

SWINE COMMITTEE MINUTES
March 13, 2025

ATTENDEES: Maddy Osswald, Ashley Shilt,, Duane Scholl, Kim & Ella Livingston, Amanda Brewer, Megan Gower, Betsy Pettijean, Bryce Watson.

The meeting was called to order by Ashley Shilt. No minutes were read. Treasurers report: 24,680.80 in the money market account, \$6,200.84 in the general account. Maddy made a motion to accept the treasurers report and it was seconded by Bryce. Motion passed.

Sale committee: Celebration of Achievement will be held on Thursday at 5pm.

Barrow Boosters: Jackpot Show will be May 17th and 18th.

Skillaton: Skillathon is over the old resource book. Volunteers are needed to help and a sign up sheet will be sent out. Dates are July 15th from 4-7pm in the pig barn and July 19th from 9-11 am in the youth building.

The chapters to study are Chapters 3,5,8,9,10 and 24

Essay topics:

Jr – What is Biosecurity and why is it important? Minimum of 250 words.

Intermediate/Sr - What is Biosecurity and why is it important? What are ways you can implement biosecurity in the Barn? Minimum of 500 words.

Senior Fairboard: Entries will be due on July 21st. There will be a help day on July 19th. There was discussion about the importance of being able to switch out a pig due to the date being moved up. Exhibitors will be able to switch to a different pig on their sheet by emailing jrfair@darkecountyfair.com by August 13th at 6pm.

Barn manager: Dalton Subler is the new barn manager. He is working on getting information from Amy and is excited to get started.

Old Business- Judges have all been lined up and will be announced once all the contracts have been received. Tags were passed out. Id forms can be done electronically on a google sheet provided by Betsy. Tags and Id forms are due June 1st.

New Business -Derek Mayberry was installed as vice president.

Bryce made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Maddy. Motion Passed.

The next meeting is May 8th at 6:30pm in the community building.