4-H Achievement Awards

34 4-H Dairy Youth received the Dairy Achievement Awards in 2018. The Gold Achievement winners for 2018 were: Lauren Almasy, Keith Barto, Lydia Kaverman, Sarah Lehner, Logan Schlauch, Wyatt Schlauch, Rachel Sherman, Colby Turon. Congrats to all the recipients.

4-H Dairy Judging Clinic

The dairy judging clinic was held Saturday, March 17th, at the Animal Science Building in Columbus. 40 4-Hers judged 2 jersey cow classes and had the opportunity to try their hand at oral reasons. We also had the roll out of our Ohio 4-H Dairy Reasons video featuring 4-H Alumni, Billy Smith. This clinic is great practice for the state contest held in April.

4-H Dairy Judging State Contest

Columbus, Ohio - The 2018 Ohio 4-H Dairy Judging Contest took place during the Spring Dairy expo on Thursday, March 29th in the Voinovich arena. This was the first year for the contest to be held on Thursday and attendance was up. 56 seniors, 37 Intermediates, 39 Juniors and 58 Open contestants participated for a total of 189 youth from the state of Ohio and surrounding states, placed six classes of cattle and gave 2 and 3 sets of oral reasons.

Wyatt Schlauch from Holmes county won the Junior division, followed by Allison Francis from Darke county. The intermediate division winner was Luke Jackson from Logan County with second place going to Paige Smith from Stark. Taking top honors in the Senior Division was Sidney Daniels from Stark county with Marissa Topp from Auglaize close behind. Topping the open competition was Morgan Stone from Hancock County, Indiana.

Thanks to all those who volunteer their talents to make this competition run smoothly and congratulations to the winners listed below.

Junior: High Individual Overall
1st Wyatt Schlauch, Wayne/Holmes; 2nd Allison Francis, Darke County, 3rd LincolnWallace, Columbiana/Trumbull, 4th Aubrey Topp, Auglaize, 5th Justin Landes, Stark

Junior: High Team
1st: Columbiana/Trumbull; 2nd Lorain, 3rd Knox, 4th Stark #3, and 5th Wayne/Holmes

Intermediate: High Individual Overall
1st Luke Jackson, Logan; Paige Smith, Stark; 3rd Glenn Lamb, Lorain;
4th Cannon Jackson, Lorain; and 5th Maci McLean, Columbiana/Trumbull

Intermediate: High Individual in Reasons
1st Luke Jackson, Logan; 2nd Paige Smith, Stark; 3rd Glenn Lamb, Lorain; 4th Madelyn Topp, Auglaize; and 5th Joey Ziegler, Union
Intermediate: High Team Overall
1st Union/Champaign; 2nd Stark #2; 3rd Columbiana/Trumbull; 4th Lorain and 5th Union

Intermediate: High Team in Reasons
1st Stark #2, 2nd Union/Champaign, 3rd Auglaize/Shelby 2; 4th Columbiana/Trumbull and 5th Lorain

Senior: High Individual Overall
1st Sydney Daniel, Stark; 2nd Marissa Topp, Auglaize/Shelby; 3rd Clayton Lamb, Lorain
4th Lindsay L’Amoreaux, Stark; 5th Heath Starkey, Champaign

Senior: High Individual in Reasons
1st Sydney Daniels, Stark; 2nd Heath Starkey, Champaign; Derek Burns, Fairfield
4th Lindsay L’Amoreaux, Stark, and 5th Marissa Topp, Auglaize/Shelby

Senior: High Team Overall
1st Stark, 2nd Auglaize/Shelby, 3rd Champaign, 4th Champaign/Union and 5th Columbiana

Senior: High Team in Reasons
1st Stark, 2nd Champaign, 3rd Auglaize/Shelby 1, 4th Champaign/Union, and 5th Columbiana

For complete results go to the Spring Dairy Expo website (www.springdairyexpo.com) and look under 4-H Judging contest or find on our website: ohio4h.org and look under the date on the Dairy Calendar.

State Dairy Judging Team

Madison /Harrisburg Team Highlights- Team members representing the Buckeye State this year at the All American contest were Sarah Quallen from Clinton County, Sarah Rhoades, Darke County, David Miley, Wayne County and Gracie McCarron, Clinton County.

Sarah Quallen led the team placing 2nd in Holsteins and 10th overall, followed by Sarah Rhoades, 13th and David Miley 15th. The team finished 4th overall and was high team in Holsteins, 2nd in Jerseys and 5th in Ayrshires. Thank you to Rachel Topp for her valuable assistance with this group.

The Madison team members were Sarah Quallen, Sarah Rhoades, David Miley and Samuel Jackson. The team finish 7th overall in placings and 10th overall at the World Dairy Expo contest in Madison, Wisconsin, out of 23 teams. Sarah Quallen finished 14th capturing the Gold rating. David Miley finished 7th overall in placings and ninth in Jerseys. Sam Jackson was 7th in Brown Swiss. The team was also 7th in Guernseys. Many thanks goes to Ella King for her coaching help on this trip.

Louisville Team Highlights- Louisville team members were: Derek Burns, Fairfield County, Lindsay L’Amoreaux, Stark, John Hughes, Holmes and Clayton Lamb, Lorain. Some individual highlights from the NAILE contest were: Lindsay L’Amoreaux finished 20th overall and 25th in reasons and Derek Burns finished 13th in reasons. John Hughes was 9th in Ayrshires. The team finished 8th overall and 9th in reasons out of 21 teams. Solid finish and good first-outing for all.
Ohio State Fair Clinic

In week one of the judging clinic, there were 44 Juniors and 25 Seniors that placed 3 classes of cattle. Week two participation numbers were 44 juniors and 29 seniors resulting in an outstanding overall competition.

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Quiz Bowl

10 teams participated in this year’s Dairy Quiz Bowl held at the 4-H Center on June 13th.

Winning the Junior team competition was the Champaign/Logan county team of Kody Pond, Sami King, Silas King and Kaleb Pond, coached by Mark and Lorraine Townsley. Wayne County took 2nd with team members, Laney Hunsberger, Olivia Daley, Adam Wolf and Megan Martin, coached by Lisa Gress. High test score was Adam Wolf and most valuable player honors to Kody Pond.

Delaware County took the top prize in the Senior Division with a team of Sarah Lehner, Rachel Sherman and Heather Cade, coached by Rose Sherman. Second in the Senior division was the Champaign/Logan with Gloria Terry, Sam Jackson and Cole Pond, coached by Mark and Lorraine Townsley. High test score and most valuable player was Sarah Lehner.

National Quiz Bowl – North American Livestock Expo in Louisville, KY

Ohio was represented by Sarah Lehner, David Miley, Sara Wolf, Denice Wolf, Thomas Gress and JD Nelson. The team finished 7th. It is always a challenge to juggle this contest with the Junior show competitions going on at the same time. Big shout out to Lisa Gress for coaching this team!

Skillathon at the Ohio State Fair

Two sessions of Dairy Skillathon were held during the State Fair. 80 youth competed in week one, completing four stations covering different dairy-related topics. 166 kids completed four stations covering different dairy-related topics. This year there were awards given out for both week’s winners. The top 3 in each age division for week 1 are as follows:

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Age 13                                      Age 14
1. Kody Pond                                1. Cora Gunkelman
2. Adam Wolf                                 2. Brooklyn Sims
3. Erika Grum                                 3. Mary Richardson

Age 15                                      Age 16
2. Tim Gunkleman                             2. Ashley Hawvermale
3. Carson Wyatt                              3. McKinley Flinders

Age 17                                      Age 18
1. David Miley                               1. Sara Wolf
2. Lindsay L’Amoreaux                        2. Katherin Kurtz

Congratulations to the overall winner of Week 1, David Miley!

Week 2 Skillathon results are as follows:

Age 9                                      Age 10
1. Jacob Howman                              1. Lydia Kaverman
2. Delaney Dudte                              2. Emma Yochum
3. Roy Lamb                                  3. Wyatt Osborn

Age 11                                      Age 12
1. Kyle Polk                                 1. Gwen Schindel
2. Jade Laux                                  2. Riley Shockey
3. Callie Jenkins                             3. Cayla Daugherty

Age 13                                      Age 14
1. Glenn Lamb                                1. Zane Ortman
2. Joey Ziegler                               2. Dawson Osborn
3. Austin Yoder                               3. Elizabeth Howman

Age 15                                      Age 16
2. Rachel Sherman                             2. Jessica Langenkamp

Age 17                                      Age 18
1. Caleb Bodenmiller                         1. Sarah Lehner
2. John Hughes                               2. Keaton Topp
3. Molly Moffett                              3. Lauren Almasy

Congrats to Sarah Lehner for taking the all around honors for week 2!

Special note

Many thanks to John and Bonnie Ayars for beginning and sponsoring the fourth year of the Dairy Incentive Program at the Ohio State Fair. This program was directly responsible for encouraging the participation of all dairy youth in showmanship, skillathon and dairy judging at the state fair. We are looking for sponsors to continue this great program.
CHECK IT OUT- coming soon

Watch our website: ohio4h.org, for a new dairy judging reasons video. It will be under Dairy Cattle Publications and Resources on the dairy page.