

## ***Pennsylvania Junior Progressive Breeder Award***

### ***Eligibility:***

Open to all junior members who have bred Registered Holsteins that meet the criteria outlined in this application. Juniors applying must be current members of the Holstein Association. Applicants must have their project animal(s) enrolled in official DHIA test program, as well as the Holstein Association's Classification program.

To be approved as a Pennsylvania Junior Progressive Breeder, the junior entrant must meet the following minimum standards for each of five animals:

### ***How It Works:***

Gold stars will be awarded each year at the Pennsylvania Junior Convention Awards Program. Juniors qualifying on a single animal will receive 1 star, on two animals will receive 2 stars, on three animals will receive 3 stars, on four animals will receive 4 stars and juniors qualifying on five animals will automatically be designated a Pennsylvania Junior Progressive Breeder.

### ***Minimum Standards:***

- 1) Junior member making application must breed Animal(s). The breeder of an animal will be determined as stated on the registration certificate. The animal must be 87% RHA or higher. The animal does not have to be presently owned by the junior member making the application. A copy of the Registration Certificate must be submitted with the application.
- 2) Only the latest 305-day, or less, production record and current classification score will be accepted.
- 3) A copy of the DHIA Cow Page or a copy of the DHIA Herd Test Sheet, which lists the cow's current record, must accompany all entries. ***Please don't sent official Registration papers.***
- 4) Animals must have been officially classified in the Holstein Association's Classification Program.
- 5) Any individual animal may qualify her breeder for star breeder recognition on only one occasion.
- 6) Animals must have milk production records and classification scores equal to or in excess of the age schedule below:

<b><u>Age</u></b>	<b><u>Milk</u></b>	<b><u>Classification</u></b>
Milking Yearling	19,500 lbs.	82 Points
2 Year Old	20,500 lbs.	83 Points
3 Year Old	22,500 lbs.	84 Points
4 Year Old	24,000 lbs.	85 Points
5 Year Old	25,000 lbs.	86 Points
6 Year Old & Over	26,000 lbs.	87 Points

- 7) For the 2012 Awards, animals completing lactations after January 1, 2010 will be accepted as eligible entries. Dead animals meeting these criteria are also eligible.

*Application for  
Pennsylvania Junior Progressive Breeder Award*

Name of Animal \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Last Calving \_\_\_\_\_

Bred by \_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicant must have owned the dam of animal entered at the time of conception)

Present Owner \_\_\_\_\_

*Production Records of Animal(s) Entered*

<b>Age</b>	<b>2X/3X</b>	<b>Days</b>	<b>Milk</b>	<b>Fat%</b>	<b>Fat lbs.</b>	<b>Protein%</b>	<b>Protein lbs.</b>
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Type of test

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*Classification*

\_\_\_\_\_ Points at \_\_\_\_\_ Years                      Date of Classification \_\_\_\_\_

Junior Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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*Return to:  
Pennsylvania Holstein Association  
839 Benner Pike, State College PA 16801*

*Deadline: January 1st*