

The regular meeting of the Lincoln County Fairboard was called to order by Pres. Bob Brooks. Guests were present from the Davenport Homemakers Club and the Egypt Homemakers Club. They asked the board to class their booths in the Grange Building in the Class I instead of Class III. Don Campbell and Joe Jahn were present representing the Chamber of Commerce. They want to use the arena for a demolition durby, and possibly the tractor pull. They want the Fairboard to become involved so they can have some income because of Pioneer Days. The only problem that needs to be checked into in the insurance for the events.

The minutes of the February meeting were read and approved as read. The bills were not presented because of the secretary being ill. They will be mailed out, with a response requested so they can get paid.

Bob Brooks explained about the Soil Testing Lab report. It doesn't look like they are very interested due to the size of the space.

A motion was made and seconded to co-operate with the Chamber of Commerce about the Demolition Durby and Tractor Pull during Pioneer days. Motion carried.

New Business included the installation of a window in the front office wall facing the entry way Also putting glass sliding doors to enclose the recess area in the South entrance hallway. This space will be used to mount pictures of the past Princesses, trophies and ribbons and other displays so they will not get stolen.

Granny's Gratto wants to put a large sign up to advertise their restaurant. This would be located on the N.W. corner of the parking lot, along the fence line. It was decided to ask Dick if they can allow this to be done.

R E A was asked to give the Fairboard a price for hooking up the dishwasher. For wire and etc. the cost is \$160. There would also be labor in the cost of around \$400.

There was a letter from Harrington Lions Club about being involved in the active Midway at the Fair this year. They would not need power except for lights at night.

The Wheat Growers want premiums raised. to get more people interested. Possibly raise the points 7 for each award. Mike Stormo has donated a \$25.00 prize to the best recipe for raspberries, in the baking category. A motion was made and seconded to raise the points to 25 - 19 - and 13 for Grains Grasses and Weeds, for open 4-H, FFA, and JR. Motion carried.

A motion was made and seconded to have judging on fitting and showing and market on 2 separate days. Market on Thursday and Fitting and Showing on Friday. Motion carried.

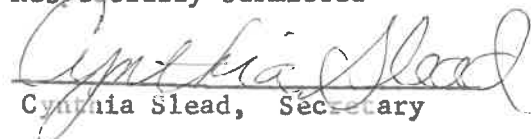
A motion was made and seconded to charge horse camp \$100 rent for the grounds in June. Motion carried

A motion was made and seconded to charge the Youth Council a flat fee of \$10.00 for their concession stand during Spring Fair. Motion carried.

The subject of refinishing the floor came up, a suggestion was tongue and groove plywood. /The price will be checked out and reported back to the next meeting.

No further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted


Cynthia Sleed, Secretary


Bob Brooks, President