

SANDERS COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL
Meeting Minutes, June 1, 2021 – State Building

Call to order by President Joanne Burk. Pledges were recited.

Treasurer's report was not submitted.

Council did not receive **correspondence**.

Fruit sales final report was not available.

Ambassadors plan to meet next week.

Livestock committee has all judges for the fair lined up. Fair is looking like a normal fair this year. Johnny Thurston has volunteered to be camp coordinator. Tagging is scheduled for June 6th: swine 11-2, sheep and goat 11-12. Juli sent information to livestock members.

Scholarships were awarded to three wonderful applicants – Cody Burk, Josie Neesvig, Faith Fields. Each received \$1,130.

Fair projects (upgrades to the 4-H showers and restrooms) are in process. Juli is waiting for information on the request for heating and a new drain before drawing money from the endowment for the 25% we agreed to contribute to the upgrades. Home Ec Building walls are ready to go when the barnwood inventory is assured.

Multi County Camp is cancelled. Camp committee has dissolved, 4-H Foundation is planning to take over. Safety issues with the cabins must be resolved. A day camp or possible overnight camp at the fairgrounds in Ronan has been suggested. Juli will contact camp scholarship winners regarding their wishes to use their camp scholarship next year (or for Congress next year if they are age-eligible.)

Five letters of intent for **Congress** have been received. In addition, one member misunderstood and is sending her letter right away. *Aimee made a motion to accept the late letter as well as the five timely letters of intent; Lacey seconded; motion carried.*

Achievement Day will be Sunday, November 7th, 2:00pm at the Pavilion, hosted by South Side Sparks.

Wufoo has been used for building forms and receiving on-line payments. Cost is \$349 annually, paid last month. Council agreed to drop Wufoo based on limited use, and Ashley is willing to create forms in an alternate manner. Juli will request a refund.

Meat Raffle Fundraisers have been held in Missoula and Lake County with great success, raising well over \$10,000. Meat could be donated, or purchased if necessary. Council present agreed on \$5 per ticket, with cut and wrap provided. Discussion will continue.

Office staff is no longer using **4-H online**. Members will need to create a Fair Entry program account to sign up for fair entries.

Meeting adjourned.

Karen Dwyer

Members present: President Joanne Burk and Vice-President Aimee Foyil - Whitepine Happy Workers; Lacey Kinkade, Karen Dwyer - Thompson Falls Mountaineers.

