

## El Paso County Livestock Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023

7:00 pm

Latigo Arena

The April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023 El Paso County Livestock Advisory Committee meeting was called to order by Chair, Becky Chamblin at 7:00 pm.

1. Minutes from previous meeting held in March.
  - a. A motion was made by Sonya Vandergriff to approve the minutes of the March 2023 LAC meeting. Motion was seconded by Kristen Burnside. A vote was taken, motion passed.
  - b. Treasurers Report –
    - i. Checking Balance as of February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023:
    - ii. Balance Extension Education Account: \$2,856.39 is listed on the Budget sheet.
    - iii. Total balance in account is \$20,376.26
    - iv. Balance of Entry fees Small Animal Account for 2022 Fair: \$3,850.00
    - v. Account activity:
      1. Withdrawals-
        - a. \$1250.00 Beef Futurity Payout
        - b. \$1500.00 Beef Blow and Go Show Payout
        - c. \$500.00 Petty Cash for Blow and Go Show
        - d. \$686.11 to Sonya Vandergriff, refund for awards.
        - e. \$178.65 to Sonya Vandergriff.
        - f. \$173.41 to Travis Chamblin
        - g. \$135.00 to Shane Goss for Beef Futurity Tags
        - h. \$26.35 Electronic deposit fee for Intuit.
      2. Deposit-
        - a. \$521.00 sponsor money from Peak View, Adams, Miami Yoder
        - b. \$1990.00 sponsor money from Lee/Glaser/Flower Bank/Young
        - c. 2040.00 Nunni/fader/Harding/Buckman/Hudson/FSB for buckle sponsors.
        - d. \$900.00 Martin Marietta
        - e. \$3500.00 Farm Bureau / Debbis / Addison / Wheeler / Chamblin / Big O / Crippen / Selco for sponsorship money.
  - vi. A motion was made by Randi to pay Pine Grove Consulting for the Quick Books review to make sure they are setup up properly for \$97.85. Motion was seconded by Bailey Churchwell. A vote was taken, motion passed.

- c. CSU Extension Office – Emily was not present for the meeting. Please follow the band App for information coming out.
- d. Chairman’s Report – None.
- e. Youth Council Report – No report.
- f. FFA Report –Bailey Churchwell reported on upcoming events for the Calhan, Falcon and Miami Yoder FFA Chapters for the month of March.
- g. Fair board – No report due to no meeting being held.
- h. Sale Committee – Patty Woodard reported that the sales committee will be donating \$500 for lunches for the upcoming Sullivan Supply Stock Show U Clinic in May. They will be hosting a meat evaluation clinic on April 29<sup>th</sup>. There will be drawing for 50% off of your sale commission for those in attendance. There will be a clinic held at the Swine tag pickup to review the forms and other things needed for the first year members. The sale committee will be available to attend club meetings to present clinics there as well. Clint Shultz is going to do the ultrasound contest. The buyers barbeque will be served by Gold Tooth Annie’s from Fountain. The Sale committee will also be providing pizza from Rooster’s during the 4-H dance on Friday evening during the county fair. Patty also reminded everyone that the sale committee scholarship applications are due tomorrow, April 14<sup>th</sup>. The swine picture schedule was discussed and several options were presented.
- i. Beef – Travis Chamblin reported that the arena and scale will be open on Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup> from 3 to 5 pm. Cattle reweigh for the Rate of Gain contest is May 13<sup>th</sup> from 7 to 8 am.
- j. Swine – Swine Tag pick up will be on April 27<sup>th</sup>, at Swink Hall. All first and second year member will have a clinic held @ 6:00 pm to discuss tagging, pictures, etc. Tag drop off will be on May 6<sup>th</sup> from 7:30 to 9 am at Swink Hall.
- k. Sheep/Goat – Weigh in will be May 6<sup>th</sup> at the fairgrounds.
- l. Subcommittee Reports
  - i. Awards Committee reported that the banners and buckles have been ordered. Reserve Beef awards are completed. Goats, sheep and swine reserve awards are in process.

2. Public comment: None

3. Unfinished Business:

- a. Riley Spurlock gave an update on the Jackpot Show that the Livestock Quiz Bowl team is putting on in June 17<sup>th</sup>. The show is being advertised. A judge has been hired. The banners are completed and ready for the show. Riley is ordering back tags this coming month. Patty Mac’s has been asked to come and serve food. Wash racks will be available if needed and stalling will be off the trailer. A decision will be made on stalling in the barn based on pre entry numbers.

- b. Beef Blow N Go: Pre Entries brought in \$1950.00, day of entries \$1455.00 for a total income of \$3405.00. Expenses were \$203.30 for judge. Pay outs totals were \$1500.00, banners \$166.00, Back tags \$38.59 for a total of \$1907.89. The silent auction brought in \$895. Total profit for the event was \$2392.11 with a total of 94 head of cattle present.
4. New Business:
- a. Thank you cards have been purchased and they are here.
  - b. Supreme Awards were discussed. Currently we have \$2000.00 allotted in the budget currently. The topic was tabled until the next meeting of the budget committee prior to the May meeting. The budget committee will come to the meeting with a report of their thoughts for the committee.
  - c. The Senior banners are designed and ready to be printed.
  - d. Next meeting will be May 11<sup>th</sup> at Latigo Arena.

The meeting was adjourned by Becky Chamblin at 7:56 pm

Respectfully submitted by Shane Goss