**CLARK COUNTY 4-H LEADERS FEDERATION**

**May 12, 2025**

**7 PM – ADS - Greenwood**

**DRAFT**

**Attendance - Board:** Sheri Jacque, Alan Buchholz, John Brost, Rachel Brost, Nikki Rueth, Lori Hendrickson, Jarrett Rueth, Jillian Rueth, Zach Magnus

**Absent -** Ella Raatz, Jacob Raatz, Raiden Jacque

**Attendance - Other:** Seth Harrmann

**Secretary’s Report:** Secretary’s report was read. Nikki made a motion to approve as read; Jarrett seconded.

**Treasurer’s Report:** Treasurer’s report was reviewed. John made a motion to approve; Rachel seconded.

**Unfinished Business:**

**Experience Scholarships** - One scholarship applicant has been notified that they will not be receiving the scholarship due to unmet requirements. The other scholarship recipient has made a partial payment for their experience. Full Payments are due by July 1st.

**College Scholarships** - The three applications were reviewed and interviews have been completed. Each youth did a fantastic job. Scholarship awards will be given out at the school awards ceremonies.

**Family Fun Day Updates** - Kickball will be July 26th. Rachel contacted Bill and he did not book the park. Seth will take care of booking it. The Lions will not be providing a concession stand. Rachel and John will handle this - same as last year.

**Swimming Event** - A tentative date of Sunday, August 24th from 7-9 PM depending on the availability of lifeguards.

**New Business:**

**Spike Scholarship** - Zach just wanted to let board members know that his application/interview for this was based on his 4-H experiences and knowledge he has gained through 4-H.

**Senior Awards at the Fair** - Seth spoke about this event which will focus on youth who are “graduating” out of 4-H (not high school). Different dates and times were suggested. Having cupcakes/cookies and punch/lemonade available was also discussed. Seth will be working on the details.

**Fair Olympics** - Zach suggested putting together some type of fun run/obstacle course/olympic type of game for youth to participate in. It was asked to get the word out to clubs and bounce this idea off of members with suggestions for date and time - during fair clean up? Or during the fair? Zach, Seth, and Sierra Bakke will work together on this. Suggestions are to be submitted to Zach.

**Goose Chase** - Seth commented that he would like to continue this event at the fair as it has had a good turn out.

**Family Fall Fun Day** - Sheri has contacted Amy Penterman and Dutch Dairy has agreed to host this event again. Seth will be in charge of getting the “educational” portion (displays/booths) together. Sheri will work with Seth and Amy to determine a date aiming for mid-September.

**Educator Updates** - Seth informed the group that due to federal budget cuts Americorp is no longer operating so the UW will be funding the summer “Positive Youth Development Intern” which is Sierra Bakke. Seth also mentioned that there are new policies coming from the UW.

**Next Meeting** - Monday, June 9th at 7 PM. Lori will reserve the ADS building.

Jillian made a motion to adjourn with a second from Jarrett.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Sheri Jacque