

# Greene County Fair Board Meeting Minutes

## Monday April 28, 2025

**Attendance:** Carol Adamson, Tammy Brookover, Jared Edgreen, Betsy McClure, Courtney Hursey, Kevin Jacobs, Bret Moore, Scott Hackenburg, Kelley Morris and Robin Costa-Carter

There was a community presence of 5 individuals.

President Carol Adamson called meeting to order promptly at 6:30 pm.

- Welcome everyone to the meeting.

Commissioner Jared Edgreen lead the board in a Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes were distributed and reviewed by the board and posted to the Fair Board website.

- Asked for discussion/none needed.

Courtney Hursey motion to accept the minutes, Commissioner Jared Edgreen 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

Courtney Hursey presented the treasurer's report.

- Asked for discussion/none needed.

Commissioner Jared Edgreen motion to accept the minutes, Bret Moore 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

### **Old Business:**

#### **Sponsorship – Kelley**

- 500 Companies were sent mailers and emails
- A lot of New companies and a few returning companies
- 2 larger Sponsorships / \$5000.00
- Courtney Hursey putting companies' logo on the fair website

#### **Junior Livestock Committee – Dulcie/Molly**

- No report, no one present at the meeting

## **Sound Project – Jared**

- Sound is being done by Greene County IT & Maintenance
- Grandstands/Barn
  - Grandstands being done 1<sup>st</sup>
  - Ready for June 7<sup>th</sup> Pulls
- All weather/water proof Speakers
- Wireless microphones
- Equipment ordered – Cortney/Ginelle
- Able to build on to the system
- When not in use, could be rented

## **Arena Barn Renovation Fund – Scott**

- No report

## **Fair Schedule Committee Report – Bret**

- No report

## **\*On the agenda for April 28, 2025\***

- There was a typo for the date of June Pull
  - List as June 17
  - Correct date is June 7
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## **June 7<sup>th</sup> Pulls Update – Jared**

- **New Volunteers**
  - Bobbie Hass
- 7 loads of dirt needed to be hauled in
- Monster Trucks
  - Clean Dirt
- Suggest for Dirt
  - Charle Monhost
  - Strip jobs have best dirt
  - Robbie Hayden
  - Richard Love

## **The Way Youth - Countney**

- May 20 – 4 to 7
- Explaining how to do entries into the fair
  - Help with entries
  - Help with follow up

## **New Business:**

### **Fair Book – Courtney**

- New system is very nice
  - Better next year
  - Easier to fit/add
- Adds are not able to be put in the fair book
- No changes in the rules
- Entry fees increasing/premiums are increasing
- Good House Keeping

Tammy Brookover motion to move forward in putting the Fair Book on website, Kelley Morris 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and motion carried.

### **Pricing for Tee Shirts – Courtney**

- 3 Proposals
  - Direct Results @ \$1,676.75
  - Embroid'em @ \$1,832.25
  - Unifirst @ \$2,101.00
- Fair Staff
  - Bright color
- Home & Garden
  - Volunteers
- Board Members different from the staff
  - Sponsorship on the back of staff
  - Fair Board on the back of Board Member
- Polo, Men cut & Women cut
- Fair Queen and Court
  - Pink

Tammy Brookover motion to accept Embroid'em proposal, Kevin Jacobs 2<sup>nd</sup>, all but 1 approved, Bret Moore abstained, and motion carried.

### **Photography by Lexie Mooney – Tammy**

- Lexie's Proposal was presented to the board
  - \$3000.00 plus
    - 2 Fair Passes
    - 2 event/pit Passes
    - 1 Parking Pass
- Photograph similar to last year but doesn't want to give free access to the photos
  - Photos can be purchased from her website

After some discuss the board has decided to table the decision until next months meeting. Tammy Brookover is going to reach out to Lexie to discuss about what the board would like.

### **Lead Line – Tammy**

- Tammy Brookover is setting away from lead line
  - Will inform Dulcie
  - Will help to find someone
  - Will help this year with the event

### **Railing – Geoge Scull**

- The original idea of P railing was unsteady and not safe
- Reached out to new company – Francis Enterprises, Inc
- U sharp railing that incorporates 2 stair steps, instead of a single step
- Cost \$4500.00 plus freight
  - \$100.00 for hardware
  - 300.00 for top rail
  - Not to exceed \$5000.00
  - George Scull would install the railing

Betsy McClure motion to move forward with ordering the railing, not to exceed \$5000.00, Jared Edgreen 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and motion carried.

Maintenance will assist with insulation of the railing.

### **MSGR. John W. Mignot Memorial Scholarship Program – Kelley**

- Applicant must be a Pennsylvania resident
- At Least 2 years in a fair that is a member of PSACF
- Application must be submitted no later than June 30, 2025
- Scholarship is \$1000.00

### **Capital Grant**

- \$26,000.00 - \$16,000.00 received
- 56% last year
- Build 2
  - Window / Doors
  - Air Conditioning
- Final Date to apply is June 30<sup>th</sup>

## **Committee Reports:**

### **Track (Jared)**

- Discussed above

Jared spoke to EQT sponsoring the Pittsburg Zoo bringing in animals

- Monday Night – kids' night
- Brings Education to the kids
- Reptiles, etc.
- Check with the vet about vet check or papers on the animals

### **Fair Queen (Melody)**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Applications sent out
  - June 30<sup>th</sup> is the dead line for them to be brought in
- Block Building booked for the weekend before the fair

At the state fair level

- No jeans or boots allow
  - Safety issue
  - Will be penalized
    - At the state level they will deduct points
    - No crown and No sash
- Going to speak with the board at Washington and Fayette

### **Midway & Attractions (Bret)**

- Updated above

### **Advertising/Sponsorship (Kelley)**

- Updated above

### **Home & Garden (Courtney)**

- Updated above

### **Barn (Wes) – Livestock (Robin)**

- No update/Not present at the meeting

## **Musical Acts**

- 2 – 4 Nights
- Wednesday through Saturday
- Beer Garden
  - License & 21 Arm Bands
- Bartenders
  - Licensed

## **Fair Book (Courtney)**

- Updated above

## **Fair Board Event Schedule**

- **June 7, NTPA Mega Pull**
- **September 13, Roll and Coal Pulls**
  - **\*On the agenda for April 28, 2025\***
    - Stated the date was September 17<sup>th</sup>
- **September 27, Wreck and Roll Derby**

## **Public Comments:**

- George Scull
  - Stated – the fair board is doing a good job

## **Call for an Executive Session:**

- President Carol Adamson called for an executive session
  - Public was excused

## **Motion to Adjourn:**

Courtney Hursey motion to adjourn the meeting, Tammy Brookover 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

**Next fair board meeting May 19, 2025.**

**Respectively Submitted**

**Tammy Brookover**

**Faira Board Secretary**