

The Livestock 4-H Council met in the ECMR, on April 13, 2017.

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM by Karlee Orvis, President. The meeting opened with introductions (name and favorite part of spring). The Pledge of Allegiance was led Hannah Gramer, and the 4-H Pledge was led by Megan Hoehler.

The secretary's report was read by Coral Tolman and motioned to approve by Katylynn Hatfield, and the motion was seconded by Lauren. Milly Mayo gave treasurers report; \$429 of their butter braid sells went to JLEP to help pay for our "Catch an Animals." The report was approved and motioned by Mary Amoroso, and seconded by Libi Kliss.

Announcements:

- JLEP meeting this month at 6:00pm in ECMR
- Awards committee meeting this month at 6:00pm in the front of the office
- Market Sheep & Goat Weigh-in May 11 at 5pm at the scale house
- Fiber Fun Fest, Larimer County, May 13, 9am-5pm, The Ranch, McKee 4-H Building
- MQA Training, Larimer County, May 19, 4-7pm, The Ranch, McKee 4-H Building
- Enter animals into 4honline by May 1-other deadlines are posted in the 4-H Newsletter
- Barn Dance Tickets and Basket due April 28
- Business Plans for Incentive Program are due at the June Livestock Council meeting

Committee Reports:

- JLEP Report- Ted Leopold talked about advertising the auction.
- Awards/Fund Raising/Budget Committee Report- Sara Weichmen told them, they are waiting to hear back from the fair and festival committee on what they can put on their buckles.
- County Council Report- Mary Amoroso reported that they talked about their gear, and livestock shadowing.
- Jeffco Fair & Festival Report- Lisa informed them the layout of fair will be different and if you need an outside stall, you will need to let her know.

Unfinished Business:

- Rabbit & Poultry Cages – They decided to order them. Hannah Gramer motioned, and Katylynn Hatfield seconded.
- Barn Dance
 - Set-up & Take Down- they said they would help and are now dedicated
 - Selling Tickets until April 28- you need to sell your tickets
 - Barn Dance basket – Farm theme (Coordinator needed to put basket together)
- Report on MQA/PQA- Sara Weichmen informed them it went well
- Report on Weld County- No one went

New Business:

- Catch-an-Animal Letters if any- The pigs and sheep were picked up, they all are very happy with their animals
 - someone to raise fund-raiser pig- Peyton Huss volunteered to take in the pig.
- Arvada Library Program on a Sunday this summer- they don't have a date yet
- Livestock Judging and Quiz Bowl- they have one senior team, they are trying to make another
- Swine tagging and forms due May 11- fill out the tag sheet and turn it in

- Summer parade schedule
 - Evergreen Rodeo Parade – June 17 - 10 am
 - Buffalo Bill days Golden Colorado – July 29 - arrive at 9 am – parade at 10 am done around 12
- Parade of Champions Schedule and Format- It will be held at the beginning of the rodeo from 6:30-7:00

Carley and Holly provided education on AI in livestock.

Glen did a hands-on experience; it was extremely fascinating.

The meeting was not properly adjourned due to the fact that some people left during the hands-on bit. Some people stayed longer, therefore they had no real adjournment.

Coral Tolman,
Secretary

Karlee Orvis,
President