

Marion County Junior Livestock Auction

Meeting Minutes

April 3, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 6:10 pm by President John Kuenzi in the Board Room of K&E Excavating.

Attendance:

- Directors: John Kuenzi, Justin Brill, Michael Clonch & Bill Luthi
- Officers: Josh Augustus, Letxy Molin and Carol Barham

Minutes:

The minutes for March were accepted and approved with the exception that Bill Luthi was added to the attendance in March.

Treasurer's Report: Letxy Molin discussed (with handouts) 2016-2017 MCJL Financial Report. All approved the treasurers report.

Old Business:

- MCJL sent three scholarship checks out of five and the other two will need to be sent out yet. A group discussion resumed about how the scholarship paperwork needs should be updated from 2014 to 2017.
- Justin Brill has asked to have help from John Kuenzi to update the MCJL website (www.mcjla.com) with rule changes. John Kuenzi agreed to do this.
- Professional photographer Darcey Kirk (and helper) agreed to take the MCJL auction pictures and will keep the fee at \$800.00. All approved.
- Josh Augustus will get Christmas gifts for the generous sponsors from Bauman Farms and he and John Kuenzi will personally hand out the gifts this month.
- Several of the board members will meet at 3:00 p.m. to set up the pens and weigh scales for Goat, Sheep and Pigs. Weigh-in is May 3rd and 4th (Wednesday and 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!
- A update on goat weights are posted on the (www.mcjla.com) website.
- Letxy Molin will pay Adams Ribs a deposit of \$850.00 for the MCJL auction dinner.
- John Kuenzi will talk to Shannon Gubbles regarding MCJLA work orders and what will be needed at our May meeting.

New Business:

- a) Justin Brill discussed continuing to give MCJL livestock plaques to all the class winners that was done at 2016 MCJL auction. Justin Brill will check on how many plaques will be needed for 2017 MCJL auction.

- b) Mike Clonch discussed about goat standards regarding weigh-in weights for MCJL 2018 and changes that could be made. This discussion will be addressed at our October 2017 board meeting.
- c) Kimberly Clonch has said she will attend our May Board Meeting to be included in the 2017 MCJL auction planning.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20pm

Next Meeting: May 1, 2017 at 6:00pm

Board President: John Kuenzi

Signature_____ Date_____

Board Secretary: Carol Barham

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