President Stephanie VanSickle called the regular meeting of 4-H Council to order at 7:05 pm. Members present were Stephanie VanSickle, Penny Burillo, Kathy Carter, Kip Cole, Kim Eubank, Wendy Kenney, Ann Marie Overla, Karen Pankow, Jill Rockwell, Trudy Sibley, Sarah Sylvester, Jane Thocher, Lance VanSickle, Kathy Walicki and Mary Yeager. Pledges were recited by all. The secretary’s report was presented. Penny moved, Mary seconded, motion carried to accept the report as presented. The treasurer’s report was presented. Cash and Bank Accounts show $700.06 in Checking, $355.82 in Fifth Third Checking, $3,035.24 in the Joyce Semelbauer Memorial Fund, $658.89 in Savings, $22,047.51 in Fifth Third Savings, and $20,457.68 in two CD’s for a total of $47,255.20. Trudy moved, Kip supported, motion carried to accept the treasurer’s report as given.

In old business there is no new information on the incorporation status. There has been no response concerning Spring Achievements. This matter will be assigned to the Community Events Committee. It was suggested that leader support is needed first. Since there will be a leader training this winter, a survey of leaders can be done there. Then time to get organized and to plan will be needed. Therefore next year would be the goal to start if there is agreement.

In new business, the process for the 2015 Plat Book is beginning. There has been a relabeling request from a landowner for the books that are left. Stephanie will take a book for corrections to the township meetings she calls in April. This will be addressed with the county and townships so hopefully the problem is corrected for the next plat book.

Folk Festival plans are also beginning. The in school activity will be “PIONEER School Yard Games and Toys”.

Lori’s Updates:
- The Community Foundation has asked for a Wish List that they can use to possibly grant some money to 4-H.
- The Shooting Sports Club received $500 toward their needs for the new club from Shelby Optimist Club. The 4-H club has written a Thank You to the Optimist Club for this. Jane reported the club has another $100 coming through her.

In other business Kim reported that her horse club attended a horse clinic at Kettenen Center and the presenter was terrible, even swearing. There seemed to be no planning and the presenter took no suggestions. There were only six sessions for the whole weekend.

Penny reported that her granddaughter, Sofia Burillo-Castro, who hosted a girl from Japan last summer, is going to Japan on the exchange this summer.

Mary moved, Sarah seconded, motion carried to adjourn. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Carter
Kathy Carter, Secretary