4-H Educational Board

Minutes from Monday, February 20, 2023 at Constellation School

Teen Ambassadors were welcomed and Team Building activities were completed.

Old Business Items:

Equipment Inventory was completed. Dawn Reported out

2023 Horse and Dog Show Rules—Suggestions were put forth and moved to Jr. Fair Board

Skillathon—Members will be working with Jacki and will setup a meeting to put together the materials that will be used for the program.

Animal Schools—Are being confirmed and should be in place by the March Newsletter.

New Business—

Event Request-- Christina Howard had two different requests. One was for the Animal Lovers Badge for the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts. They were hoping to host this on May 5th with her 4-H Club and local Girl and Boy Scouts. All paperwork was in order, Jeff made the motion to approve, and 2nd by Judy. Final motion approved by all.

2nd Request by Black River FFA to host speakers to educate students on specific topics. FFA will pay the cost of the speakers. They will be offering this to the 4-H club members so all costs will be covered by the two groups (FFA and the 4-H club.) Scott made the motion to approve, and 2nd by Jeff based on what was submitted. All approved final motion.

Jeff suggested that we look at moving the Lorain County 4-H Fun Show. This is due to the people who may participate in the state Groom and Clean.

The suggestion was to move the Fun Show to Friday if possible if the Show Ring is Open. This will be given to Jr. Fair Board to look at for a tentative Approval.

A discussion was had with regards to shared animals again. This topic is still needing more clarification, and will then need to move forward.

We were told that we will have more information and assistance with Cavy, and Cat Skill-a-thons. The Educational Board Members who are able will meet and discuss the topics and what will be done as part of the upcoming skill-a-thon.

Tammy made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:15. Jeff seconded the motion.