

Ozaukee County 4-H Leaders Association Meeting
Thursday, January 21, 2016 7:30PM
Ozaukee County Administration Building - Auditorium

The meeting was started with a presentation on 4-H in Haiti with Ventures in People. They discussed their mission and goals and discussed the need for some financial support and possible fundraising for our county and clubs.

The meeting was called to order at 8:17pm. Jody Brzezinski made a motion to accept the Secretary's Report and it was seconded by Brenda Mueller. Aaron Brown gave the Treasurer's report. Following that Jody Brzezinski made a motion to put the Treasurer's Report on file and that was seconded by Barb Batzko.

Next all of the committee reports were given. Teri Mejchar gave a report on plat books. There were no new updates, but there was approximately 50 books left. Also it was brought up to be in contact with the police departments to see if there was an interest.

Diane Pfaffenroth discussed IFYE. Sharla B. is going to Norway from the end of June to the end of July. The committee recently bundled all of the tickets by club and there are roughly 100 prizes for the the raffle. They are available for pick up tonight.

Sheri Hoerchner gave an update from the Foundation. The Bowl-a-thon is taking place on January 31st.

Carol Boehlke & Brenda Mueller then talked a bit about the Historical Committee. The County really likes the idea of the tree and is interested in putting it by the Pavilion. Brenda Mueller passed around a model of the tree.

Mackenzie Neumann then covered Older Youth Crew and their recent success with the Older Youth Lock-In. She also discussed their next meeting and possibly preparing for the 4-H Dance. Roger Knepprath then discussed the Association's Assets. There is currently heat in the storage room but there are still no shelves.

Lynn Neuman covered Summer Camp. At this time 25 adults and youth had applied to be counselors and there is a possibility of needing more funding.

Aaron Brown said that there was nothing to report as far as the audit and budget.

Next, Mackenzie Neumann covered the communications festival. Almost all judges have been acquired along with the prizes. She also covered 4-H's new program Together we Can. It has been very successful, but still looking to build and grow.

Sue Dowe shared information on the upcoming Pinewood Derby. The signup genius for Ambassador help is up and running but we currently have no track. Kenosha County's 4-H Leaders Association said no this year. Sue was given a few suggestions on acquiring another track.

There is a need for people to help with the Variety Show, Fair Parking and the Signup Genius for Fair. Deb Poull volunteered to help with the Signup Genius.

There was an announcement about the new Inaugural Trip and how selection is going to work.

Rebekka Wolfe then gave a presentation on her trip to Japan through the IFYE program.

Jody Brzezinski made a motion to adjourn the meeting and that was seconded by Aaron Brown.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mackenzie Neumann