4-H Council Meeting Monday, October 28, 2019 7PM @ the Extension Office

The bi-monthly meeting of the Kingman County 4-H Council was called to order by President Taylor Schultz, on Monday, October 28, 2019 at 7:00 pm at the Kingman County Extension Office.

Roll call was answered by 9 members, 9 leaders and 2 agents. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by President Taylor Schultz. A motion was made by Shirley Boos to approve the minutes as read. Sukesh Kamesh seconded the motion. Motion Passed.

The Treasurer's report was read by acting treasurer Levi Self. The checking account balance is \$24,369.81 and the savings balance is \$566.42. The Ambassador balance is \$2,268.76. The Exchange balance is \$743.82, and Gillen Memorial is \$2,595.89. A motion was made by Sukesh Kamesh to approve the treasurer's report. The motion was seconded by Shirley Boos. Motion passed. A bill was presented by Hawk 4-H Club for Achievement Celebration. A motion was made by Judy DeWeese to approve the budgeted amount of \$150. Levi Self seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Communications - A thank you note was read from scholarship recipient Kelly Krehbiel.

Reports: State Fair There was a lot of participation across the county. Several participated in contests such as Crops Judging, Photography, Family & Consumer Sciences, dog, horse and livestock.

48 Hours of 4-H/National 4-H Week – See club reports.

4-H Achievement Celebration – Appreciated all the work that the Hawk 4-H club put into the event. It was a great location. They used 150 plates.

Ambassadors –Applications will be accepted for 2019-2020 for anyone interested that is 14 and older until November 1. The next meeting will be Tuesday, November 26 at 6:30 pm. A Dodgeball tournament is being planned.

Officer Training – All like having it in conjunction with Achievement Celebration.

Fundraising – National 4-H Week Newspaper Sponsorship-51 ad sponsors were sold @ \$15 each. 4-H Council made 30% of the sales for a total of \$229.50 in profit. Fun Pasta and Popcorner sales are due to the Extension Office on November 1.

Old Business: Budget Review – Cherille Young shared the recommendation for the 2019-2020 Budget. A motion was made by Sukesh Kamesh to accept the budget for 2019-2020. Motion seconded by Judy DeWeese. Motion passed.

2020 Fair themes were shared by each club. An online voting will be set up for all members to vote. Cunningham-Gimme S'more of that Kingman County & 4-H Fair

Hawk – 2020 See a Plenty at the Kingman County & 4-H Fair

Norwich – Stars Over the Kingman County & 4-H Fair

Vinita – Kingman County & 4-H Fair, Alpaca My Bag! Whispering Willow – Big Dreams in a Small Town – Kingman County & 4-H Fair

Club Financial Reviews – Andrea W. reminded the clubs to turn in their club Financial Reviews by November 15, December 1 at the latest to the Extension Office.

New Business: Officer Elections – Taylor Schultz and Sukesh Kamesh were nominated for president. Sukesh K. moved to cease nominations. Judy D. seconded the motion. Motion passed. Taylor Schultz was chosen by ballot. Sukesh Kamesh was nominated for Vice-president. Shirley Boos moved to cease nominations and cast a unanimous ballot. Motion seconded by Brant F. Motion passed. Janelle Belt and Ava Shipley were nominated for secretary. Lynnann H. moved to cease nominations. Motion seconded by Sukesh K. Motion passed. Janelle Belt was chosen by ballot. Brant Floyd was nominated for treasurer. Sukesh K. moved to cease nominations and cast a unanimous ballot. Motion seconded by Levi Self. Motion passed.

President-Taylor Schultz, Vice-President-Sukesh Kamesh, Secretary-Janelle Belt, Treasurer-Brant Floyd

Kingman County & 4-H Fair Dates – July 22-25, 2020

4-H Day 2020 – Saturday, February 29, 2020 at Kingman Elementary School. A motion was made by Judy DeWeese to have 4-H Day on February 29. Motion seconded by Shirley Boos. Motion passed.

Exchange Trip Informational Meeting – Andrea W. announced that she would like to have an informational meeting for a 4-H Exchange Trip. It will be on Tuesday, November 26 at 7 pm.

Club Reports:

Cunningham – Had a 4-H display table at school, up to 38 members, will have 4-H Sunday in November, set up display downtown with straw bales and mums to beautify Main Street.

Hawk - Had a 4-H display at Erins, cleaned the theatre, had 4-H Sunday at Willowdale

Norwich – Had a kick-off potluck, wore 4-H t-shirts on 4-H Spirit day, helped at carnival, handed out candy during 4-H week.

Vinita – Had a display at Citizens State Bank in Cheney, had a potluck at Souder's Museum, had 4-H Sunday at the Cheney Methodist Church, made cookies for 48 Hours of 4-H and participated in 4-H Spirit Day.

Whispering Willow – Helped at Humane Society and Theatre and picked up trash after the home football game for 48 Hours of 4-H, had a display at Floyd Auction & Real Estate, had 4-H Sunday at St. Pat's with a reception after mass. Hosting an open to the public Haunted Forest for two weekends. Nov. 1-2, it is open 7:30-10:30 pm. It is west of town at the Belts'.

Taylor Schultz read the announcements.

Next Meeting: The next meeting will be on Tuesday, January 21, 2020 @ 7PM at the Extension Office.

President Taylor Schultz declared the meeting adjourned.

Dates to Remember:

October 26-27 & Nov. 1-2 – Whispering Willow Haunted Forest

October 28 & Nov. 1 – YQCA Workshops & Livestock Judging Intro

November 1 – Fundraising due to Extension Office

November 9 – 4-H Equine Extravaganza @ Rock Springs

November 11 – Extension Office Closed for Veterans Day

November 23-24 -- Kansas Youth Leadership Forum (KYLF) and the Kansas Volunteer Forum (KVF) @ Rock Springs. KYLF is for youth ages 14-18 before January 1, 2020 and KVF is for all Kansas 4-H Volunteers.

November 22 – Popcorn & Pasta Pick up @ Extension Office

November 25 – Head, Heart, Hands, Health #Inspirekidstodo t-shirt order due to State

November 27 – 4-H Holiday Crafts @ Kingman Expo

November 28-29 – Extension Office Closed for Thanksgiving