Ag Livestock Committee Meeting September 20, 2021, 6:30 p.m.

Call to Order – Colton Pfannenstiel Approval of Agenda Minutes – Karli Neher



Treasurer's Report – Sheena Klaus - \$ in checking

Horse Account included in checking \$4,231.84

### **Reports**

- Small Animal
- Horse
- Fairboard
- Agent Report

**Old Business:** 

#### **New Business:**

County Fair Evaluation Notes – See attached

Other club feedback to add to these?

Fair Schedule Input from Club Meetings

Fair Sale Summary

Other

Next Meeting Date: New 4-H Ag Livestock Committee begins work in November 4-H Ag Livestock meets in Nov, Jan, Mar, May, July & Sept

#### Elections at next meeting

Announcements: National 4-H Week is October 3 – 9 – WEAR GREEN!

October 1-3: Kansas Junior Livestock Show

4-H Council Leadership Retreat is in October – Ext. Office – Who will make the Ag Livestock Report?

4-H Achievement Banquet is tentatively Sat., October 30, 5:45 p.m. (RSVP by Oct. 20)

## Thanks for serving on 4-H Ag Livestock Committee!

**Motion to Adjourn** 

Keep current on all KS 4-H Livestock happenings @ www.YouthLivestock.KSU.edu

**MEMBERS** 

**2020 - 21 Ag Livestock** 

Kylie Dreiling –BCA
Nicole Dreiling –BCA
Sheena Klaus –BJF
Dakota Metzler –ES
Karli Neher –VV
Colton Pfannenstiel –GH
Kylee Pfeifer –ES
Dalton Robben –VV
Blaise Staab –BJF
Marisa Wasinger –GH

#### **ADULTS**

Dean Klaus – BJF
Pat Kuhn – BCA
Becky Metzler – ES
Julie Miller – BCA
Jeff Neher – VV
Clint / Jill Pfannenstiel – GH
Chandra Pfeifer – ES
Melissa Robben – VV
Nathan Staab – BJF
Todd/Amy Wasinger - GH

# **2021 Fair Feedback Notes for Ag Livestock** – from superintendents and other comments from 4-H families & community members

#### Superintendent Feedback -

**4-H Bucket Calf** - Nice having an Ag Livestock meeting and stall assignment meeting with Superintendents ahead of the Fair

**4-H Poultry** - Poultry would like to have Ag Livestock consider a minimum weight for chickens to sell in the sale of 5.5lbs. per bird - Love new barn. Need more cages. Concern about storing cages NOT during fair, keep them safe & not tore up. More fans if needed?

**4-H Horse** – Could use walkie talkies

**Round Robin** – Worked well having the horses on grass north of the arena.

#### **General Comments**

4-H Horse Show -

Livestock Check in – Having data entered at the scale helped to move things along

Swine Show -

**Sheep & Goat Show** – Slick shear sheep – Is there a definition to slick shorn??

Beef Show -

Livestock Judging -

**Ultrasound Carcass Contest** - Ultrasound is a neat addition

**Poultry** - In the poultry barn I would like to see a champion and reserve champion young pullet pen, old hen pen, pen of 3, and duck/goose, etc. There was only 1 grand champion and 1 reserve champion in the entire poultry barn. It hard to judge different species against each other like that. It would be like judging the heifers, steers, and bucket calves all together and only giving 1 grand and 1 reserve. Make more grand and reserve champions in the different classes in the poultry barn instead of only 1 overall **Livestreaming Livestock Shows** -

**Livestock & Small Animal Showmanship** - Clarify in all specie rules that they need to show an animal that is entered in the 4-H division of the fair to participate in showmanship.

**Sale** – Feedback to move sale back to Friday evening.

**Virtual Animal Management** – held ahead of the fair – good participation on line (32) – Need to offer an opportunity for a participant to come to the office and have the contest read to them if they have difficulty taking a test.

#### **4-H Council Comments**

#### What did you like best about this year's 4-H part of the Fair & why?

- Beef Show
- Announcing livestock shows
- Banner awards
- New Small Animal Barn

#### 2022 Fair 4-H Schedule Ideas

Do all livestock shows in the morning

#### "Make the Best Better"

- Trash need to make families aware of the wagon for moving trash & location of trash bags last shift of the night should pull and tie off trash. Leave by the barrels for the prisoners to pick up in the morning
- Need some training at the club level on how to do the duties & how to write thank you notes Online Survey