Redwater 4-H Council Minutes

November 3, 2020 6:30 PM
Via Zoom Virtual Meeting due to Covid-19 Pandemic
Amy Clark, President, called the meeting to order at 6:38 PM

Members present:

Michelle May - Butte-Lawrence County Extension Representative President: Amy Clark Vice President: Shawnie Mackaben

Treasurer: Melissa Dean Secretary: Mark Heine

Butte County: Carmen Drieling, Rebecca Kari, Nicole Jones, Shawnie Mackaben, Amy Clark, Kim Ford,

Holly Main, Kelli Leitner

Lawrence County: Mark Heine, Kindra Gordon, Raye Brown, Mary Pochop, Kristy Eastman, Melissa

Dean, Verla Little

Youth Representative: Matea Gordon

At the recent Butte Leaders Meeting, new representatives for the Redwater 4-H Council were chosen.

- 1. Rebecca Kari
- 2. Carmen Drieling
- 3. Shawnie Mackaben
- 4. Amy Clark
- 5. Nicole Jones
- 6. Kim Ford

Alternates: Holly Main, Kelli Leitner, Vicky Larson, Jackie Clements

Youth: Anika Main, Lydia Main, Serena Davis, Cole Hockenbary, Layla Hockenbary

At the recent Lawrence Leaders Meeting, new representatives for the Redwater 4-H Council were chosen.

- 1. Kristy Eastman
- 2. Verla Little
- 3. Mark Heine
- 4. Melissa Dean
- Roxie Tetrault
- 6. Mary Pochop

Alternate: Raye Brown, Kendra Gordon Youth Alternate: Matea Gordon, ? Izzy May

Secretary's Report:

- -Mark Heine presented the secretary's report from **September 15, 2020**.
- -Nicole Jones made a motion to approve the secretary's report as written with **no** corrections. Mary Pochop seconded the motion.

Motion carried by roll call. Yes - 12, No - 0

Lawrence County:	Butte County:	Youth Representative:
Mark Heine - Yes	Carmen Drieling- Yes	Matea Gordon - Yes
Mary Pochop - Yes	Amy Clark - Abstain	
Raye Brown - Yes	Nicole Jones - Yes	
Melissa Dean - Yes	Rebecca Kari - Yes	
Kristy Eastman - Yes	Shawnie Mackaben - Yes	
Verla Little - Yes	Kim Ford - Yes	

Treasurer's Report:

- -Melissa Dean presented the treasurer's report today.
- -Current checking account balance was \$10,310.82 as of November 3, 2020.
- -There is one outstanding check for \$150 for 6 gift certificates for the graduating seniors.
- -There are still some outstanding checks (3) from 4-H clubs that have not been cashed from their work in the 4-H food stand from 2019. Melissa has requested that these outstanding checks be brought to the extension office so she may authorize a new check for these clubs.
- -Melissa issued a check for \$1700 dollars to the Jr. Leaders for payment of the 4-H commemorative hoodies.
- Raye Brown made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. Nicole Jones seconded the motion.

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Committee Reports:

Recognition/Awards Committee:

- -Kindra Gordon presented a synopsis from their recent meeting.
- -The committee reviewed the applications for the county Leadership and Citizenship Awards, and Key Awards for the state for 2020.
- -She encourages 4-H youth to review the criteria in the 4-H Handbook and to apply for these awards in 2021.

Old Business:

A. New 4-H Year 2021:

- -Information was presented by Amy Clark and was sent out by the extension office
- -4-H Online version 2 is now open for registration. https://v2.4honline.com
- -You may use the same username and password from last year.
- -4-H Leaders please remind your 4-H youth about signing up.
- -The new club year paperwork and prior year financial audits are due 11/23/2020
- -Please call the extension office if you have any questions or concerns.

B. Date set for 2021 100th Anniversary of the Fairgrounds:

- -Dates for the Butte/Lawrence County Fair are July 27-31, 2021
- -The Fair Board has asked for themes and colors for 2021.

Colors:

- -Kristy Eastman had suggested a retro black/white theme for 2021. She suggested using old black/white photos from the past and have them on display for the public barbeque.
- -Holly Main suggested that we also incorporate the color green for 4-H.
- -Kristy Eastman made a motion to use the colors of black, white, and 4-H green for the 2021 Butte/Lawrence County Fair. Verla Little seconded the motion.

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Themes:

- -Nicole Jones suggested using the theme "South Dakota Strong".
- -Michelle May suggested using the theme "Back to the Future".
- -Holly Main suggested using the theme "100 years of making the best better".
- -Verla Little made a motion to use the theme "South Dakota strong, 100 years of making the best better" for the 2021 B/L County Fair. Raye Brown seconded the motion.

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C. Photographs over the 100 years of the Fairgrounds:

-Ida Marie Snorteland, Amy Clark, and Rosela Gracewell will be working on a photo display for the public to view. Rosela has pictures from a photobook from the 50th Anniversary of the B/L County Fair. The Fair Board has allowed Amy Clark to set-up a Facebook page and email address for people to submit photos from prior B/L County Fairs. If anyone is interested in helping, please contact Amy Clark or the extension office for further information.

D. Signage for Fairgrounds:

-The Fair Board has asked that clubs have their signs ready for the B/L County Fair 2021.

New Business:

A. Election of Officers fro Redwater Council 2021-2022:

- -A nominating committee was used this year to help identify leaders who would be interested in serving for the upcoming 2-year term.
- -Raye Brown made a motion to approve the following slate of officers. Kristy Eastman seconded the motion.

President - Mark Heine Vice President - Nicole Jones Treasurer - Melissa Dean Secretary - Carmen Drieling

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B. Fair Book for 2021:

-The Fair Board would like to have all the changes needed for the 4-H Fair Book to them for approval by their March 2021 meeting to go to print by April 2021.

Upcoming Meetings/Events:

-The next *Redwater Council Meeting* will be on Tuesday, January 12, 2021 at 6:30 PM via Zoom.

-Meeting was adjourned at 7:21 PM.

Respectfully submitted by Mark Heine, secretary