

LINCOLN COUNTY FAIR ADVISORY BOARD
SEPTEMBER 24, 1999

Meeting was called to order. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

In Attendance were: Jon, Gerry, Leigh, Josie, Karen, Lydia, Bob & Jeanie Campbell, Carol Beaver, Thea Bloomfeldt, Dorette Merriott, & Shelly Sieverkropp (from just concluded Livestock Supt. Meeting).

Jon reported the State Judge felt our Beef Barn and other livestock buildings were in deplorable condition.

Discussion on the Carnival situation & possible need for constant security @ \$12.50/hr each for 2 people. Drinking on grounds biggest problem. Josie will talk to Doug at the Convention.

Repairs: Incomplete wiring project, water leak in Home Arts Bldg., & need to fix kitchen or Environmental Health will shut it down. Wonder if some clubs would help. Need to expand hog/sheep barns. Grants: 4-H groups can apply. Extension could help write.

Need to ask Lions Club to do BBQ on Fri./Sat. as Fair draw.

Vendors: Too many, duplications. Jon & Leigh will re-write the contract. Review contracts when come in. List of rules vendor signs they've read & list of what they are selling.

Fair Dates: Aug. 24-27, 2000.

Entertainment: Have departments bring in activities. Talked about getting Blacksmith, Bird man, Barber Shop Quartet & a name entertainer again.

Rodeo: Seeking sanction for circuit. WA ST Barrel Racers Assn would come here, but don't like our arena as it is. Liabilities of Mutton Bustin' & need for protective gear.

Misc.: Bill Mabe wants to work at Fair next year. Check w/FFA to build new pens for sheep, goats & hogs. Horse Barn deteriorating, unsafe to tied horses. Need speaker at arena adjusted, rewired & new one.

NEXT MEETING IS FRIDAY OCTOBER 15 @ 7:00 P.M. @ FAIRGROUNDS.