Minutes of Ellis Co. 4-H Achievement Banquet / 4-H Day / Promotion Committee

January 14, 2021

The Achievement Banquet/4-H Day/Promotion Committee met on January 14, 2021 via Zoom. It was decided to not have an election of officers and to appoint or ask for volunteers at each meeting to preside and take notes. Anna Kuhn volunteered to preside over the meeting. She called the meeting to order and Faith Schmeidler volunteered to record the minutes.

In old business, Susan reported that St. Mary’s does have 4-H Day on their calendar, but at this time are not allowing any outsiders in the building. Discussion was held on looking into an alternate location, as schools are not allowing in outside visitors at this time.

Anna asked for feedback from the Achievement Banquet. It was noted that it went well, everyone stayed healthy and safe. Videos were a nice touch and should be continued in the future. Ambassador videos could be added next year. Received feedback on meal, they would like to go back to a hot meal in the future.

New Business:

The committee discussed options for 4-H club days, virtual or in person. Members would like to have an in person option, if possible. Looking into using the fairgrounds. Also discussed moving it to later spring, if needed, for outside options also. Susan is meeting with regional 4-H days group next week, will get feedback from them. She is also meeting with Fairboard and will ask about the possibility of using the fairgrounds for club days. Karli made a motion to table this discussion to the next meeting. Kylie seconded the motion, motion passed. Anna and Diane gave suggestions of judges for 4-H days.

Lifeskills Judging information, judging contests are being planned for pre-fair and fair. There will also be online opportunities this spring. Susan discussed Super Saturday and said the committee was meeting January 22nd to finalize their plans.

Ella made a motion to adjorn the meeting. Dustin seconded the motion. Meeting adjorned.
Announcements:

Feb. 8th Leading in Disruptive Times Workshop and Working with Technology.

Feb. 18th Adult Leader "Real Colors" Personality Training.

Next Meeting Feb. 1st at 7:00 p.m.

Anna will present this report at next 4-H Council meeting.

Submitted by
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