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AYRSHIRE YOUTH WERE CENTER STAGE AT NATIONAL CONVENTION

COLUMBUS, OH – A variety of youth contests were conducted in Branson, MO during the 2018 National Ayrshire convention held June 27-30. Through these contests youth from across the country came together to compete and show their knowledge.

Robin Peters of Connoquenessing, PA was crowned the 2018-2019 National Ayrshire Queen. Robin is the 20-year-old daughter of Lona and Steve Peters and attends Butler County Community College. Caitlin Small of Huntington, MA was named the 2018-2019 National Ayrshire Princess. She is the 20-year-old daughter of Barbara Small and currently works at Williamsburg Animal Clinic.

Scholarship Winner

Lacey Nelson, MN

Distinguished Youth Winner

Erin Curtis Szalach, NY

Outstanding Youth

Caitlin Small, NY

Record Books

Pre Junior – Hunter Offer, WI

Junior – Andrew Curtis Szalach, NY

Intermediate – Adam Wolf, OH

Senior – Erin Curtis Szalach, NY

Junior Production Awards

5 to 10-Year-Old Division

Blind Buck Vall O Rusty-ET

5-05 305D 34,900M 4.2% 1464F 3.4% 1196P - 38,982ECM

DAKOTA LEIGH HALL, CUSHING, OK

Sr. 4-Year-Old Division

Cedarcut Burdette Clove Colata
4-07 305D 32,210M 3.4% 1,090F 3.2% 1,041P - 32,143ECM
ERIN CURTIS SZALACH, CAZENOVIA, NY

Jr. 4-Year-Old Division

Maple-Dell Berkely Fawn
4-04 305D 24,940M 4.3% 1068F 2.8% 705P - 27,062ECM
CECILIA WINKLER, WOODBINE, MD

Sr. 3-Year-Old Division

Vales-Pride Popo Rhinestone
3-10 305D 16,950M 5.0% 852F 3.3% 562P - 20,622ECM
CADIN VALENTINE, THURMONT, MD

Jr. 3-Year-Old Division

Nor-Bert Reinholts Burd Velvet
3-00 305D 33,510M 5.6% 1876F 3.4% 1143P - 43,482ECM
DALTON, DILLON & BREANNE FREEMAN, BREMEN, IN

Sr. 2-Year-Old Division

Falls-Pride Simbad Poppy
2-11 305D 21,810M 3.9% 845F 3.0% 659P - 22,819ECM
EMMA POOLE, ORISKANY FALLS, NY

Jr. 2-Year-Old Division

Spring-Vale Apple Cider-ET
2-00 305D 24,800M 4.1% 1029F 3.0% 740P - 26,763ECM
JOSEPH HUBBARD, THURMONT, MD

Milking Yearling Division

S&M-Ayr Rockstar's Micky
1-10 305D 19,360M 4.2% 821F 3.2% 617P - 21,405ECM
DANE VARNER, MOUNT UNION, PA

QUIZ BOWL CONTEST

Written Contest

Junior – Lily Charapata
Senior – Paige Demun

Quiz Bowl Teams

Junior Winner – Gavin Valentine, Andrew Curtis Szalach, & Lily Charapata
Junior Runner-Up – Cadin Valentine, Lilly Stoll, Abby Charapata, & Emily Scmidt

Senior Winner – Logan Archer, Josie Jenson, Molly Archer, & Hala Enquist
Senior Runner-Up – Erin Curtis Szalach, Paige Demun, Caitlin Small, Robin Peters

DAIRY JEOPARDY CONTEST

Junior Winners

1. Lily Charapata, WI
2. Emily Schmidt, WI
3. Molly Archer, MO

Senior Winners

1. Paige Demun, NY
2. Mackenzie Ullmer, WI
3. Erin Curtis Szalach, NY

PHOTO CONTEST

BEGINNER

Cute Calves – Peyton Offer, WI
Pasture Scene – Hunter Offer, WI
People and Cows – Hayley Mertz, NJ
Other – Hunter Offer, WI
Overall – Hunter Offer, WI

JUNIOR

Cute Calves – Whitney Dunklee, VT
Pasture Scene – Whitney Dunklee, VT
Other – Andrew Curtis Szalach, NY
People and Cows – Abby Charapata, WI
Overall – Whitney Dunklee, VT

INTERMEDIATE

Cute Calves – Adam Wolf, OH
Pasture Scene – Adam Wolf, OH
Other – Rebecca Schmidt, WI
Winter Scene – Rebecca Schmidt, WI
People and Cows – Lily Charapata, WI
Overall – Lily Charapata, WI

SENIOR

Cute Calves – Erin Curtis Szalach, NY
Pasture Scene – Mackensie Schofield, ME
Other – Mackensie Schofield, ME

Winter Scene – Erin Curtis Szalach, NY
People and Cows – Robin Peters, PA
Best in Show – Erin Curtis Szalach, NY

DISPLAY CONTEST

Junior – Whitney Dunklee, VT
Senior – Mackensie Schofield, ME