

Fair Board Meeting Minutes

Cam-Plex, Energy Hall, Coal Conference Room
November 16th, 2021 - 6:00 pm

Trena Bauder
J.D. Gray
Heidi Vossler
Heather Wichert
Mikenzie Ochs
Bob Isenberger
Carrie Nichols
Liz Edwards

Marilyn Christensen
Trevor Lynde
Kaylee Little
Derek Hensley
Niki Hensley
Maureen Percifield
Shirra Bohlender
Acacia Acord

Dana Trevino
Joey Leegaard
Don Harter
Casey Styvar
Stephanie Styvar
JD McGinley
Aleesha Myers
Kris Bulkley

Chairman, Acacia Acord called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. Acacia welcomed everyone to the meeting and invited them to introduce themselves.

Additions to Agenda / Guest Comments ~ Acacia asked for additions to the agenda and guest comments. Liz requested to add Stephanie Styvar's Fair change request and recommendations to new business and Acacia approved.

Minutes ~

Marilyn Christensen made a motion to accept the minutes from the October 19th, 2021 meeting. Trevor Lynde seconded. Motion passed.

Reports ~

Extension Office / 4-H ~ JD Gray reported that Kim Fry and Celeste Hayden are attending a 4-H convention and reminded everyone of the Hat & Mitten Drive.

Fair Coordinator ~ Liz Edwards reported the new Board contact form is available on the County's website. Liz asked the Board to change the meeting in December to the 14th and the Board agreed. Liz mentioned the standing committee members will be contacted, meetings scheduled, and will invite additional representatives as needed.

Old Business ~

RMAF / IAFE Conventions ~ Liz presented and reviewed a list of entertainment booked at the RMAF Convention. Liz discussed the acts that were available and unavailable for booking bands including Aaron Crawford Band, Copper Mountain Band, and Rockland Road Band who cost needs to be discussed. The adult evening out included suggestions of Grinners Axe House and a comedian singer, Kip Attway, and availability was unsure at the time. Saturday Night event included possibilities of a monster truck show or jousting event. Liz confirmed the contractor for pig wrestling and reviewed the topic of routing a carnival. She will continue to contact agents at the IAFE Convention. Liz, Marilyn, Niki, JD, Acacia, and Joey summarized their experience at the RMAF Convention.

2022 Fair ~ Liz posted on Facebook asking for fair theme ideas and will present suggestions at the next meeting. Liz presented details for the Demolition Derby and asked the Fair Board if they had any questions for Don Harter, Razor City Motorsports. Don reported on the successful attendance and asked to return for the 2022 Fair. Don stated the 2022 Fair is the only scheduled Demolition Derby at CAM-PLEX. Discussion was held. Liz asked the Board to continue the Demolition Derby, and the Board agreed. Don and Liz will work together on the contract, letter, set-up, and he thanked the Fair Board. Liz spoke with Andy from the Red, White, and Blue BBQ, and they were pleased with the venue and would like to return. JD suggested to continue with the BBQ at the 2022 Fair and the Board agreed. Liz asked for suggestions for scheduling the BBQ. JD and Joey suggested the last Saturday on the fair schedule. Liz will visit with Andy and report back at the next meeting.

New Business ~

Fair Book Change Request ~ Stephanie Styvar, representing parents and youth, presented rule and set-up suggestions/changes to the Fair Board and Fair book rules committee to review and consider. This included two rule changes in the Fair book and two requests for changes and setup of the Campbell County Fair for the 2022 Fair and future fairs. Stephanie said these changes are requested to make rules less ambiguous, allow for good animal husbandry and to represent the nature of jackpots, state fair and national shows which our 4-H and FFA members also participate in.

Discussion was held regarding fair book policies on page 23 General Rules & Regulations, Exhibits and Exhibitors #20; page 83, Youth Livestock, Department J #15e; page 93 Youth Market Goat Show, Department J, General Policies #9; page 97 Youth Sheep Show, Department J General Policies #7.

Discussion was held regarding fair book policy on page 100, Youth Swine Show, Department J, General Policies #3.

Discussion was held regarding the request for a working/exercise arena to be added either inside or outside near the pig stalling area. Acacia commented this decision would be considered depending on panel and budget availability. Stephanie replied she would help contact businesses for donations.

Discussion was held regarding the request for swine wash racks to be moved to the outside of the building. Liz commented this has been a concern for many years and we have tried multiple different options and so far, none have worked well. Liz and the Fair Board have discussed this concern with CAM-PLEX, and they are working on a construction plan to be completed by Fair 2022 for the drainage system replacement in Central Pavilion. Acacia suggested we wait until after the strategic planning meeting and pending CAM-PLEX construction.

Treasurer's Report ~

Liz presented the vouchers and budget report. JD made a motion to accept the voucher list. Trevor seconded. Motion passed.

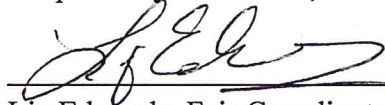
Meeting Adjourned ~

Acacia adjourned the meeting at 7:20pm.



J.D. Gray, Secretary/Treasurer

Respectfully Submitted,



Liz Edwards, Fair Coordinator

Next Meeting – December 14th, 2021