

Minutes of the Lincoln County Fair Advisory Board
November 15th, 2002

Meeting called to Order at 7:45 PM, by President Gerry Stiles.

Minutes from last meeting read and approved.

Treasurer's report: As of 10/31 we had \$9058.72 \$4743. Paid out. Received \$419.07 from boat money with about \$630. still to come. So far we have paid our boat attendant for 13,000 worth of boats. Will have to look and see if he charged for some boats that had not come in. There is \$6776.87 in revolving account with \$7100 left with bills due, so that should leave us approximately \$1000. to operate on.

Old Business: Gerry went to commissioners to see if we could get more money to hire a secretary full time, they said no.

We have the OmPas and Ma's booked for fair next year on Thursday. Amy had booked Brantley for Thursday at the convention, but he isn't needed. No contract was signed so should not be a problem.

New Business:

Jeff Evens is booked for sure for Friday and Saturday. Dale Manton will be sending the contract for us to sign, just to have it done with.

We need to see if Chambers are interested in coming to fair and having a booth; a letter needs to be sent out to the different towns for that.

Jon and Michelle are working on having an exhibition of hitches during the fair, maybe on Thursday night also.

Contact the 21st Century program and see if they would like to bring kids in for a tour day. Talk to Jan Klein and Jenny Wagner.

Other ideas for fair are seeing if the people up near Addy would bring their camels to the fair.

See if the pony rides will come back,
Maybe the train guy, but he will need to clean up and work on a different payment frame than what we had last year.

Other ideas included having a dunk tank, a petting zoo and seeing if the computer techs would be able to have a computer lab during the fair.

Premium book changes have cattle shown without halters in pens to add to out numbers there.

Send a letter out to Attorney's and CPA's for people that might possibly need a tax write off. The fair would gladly accept donations.

Deanna will not be goat superintendent. The panel bill submitted by the Reardan Grange, was a valid bill as Jeff Wagner had gotten the panels for the outside goat show ring. So it needs to be paid.

We need the signage to be repainted, need to see if Amy will do them.

Possibly get the 4-H kids to go to the Commissioners with a plan and see if they could possibly get them to reconsider for more money.

Meeting adjourned at 9:50. Next meeting to be in Jan or Feb, depending on weather.