



April 20, 2026 6:00 PM

YSSS Committee Meeting Minutes

Committee Members in Attendance: Elisa Teal, Shannon Spraker, Mike McLean, Andrew Brinkley, Robert Burnside, Ed Mael, Josie Booth, Cyrus Vore, Patty Muhlhauser, Sean Booth, Shannon Roman

Absent Committee Members:

Others in Attendance: Megan Hamlin, Blake McLean, Hannah Booth, Elise Burton, Julianne McAndrews, April Bradshaw, Amy Greene, Joyce Dryden, Alexcia Jordan

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 PM.

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of March Meeting Minutes

- No meeting minutes were recorded in March due to lack of quorum.

Public/Open Comment

- Megan Hamlin asked about camper village spots being sold out. Fair staff are working on additional spots and will know more after meeting later in the week.

Old Business

- Results from the prior month's votes were reviewed - hair pulling will be offered at a \$5 per animal fee for lambs and goats at initial weigh-in. Megan Hamlin will collect samples.

New Business

- YQCA in-person training will be held on April 29. Exhibitors must be registered in advance on the YQCA website and pay the \$3 fee. Hannah reminded everyone that there is an instructional video on the Fair website to help exhibitors.
- Swine weigh-in will be held May 15th and 16th by appointment. Entries will close on 5/14 at 11:55 PM and any entries after that will be charged double the entry fees. Appointments are already filling up.
- Champion and Reserve animal processing was discussed again. Country Meats, Vandal Meats and Mountain View Meats will be the destination options for Grand and Reserve Champion animals. Processor meeting will be 5/13 at 5:30 PM in the Stampede Room. Fair staff will contact all local processors and invite them to attend.
- Elise presented an update on the drug testing and general rules updates. The committee agreed to move forward with updating the rules with a few very small changes.

Subcommittee Reports

- Policy, Rules and Regulations - No further report.
- Financial and Sale Review - No report.
- Advertising and Marketing - Communications continue to go out via Facebook and emails.
- Animal Wellness and Ethics - Doc Holly is the confirmed drug testing vet and may be able to cover the entire fair - still working on scheduling confirmation.
- Hospitality - Elise brought up a couple ideas for the sale for possible 2027 changes.
- Show Production - No report.
- Processing and Animal Movement - No further report

Patty moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:36 PM. Shannon S. seconded. Motion passed.