

RUSK COUNTY JR FAIR BOARD

September 12, 2021

MEETING MINUTES

PRESENT: Terry DuSell, Judy Srp, Connie Meyer, Jessica Wiles, Darrel Doughty, Julie VanDoorn, Sherry Coggins, Nancy Burmeister, Scott Andres, Scott Jones, Brooke Wiles, Charmaine Riddle and Lyle Liefkring.

PRESENT FROM THE PUBLIC: Tammy Loomis and Shana Swanson.

Meeting called to order at 6:00 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Motion by Nancy, seconded by Judy to approve August 8, 2021 minutes.
Motion carried

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

FAIR COORDINATOR/INTERN REPORT: Brooke reported on the following:

- State Inspection on Fairground, warning was given for health papers for 30 animals on the grounds.
- State report was sent out.
- Count on paper tickets for next year.
- Return yard signs.
- Missing canopy.

KEYCARE – JOE STANSBURY:

Joe Stansbury donated his winnings of \$1,500.00 to the Jr. Fair and Thanked all Board Members for there hard work.

JIM MITCHELL – HOTEL REIMBURSEMENT:

Jim Mitchell was scheduled at a different Hotel but stayed across from the Fairgrounds in a different hotel and is requesting reimbursement of \$48.00.

*Motion by Judy, seconded by Julie to approve the payment of \$48.00 to Jim Mitchell for his hotel reimbursement.
Motion carried.*

SEPTEMBER MUD BOG:

Scott informed the Board it was up to them if they would like to have a Mud Bog. The Board set the date for September 25th at the Fairgrounds. Discussion on needs.

MUD BOG ADVERTISEMENT:

Discussed a one-week ad in the Ladysmith news.

Motion by Jess, seconded by Darrell to advertise in the Ladysmith News for one week. Motion carried.

FAIR/RODEO WRAP UP:

Discussion on the following;

- Advertising
- Breakdown of the Rodeo Arena.
- Sponsorships
- Ticket upgrade
- Bleacher set up.
- Lighting on the East End of the N and S side.

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- Fencing
- Rodeo cost was covered by donations.
- Attendance was down.
- Revenue of \$23,845.00.
- Dirt Dash
- Flambeau FFA – No worker passes.
- Bug Solutions for Barns.

Motion by Judy, seconded by Nancy to pay the invoice to Bug Solutions in the amount of \$300.00. Motion carried.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Sherry Coggins gave her resignation as of September 12, 2021.

Scott Jones gave his resignation as of September 1, 2021.

A thank you was read from Miss Rodeo.

Discussion on adding more Fair Board Members from 11 to 15.

Next meeting is Sunday October 10, 2021 at 6:00 in the LEC

Motion by Connie, seconded by Nancy to adjourn meeting. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:22 p.m.