## 10th District Junior Livestock Auction Committee, Inc. July 20, 2023 General Meeting Minutes

BOD Present: Darrin Mercier, Jean Wood, Debbie Fogle, Jennifer Harrison, Jim Scala

**BOD Absent:** Ashley Shaw, Jeff Fowle **Membership:** 52 members present

**Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order by Darrin Mercier at 6:12 pm.

**Secretary's Report**: Debbie Fogle moved to accept the May 18, 2023 minutes, second by Jennifer Harrison. Motion carried.

**Treasurer's Report:** Jean moved to approve to the Treasurer Report, Debbie seconded. Motion carried. Checking balance is \$148,894.65 and the investment account \$323,937.46.

Correspondence: None

Public Input: None

Fair Report: Cliff reported on entry deadline, entries, and weigh-in times.

**Junior Fair Board:** The junior fair board is organizing the Saturday junior races.

## **Old Business:**

1. With help from the fair staff, the Buyer's data has been input into the fair ShoWorks system.

## **New Business:**

- 1. The sale order was announced for each day and a general schedule flyer has been created and is available for sharing from the JLAC Facebook page.
- 2. Jacki Zediker will coordinate Opening Ceremonies and we will have two juniors sing the national anthem (one each day). All exhibitors should be ready in uniform to line the front of the arena on their sale days.
- 3. We will have a professional photographer take pics at the backdrops following all market classes for putting on the buyer's posters.
- 4. Jean reminded all exhibitors they will run for at least one other person during the day they sell at the auction. This is mandatory and a fine is attached if you do not. Mary Freitas and Erin Clayton will be marking who does their duty.
- 5. Jean reached out for signups on all auction duties. All clubs, chapters, and independent exhibitors must perform an auction duty. The posted list will be available on the south side of the Livestock Office during the fair. Please see the JLAC trailer with questions or issues during the fair. This is mandatory and a fine is attached if you do not.

- 6. Jennifer Harrison reported that the buyers letters and auction links are all updated and posted on the fair website for exhibitors and buyers.
- 7. All exhibitors need to declare their animal for sale after showing the last species they show. Failure to do so will result in not being included in the auction. Even Champions must declare.
- 8. The auction Sale order will be posted on the fair office wall Saturday morning please check for errors immediately. They go to the printers before Noon. No changes after that will happen.
- 9. The processors have all been contacted, contracts signed, and the crews were set for the Load Outs.

The next meeting will be September 21st, 2023 at 6pm at the SGF Fairgrounds Main Show Arena.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:58 pm.