

Lester Livewires October Minutes

By: Christie Drake

Our first annual 4h meeting was held on October 20, 2019 at Trent and Brandy Zuck's house. Vice President Will Fettkether called the meeting to order at 4:09 PM. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Will Fettkether. 23 members answered roll call by stating what was their favorite part of county fair, and we had 11 new members come and learn about 4H. The treasures report was given by Joey Snyder, which we have \$4, 223.84 in our account. We had some bills that needed payed, so we motioned to pay our club's enrollment fees for last year which was \$255 dollars to the Black Hawk Extension Office and Outreach, and we motioned to pay Patricia McIntosh \$150 dollars for allowing us to use her studio for the meetings that were held there during the year of 2018 to June 2019. Motion was carried and seconded by Brooked Best and all 4h members raised their hand to accept the motion.

New business was discussed which was that our club closed the checking account and all expenses or income will now through the Black Hawk County extension and outreach. We discussed having all of the club members pay for their own enrollment fee this year which is \$15 dollars for 4th grade on up and clover kid which is Kindergarten through 3rd grade is free. We have a new place where we are going to hold our 4H meetings, Larry Block from the Dunkerton Coop has decided to pay for our club to have our meetings at the Dunkerton Community Hall.

Fruit order forms were handed out for our 4H fundraiser which the orders will need to be turned into Christie Drake by the next meeting November 17, 2019 and will be delivered the first week of December.

Election of officers took place, President: Will Fettkether, Vice President: Brooke Best, Treasurer: Wyatt Fettkether, Secretary: Hanna Fettkether, Reporter: Elsie McIntosh, Historian: Lizzie Lafler and Junior Leader: Reegan Toneff. We also discussed having a separate little meeting for our club officers so we can let them know what we expect of them during the year and see if Diane Wolf from the extension office could come and talk about officers and their rolls.

Our meeting was adjourned at 4:51 and the 4H pledge was led by Will Fettkether. We did not have any presentations, and all club members brought a dessert or appetizer to share, we had smores and hot apple cider and hot cocoa furnished and we played outside games. Our next meeting is November 17, 2019 at 4:00 at the Dunkerton Community Hall.