LAC MINUTES 1/9/2020

Chair Cheryl Nunnali called to order the January 9th, 2020, meeting of the El Paso County 4-H Livestock Advisory Committee at 7 p.m. The meeting was held at the county TEC building in Colorado Springs. **MOTION (Becky C.):** to approve the December meeting minutes as revised. Motion was seconded and approved.

REPORTS:

Treasurer's (Wade C.): Checking account balance, \$3472.46; money market, \$1012.65. CSU Extension (Emily):

- Newsletter will be out this Friday; goal is to have it out on the 4th of every month; there will be deadlines for submissions
- ➤ Karla is working on enrollment this week, office is extremely busy
- February 29th is beef weigh-in; cash or check for retinal scans; bring all paperwork (brand inspections, etc.)
- Rule book was sent to superintendents; any major changes should be first brought to LAC; goal is to have it finalized by end of January
- Super Saturday will be held at Skyview Middle School; MQA is free, anything else is a \$5 charge; looking for hands-on clinics
- > Buyers' clinic is Feb. 1; Edison Drylanders clinic is Jan. 25th
- Would like to put advisory committees tab on website so all can see minutes, meeting times, etc., plus any other information

Chairman: (No report)

Youth Council (Lora B):

- > Held elections at last meeting
- Registration is closed for LDC
- District 3, 7, & 2 retreat, ages 13-18, March 6-8, at Bailey, CO.
- > Two opportunities to sell baskets this year, more information forthcoming;
- Alumni event March 14th, Swink Hall, fairgrounds, all 4-H alumni welcome, event to celebrate alumni, refreshments, games, speaker, memorabilia area

FFA (Wyatt):

Dance Feb. 15th, Swink Hall, fairgrounds in Calhan, date may change depending on number of volunteers

Fair Board (None)

Sale Committee (Patty W.):

- Next meeting Jan, 29th
- Buyer clinic 10-12, Feb. 1, Swink Hall

Beef (Linnae F):

- Beef weigh-in Feb. 29th;
- ➤ Goat & sheep clinic planned late March or first of April

Swine (Matt Z.): Working on a February clinic, date TBD

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- ➤ SUPER SATURDAY:
 - Becky & Cheryl volunteered to handle MQA trailer at Super Saturday
 - Wanting some type of active clinic for large livestock
 - Leah Turner is working with Emily with ag careers & ag business workshop
 - Extension is working with the school to see if booths can be set up after school on March 20th
- **BUCKLE IDEAS:**

- Need company, design & price ideas submitted prior to February LAC meeting
- Buckle sponsor letter will be sent out first of next week
- All award ideas must be approved by LAC
- Becky is obtaining a bid on engraving the stall signs; metal has been donated for 102 signs

> FUNDRAISING:

• Jean reported on the potential bike ride. It will be a 40-mile tour on Saturday, June 6th; she will pull together logistics and begin seeking volunteers.

No report on beef wash rack.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted, Jean Meinzer, Secretary