

Monday, April 7, 2025 7:00 PM

**Poultry Committee Meeting Minutes:**

**In Attendance:** Tyler Greer, Dena Wuebker, Amy Addis, Cindy Mayo, Brian Subler, Tricia Seubert, Eric Walker, Maria Moore, Chrissy Strawsbaugh, Marlene Dirksen, Eric Walker, Cheyenne Swisher

**Guests:** Marla Werner

The meeting was called to order by Dena

Marla Werner- update; no changes for fair thus far

**Secretary Report;**

Presented by Tyler

Moved by Tyler; Seconded by Cindy

**Treasurer Report;**

Presented by Tyler;

Moved by Maria, seconded by Marlene

**Old Business;**

- Showmanship Judge- Jamie Beneke of Eaton  
Moved by Marlene; Seconded by Eric
- Corrections made to rule changes
- Scholarship monies were mailed out
- Study Guide Updates for Skillathon  
Cindy and Tyler still working on it; Information has been posted on Facebook and Junior Fair website; still need to post study guide
- Funding Letter- Dena and Eric both presented drafts; will combine and send out draft to committee for review  
Possible Google Sheet to list contacts

**New Business;**

- Barn Updates discussed: sound system/ roof  
Marla will follow up with these
- Review of Poultry Letter to be sent to exhibitors

- Discussion of Biosecurity measures for fair
  - Posters, flyers, hand sanitizer, block off barn like rabbits, masks for chickens 😊, possible biosecurity presentation to be posted on Facebook page (Dena)
- Sponsorships
  - Fairboard to be selling sponsorships as well
- Pullorum Testing
  - Freeze on funding; may not be needed this year
  - Biosecurity measures for testing procedure discussed
- Deadline for entries this year is July 21st
  - Entries open June 1st
- A motion was made to **not** tag birds early
  - Moved by Cindy; Seconded by Marlene
- Security of Poultry barn during fair
  - Possible barn light, signs, cameras (in back)
  - Marla to check our options
- 2025 Fair King and Queen Contest July 19th; interviews July 7th
- New skillathon kit from state (\$850)
  - Moved by Cindy; Seconded by Marlene
  - Dena to check with Mercedes on purchasing another kit

#### Reports From:

Sale Committee - no buyer appreciation breakfast this year

Junior Fairboard - none

Senior Fairboard - nonw

Motion to Adjourn-Marlene; Seconded by Cheyene

Next meeting: Monday, June 2, 7:00 PM at the Extension Office

Submitted by; Tricia Seubert