

## Cascade County 4-H Leaders Council

### Regular Meeting Minutes

Date: July 12, 2022

Location: MSU- Extension Office and Web-Ex

#### **Call to Order:**

The meeting was called to order by President Keri Leggett at 6:09 pm. Leaders and members in attendance included:

Council Members: President Keri Leggett (Great Divide), Secretary Jill Skinner (Great Divide), Treasurer Heather Boberg (Eden Livestock)

Ulm Pishkun: Brook Gerard, Sandy Harshaw-Irwin, Ginger Murphy, Leann Murphy

Running Free: Janet Smith

Montana Sunsets: Fran Gossack

Great Divide: Drew Skinner

Big Sky Explorers: Gregory and Linsey Daly

Trouble Shooters: N/A

Highwood Hustlers: N/A

Circle S: Chantel Herman

Eden Livestock: N/A

Tiger Butte: N/A

Agents: Allyssa Peak

Guest: Master Gardener Ken Roberts

**Pledges:** Drew Skinner led the pledges.

#### **Secretary's Report:**

President Keri Leggett gave everyone a minute to read through the May meeting minutes. Keri asked for any corrections or additions. **Minutes approved as presented.**

**Correspondence:** None

#### **Treasurers Report:**

Heather Boberg reported \$43,403.44 in total liabilities and equity. There is \$25 in savings.

Total: \$43,428.44      **\*\*\*Report accepted as presented.**

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Ambassadors Report:** No report submitted.

Ambassador interviews were held and there are 5 ambassadors this year. Victoria Kirby, Elizabeth Doyon, Emilia Doyon, Kyona Yeager, and Seth Juhl

Ambassadors will be going to congress, doing fair, going to clubs for talks.

**Agent Report:** Submitted by Allyssa Peak

- Allyssa is headed to Congress tomorrow with 12 kids. Will be fun but hot.

- Katrin is back part time.
- September leader's council meeting will be virtual – Allyssa will be in Wisconsin getting married.

**Communications Report:** No report submitted.

Contest at the fair coming up.

**Foods and Nutrition Committee:** Reported by Fran Gossack.

Fair coming up. Will have foods festival and sewing at the fair.

**Sewing and Textiles Committees:** Report by Fran Gossack.

7-10 kids with fair exhibits.

**Record Book & Achievement:** No report submitted.

They need a new committee chair as Erin Doyon is stepping down. Record books due August 20<sup>th</sup>.

**State Fair Planning Committee:** No report submitted.

Coming up quick. They have 315 exhibits. Judging is July 28<sup>th</sup> with a new judging format. Set up July 25<sup>th</sup> – Club set up the Tuesday and Wednesday. 6 clubs are entered in the booth decorating. Still need judges. Fair theme – Our roots run deep.

**GREEN TIE AFFAIR:**

Will be meeting after the fair to continue planning. Brook can no longer – gone 8/7 – 9/21.

**HORSE LEADERS REPORT:** No report submitted, Ginger Murphy reported in person.

There was a showmanship clinic June 30<sup>th</sup>, The CC horse show is July 22<sup>nd</sup> and the CC Working Ranch Horse is July 23<sup>rd</sup>. There will be a static horse show/demonstration at the fair but no actual horse show like previous years. State Horse shows will be in September.

**LIVESTOCK LEADERS REPORT:** No report submitted, Brook Gerard reported in person.

Livestock is wrapped up; great success and lots of fun. There were 125 animals in the show this year bringing in \$400,000+ in sales during the 2 ½ day event. Sales catalog was great; schedule adjustments for next year. Average hog price was \$7.58 per lb. and average bee price was \$6.32 per lb.

**SHOOTING SPORTS COMMITTEE:** No report submitted.

Just wrapped up a fundraiser helping load traps at the state trap tournament. Record books are due July 18<sup>th</sup> to be checked. Western Heritage National Convention will be held in Great Falls July 25 – 27 at Blackwater and Heritage Inn.

**SPONSORSHIP:** N/A

**Unfinished Business**

BANNER: Tabled

VOYAGERS: Date for 4-H night at Voyagers game will be August 17<sup>th</sup>. We will get an information table at the game. We are the non-profit of the night but it is also crosstown class that night.

DAIRY BOOTH: Managers this year will be Mike Matury, Samaria Kirby, Janet Smith, and Ben Roth. There is still a lot to finalize. No coffee or donuts this year. Clubs are struggling to get shifts filled.

CAMP RECAP: Went really well – cold and muddy but lots of fun!

### **New Business**

Pizza for Congress: We always purchase pizza for the last night of congress.

**\*\*\*Ginger Murphy motioned to purchase up to \$70 for pizza. Drew Skinner seconded the motion. All were in favor. Motion Carried. \*\*\***

Treasurer: Heather Boberg informed the meeting that she will not be able to continue as treasurer in the next term.

### **For the Good of Order**

Ulm Pishkun: Leann Murphy sold her lamb Denton and donated a portion of the proceeds back to the Denton Fire Relief Fund.

Eden Livestock: The sisters of Jacob sold his steer at the livestock show and sale to M&D Construction for \$18,000. The money will be donated to Foundation. Jacob passed away earlier this year in a car accident.

Kendra Kindred's lamb was resold 4 times to help her mom injured in a car accident July 4<sup>th</sup>.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Janet Smith. Victoria Kirby seconded the motion. **Motion Carried.** Meeting was adjourned at 6:46 pm.

Next Meeting will be held on September 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm **via WEBEX.**

Submitted by Jill Skinner

### **Submitted Committee Reports**

Agent Report: No report submitted.

Ambassadors Report: No report submitted.

Communications Report: No report submitted.

Foods and Nutrition Report: No report submitted.

Sewing and Textiles Report: No report submitted.

Record books and Achievement Report: No report submitted.

State Fair Planning: No report submitted.

Horse and Livestock Leaders Reports: No report submitted.

Shooting Sports Leaders Committee Report: No report submitted.