Montcalm County 4-H Dairy Committee Meeting

January 27, 2018 at the Extension Office

Meeting called to order by President Kim Thomsen at 2:10p.m.. Those in attendance were: Paula Plank, Brenda Daray, Kim Thomsen, Sally Thomsen and Kadren Grawburg.

Secretary Report – Secretary, Sally Thomsen handed out copies of September 18, 2017 minutes. Paula Plank made a motion, seconded by Brenda Daray to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

Treasurer’s Report – Sally Thomsen, treasurer - $2,336.94 in checking account. Motion made by Paula Plank, supported by Brenda Daray to place the treasurer’s report on file. Motion carried.

MSU Extension Report – Kadren Grawburg

. 4 people are going to winterfest.

. Discount for 4-H at Joanne Fabrics.

. Michigan 4-H Dairy Conference, March 9-11, 2018 at Kettunen Center. Cost is $100 and registration due February 18, 2018.

Motion was made by Paula Plank and supported by Sally Thomsen to pay 50% of the fee for 4-Her’s going to Michigan 4-H Dairy Conference with a 50% reimbursement if they display information and/or present about their experience at the fair at the end of the dairy show. Motion carried.

Old Business

Speakers for the dairy barn was discussed and Kadren will check with Luke on a estimate.

Sally will try to get Daryl Trefil to come to a meeting with ideas how we can expand our “gallon of milk” sale.

New Business

Judge suggestions – Brenda Daray made a motion, supported by Sally Thomsen to approve our choices – 1. Randy Petroshus, 2. Tom Atherton, Jame Siplorski. Motion carried.

Brenda Daray made a motion, supported by Paula Plank to allow the treasurer, Sally Thomsen to spend not more then $800 on halters, trophies, ect. For the fair. Motion carried.

Next meeting April 14, 2018 at 2:00p.m. at the Extension office.

Motion by Brenda Daray, supported by Paula Plank to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 3:40p.m.

Sally Thomsen, Secretary