

June 5th, 2023

Washakie Co. 4-H Council Meeting Minutes

Submitted by Cindy Lentsch

Attendance: Janet B, Amber A, Cindy L, Erica R

Meeting was called to order at 5:05 by Cindy Lentsch

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Janet.

4-H Pledge led by Cindy.

Secretary's report- Read by Cindy. No corrections. Janet moved to accept the report as written. Erica seconded, members voted, motion carried.

Treasurer's report provided by Janet Benson. Current balance is \$26,452.97. Income: \$2,841.29. Expenses: \$460.53.

Correspondence-None.

Reports-

Erica reported on South Flat Juniors Club. Last month club completed 2 miles of highway cleanup and had a picnic afterwards. They plan to work on the next 2 miles of cleanup this month. No changes to meetings.

Cindy reported on Roadrunners Club. In May club voted to "Sponsor a Row" with a \$100 donation of club funds and to provide a flat of vegetable plants (in partnership with Bomgaars) to the Community Garden for Grow a Little Extra. Their first ever USA Flag retirement and replacement was a success with 11 distributed and 9 retired at the American Legion. They will try to continue this community service project in the future.

All clubs assisted with the 4-H storage shed clean out.

Project report-Tagging went well in Worland and Ten Sleep. There are several animals this year!

Old Business:

Dani W. will be the 4-H Intern this summer through the WY State Fair. Landon D. will be the Americorp Volunteer, working approximately 650 hours. Will work in Ext. Office, at Culture Fest, County Fair and possibly through State Fair depending on hours.

Storage Unit clean out was completed. Some water damage/roof leakage noted. Requesting a quote from Ryan J. to repair/patch.

Food Booth Report-members discussed schedule and shifts. All were in agreement that the expectation for each club family will be to sign up and work for one 2-hour shift during week of fair.

New Business:

Eleven members have signed up for Showcase Showdown! They have been working on produce judging as a new contest for WC. Each participant will pay \$100 to assist in covering costs and one meal out of pocket during trip. Amber requested that 4-H Council cover cost of one meal during travel as well. Janet moved that Council cover cost of one meal (breakfast, lunch or dinner) for 11 members during travel to or from Showcase Showdown. Erica seconded motion. Members voted and motion carried.

Culture Fest is scheduled for June 17th. Plan to have a petting zoo and educational stations running for 2 hours. Clubs encouraged to ask for volunteers to help out at their upcoming June meetings.

Amber reported on important dates for multiple upcoming projects and events including H<>W 4-H Camp June 8-10, Livestock Judging practices led by Dani and 307 Contests, Showcase Showdown June 20-22, Livestock Quality Assurance deadline June 30 and Shooting Sports Raffle deadline June 30. All are noted online. Amber requested input on how to best share information with 4-H Families, monthly as before or with a new weekly report via email. Weekly email was agreed upon by members.

Due to holiday, next meeting will be held on July 6th at 5:00 at the Ext. Office.

Cindy adjourned the meeting at 6:15.

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