

# Larimer County Jr. Livestock Sale Committee Minutes

## November 28, 2017

**Officers Present:** Sherri Jernigan, Doug Pennock, Tracey Brien and Cindy Buckardt

**Executive Board Members Present:** Ken Baty, Angie Sandy, Tammy Rice, Leslie Weibel-Duke and Barb Newman

**General Members Present:** Dale Brown, Keri McGregor, Don McGregor, Chloe Sandy, Mitch Sandy, Olivia Sandy, Ally Sandy, Biz Bopp, Lynn Delmore, Stephanie Morrison, Bart Morrison, Courtney Newman, Angela Gardner, Floyd Gardner, Linda Pennock, Susan Pennock, Rebecca Pennock, Jim Rice, Marv Witt, Jannette Davies, Dixie Gibbens, Robin Yarder, Brian Williams, Chris Loos, Stratton Wotowey, Blake Williams, Merri Hocker, Randy Hocker, Sydney Hocker, Allison Hocker, Nikki Frye, Todd Johnson, Cindy Johnson, Dylan Johnson, Tyler Johnson, Kelly Fischer, Haley Fischer, Natalie Fischer, Jill DeLucero, Clayton Frye, Tyler Smith, Jen Schlagel, and Catherine Schlagel

**Extension:** Keeton Ehrig

**Guests:**

Chair Sherri Jernigan called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM in the Thomas McKee Building –. A quorum could not be established

The minutes from October 24, 2017 had been sent out electronically and copies were available at the meeting for review No comments were made for changes or additions..

Tracey presented the financial report. There are only three accounts still outstanding in the accounts receivable for a total of \$1500. There was no presentation of bills.

### **Committee Reports:**

**Sponsorship/Advertising** – Leslie reported that she was still working on the *Fence Post* advertisement. Linda Pennock offered to assist with contacting the Fence Post and working on the pricing of the advertisement. Angie asked about getting a list of the buyers. Angie reported that the “Save the Date” post cards would be ready tomorrow the 29th. The sponsorship plates and plaques were available at the meeting.

**Buyer Appreciation** – Leslie reported that the thank you notes to the top 20 buyers had been completed and sent out.

**Social Media** – The question was asked about what to post – it was suggested livestock committee meetings times, the results of the livestock judging teams National endeavor, any livestock dates – weigh days, MQA, state fair results, etc. more tidbits on livestock youth participants.

The group decided to have a January meeting that date will be January 30<sup>th</sup>. A question about attendance of members was included in the bylaws which it is not. It was decided to have a committee to review the bylaws which consists of – Leslie Weibel, Chair, Barb Newman, Tammy Rice, Angie Sandy, Lynn Delmore and Cindy Buckardt.

An open discussion took place while ballots were being tallied. Ken Baty commented that he became involved in livestock sale committee due to his daughter’s involvement in particular the goat project. Best sale ever this past year. Dixie Gibbens said she felt it was the best sale ever – it wasn’t too long and wants to see continued growth. A comment was made about blending new ideas with the old school. The idea of an electronic display during the sale was mentioned. Sherri Jernigan

commented that as a youth livestock participant in Larimer County she got a lot out of the program and wanted to give back to the program and the Larimer County Fair and Livestock Sale was something to be proud of. Brian Williams stated that this was his first year with kids in the livestock program and he attended the meeting tonight to see what it was about before committing. He and his company became an in kind donator and that it was a great opportunity for business.

The nominating committee presented their report in the form of a ballot. Nominations were received from the floor and each member present voted for 15. The following were voted in as the executive board:

Ken Baty and Jill DeLucero– Goat  
Don McGregor and Doug Pennock – Swine  
Russell Spence – Poultry  
Sherri Jernigan – Rabbits  
Lynn Delmore and Angie Sandy – Sheep  
Barb Newman and Biz Bopp - Beef  
Leslie Weibel, Cindy Buckardt, Angie Gardner, Tammy Rice and Tracey Brien - General

The new Executive Board then voted the following officers:

Ken Baty – Chair  
Leslie Weibel – Vice Chair  
Tracey Brien – Treasurer  
Cindy Buckardt - Secretary

Meeting adjourned at 8:01 PM

Cindy Buckardt, Secretary