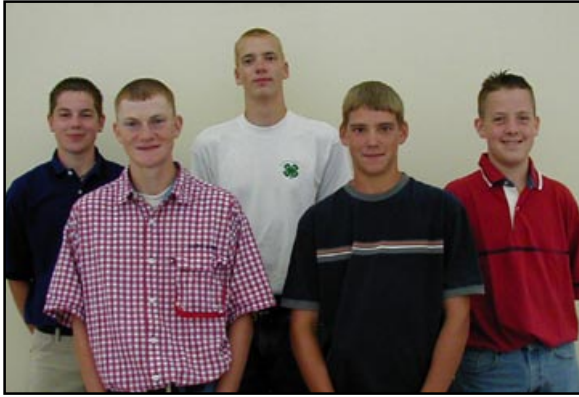


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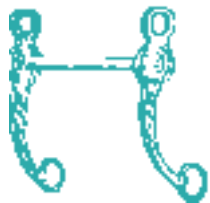
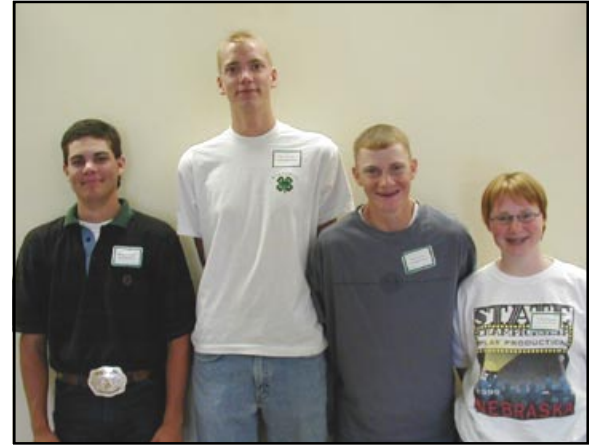
State Livestock Judging Team Excels at State

The Lancaster County Livestock Judging Team received fourth place honors out of 42 teams at this years State Livestock Judging Contest. Team members include (l- r) Aaron Naber, Steve Landon, Bryce Lemke, Matt Hollman and Brad Cheney. Receiving individual honors was Aaron Naber. Aaron placed fourth place overall out of 140 individuals and placed first in the sheep division. If you are interested in participating in next years animal science events, please contact Deanna at 441-7180. (DK)



State Livestock Quiz Bowl Team

Members of the first Lancaster County Livestock quiz bowl team were (l- r) Morgan Snyder, Bryce Lemke, Steve Landon, and Emily Johnson. The youth competed against other teams from across the state to answer questions related to beef, sheep, and swine. Some of the topics included breeding, nutrition, health, and management practices. The Lancaster team made it to round three out of five. If you are interested in being a part of next years quiz bowl team, please contact Deanna at 441-7180. (DK)



HORSE BITS

2000 4-H State Horse Show Results

Following is a partial list of results of the 4-H State Horse Show, which was held in Grand Island July 16-20. Complete results for Pole Bending and Barrel Racing were not available. Lancaster County had forty-five exhibitors at the show.

- Yearling Fillies Halter— *Megan Miller, Champion Purple*
- 2 Year Old Mares Halter— *Jenna Duda, Blue; Patrick Smith, Red.*
- 3 Year Old Mares Halter— *Emily Plake, Blue*
- Junior Showmanship— *Jessie Blum, Purple; Rachel Braunsroth, Red; Mindy Leach and Michela Winters, White.*
- Senior Showmanship— *Sara Messick, Champion Purple; Megan Miller, Ashley Murray, and Emily Plake, Blue; Laurissa Sabalka, Red; Katie Cruickshank, White.*
- Trail Horse— *Rachel Braunsroth, Purple; Jessie Blum, Josh Blum, Katie Cruickshank, Kevin Hajek, Sara Messick, and Megan Miller, Blue.*
- Elementary Dressage— *Ashley Murray, Teresa Perrin, and Christi Vidlak, Blue; Rachel Braunsroth, Red.*
- Advanced Western Pleasure— *Kelly Heather, Red*
- Senior Western Pleasure Horse— *Amy Ryan and Kyle Ryan, Purple;*

- Laurissa Sabalka, Blue; Josh Blum, Liz Judds and Jacob Messick, Red; Nicole Steinhauser, White.*
- Junior Western Pleasure Horse— *Terra Steinhauser, Purple; Jessie Blum, Mindy Leach, and Micah Messick, Blue; Martina Dye and Michela Winters, Red.*
- Advanced English Pleasure— *Kim Zalewski, Champion Purple; Teresa Perrin and Emily Plake, White.*
- Senior English Pleasure— *Sara Messick, Blue; Cari Billesbach, Red.*
- Junior English Pleasure— *Rachel Braunsroth, Blue*
- Senior Western Horsemanship— *Josh Blum, Megan Miller, Kyle Ryan and Laurissa Sabalka, Purple; Kendra Agena, Kevin Hajek, Jacob Messick, Nicole Steinhauser, Blue; Liz Judds and Patrick Smith, White.*
- Junior Western Horsemanship— *Rachel Braunsroth and Micah Messick, Blue; Mindy Leach, Terra Steinhauser and Michela Winters, White.*
- Advanced English Horsemanship— *Emily Plake, Champion Purple; Kim Zalewski, Blue; Teresa Perrin, Red; Kelly Heather, White*
- Senior English Horsemanship— *Sara Messick, Blue; Cari Billesbach, Red; Katie Cruickshank, Red.*
- Junior English Horsemanship— *Christi Vidlak, Blue; Sara Messick, Red*
- Senior Barrel Racing— *Josh Blum, Champion Purple*
- Hunter Hack- *Emily Plake, Blue; Rachel Braunsroth, Kelly Heather, Teresa Perrin and Jessica Suhr, Red; Kendra Agena, White.*
- 3 Year Old Snaffle Bit— *Sara Messick, Champion Purple; Emily Plake, Reserve Champion Purple.*
- Pole Bending— *Chelsea Leatherwood and Kyle O'Donnell, Purple; Trent Schaffer, Sara Zimbelman, Blue; Rachel Braunsroth, Micah Messick, Red.*



Josh Blum

Sara Messick



Emily Plake

Kim Zalewski

