

The Cedar County Fair
Minutes
November 13, 2024

November 13, 2024 Meeting was called to Order by Brian Neuberger (President) at 7:00 PM at the fair office.

Board Members Present:

Anderson, Duston	Jackson, Jenny	Pruess, Dana
Chapman, Lynn	Ketelsen, Ed	Schroeder, Doug
Doerscher, Dean	Licht, Kevin	Shinker, Dave
Edge, Patti	Light, Tom	Siders, Kim
Fitzgerald, Kyle	McCleary, Evan	Smith, Craig
Haub, Molly	Neuberger, Brian	
Wiese, Macy		

Board Members Absent:

Guest Recognition: Tom Wegener, Lynn Ketelsen, Brad Gaul

Correspondence: Reminder Fair convention Dec 13-15- preliminary schedule is available. West Branch FFA Harvest Dinner invite received.

Approval of October Minutes: Lynn Chapman made a motion to approve October minutes. Dean Doerscher seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

Financial, Bylaws, Insurance & Grants Committee Report: Kim Siders made a motion to approve the financial report. Duston Anderson seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

Financial Report:

General Account Balance: \$1446.53
Mathews Account Balance: \$5376.89
Liberty Savings Account Balance: \$142679.48
Ag Building investments: \$51184.25
Total Cash Assets: \$200687.15
Liabilities Grounds improvements: \$41296.05
Liabilities Grandstand Project: \$47768.65
Total Liabilities: \$89064.70
Overall Total \$111622.45

Partnerships: nothing at this time.

Entertainment (Carnival, Grandstand Events, Free Stage) Committee Report: grounds act coming.

Promotions (Advertising, Website, Social Media), Recruitment, and Volunteers Committee Report: committee reported going with fewer radio ads – going to more digital advertising.

Capital Improvements, Maintenance, Repairs and Events Prep Committee Report building report – weather is slowing them down. Budget will be fine-tuned. Sewer update – working on contract with the city for it.

Fire hydrant – working on it with JJJ.

Youth Council – they have the idea that they want to build a playground, no formal proposals yet.

Concessions, Rentals, Vendors and Camping Committee Report – rentals are wrapping up for the year with just a few events left. We have done some electrical repairs in Mathews building.

Livestock, Livestock Buildings and Open Shows Committee Report: March Madness cattle show has been scheduled.

4-H and Extension Center Report: Gala is happening in February. Beef weigh is Dec 21.

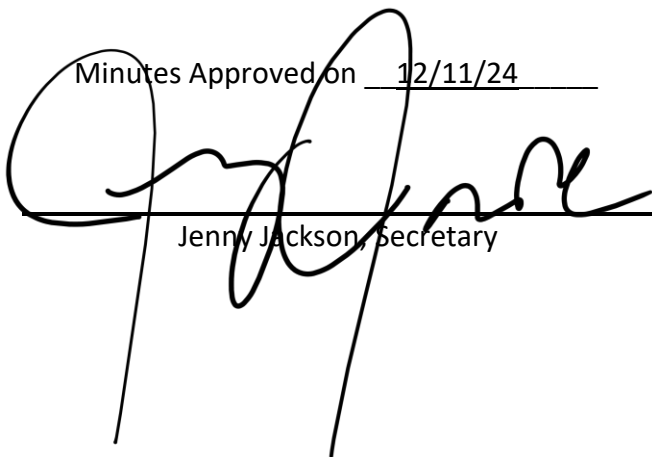
FFA Report: FFA instructors are setting up a meeting for planning activities for Kiddie barn.

Other Business:

- Patti Edge made a motion to give lawn service a \$500 bonus. Duston Anderson seconded the motion. Motion Carried.
- Budget – preliminary handed out, please review.

Adjournment: Tom Light made a motion to adjourn. Evan McCleary seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Minutes Approved on 12/11/24



Jenny Jackson, Secretary



Dave Shinker, President