

Bits 'N' Pieces meeting minutes Monday, June 27th 2016.

The meeting was called to order at 7:18pm by Rachel W. Next there was the U.S and 4-H pledges.

The secretary's report was read by Sandis W and there were no additions or corrections to the report. Then it was moved by Kaitlyn C and seconded by Kammi C that the report stands as read.

The treasurer's report was read by Kristen M and there were no additions or corrections to the report. Then it was moved by Kaitlyn and seconded by Emmett WB that the report stands as read.4

Old Business

There are new t-shirts printed by K&W with the logo on the front. Please pick up your shirt if you ordered one. There are also some extra shirts available.

The club dog show was canceled because we couldn't find judges and didn't have enough planning time. We will decide a date for next year at the July meeting.

The performing arts contest was June 18th. The Sr pom received champion and will be participating at state fair on September 5th. Kaitlyn will make a practice schedule and post it on Facebook.

Fiber fun fest was May 14th.

Creative Cooks

- Thatcher – Reserve Champion
- Cloverbuds - Hudson, Miley

The horse bowl team placed 4th of 11 Jr teams.

State conference

Rachel – Family Consumer Science Team, 1st
Kaitlyn – Inpropt Speech, Reserve Champion

Carnival Results. We were the second place club with 6,638 tickets gained and we received \$852.48. There will be a letter on Facebook of where to send suggestions.

Larimer County Fair Dates

- Fair is Friday, August 5th – Tuesday, August 9th
- Entry deadline – July 18th. Forums are at the back of the premium book which has a link on the club website. Bring all forums to the July meeting to be checked over and turned in. Entries can be turned in through July 25th with a fee of \$25 dollars per class. All animal fees must also be paid when you turn in your forum. All animals except poultry and rabbits fees are per animal, poultry and rabbits is per exhibitor.
- Cat Show – July 22nd at 9am
- Dog Show – Showmanship, July 23rd
Obedience and Rally, July 24th
- Fashion Review Judging – July 27, Interviews 9am, Show 7pm
- Schedule Interviews – July 27th – August 1st
- Horse Check In – July 31st
- Horse Shows – July 31st - August 3rd. Anya, Ellie, Susan, Rachel, Karen and Jenifer will be running a horse class on Monday August 1st.
- Interviews (for all non-animal projects) – August 2nd
- 4-H Night at the Rodeo – August 8th
- Project Check Out – August 10th
- Check in Project to Send to State Fair – August 10th, all projects without food, August 16th, all projects with food.

State Fair will be August 26th – September 5th in Pueblo.

Please pick up your project books for Leisa if you haven't.

New Business

Rodeo tickets are \$8 per ticket

You can get \$5 off a wristband for rides (good for one day only) if you call and place an order.

The fair premium book has a link on the club website.

You must do a entry forum to show at fair.

Camp Tobin for state fair is \$10 per night, it is recommended that all dance participants stay at least Friday night before the competition.

The next meeting is July 18th at the ranch where we will turn in entry forums.

There is no August meeting.

The September meeting is the 11th, maybe at the Rigden Farms barn. All animal record books will be completed at this meeting, books can be turned in for judging.

On July 10th the Vasko's will be hosting a day to work on 4-H.

Leisa will try to see what questions will be used at county fair for dog.

Demonstrations

- Jen K – How to properly hold a small dog.
- Makki – Bike Safety Equipment
- Lauren – How to Saddle a Horse
- Cora – Types of Injections
- Thatcher – How to do a Whip Stitch
- Anya – How to Wash a Horse
- Ellie – How to Clean Horse Tack
- Emmett – Video Techniques
- Kammi – How to Make a Livestock First Aid Kit
- Julia – Basics of Harness Training a Rabbit.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30pm.