Minutes

Sarpy County Agriculture Society May 20, 2024

8 p.m.

Sarpy County Fair Grounds

- 1. Roll Call Meeting called to order at 8:00 PM by President Jim Jansen; Present were: Jim Jansen, Dwayne Lang, Chad Heinert, Mike Rudolph, Tanner Stock, Jake Kinman, Chad Krapp, Curtis Rainge, Scott Voss, Tyler Krapp and Joe Smisek. Absent: Ron Tex Jr.
- 2. Proof of Publication presented by Mike Rudolph
- 3. Public meeting notice and proof of Public Meeting Laws. Noted on the south wall of the Sarpy County Agriculture Society board office.
- 4. Approval of minutes of April 22, 2024, monthly meeting.
 - a. Motion made by Dwayne Lang to approve the minutes of the monthly meeting seconded by Curtis Rainge. Vote: 9 yes, 2 abstain: Tyler Krapp and Joe Smisek, motion carried.
- 5. Treasures Report and Approval
 - a. Motion made by Dwayne Lang to approve the treasures report as presented seconded by Jim Jansen. Vote: 11 yes, motion carried.
- 6. Property Managers Report
 - a. Tangier Shrine PRCA Rodeo 2025
 - i. The board approved the rental.
 - ii. Dwayne, Chad, Tyler, and Sarah will meet with them to work out the details.

7. SVFD / SCSO

- a. Dennis gave an update the hourly rate for off duty officers it has increased to \$40-\$45 per hour
- b. Dennis is working on updating the emergency plan.

8. Old Business

- a. Insurance
 - i. Ben attended the meeting and gave an update on the insurance process and what it may look like going forward.
- b. 2023 notes recap
 - i. Most items had been handled, the rest of the outstanding items were discussed and will be handled before the fair.
- c. Tyler Krapp made a motion to move New Buisness item 1 to before item a seconded by Chad Krapp. Vote: 11 yes, motion carried.

9. New Business

a. Discussion and approval of Masonic Lodge building request

- i. After much discussion it was decided that they would be moved to the existing bingo stand and the bingo team would use the Masonic lodges tent for bingo.
- b. Approval of 2024 fair contracts
 - i. Dwayne Lang made a motion to approve Lucas Minor for \$1,800 for Saturday night in the beer garden seconded by Curtis Rainge. Vote: 11 yes, motion carried.
- c. Committee Updates
 - i. Tuesday night of the fair dinner
 - 1. Tyler is going to work with the Masonic lodge to see if they will partner with us again in 2024.
- d. Discussion and approval of sign needs
 - i. We will need new ticket banners, sign for race cars in commercial building and a few bucking chute signs.
- e. Discussion and approval for give a way t-shirts.
 - i. Yes, we will move forward with this, Nichole will handle ordering.
- f. Approval of advertising budget
 - i. Chad Heinert made a motion to approve spending up to \$30,000 on advertising for the fair seconded by Tyler Krapp. Vote: 11 yes, motion carried.
- g. Discussion and approval of rock for the carnival parking area
 - i. Tabled until June meeting.
- h. Discussion and approval of painting the outside of the 4H building and the north ticket office.
 - i. Tabled until June meeting.
- i. Discussion and approval to overseed the contestant lot
 - i. This can be removed from the agenda.
- j. Discussion and approval to paint the handicap parking curb.
 - i. This can be removed from the agenda.
- k. Ticket update
 - i. Ticket sales are going well.
- l. Ticket sellers / Ticket takers
 - i. Please share the links with family and friends.
- m. Military salute during events
 - i. Scott Voss and Chad Heinert will work on this together.

10. 4H Report

- a. They will repaint the 4H food stand before the fair.
- b. YQCA will be hosted at the fairgrounds.
- 11. Communication from the public
 - a. Barb Mills
 - i. Curtis ordered 4,000 new entry tags and supplies that were needed.
 - ii. They will need dinner Tuesday night in open class.
- 12. Executive Session (if needed)
- 13. Adjournment motion made by Curtis Rainge to adjourn the meeting seconded by Jim Jansen meeting adjourned at 10:00 p.m. Vote: 11yes, motion carried.