

San Juan County 4-H Rodeo Meeting (Sept 10)
Day 3 Church

Adult Board meeting was held at 6:00 before the general meeting. Members present were: Chad Shaw, Rory Eavenson, Kathy Mueller, Tash Barnes, and Cheyenne Radojits. Chris Bramwell was available by phone. The board discussed and determined an amount to give to the awards committee for purchasing prizes for this year. It was voted to allot the awards committee to spend \$10,000 for prizes.

Brennyn called the general meeting to order at 6:30 pm. (Chriss Bramwell was in attendance by telephone.

Youth who won saddles were asked to go on Corriente website to pick out a saddle. The club would pay \$850 toward each saddle. Whatever the youth wanted on their saddle above \$850 would be paid by the youth/parent. Saddles would include "2024 San Juan County 4-H Rodeo" on the saddle. After each youth decided on his/her saddle, they were asked to send the info to Tash asap so she could get them ordered.

Nov 2 was set for the 2024 Awards ceremony but that date is going to be revised. More info will be given when a new date and place has been booked.

Stock contractor bid sheets were available for anyone who might know someone interested in supplying stock for the 2025 Rodeo season. If anyone needs a copy of the stock contractor bid sheet, please contact Kathy. Bid sheets need to be returned by December meeting so stock contractor can be determined at Dec. meeting for next year rodeos. (Jan 25, Feb 22, March 22, April 26, May 17, June 14, and July 19. State rodeo is set for July 11-13. January practice rodeo is the only rodeo that coincides with Cortez.)

Kathy announced that \$21,502 was paid on stock at 2024 4-H rodeos. \$8100 was paid out of that amount as "guarantee fee".

It was announced that adult and youth application forms will be passed out at October meeting and must be returned by November meeting for elections. October meeting date has not been set but it is important for youth and adults to be present at this meeting.

Tash announced that there was approximately \$38,000 in the account but about \$5500 in checks had not been cashed and cleared the bank.

It was announced that the awards committee would have \$10,000 to spend on prizes for 2024 rodeo season. Saddles, Reserve prize, and event buckles would come out of the \$10,000. Whatever money was left could be spent on other prizes at the discretion of the awards committee.

There was discussion by parents and youth present at the meeting regarding fundraisers, number of rodeos to participate in to be eligible for year end prizes, changes for next year's rodeos (such as payback to youth), bylaws, and state rodeo. These changes will be discussed more at the November meeting when the new boards are formed. Parents and youth were asked to hold on to those thoughts.

Minutes submitted by Kathy Mueller