

Marion County Junior Livestock Auction

Meeting Minutes

March 6, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by President John Kuenzi in the Board Room of K&E Excavating.

Attendance:

- Directors: John Kuenzi, Jace Anderson, Justin Brill, Becky Bates and Michael Clonch
- Officers: Josh Augustus and Carol Barham

Minutes:

The minutes for February 6, 2017 were accepted and approved.

Old Business:

- Group discussion to change the menu options at MCJLA to include Chicken or Brisket for the buyers catered food. Adams Ribs can keep the cost around \$3500.00. Motion was approved and accepted by all.
- Weigh-In for Cattle had 24 steers and money was all collected. The new scales worked great!
- Jace Anderson will get the buyers e-mail list and collect 300 auction packets from Wilco for the auction.
- Andrea Leao & Justin Brill will contact Darcey Kirk a professional photographer, about taking pictures for the auction. Inquire regarding the cost.
- Justin Brill will post the summary of rule changes on the home page of our new website (www.mcjla.com).
- Reminder Goat, Sheep & Pigs weigh-in is May 3rd & 4th (Wednesday & Thursday) from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. It still cost \$5.00 a head for weigh-in fee. Animals to be unloaded and loaded by their own owners or family only. Location is the same as last year at Sublimity Harvest Fest Grounds (Aumsville). No Cool Form is required this year!
- Becky Bates will follow up regarding giving the Christmas Gifts to our generous sponsors.
- MCJLA will check on providing insurance needed for the new scales & computers.

New Business:

- a) Mike Clonch will ask Kimberly Clonch to attend the May or June MCJLA board meeting for planning the 2017 auction.

- b) Mike Clonch will donate used 16ft hog panels for MCJLA which John Kuenzi will pick-up & bring to K&E. Some hog panels may need repairs.
- c) Jace Anderson discussed the price break on the panels Wilco supplied and the recognition on sale day.
- d) The Woodburn Auction Yard would like to be considered to purchasing the animals back at the floor price after the fair auction.
- e) Shannon Gubbels will review MCJLA work orders and report back to the Board.

Meeting adjourned at 6:45pm

Next Meeting: April 3, 2017 at 6:00pm