

Northwest Michigan Livestock Council

MINUTES

Monday, September 14th, 2020

OFFICERS: Kayce Caugh, Megan Town, Keri Bancroft, Bobbi Jo Pyle

STAFF: Rosali Collier, Susy White

CALL TO ORDER: 6:34pm - Pledges were recited. 29 4-H Clubs were represented on the zoom meeting.

MINUTES: June 29th minutes were approved. Motion by Gretchen Sauvage 2nd by Kelly Stockfisch to approve the minutes. Approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Bobbi Jo went over the July treasurer's report. Motion by Keri Bancroft 2nd by Gretchen Sauvage to approve the treasurer's report. Approved.

190 animals sold at auction to 130 buyers. Individual species totals reported. \$5347 from Resale Auction. Total: \$291,387. Awaiting payment from 10 buyers, totaling \$18,812.39.

FAIRBOARD REPORT: No fair board members present. Annual Meeting will be held via Zoom on November 5th. 7 Fair board seats are open. Applications due October 4th.

STAFF SPOTLIGHT: New 4-H Online (2.0 system) will be out tomorrow or Wednesday. Paper copies can be available if needed. Volunteers will also have to register through "volunteer central" for background checks.

Club fall updates will be held via Zoom. Financial reports (as of June 30th) will be due by the end of October. Watch for emails early October with more information.

2020/2021 4-H year has officially started. NO fees for this year.

In-person meetings are still suspended.

OLD BUSINESS: Working on getting ribbons, banners, senior awards together to distribute to leaders.

Requirements: Record books for Cloverbuds are encouraged, but not required. Photos with the thank you notes are recommended.

SPECIES REPORTS:

Dogs – Going to try to have some Zoom meetings

Horses – All judges donate their time, please say thank you if you know them

Large Beef – Central Michigan Club Calf Tour is coming up – Contact Drew if looking for a calf, knows of a few club calves that are still available

Jr Beef – Let Amanda know if you have any updates or resources for the Jr Beef website

Dairy Feeder – Call Stacy if you are interested in more information about the program – Breeders/calves are available, call if help is needed

NEW BUSINESS: Species chair applications are due tonight for lamb, llama and alpaca, poultry, swine, and large beef. All application information is on the website, including link to fill out online.

2021 Project Donations: Working on a plan to be about to giveaway multiple project animals for 2021. Watch for more details coming soon!

ADJOURN: Motion by Kelly Stockfisch, 2nd by Gretchen Sauvage.