



Converse County Fair Board
Meeting Minutes
March 6, 2019

Present: Don Blackburn, Roni Vollman, Morgan Hays, Heather Jacobson, Mitch Falkenburg, and Connie Werner

Others Present: Terri Deaver -4H

Meeting called to order at 7:08 pm at the Converse County Library.

Minutes: Connie read the February minutes. A motion was made by Mitch to approve the minutes from the February meeting that were previously distributed. Roni seconded and motion carried.

Treasurer's Report:

Total in Account as of today -34,575.97

Items that were submitted to be paid

1. Wyoming Association of Fairs yearly membership -\$50.00
2. Travis Capelle 2018 superintendent -\$300.00

A deposit stamp is needed for deposits. Mitch will order this.

Roni made the motion to order a stamp. Connie seconded. Motion was approved.

Checking Account

Roni needs to be added to the signature card for our checking account and Julie Johnson needs to be removed.

Heather made the motion that Roni is added. Mitch seconded. Motion passed.

Matt Goold-

Ranch Rodeo and Stray Gathering -Sunday 14th

He will supply everything. He will take % of the pot.

Fair Board will cover arena fees, ambulance and 2,000 added money.

New 4-H Extension office agent -

Terri Deaver - Began this week.

Organizational sheet -

A list of who is in charge of different items.

Barrel Race –

Have a conflict with date due to another event in Wheatland. It is currently set for the 14th. \$1,000 toward open money. Would like something for the youth. Maybe prizes for youth and pee-wees.

Backhoe Rodeo

-Wyoming Machinery will donate equipment again
-Move to Grandstands – and Gate fee
6:30 finals

Concert –

Mitch talked to Breck. Limited on the amount.

Rough Stock Event –

15,000 – Mitch has sponsors in. they do it all. If we do \$2,500.00 per chute banner.

Car Show – Mitch

Kolten's Carnival – Heather

Gymkhana – Connie

Debbie confirmed they are in for 2019.

Jackpot Roping – Heather

Band – Heather

Hotel Booked

Trailer Backing Contest –

4 teams – notified ahead of time. Must provide trailer and truck. No mirrors.
Maybe during backhoe rodeo this year.

Open static classes –

New Events –

1. Hay and horticulture

Will need hay to come in on Friday so we can send off samples sent off.

Don, Mitch, and Brady Vollman will judge Hay

Connie will get info on classes and wording for fair book

2. Knitting and Crochet

Connie will get wording and classes for Leah

Lawn Mower Races – Mitch look into

Discuss at the next meeting

Pig Wrestling –

Confirmed-Hotels confirmed
Connie will ask Rural Fire to come spray kids

Superintendent

2019 Superintendent - \$500.00 Morgan will get this information added to the application. Hopefully we will get some interest.

Ambassador –

This will be a great way to bring the community into our fair. Connie will find application information and get that together.

Kiddie Carnival

We need to contact the companies that attend Casper and Cheyenne.

Weigh in's

-Species 4:00-6 on May 22

New Fair Book Rules and Regulations –

Discuss these changes and hand out at weigh-ins and the BBQ
Connie and Roni helped with the beef weigh in and handed out changes.

Next weigh in for all other species is May

Go over at the new Mandatory Barn Meeting 2pm on Tuesday

Food Vendors – Morgan will begin calling to get people on the schedule.

Building finalization –

We will finalize the buildings and events April.

Market Sale Dinner – 400.00

Pokey's or

Dickey's 2 meats, 3 sides -\$4380.00 Delivery and setup and Serve

Beer Gardens

College inn -14th –Bucking bull

Grasslands -13th,

Double D-16th, 19th

Judge –

Need one open judge for Baked goods

Premiums

For Open shows –discuss at our next meeting

Hardware Hanks-

Need buckle order by May 24

Paper-

Announce Main Events-Connie will send it to the Paper

Budget-

County Budget is due April 5.

The next meeting will be held April 3, 2019 at 7pm.

Meeting Adjourned 8:58 pm