel, Manatawna/Saul

EWE RESERVE CHAMPION, DORSET

Kate McGuire, Manatawna/Saul

EWE GRAND CHAMPION, OTHER

Kate Engbretson, Manatawna/Saul

EWE RESERVE CHAMPION, OTHER

Neal Hallowell, Manatawna/Saul

FITTING GRAND CHAMPION

Lisa Brody, Foxchase

FITTING RESERVE CHAMPION

Amanda Vockeroth, Manatawna/Saul

SHOWMANSHIP GRAND CHAMPION

Kelly McDonnell, Foxchase

SHOWMANSHIP RESERVE CHAMPION

Allison Walker, Manatawna/Saul

FFA SHEEP LIVESTOCK CHAMPIONS

BREEDING SHEEP GRAND CHAMPION

Lisa Robinson

EWE GRAND CHAMPION, DORSET

Keltrice Norman

EWE RESERVE CHAMPION, DORSET

Tara Mattis

RAM GRAND CHAMPION, SUFFOLK

Lisa Robinson

FITTING GRAND CHAMPION

Keltrice Norman

FITTING RESERVE CHAMPION

Candace Moore

SHOWMAN GRAND CHAMPION

Jascia Guy

SHOWMAN RESERVE CHAMPION

Brent Halloway

FFA BEEF LIVESTOCK CHAMPIONS

BREEDING CATTLE GRAND CHAMPION

Keltrice Norman

BREEDING CATTLE RESERVE CHAMPION

Lisa Robinson

MARKET CATTLE GRAND CHAMPION

Ciara Denicarlo

MARKET CATTLE RESERVE CHAMPION

Jascia Guy

FITTING GRAND CHAMPION

Keltrice Norman

FITTING RESERVE CHAMPION

Jascia Guy

SHOWMAN GRAND CHAMPION

Tara Mattis

SHOWMAN RESERVE CHAMPION

Candace Moore

FFA DAIRY LIVESTOCK CHAMPIONS

CONFIRMATION GRAND CHAMPION

Sean Golembrewski

CONFIRMATION RESERVE CHAMPION

Christina Carter

FITTING GRAND CHAMPION

Diana Ling

SHOWMAN GRAND CHAMPION

Stephanie Carroll

FFA SWINE LIVESTOCK CHAMPIONS

MARKET GRAND CHAMPION

Christopher Kearse

MARKET RESERVE CHAMPION

Christina Carter

FITTING GRAND CHAMPION

Christina Carter

SHOWMAN GRAND CHAMPION

Nicole Trimble

2003 PHILADELPHIA COUNTY FAIR BEST OF SHOW WINNERS

4-H and FFA — Tamara Cohen, Cheltenham; Youth Under 19 — Austin Smith, Palmerton; Grain and Hay — Rhonda Lazarus, Breinigsville, Vegetables — Rhonda Lazarus, Breinigsville, Fruits and Nuts — Les Lazarus, Breinigsville; Preserved Foods — Kathryn Kohr, Red Lion; Baked Goods — Barbara Moser, Philadelphia; Horticulture — Christina Medina, Philadelphia; Needlecraft — Fay Fulmer, Nazareth, Photography — Susan Hahn, Pen Argyl; Arts and Crafts — Lucile Langner, Bradford, Group Exhibits — Manatawna/Saul 4-H, Philadelphia; Wines and Spirits — Virginia Eckert, Reinholds, and Apiary — Lee Schleicher, Catasauqua.



Philadelphia Co. Fair 4-H Dairy Champions: From left are: Erin Merkel, reserve champion; Brenda Schiff, grand champion; and dairy judge Charles Itle.



The Philadelphia 4-H Seeing Eye Puppy Club visited the Philly County Fair. The club calls itself "Philly Pups for Independence." Standing is Jackie Simons, the 4-H agent for Philadelphia County.



At the Philadelphia Co. Fair, FFA sheep showman winners, from left, are pictured with Judge Joann Hausner; reserve champion Brent Halloway and grand champion Jascia Guy.



Philadelphia Co. Fair Showman winners are, front, Jenna Moser, reserve champion; and Amanda Vockeroth, grand champion; with beef judge Ron Miller.



Philadelphia Co. Fair 4-H Fitting Grand Champion Pam Vockeroth pictured with beef judge Ron Miller.



FFA Swine grand champion at the Philadelphia Co. Fair was Christopher Kearse, pictured with Judge Ron Trostle.



Philadelphia Co. Fair FFA Dairy winners are from left, reserve champion Christina Carter, grand champion Sean Golembrewski, and Judge Patty Huff.



(Pictured at left) At the Philadelphia Co. Fair, Agriculture Secretary Dennis Wolff poses with the Manatawna 4-H Club.



(Pictured at right) Philadelphia Co. Fair 4-H Market Grand Champion Swine shown by Brenda Schiff, left, with Judge Tom Moyer from Hatfield.

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