



Albany County Fair
Sale Committee
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06 March, 2023

REGULAR MEETING 6:00PM

1. Call the meeting to order and roll call
2. Public Comments (Limited to 3 minutes per speaker)
3. Consideration of Changes to Agenda
4. Review and Approve Minutes from January Meeting
5. Review and Approve Treasurer's Report from February 2023.

OLD BUSINESS

- "Combines" - Update from Heather and Taylor

NEW BUSINESS

- New sale committee member needed

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REGULAR MEETING Scheduled for 6:30PM

1. The February 2023 meeting was called to order promptly at 6:38 (1838) PM on Monday, 06 February 2023
 - a. Attendees: Heather Alexander, Taylor Haley, Arvin Martinez, Rod Rogers, Leah Churches and Jarod Edwards
 - b. Not in attendance: Cassidy Newkirk
2. **Public Comments:** Nothing Significant to Report (NSTR)
3. **Consideration of Changes to Agenda:** NSTR
4. **Review and Approve Minutes from January Meeting:** No Changes were noted, a motion was made by Mr. Martinez and seconded by Ms. Churches
5. **Review and Approve Treasurer's Report from January 2023.** It was noted that the Jr Livestock checking has a total of \$40,455.99 and savings has \$45,099.63 to date. a motion was made by Mr. Edwards and seconded by Mr. Martinez

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Show Screen:
 - a. The Casper Event Center, to date, has not gotten back to the JLSC chair in regards to the "Show Screen," information will be provided as it becomes available.
2. Minimum/Maximum Beef weights:
 - a. Beef Show weights will remain as they were in 2022 of a minimum weight of 1050lbs, with the exception of, Hip Height calculations will NOT be utilized.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Retiring Wooden "Buyers Plaques:"
 - a. The discussion noted that the Wooden Buyers plaques have been around since before 1982 as far as the committee could recall. It was discussed that these wooden plaques have become outdated, not displayed throughout the community and are a nuisance to store from year to year.
 - b. With the exception of Joan Martindale and Andrea Senior and possible a few others, these wooden plaques will be discontinued. Martindale's, Senior will be "Grandfathered-in," to receive said plaques.
2. The cardboard handouts to buyers at the sale will be revamped/modernized to have a new look, stand by for updates.

3. Denver Livestock Show:

a. Ms. Haley attended the Denver Livestock Show and came back with a multitude of ideas to improve the Albany County Jr. Livestock sale.

i. Combines: Combines are defined as; “a group of people or companies acting together for a commercial purpose.”

1. The thought process here is to develop specialized groups (groupies) throughout town, to come together and participate in the Jr. Livestock Sale. E.g: community of Lawyers, Doctors/Dentists, etc. who do not actively participate in the JLS. If these groups would come together, it is possibly a way for these groups to give back to the community.

2. These specialized groups would have a buy in fee to participate in said group, make a purchase at the sale and donate back to the community, such as “Farm To Table.”

3. A subcommittee, possibly, will need to be made to get this “combine” off the ground and running. A presentation will need to be developed and given throughout the community to present the idea, more to follow on this.

ii. Programs and Buyers Registration Pamphlets:

1. The current JLS Program and Buyers Registration Pamphlets will have a new look, being a bifold pamphlet containing a lot more information and again recognize buyers from last year.

iii. Banners:

1. Banners are good to go (GTG) and are ready to be hung.

4. Feedback came in as that there needs to be more beverages available at the sale, i.e. water, lemonade, sweet/unsweet tea, Gatorade, etc.

5. Revive buyer/supporter hats:

a. Buyers Hats need to make a comeback to show support of the JLS as well as to show appreciation to the buyers. Hats need to be fashionable and not look like a dollar store purchase.

6. Fair regulation updates for sale/consignment:

a. 4H/FFA members have 1 (one) hour after their show to complete their consignment forms and turned in, NO exceptions. If these consignment forms are not turned in, then the member will not be allowed to participate in the JLS.

b. After each individuals show and animal does not attend to participate in the sale, the animal has permission to leave the fairgrounds, once they have obtained permission from their barn superintendent of that species.

i. E.g: If your animal did not make weight and after you have shown the animal, you may leave the fairgrounds, after you have notified your superintendent.

ii. Pigs, goats, sheep, rabbits and poultry are allowed to leave fair grounds after show, after you have notified your superintendent.

iii. If an animal is removed or leaves the fairgrounds without your superintendent's permission they will lose sale privileges for that year.

Meeting Adjourned at: 8:08 PM (2008 hrs.)

Rod Rogers
JLSC Secretary

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Account QuickReport

Since February 1, 2023

DATE	TRANSACTION TYPE	NUM	NAME	MEMO/DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	CLR	AMOUNT	BALANCE
FIB JR LIVESTOCK CHECKING #4531								
	Beginning Balance							40,455.99
Total for FIB JR LIVESTOCK CHECKING #4531								
TOTAL								

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DATE	TRANSACTION TYPE	NUM	NAME	MEMO/DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	CLR	AMOUNT	BALANCE
FIB JR LIVESTOCK SAVINGS #4030								
	Beginning Balance							45,100.40
Total for FIB JR LIVESTOCK SAVINGS #4030								
TOTAL								