

## Country Fair Minutes for May 23, 2007



Present: Andrea Holland, Tara & Barney Sheridan, John Warehime, Laura DeNitto, Leroy Christofferson, Larry Henderson, Joey Hennes, Dale Clouse, Robin & Jim Miotke, Colleen Terrazas, and Campbell Barrett.

1. Barney Sheridan, Chair, called the meeting to order.
2. **April 11, 2007 meeting minutes**  
Tara Sheridan moved to approve the minutes from the April 11, 2007 meeting. Campbell Barrett seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.
3. **TV Station @ Country Fair**  
Barney suggested housing a TV station inside the boundaries of the Country Fair. No one was opposed to this suggestion.
4. **Mountain West Cooperative (Cenex) Tent**  
Logan Braaten contacted Campbell to let him know that 4-H is welcome to use the tent in a manner that is beneficial to 4-H. It was mentioned at this meeting that the tent should be relocated within the Country Fair boundary, and that should take place sometime in June. Campbell said he would contact Logan regarding relocating the tent.
5. **Other Tents**  
Tara will contact the National Guard regarding setting up the tents on July 14. It was noted that the National Guard likes to get started early, so they may start working on this project by 8:00 am.  
  
Campbell will contact the Fair Office about having the grounds crew move all the items stored in the tent area by July 13.  
  
It was noted that the SW corner of the tent lost its grommet. There are no rips that anyone can remember. Campbell will check on a better way to secure the tents.
6. **Letters**
  - Donor letter. Lucy has a rough draft in the works.
  - Letter to 4-H/FFA parents. Campbell will rewrite to make more concise.

## 7. General

- The Livestock Committee recommended that the sawdust be stored in the same location as in 2006. However, there was discussion regarding the possibility of storing sawdust between the Butler Building and the Dairy Cattle and have it delivered three times during Fair week. Panels and tarps could be used to create a bunker.
- Scot needs to be advised that the Fair Office must obtain a load of sawdust for Open Class Beef.
- Fencing to include the Culinary Bldg, 4-H Café, and 4-H Exhibit Bldg as part of the Country Fair was discussed. Larry Henderson thinks there is enough extra fencing to decorate around these building. Joey said signage will be needed around these buildings. Campbell will invite superintendents of these buildings to the next Country Fair meeting.
- Trademark has not been finalized.
- A new map will need to be created and Ben Hennes is interested in creating the map once we decide on the final layout.
- Kim Sol will organize the events portion of the Country Fair.

## 8. Work Days

- July 14: National Guard to set up large tents. Rod Everson & Mark Marr and anyone else interested will set up the sheep pens in the llama barn. After the sheep pens are in place the rabbit and poultry superintendents can set up their area.
- July 21 & 28: The pens on the open ice rink will be set up. Anything else such as weeding, painting, etc. will take place.

## 9. Fundraising

A fundraising committee was formed with Tara Sheridan as Chair. Other members of the committee are Campbell, Lucy Clouse, and Jim Miotke.

The next meeting will be noon on June 13.

Submitted by Colleen Terrazas