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17-04 / JUNIOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MADDY HENSEL OF CLINTON, IA TOOK PREMIER EXHIBITOR HONORS IN THE GRAINS AND FORAGES DIVISION WHILE SHAWN R GEISON OF CLINTON, IA TOOK PREMIER EXHIBITOR HONORS IN THE VEGETABLE DIVISION AT THE 147TH ANNUAL WHITESIDE COUNTY FAIR'S JUNIOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SHOW

MORRISON, ILL.- Maddy Hensel of Clinton, IA took Premier Exhibitor Honors in the Grains and Forages Division. Shawn R Geison also of Clinton, IA took Premier Exhibitor Honors in the Vegetable Division at the 147th Annual Whiteside County Fair's Junior Agricultural Products Show.

Whiteside County Fair 2017

Junior Agriculture Products

GRAINS

Premier Exhibitor

Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

Runner-Up

Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

Best Scarecrow

Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

Largest Sunflower

Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

Judge's Choice Winner

Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA For: Small Scarecrow

2016 CROP

One Gallon Jar Of Wheat

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

One Gallon Jar Of Oats

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

One Gallon Jar Of Rye

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

One Gallon Jar Of Soybeans

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

1 Gallon Jar Of Shelled Corn

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

2017 CROP

#### Best Ear Of Field Corn

1. Alex Abell, Tampico; 2. Marissa Folkers, Morrison; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Longest Ear Of Corn

1. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Single Stalk Hill Of Corn

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Marissa Folkers, Morrison; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Two Or More Stalk Hills Of Corn

1. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Best 4" Slice Of Alfalfa

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Best 4" Slice Of Grass Hay

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Best 4" Slice Of Mixed Hay

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Best 4" Slice Of Wheat Straw

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

#### Best 4" Slice Of Oat Straw

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 3. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Best Display Of Farm Grains And Products From Above

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Five Stalks Soybeans In Bundle

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 3. Brady Abell, Tampico

#### Best Five Ears Of Field Corn

1. Elijah Wetzell, Lyndon; 2. Aaron Wetzell, Lyndon; 3. Marissa Folkers, Morrison

#### Small Scarecrow - 36" Tall

#### Trophy By Howard Scott Family, Cordova, IL

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 3. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

### VEGETABLES

#### Premier Exhibitor

Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Runner-Up

Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

#### Kyle Miller Memorial Award

Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA For: Best Display of Vegetables in a Little Red Wagon

#### Best of Show

Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA For: Best Display of Produce

#### Red Potatoes

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### White Potatoes

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Three White Onions

1. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Three Red Onions

1. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 3. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

#### Three Yellow Onions

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 3. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

#### Three Turnips

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Three Table Beets

1. Austin Zink, Rock Falls; 2. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Three Pickle Cucumbers (No less than 3" or no more than 4" long)

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Three Slicing Cucumbers

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Alex Abell, Tampico; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Three Green Bell Peppers

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

#### Three Habaneros Peppers

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

Three Jalapeno Peppers

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

Three Sweet Banana Peppers

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

Three Tomato-Roma

1. Austin Zink, Rock Falls; 2. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 3. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

Three Tomato-Yellow

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

Three Red Cherry Tomato

1. Alex Abell, Tampico; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 3. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

Three Tomato-Red

1. Alex Abell, Tampico; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 3. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

Three Tomato-Yellow Pear

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

Three Tomato-Red Pear

1. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

Three Tomato-Green (Not Ripe)

1. Alex Abell, Tampico; 2. Austin Zink, Rock Falls; 3. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

One Eggplant-Black Beauty

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

#### Five Snap Beans-Green

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Five Snap Beans-Yellow

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Best Sugar Baby Watermelon

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Best Muskmelon

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Largest Watermelon By Wt

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Largest Blue Hubbard Squash

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### One Crook Neck Squash

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

#### One Butternut Squash

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### One Buttercup Squash

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### One Table Ace Queen Squash

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Most Unusual Size & Shape Vegetable grown in 2017

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Austin Zink, Rock Falls; 3. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

#### Two Zucchini

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Austin Zink, Rock Falls; 3. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

#### Largest Pumpkin By Weight

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick

#### Three Miniature Pumpkins

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

#### Five Ears Sweet Corn-Yellow With husk, not peeled back

1. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton

#### Five Ears Sweet Corn- Mixed

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 3. Marissa Folkers, Morrison

#### One Head Of Cabbage

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

#### Largest Sunflower By Diameter

1. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 2. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 3. Austin Zink, Rock Falls

#### Best Display Of Above Produce

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Shawn R Geison, Chadwick; 3. Austin Zink, Rock Falls



Best Decorated Pumpkin

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA

Best Display Of Vegetables In

Trophy By Kyle Miller Memorial Fund

1. Maddy Hensel, Clinton, IA; 2. Lauryn G Kuehl, Fulton; 3. Austin Zink, Rock Falls