

Washington Co Fair

Board Meeting

8-5-24

Members Present: Tracy Roebke, Doris Cassidy, Brad Wright, Michael Weaver, Jerry Moyer, Jennifer Emerson, Jeremy Hunt, Dale Hill, Cory Ashworth, Cheryl West, Allen Moore, Sarah Hale, Jeremy Bailey. Sarah Wynne, Shane Easterling, Ashley Swaffar

Absent: Teresa Luney

President Dale Hill called the meeting to order.

Michael Weaver led the prayer and pledge.

Brad Wright made motion to approve minutes

Jeremy second

Motion Passed.

Fair Set-Up will be August 10

Leon Frissard gave a report from WC Sheriffs office. They are prepared with security. They will have our trailer and borrow one from Rogers Police Dept. They will be providing id cards for the kids again. They will have their trailer in front of Thompson Hall again. Saturday night there will be a K-9 demonstration in the livestock arena.

Kristi Weaver reported 85 vendors have rented 25000 sqft approximately \$37,000

Doris made a motion to not allow any knife vendors.

Brad second.

Motion passed.

There will be no parking South of the barns any where on the grounds on Sunday or Monday during move in.

Please let Kristi know if there are any additional meals being provided for free:

Sunday night the hog barn is providing dinner.

Farmers Co-Op is feeding Monday lunch.

Monday night the sheep barn is feeding dinner.

Tuesday lunch Farm Bureau is providing.

Wednesday night is the goat barn.

Thursday night sale dinner.

Exhibitors picnic Friday night.

Cheryl gave a financial report. They are waiting on money for the grant.

Operations Committee:

Lights are approved for the arena. The lights for the arena have been donated.

Randal says the water meter will be here the 16th.

Jeremy Grounds.

Fair set-up: door knobs, lights.

After the fair superintendents will be in charge of heading up clean-up for their barn.

They are having a Show Works meeting with Ashley to clarify a few things.

Ashley gave a report on online entires.

1960 entries and just a handful of paper entires.

Entries are up this year.

Sarah sale report:

-Letters went out

-We have started a social media campaign.

-Meal donations are coming in.

-Please used the multi-bidders sheets if you are going together for a large group bid.

The Board went into executive session.

The Board came out of executive session.

Ashely moved that Justin Crawley will not be allowed to bid in the sale until he pays his bill in full, after that he may come and bid with a bank note approval or cash.

Jeremy Bailey second.

Motion passed.

Please be making changes to the fair book throughout the fair and get them to Meghan as soon as possible afterwards while it is fresh on your mind.

Tracy Roebke is looking for volunteers for her building please let her know if you know someone willing to help.

Jeremy Hunt moved to adjourn.

Brad second motion.

Motion passed.