10/23/2024

Call to Order - Bob Buxton - President

Pledges - Stacey Seitz and D Woodward Wells led the pledges

Secretary's Report - minutes from the 8/22/2024 meeting were made available to all
Ron Seitz moved with Scott Haines second the motion - motion passed

Treasurer's Report - not available

Committee Reports

Beef - Scott Haines
Fair went well
Looking for a new show advisor for Jr Fair. - suggestions given

Swine - Carrie Hamlett
Fair went well - 168 hogs this year

Dairy - Missy Kinzel
Fair went well

Poultry - Jacque Woodward
400 entries - largest junior fair show

Small Animals - Angela Wright
Dog - Renee Wilden

Goat - Carolee Bookless
Fair went well - need some adjustments for sound
People were pleased with improvements

Special Interest- D Woodward Wells
45 youth went to State Fair with Special Interest projects
229 Special Interest projects this year in comparison to 176 in 2023 - great job to all for encouraging these projects
The formerly called Family Guide now called the PROJECT GUIDE for 2025 is available online

Public Speaking -
Caleb Kline received his Master Speaker Award at Fair
Speaking contest - will be done in 2025 during the Special Interest Evaluation to bring awareness to this program

Sheep - TracyHerron
Fair went well

Horse - D Woodward Wells

Sub committee meeting is Nov 19 at 6 pm
At our last committee meeting we had a very productive discussion and we are looking to improve, educate and meet the needs of all our members
Upcoming dates:
October 25 County Medal of Honor and Equine Medal of Honor forms due
Tack Swap - 3/15/2025
Ownership online and completion of EQUISTeP due by June 1, 2025
PAS - 6/22/2025 at 2 pm
Pre Fair Show - 8/31/2025 at 2 pm

Food Stand - Heather Stewart / Janell Richards

THANK YOU for a FANTASTIC YEAR!

Rabbits - Waverly Ridenbaugh

Clover buds - Anisha Richesson

fair went well- some confused on pick up - all good
Cards must state Cloverbud or Cloversprout

Llama - Jean Haumschild

Junior Leaders - Sarah Jane Lindsey

November 4 - meeting at County Service Building
December 21 Ice skating in Newark

Old Business

Fair - new sound system had a few issues- please contact Ron or Scott and they will contact sound for all issues

Celebration of Youth Dinner was great

New Business

Fair attendance was down 1700 due to weather conditions- this year was the largest Wednesday attendance

All clubs are encouraged to set up at Christmas Magic in Lights at the fairgrounds December 7th the drive through light show is 100% volunteers and 100% of donations are given back into the community -

Discussion on Stock the trailer- no results yet- our county had 8400 pounds - donations were given to Salvation Army locally

Dates to remember on the agenda

Stacey Seitz moved Stacia Bintz second to adjourn the meeting

Minutes respectively submitted by D Woodward Wells