

There's Fun, Rewards For Area Folks At Fair

Observerland residents picked up the awards at the 119th Michigan State Fair and helped to make it one of the biggest and most exciting in history.

Area contestants took prizes almost as fast as they were handed out in almost every class.

In the Quarter Horse division, Rick and Jan Thompson, of Plymouth, received second place in the Either Sex class and the Mare and Foal class with their mare "Bandido Betty." Jim Kraft, of Farmington, won a red ribbon in the Youth Activity Pleasure Class on his horse "Hired Pistol."

Kim Sprengel, of Beck Road, Plymouth, won sixth place in the Junior Pleasure Class with his Morgan. Kim is a member of the Plymouth Bridle Club and is 17 years old.

Dave Earehart, of Northville, won a first in Junior English Pleasure and a third in Stock Seat Equitation on his father's mare "Pebbles."

Russel Betz, of 1192 Hanlan, Westland, won first place and best of opposite sex in the Sandy Flemish rabbit division. Betz has been breeding prize rabbits for almost 30 years.

Gary Kincaide, 16, of 9243 Rocker, Plymouth, won Best Young Fancy with his African Owl and Best Young Frill in the pigeon division. In the breed classes, Gary took first in the Young Oriental Frill Turbit or Owl Class and the Young Satiette African Owl Class.

Ronald Brenton, 30840 Wentworth, Livonia, won best of breed in the Schette Modena pigeon class.

Mary Foegle, of 43655 Joy Road, Plymouth, won a fourth in the Commercial Vegetable Garden Competition; and Sue Paton Blake won a red and Lynne Rae Schwartz won a yellow in the Non-Commercial Home Garden Division. Both girls live at 12897 Heritage, Plymouth.

In the Fruit division, Catherine Foegle, of 43655 Joy Road, Plymouth, won a fourth in the

Artistic Exhibit and Mrs. John O'Connor, of 6101 Bell, Plymouth, received a third in the Horticultural Crops and Produce Class.

TWO LOCAL WOMEN were the top winners in the Community Arts judging. Mrs. Edwin M. Slesak Sr., of 33451 Rayburn, Livonia, and Mrs. Howard Matteson, of 23571 Bickering Court, Farmington, took high honors for their entries.

Mrs. Slesak won firsts with corn bread and whole wheat bread, three yellow ribbons for an upside down cake, canned tomatoes, and best specimen quilling, and eighth for her Governor's cookie jar with six kinds of cookies.

Mrs. Matteson received three blue ribbons for canned beets, canned snap beans, and a Christmas tree skirt. She also got a second for canned pears, a third for canned peaches, and three fourth place ribbons for Boston brown bread, canned tomatoes, and

special decorated cookies.

Mrs. Edwin Slesak Jr., of 33451 Rayburn, Livonia, won two third place ribbons for canned blueberries and white bread, along with two fourth places for potato bread and canned peaches.

OTHER AREA WINNERS are: Mrs. Omar Van Corp, of 20224 Melvin, Livonia, two third prizes in plain rolls and angel sponge cake; Cathy Gientke, of 10005 Mayfield, Livonia, second for a teenager's knit sweater and a third for handmade toys; Mrs. Frances A. Crawford, of 30560 Hinton, Livonia, fourth for an embroidered tablecloth.

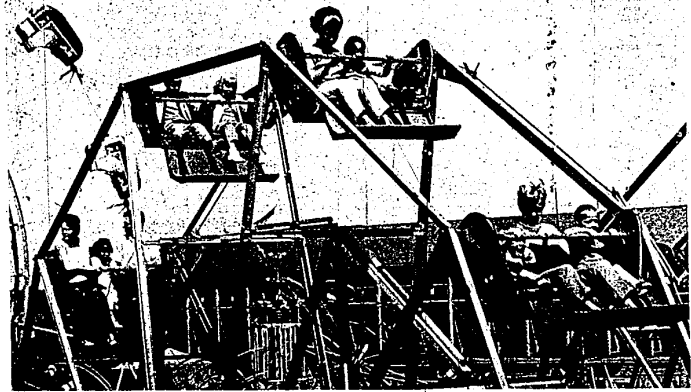
Norman M. Fellander, of 19389 Antago, Livonia, third for a hooked wool material, contemporary-design rug; Mrs. Geraldine Feldman, of 9042 Texas, Livonia, third for a boy or girl sweater; Mrs. Jo Ann Smith Sells, of 9950 Whitby, Garden City, first for bead work and third for Christmas tree ornaments; and Marylou Seldon, of 30102 W. 10 Mile Road, Farmington, two blue ribbons for pickled beets and canned tart cherries.



GARY KINCAIDE, 9243 Rocker, Plymouth, casts a glance at his African Owl Pigeon which won a best of show rosette; Gary attends Plymouth High.



Hard to tell who's enjoying ice cream more — Mom or tiny son.



There are thrills and chills on midway rides. Note the faces of these young ones.



KIM SPRENGEL, Beck Road, Plymouth, brushes down his Morgan prior to judging. He won a sixth place in the junior pleasure class. Kim is a member of the Plymouth Bridle Club.

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NO VISIT IS complete without a taste of cotton candy. This tiny miss is having a big time with a batch of the sweet stuff most youngsters just have to have at the State Fair.



MOM AND POP may enjoy the activities but the kids have the most fun. (Left) This small beauty has a great deal of interest in her new acquisition. (Right) There's nothing more delightful than company when one is enjoying some of the edibles of which there are an abundance.

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