

Livestock Council In-Person/Zoom Meeting

April 4, 2023

Called to Order- Julie Briggs called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

In Attendance- Chairman- Julie Briggs

Vice Chairperson- Paula Markley

Beef – Derrick Hartman

Swine – Nathan and Julie Corpuz

Sheep- Shaun Smith and Morgan Hand

Goat – Melissa Love

Small Animal – Dottie Snyder

Communications- Terri Hartman

Volunteer – Terry Williams

Arena – James Lane

Auction – Brian Gorrindo and Scott Clark

Finance- Tony Ferman

Bash Barn– Jennifer Cloud

Public Relations & Marketing Coordinator – Michelle Mitchell Flanagar

AV Fair- Dan Jacobs, Don Cook, Angie Hughes, Debbie Dino, Linda Erb, and Ginger O'Donnell.

Motion to excuse absent members of the board: Scott Clark made a motion to excuse Jeff Briggs-Beef Co-Chair, Connor Markley-Co-Goat Chair, and Dannon Shaughnessy Small Animal Co-Chair. Motion seconded by Brian Gorrindo. Motion passed.

Public Comment – Charlene Moore announced that 4-H and FFA would be holding a YQCA class on April 28th at the Farm Bureau. Those who wish to attend need to register online then class times will be announced. The certificate will be good for one year so there would be no need to take another class before the April livestock show.

Approval of the March 2023 Minutes – Paula Markley made a motion to accept the minutes the motion was seconded by Dottie Snyder. No discussion, Motion passed.

Finance Report – None

New Business:

- Julie Briggs asked that a clarification be made in the premium book regarding scurs. The clarification was made and Ginger O'Donnell will correct the wording in the book.

Old Business:

- Barn Bash- Jennifer Cloud let FFA know that they need to pick up their books. She would like two graduating seniors to help with the auction. It will be FFA turn to collect recycling. Robin Olsen said that FFA would take care of it. Jennifer asked each council member to donate 1 bottle of wine and 1 bottle of hard alcohol and bring

it to the next council meeting for the top buyers from last year also, gift cards for the duck poop game. Each club or organization needs to supply 4-24 packs of name brand soda.

- Ethic training for mini members- Upon further investigation, Julie Briggs said that there are no rules stating exhibitors up the age of eight need ethic training. Ginger O'Donnell said she would make sure it was corrected on ShoWorks.
- Council Retreat – Will be held on April 15th from 12-4.
- Don Cook asked that club leaders please remind all lamb and goat exhibitors that they need to make sure that they have their scrabie tags or they will not be able to show. Melissa Love said that if any new breeder needed help applying for their tags she would be happy to help them.
- Judges committee – Brian Gorrindo stated that the judges for the 2024 fair will be announced as soon as contracts are signed. There will be a clause stating that no one can contact the judge or purchase their animals from the judge.
- Auction Committee – Brian Gorrindo talked about changing the top ten buyers to the top 20 buyers with reserved tables and coolers for the top 20. The top 10 would be the only ones to receive gifts. Jennifer Cloud made a motion to set a budget of \$2,000.00 to purchase the buyer's gifts. Terry Williams seconded the motion. There was no further discussion. Motion passed.

Adjournment: Julie Briggs adjourned the meeting at 7:00 pm

Next meeting: May 2, 2023