

## Butte-Lawrence County Fairboard Minutes

January 4th, 2021

**Present:** Chad Mackaben, Jody Schenk, Clair Donovan, Karrol Herman, Richard Sleep, Sherly Pittman, Tom Mackey, Ida Marie Snorteland, Tristan Clements

**Absent:** Sharon Hogett, Dwight Kitzan

President Chad Mackaben called the meeting to order.

**Minutes** of the November 2020 meeting were reviewed. *M/2nd to approve; carried*

**Treasurer's** report was presented. *M/2nd to accept; carried.*

### **Old Business:**

Anniversary Book Update: Amy Clark has been given access to the historical documents and pictures for compiling the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary book.

### **New Business:**

Election of Officers: A motion was made to keep the current officers the same for the 2021 Fair Board year: President – Chad Mackaben, Vice President – Clair Donovan, Secretary – Jody Schenk, Treasurer – Ida Marie Snorteland and Sharon Hogett. *M/2<sup>nd</sup>; Carried*

Butte County Commissioner: Karrol Herman shared that she will no longer be the representative from Butte County Commission on the fairboard. Her replacement will be James Ager.

Painting: Clair will be getting prices from Dan Quinn to paint the buildings on the fairground before the 2021 fair.

Hog Barn: Roof is done, and hog barn is completed.

Upgrades: Chad is working on getting an electrical update. Fencing around the fairgrounds needs to be updated. Tristan is working with Runnings to get materials for the updates to the Goat barn.

2021 Fair Plan: We are still waiting on the plan for the Ferris Wheel. Looking into getting the Balloon Guy from Spearfish to come for the kids. Clair is working on getting all the bands and entertainment lined up. Looking into joining with the Livestock committee to host an appreciation dinner for the livestock sale donors. 4-H clubs will be working on different activities to add to the fair. Possibly adding a tug of war contest between the 4H clubs. Possibly adding a fishing contest. Ida Marie will be working on a tentative schedule and will present that at the next meeting.

4-H Updates: No new updates from the state on procedures. Poster contest for the 2021 fair will be shared with the 4-H clubs.

**Next Meeting:** The Fairboard will meet Monday, February 1<sup>st</sup> 6:30pm at the Stadium in Belle Fourche.

M/2nd to adjourn; carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Jody Schenk