

Columbia County Fair Board Workshop Minutes March 18th, 2021 6:30 p.m.

Members in attendance were Julie Pelletier, Jamie Carr, Ingrid Chamberlain, Laken Gortler, Eva Frost, Mark Sandstrom, Hanna Russell, James Cantrell, MaryAnn Guess, Nancy Knox, Tami Jo, Kathrine Beck, and Jordan Hicks.

Meeting called to Order at 6:30 P.M.

1. mEGGa Egg Hunt Update

- Eva announced that there are now flyers available for advertising.

2. Holiday bazaar

- CCFR representative requested that the board gives a discount for their holiday bazaar in December. Jamie Carr motioned to give the discounts at the rate of only charging for a 1.5 day rental which is \$1,450.00 instead of the rate of \$2,150.00. Laken Gortler 2^{ed} the motion. All in favor, Motion carries.

3. St. Helens Little League

- Representative from St. Helens Little League requested part of the west grounds as a field to play baseball. He requested no charge this year to be reevaluated next year. Julie Pelletier motioned to allow, at no charge, the use of the west grounds by the St. Helens Little League for this current 2021 season. Ingrid Chamberlain 2^{ed} the motion. All in favor, Motion carried.

4. West Grounds Division

- Further discussion needed. No decision made.

5. Vendor Agreement Adoption

- Legal department updated the 2021 vendor agreements. Julie Pelletier motioned to adopt, with the expectation of the dates being corrected, the new vendor agreement. Jamie Carr 2^{ed} the motion. All in favor, Motion carried.

6. Fair 2021 Update

- *Vendor- No updates at this time*
- *Entertainment – Still working on contacting entertainers.*
- *Sponsorships –Starting to see sponsorships come in.*
- *Livestock/Static – No updates at this time.*

7. Fundraising/Drive thru

- Future fundraisers on hold at this time.

Additional Comments and Discussion

- OHA discussed banquet dinner for 2021.
- Fair board agrees to start taking applications for camping during fair.

With nothing further to discuss, **meeting adjourned at 7:45PM**