Dairy Committee Meeting – May 14, 2026

In attendance: Karen Stanley, Rachel Streitenberger, Trudy Snyder, Stephanie Bailey, Kensey Homan, Velvet Grow, Ryan Snyder, Jacob Wuebker, Deanna Langenkamp, Ryan Langenkamp, Taylor Bergman, and Don Bohman

Absent: Tommy Shaw, Heidi May, Adrina Davenport, and Bella Langstaff

Motion to approve the March minutes Rachel Streitenberger, seconded by Ryan Langenkamp.

Treasurer's Report:

- Current Balance: $17,097.17
- Jackson from Grade A kids owes the committee $300, because he sold a gallon of milk. If he does not get grand next year, we will even it up.

Stephanie Bailey motioned to accept the Treasurer's report, seconded by Trudy Snyder.

Old Business:

- The wording for Article III was suggested to read "Each club will have the opportunity to be represented by at least one advisor, Dairy Secretary or Secretaries, FFA representative(s), and Junior Fairboard Dairy representatives. In addition, the committee may include individuals who are there to benefit the dairy industry". Rachel Streitenberger moved to accept the wording, seconded by Don Bohman.

- Adrina Davenport and Bella Langstaff were added to Dairy Junior Fair board as representatives.

- Taylor is going to get everything together for the Skill-a-thon. Rachel will get the thank you cards.

- Feeder calf tagging – Don Bohman, Jacob Wuebker, Kensey Homan will help

New Business:

- Rachel posted about the cow getting painted for the barn. Shelby (Schmitmeyer) Delaet is going to paint them for us. Karen is going to get barrels to plant flowers in.
- Judges are Market: Open/Jr Fair – Jacob Ruffing
  JR Breeding/Showmanship: Sherry Smith;
  Open Breeding – Tanner Topp;
  Looking for Market Jr Market Judge.

- Dairy Clinic – 1st year members bring their calf to the show arena and older kids will help them learn the pattern, the right way to show.
- Overall Exhibitor & Rookie of the Year – Yes, we will still have it. It will be based off the interview, skill-a-thon, Jr Fair (highest placing), consumer education, and Showmanship scores.
- Participation Award Raffle – keep the barn TV and then give the winner one in a box. We will get two TVs.
- Doing a poster for the consumer education in can be related to any topic related to the industry.
- Basket ideas – Ice Cream Maker, toppings, salt, mix, bowls, scoops, etc. Jacob will speak to Ace to see if they can get the ice cream makers or do the engraving on it.
- Dairy Committee T-shirts for 2026

Rachel motioned to end the meeting, seconded by Trudy.

Next Meeting

- The next meeting is June 11th at 6:30 pm.