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Photo Caption: *Participating in the presentation of the Delaware 4-H State Awards are (l to r) Joy Sparks, State 4-H Program Leader, Representative Bobby Outten, Samantha Steele, Houston Cardinals 4-H Club, Stephen Galloway, Westville 4-H Club, Megan Dempsey, New Horizons 4-H Club, Sandy Reynolds, 4-H Volunteer and Chaperone, and Representative Robert Walls.*

4-H'ers Receive State Awards

Three Kent County 4-H'ers represented Delaware at the 2007 National 4-H Club Congress in Atlanta, Georgia. The three were selected based on their project work, leadership and citizenship activities. These 4-H'ers are outstanding role models for the rest of the 4-H program and other young people in their local communities.

Winning State Awards are:

- Samantha Steele, Age 17, Houston Cardinals 4-H Club, daughter of Bill and Mona Steele of Milford, DE
- Stephen Galloway, Age 16, Westville 4-H Club, son of Tim and Sandra Galloway of Harrington, DE

- Megan Dempsey, Age 16, New Horizons 4-H Club, daughter of Charles and Cindy Dempsey of Dover, DE

4-H is a youth educational organization that not only emphasizes project work, but also develops leadership and citizenship skills that will make the young people involved active citizens in their future lives. The 4-H program is open to all persons regardless of race, color, sex, handicap, age, or national origin. To become involved in the 4-H program in Kent County call the Kent Extension Office at 730-4000.