Market Animal Committee Agenda

March 8th, 2016

Wolf River Room at the Langlade County 4h Extension Office

The meeting was called to order by Jason Nagel at 636pm.

Present: Jason Nagel, Justin Schroepfer, Marcie Gottschalk, Madelyn Gottschalk, Mackenzie Schroepfer, Lily Nagel, Julia Wolf, Olivia Wolf, Nate Wolf, Lewis Bowman, Tom Anderson, Evan Eckert, Jonathon Eckert, Alyssa Frisch, Ed Frisch, Alison Peters, Amy Peters, Matt Solin

Samantha Straley, Extension Agent

The secretary’s report was provided in print. Motion made by Julia Wolf, second by Olivia Wolfe. All in favor; none opposed

The treasurer’s report was read by Amy Peters. Checking $6,730.37; Savings $4,004.60. Motion made by Samantha Straley; second by Julia Wolfe. All in favor, none opposed.

Samantha Straley reported that the team was originally 4 members however sickness struck one member so a 3 man team participated in Madison. The team placed 11th and had a very good time.

Chair Reports

1. Beef – See upcoming shows
2. Sheep – None
3. Swine – None

**Old Business**

Electronic Scale. Jason reported the scale has been purchased and modifications have been made. The scale will be in Black Creek tomorrow and

Committee Assignments were reviewed, updated and confirmed related to the Sheep/Swine weigh in.

**New Business**

Matt Solin Provided the following Upcoming Show dates.

* 1. Black River Falls April 21 -23
	2. Platteville Pioneer Showdown April 29th-30th (
	3. River Falls May 6th & 7th (Beef, Sheep, Swine, Goats)
	4. Wautoma May 12th and 13th
	5. Seymour June 3rd

Samantha report that the new Ag agent would

Jason reported that Samantha Straley needs to rescind her position until her time as the Interim extension agent ends in August. He inquired if Lewis would be willing to assume Samantha’s role until she is available. Lewis accepts.

Alyssa Frisch, Evan Eckert and Madelyn Gotschalk provided oral reports to complete their Mandatory Meeting requirement.

Tom Anderson inquired if on the off show days during the fair the youth representatives would be responsible for the pen cleaning in the swine wing. Discussion; consensus is in support of the idea. Jason will discuss at the July Mandatory Meeting.

Meat Goat Project. There was discussion that the extension office was approached by a youth who would like to show a meat goat and then participate in the sale. Discussion; currently there is no class for meat goats in the fairbook. The committee is open to having the youth attend a meeting to discuss.

Jason discussed having a representative from Animart come for a clipping demonstration. The Nagel family had attended a demonstration for the Marathon County 4h and it was well received.

Next meeting will be held May 24th at 630pm at the Extension Office.

Motion made by Julia to adjourn the meeting; second by Lewis. All in favor; none opposed.