

TCYMAS Meeting Minutes 9/24/2025

Attendees: Cassie, Celeste, Josie, Dawn, Neil, Justin, Lorraine, Tessa, Nicole, Ron, Robin

Guests: Julie with Kiperts, Kari Ahrens

Call to order 7:00 pm

Cassie made a motion to approve August minutes; Dawn seconded the motion, motion carried.

Treasurer's Report:

Josie was able to find the error in the checks and cash.

3 outstanding invoices: Was able to contact 1 and the customer agreed to send in cash. Others were sent another invoice with DUE NOW as the due date. Dawn moves to pay the youth exhibitors even though there are outstanding invoices. Lorraine seconded; the motion passed. Checks will go out this week.

\$100 extra was given and Neil moved to accept it as a donation. Cassie seconded and the motion carried.

Our Credit Union merged and changed their system, linked the TCYMAS account with Josie's personal account. The bank is telling Josie that they must be linked. If this does not get resolved, we may need to switch banks. We will need to do some research to find the lowest fees.

MOU/ITS updates: (MOU and ITS were updated electronically)

Steer- Needs to be less than 24 months, 1000 lb minimum and a top weight of 1500. Steers may go over, but the buyer will only pay to 1500 lbs. Dawn moved, Neil seconded and the motion, carried. Lorraine asked for us to include the 2 halter rule, the committee decided that that would need to be implemented as a rule by the fair.

Lambs: everything was good to go.

Hogs: everything was good to go.

Goats: Everything was good to go.

Rabbits: everything was good to go.

Chickens: Ranger chickens should be 6-12 lbs. Tessa moved, Neil seconded, motion carried.

Turkey: a 30 lb weight limit with 20 weeks as the upper age limit and 16 weeks as the younger age limit. Broad breasted variety will be the only breeds accepted. Cassie moved to accept these changes, Dawn seconded and the motion passed.

Our sale will be split between the hooved animals and the non hooved. Each will rotate every year with the hooved animals going first and rotating and then the non-hooved rotating after the hooved animals. Dawn moved to accept this, Cassie seconded the motion, motion carried.

Discussion was had to maybe do a few training zoom sessions for winter.

Justin let us know that the fair is planning a Jackpot style show the weekend before the Chehalis Spring Fair.

Bylaw Update:

Board of directors rather than president, VP, Secretary, treasurer. Cassie moved to table officer election and bylaw update, Dawn seconded the motion, motion carried.

Our guest Julile is the one that came up with the rotation of the animals. Another suggestion she had was to have the business name on one side of the bidder card so they can be read. Reach out for sponsorships in March and April.

We need to be better about our scheduled postings. We also work on advertising we will brainstorm ideas at a later meeting.

Youth exhibitors get shirts saying to "Ask me about my project."

Cassie moved to adjourn meeting, Josie seconded, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned 9:15

Next meeting 1/28/2026 Place TBD