

Shawano County 4-H Livestock Committee

February 17, 2022

**Present:** In-person - Paul McClone, Jeff Kabara, Elizabeth Inman, Eli Inman, Allison Brown, Mandi McClone, Wendi Kabara, Bill Bohn, Jeff Hintz, Olivia Danley, Addyson VanHaren, Adam VanHaren, Joshua Kolodziej, Eileen Lamm, Jill Sikorski, Trinity Brede, Nancy Schauer, Warren Raddatz, Madison Raddatz, Mason Raddatz, Tami Goers: Via Zoom- Brenda Brede, Samantha Bulger-Posbrig, Julie Meyer, Dan Zernicke, Phoenix Seubert, Carrie Milhalski, Andy Milhalski, Charlotte Skala, Jameson Kolodziej

Pledge of Allegiance: Madison Raddatz 4-H Pledge: Mason Raddatz

**Secretary's Report:** M: Eli Inman, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Allison Brown, Vote: Approved

**Treasurer's Report:** M: Eli Inman, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Trinity Brede, Vote: Approved

Motion to deviate from the agenda as needed. M: Eli Inman, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Mandi McClone, Vote: Approved

Old Business:

1. Committee Reports

- a. Education: Feb 22<sup>nd</sup> General Information Mtg @ Shawano High School to go over rules and policies of 2022 Fair, presentation on Livestock Anatomy & Terms, Youth Species Chairs to discuss animal selection. April 2<sup>nd</sup> is Super Saturday with YQCA. YQCA @ 8:30 with one Livestock session to follow @ 9:30. Educational Points → gold sheet, Quiz Bowl team approved for one educational credit for the actual contest only. No points for practice sessions. Discussed whether Livestock Committee would be willing to pay for entry fee for Junior and Senior Shawano Cty 4-H Quiz bowl Teams – 4 members per team @ \$12/member. Eileen brought up ½ payment by Livestock Committee. Several others brought up fundraising and stressed importance of kids coming to the meeting to seek funds. Several members offered to pay for entry fees from their own business/personal funds as discussion continued. A motion was brought by Charlotte for the Livestock Committee to pay \$12@4 Members (\$48) for entry fees, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Andy Milhalski. Vote: Failed
- b. DNA/Ear Tagging, Weigh-in and Scale: Discussed and decided to combine these committees into one. Ear tags will again be \$11 for the complete kit of tag and DNA envelope. There is a possibility we may be temporarily short on ear tags so only partial availability at Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> Info mtg. As of now, 4-H enrollment shows: Goats – 12 members, Swine – 105 Members, Beef – 72 Members, Sheep – 25 Members. Optional weigh in for beef March 5<sup>th</sup>, 8-9:30am @ Paul McClone Livestock, N4774 Highline Rd, Bonduel. Beef must be halter broke and have ear tags in at time of weigh-in.
- c. Policies/Rules: Warren presented updated 2022 Market Rules. Major discussion arose around the rule regarding whether a junior member with 2 animals in the same weight class could have another junior member show their 2<sup>nd</sup> animal. Rule tabled and left as no agreement came.
- d. Packing Plants: No update
- e. Recognition/Awards: Trinity presented the new committee ideas for Grand/Reserve Champion Market and Carcass for Banners & Cups/Water bottles and Customized Belt Buckles for Showmanship. Further discussion warranted. Sub-Committee asking for Extension Office to do the letters for Sponsorship as they have in the past. Need future discussion on “Logo” contest for Shawano Cty 4-H Livestock Logo.
- f. Auction Logistics/Auction Form Review: Sam presented a paper copy of the “Intent to Sell” form. Advised it will also be available as Google form – either version due March 1<sup>st</sup>. Same form for both large and small animal.

- g. Scholarship: No update
- h. Structure: No update

New Business:

- 1. Beef Chair: Nominations: Mandi McClone, Trinity Brede, Adam VanHaren. Vote Results: Adam VanHaren

Other New Business:

- 1. None

Future Agenda Items:

- 1. Mandatory General Informational Mtg in 2023 with 2 options for attendance.
- 2. Use of Exhibitor Cards for all Junior Fair Members during 2022 Fair
- 3. Further discussion on Awards and Banner options/choices
- 4. Committee Sign up

Adjourn: M: Eli Inman, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Allison Brown, Vote: Approved

Next meeting March 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 submitted by Elizabeth Inman