



Walworth County

WALWORTH COUNTY 4-H SENIOR LEADER'S ASSOCIATION MEETING AGENDA

Monday, November 28, 2022, 7:00 p.m.

Walworth County Government Center

OPENING ACTIVITIES

- Call to Order – Rick Thomas
- Approval of Minutes/Correspondence – Rachelle Haacker
- Treasurer's Report – Renee Rieck
- Sunshine Report – Bill & Doreen Marquart
- UW-Madison Division of Extension Report—Extension Staff
- HOP Report –Laurie Giorno

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Leaders' Banquet Wrap-up
- Fall Forum Wrap
- Other

NEW BUSINESS

- Key Leader Updates (if any)
- Club/Project Group Reports
- Ice Breaker Sign-up
- Other

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Senior Leaders' Meeting – Monday, January 23, 2023, County Government Center, 7 p.m.

2022-2023 SENIOR LEADERS' ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

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COUNTY 4-H DISTRICTS

Southwest	Northwest	Central	Southeast	Northeast
Big Foot Pioneers 4-H	LaGrange 4-H	Elkhorn 4-H	Flame Throwers 4-H	Lake Beulah 4-H
Sharon 4-H	Richmond 4-H	Harvesters 4-H	Linn 4-H	Spring Prairie 4-H
Walworth 4-H	Whitewater 4-H	Lakeland 4-H	Springfield 4-H	
		Ridge Prairie 4-H		
		Sugar Creek 4-H		
		Valley View 4-H		

ROTATION OF DISTRICT RESPONSIBILITIES

Listed below is a list of district responsibilities for the following countywide events:

Year	Awards Packaging & Distribution Prep	Senior Leaders from District Banquet Planning	Junior Leaders from District Banquet Decorations	County-Wide Cloverbuds/Exploring Workshop
2023	Northwest	Southwest Southeast	Southwest Southeast	Northeast Central
2024	Southwest	Southeast Northeast	Southeast Northeast	Central Northwest
2025	Southeast	Northeast Central	Northeast Central	Northwest Southwest
2026	Northeast	Central Northwest	Central Northwest	Southwest Southeast

Walworth County 4-H Senior Leader's Association Meeting Minutes
Monday, October 24, 2022

Meeting called to order at 7:05 pm by Vice President, Rita VanSchyndel

OPENING ACTIVITIES:

Approval of minutes of September meeting were motioned by Jennifer Schell and Chelsea Police.

HOP Report: Laurie Giorno is set to distribute gift cards to volunteers who helped transport the HOP trailer to the fair grounds and back to the farm storage totaling \$550.00. Gas prices on the rise, Steve Shenbeck, had inquired about a raise for his services. A motion was made to approve an increase from \$350.00 to \$400.00 by Jennifer Schell and Billie Jean.

Laurie also mentioned it looked as if this year's HOP had an increase in profits of \$2,000 from last year. Great Job!

Unfinished Business:

Leaders' Banquet Update – As of tonight only 20 participants had made reservations. Reservations were do at this meeting. Linda and Jennifer are working hard to collect some awesome gift certificates/tickets to local places such as: Milwaukee Museum, Athletics, LG Cruise Line, and Ice Castle tickets to name a few. If you are interested in contributing to the raffles, see the sign-up genius on the blog.

Help with set-up will be at 11:00 am. Please encourage participation attendance to member award winners that Janel has shared in an email. If not able to make lunch, come for the ceremony beginning at 2:00 pm.

Treasurer's Report: Renee Rieck

The checkbook received some interest and \$5,000.00 transfer from Money Market. Expenses included bus bills for camp and biotech days, tax prep fees, postage, and other misc. camp expenses.

Laurie Giorno questioned the enrollment fees and Janel shared that we are at approximately 700 members, which is low for county but better than post-Covid. The Extension would like to see that number 150 higher, but understand this will take a year or more to achieve. Motion to approve treasurer's report was made by Laurie Giorno and 2nd by Billie Jean.

Sunshine Report: Bill & Doreen Marquart

Bill was feeling under the weather and unable to attend. Hope he is feeling better soon.

UW-Extension Report: Janel Heidelmeier

- VIP Training: Rescheduled - New dates are November 3, 6-8:00 pm; Nov. 5, 9-11:00 am; Nov. 17 6-8:00 pm at the Government Center. VIP is for new volunteers and is required only once, not recurring like Leadership training, which is pending in January/February.

Officer Training will be Thursday, December 8 from 6:30 - 8:00 pm.

- Explore 4-H Night: A big thank you to all the helpers and clubs. Record setting attendance at 172 youth! This goes to show that there is a lot of interest in our county for 4-H. Twenty (20) families attended the cloverbud family orientation. New family orientation is set for Jan. 12.

- Clover University – Janel is working on finalizing a presenter before sharing the classes. This first session (1 of 6) will take place on November 15. Volunteers and instructors for future universities are needed.
- Camp 2023: Chaperones needed for camp. Please help promote the need for camp volunteers among your club members.
- General Projects – meeting set for October 27 and explore other project offerings for this year and others.
- Charter Application – complete this by November 1. Link available to electronically fill in is very easy to use. HOP, Futures and Sr. Leaders need to complete as well. Janel will look at last years reports and repeat for this year. Officer School set for Dec. 8 from 6:30 – 8:00 pm at the Gov’t Center. This is the only training session being offered at this time.
- Wisconsin 4-H office is conducting a Thrive Survey and going out to families with members between 3rd & 12 grades. Completing the survey enters family to win \$25.00 gift card. Have til Nov. 17th to complete.

House of Pork Liaison

This liaison chairperson could be a team or several individuals separating the events. Good fit candidates can be shared with Janel. HOP funds scholarships, youth and adult state opportunity fees like Fall Forum, and it’s important to our budget, which was reviewed this evening.

Revised thought:

Sr. Leaders is considering going to an every other month meeting opening up possibilities for future committee meetings and club opportunities. We would like to consider Jan., March, May, July, September and November. Concerns were addressed as to having enough months to cover all our business, but a motion was made by Rick Thomas and 2nd by Tiffany Schepp from Ridge Prairie to give this a trial run and if changes need to be made we can consider adjusting. This would start with the November 2022 meeting as we normally do not meet in December.

Jr. Leaders would follow suit. Considerations could be made for zoom meetings when necessary.

Explore 4-H Night Comments

Club representation was helpful to prospective families. Some suggestions were: have a designated map of activities in the activity center and club locations; have a general 4-H advocate to address general questions; have a computer available for immediate sign-up and assistant to walk through 4-H on-line, which can be difficult to navigate; tablets for consideration.

Fall Forum – Seven youth will be attending this year’s Fall Forum in Wisconsin Rapids. Renee and Caroline are chaperoning this state event. It was approved following the motion by Linda Giorno and Jennifer Schell to have Sr. Leaders pay for the chaperons fees to attend Fall Forum.

Bowling – Event was canceled due to lack of interest and short notice to fill date. Looking to reschedule in the spring.

Club By-Laws – Templates available to all club leaders following Janel’s review of new terminology. If you wish to receive this template, please contact Janel and work to complete your club’s by-laws for the fall of 2023.

Banker’s Night Awards – A few clubs awards were still pending. Those that were complete were made available at the Sr. Leaders’ meeting. Contact the fair for more details.

Sr. Leaders’ Budget

Committee members Rick Thomas, Caroline Cornielson, Renee Rienck, and Janel met prior to the Sr. Leaders meeting to discuss this year’s budget. New areas included: 4-H Science Explorers which could include Host lock-in at museum, Scientist trip to University, Dairy Science Lab, and so much more. Presented budget from committee was motioned for approval by Laurie Giorno and Rick Thomas. Renee, thank you for filling in as Sr. Leaders treasurer and the work that was performed on this year’s budget.

Sr. Leaders’ Officer and District Rep Elections:

Our Sr. Leaders officers are President, Rick Thomas; Vice-President, Rita VanSchyndel; Treasurer, Renee Rienck, and Secretary, Rachelle Haacker. Offices of President, Vice-President and Secretary carry two year terms. Treasurer is a 4-year term.

District Representative officers are: SE (Flame Throwers, Line and Springfield clubs) is Vicky Martin, SW (Big Foot, Sharon, Walworth) is re-elected Jennifer Schell, and Central Rep (Elkhorn, Harvesters, Valley View, Ridge Prairie) is re-elected Caroline Cornielson. These are two year terms.

Key Leaders were approved for Child Development, Vicky Martin and Clothing, Diana Haeberlin. Thank you for stepping up to help our youth. We are close to meeting our charter goal for key leader assignments. Reminder of key leader needs will be shared by Extension office.

Club/Project Group Reports:

Rick & Carol Thomas are fazing out of Spring Prairie club leadership, but introduced Paige Morgan as the new club leader. Billie Jean for Ridge Prairie, Laurel Liedel are new inductee leaders also. Welcome and please let us know how we can better help you in your new leadership role. Springfield 4-H invites any 4-H club to participate in two local parades on Saturday, December 3 – Elkhorn at 1:00 pm and Lake Geneva at 5:00 pm. Contact Rachelle Haacker for more details and interest at drcs@charter.net or 262-723-3875. We will need walkers and billboard holders as we celebrate the “12 Days of 4-H Christmas”. All clubs encouraged to participate.

Meeting was adjourned following motion by Billie Jean and Laurel Liedel.

Respectfully submitted by Rachelle Haacker
Senior Leaders’ Secretary, 2022 – 2024

**Walworth County 4-H Senior Leaders Association Attendance
Monday, October 24, 2022**

Club	Attendees
Big Foot Pioneers	
Elkhorn	Amber Rodriguez
Flamethrowers	Chelsea Police
Harvesters	Rodney Lee, Nancy Lee
LaGrange	Andrea Rohloff, Jolene Esch
Lake Beulah	Renee Rieck, Darrel Markham, Tracy Urban
Lakeland	Diane DeBaere
Linn	Laura Leedle
Richmond	Tracey Riley, Donna Sherman
Ridge Prairie	Tiffany Schutt
Sharon	Diana Haeberlin, Jennifer & Eddie Schell
Spring Prairie	Paige Morgan, Rick Thomas
Springfield	Vicky Martin, Rita VanSchyndel, Rachelle Haacker
Sugar Creek	Caroline Cornelison
Valley View	
Walworth	Billie Jean Kust
Whitewater	Linda and Laurie Giorno
Guests	
Extension	Janel Heidelmeier



WALWORTH COUNTY 4-H JUNIOR LEADERS

Monday, November 28, 2022 – 7:00 p.m.

County Government Center

AGENDA



OPENING ACTIVITIES

- Call to Order—Xabier Bisabarro-Hudoc
- Pledges—Lucy Ehlen
- Secretary's Report—Eloise Rohloff
- Treasurer's Report--Connor Schell
- Extension Report--Debbie Harris
- Festive Ice Breaker/Game—Eoin Martin

Wear your favorite **holiday-themed** apparel (hat, sweater, PJ's, t-shirt, onesie, etc.) to be eligible for door prizes!

If you'd like to participate in the **Grab Bag Gift Exchange**, bring a new wrapped unisex gift valued at \$6.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Program Plans—Final List for 2023—Caylah Boldt
- Jr/Sr. Leaders' Banquet Wrap-up
- Fall Forum Wrap—Scarlett Klietz, Lily Leedle, Matthew Markham, Judy Rodriguez, Eoin Martin, Xabier Bisabarro-Hudoc
- Other?

NEW BUSINESS

- Cloverbud University—Night #1—Wrap-up
- Future Cloverbud University Opportunities
- New Family Orientation Youth Track Helper Sign-up
- Next Meeting
Ice Breaker: Judy Rodriguez
Program: Small Group Olympics—Judy (Event 1), Xabier (Event 2), Eoin (Event 3)
- Youth Leader & Club Reports
- Other?



ADJOURNMENT

PROGRAM: SUPER SPEEDY HOLIDAY PARTY (Eloise Rohloff, Barley Schell, Scarlett Klietz, and Lucy Ehlen)

NEXT JUNIOR LEADERS' Meeting: Mon., January 23 @ 7 p.m. in the County Govt. Center

Walworth County 4-H Junior Leaders Association Minutes

Monday, October 24, 2022

The Junior Leaders meeting was called to order by President Xabier Bisabarro-Hudoc at 7:06 pm and pledges were led by Lucy Ehlen. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Eloise Rohloff and approved as presented. Connor Schell read the treasurers report. The ending balance was \$34,199.40 in the checking account. The report was approved as presented. The Extension report was given by Debbie Harris. She shared that they are looking for 4-H Camp chaperones for next summer. There is also going to be six Clover University sessions with four workshops each night. The next officer training will be held on December 8th from 6:30pm-8pm. There is a T.H.R.I.V.E. survey that we should fill out from the state 4-H office. She also talked about the ribbons and money situation from not having a Bankers Night and how it would be handled. An icebreaker was led by Eoin Martin.

Unfinished Business

During unfinished business, a sign-up was sent around for icebreakers in 2023. We discussed the program plans for 2023. The sign-up sheet for the Super Speedy Holiday Party was sent around again. We were reminded that the Jr/Sr Leaders Banquet was set for November 13, 2022 @ 1 pm. If we would be there we were encouraged to help with the dollar auction. A motion was made for Senior Leaders to pay \$5 for the officers to go to the banquet by Scarlett Kietz and seconded by Tori Bellrichard. We were also informed that the Fall Forum attendees were paid for.

New Business

In new business, we reviewed the 2022-2023 budget and the motion was made to approve it by Eoin Martin and seconded by Matthew Markham. A motion was also made to move \$10,000 from our account into a Bank CD. Scarlett Kietz made the motion and Lily Leedle seconded. The General Projects Planning Meeting was to be held on October 27th from 6-7:30pm at the County Government Center. We listened to some club reports.

Matthew Markham moved to adjourn the meeting. Scarlett Kietz made the second. Meeting was adjourned at 7:48 pm.

We then had a door prize drawing for those in costumes, made slime, and ate treats.

Respectfully Submitted,
Eloise Rohloff, Secretary

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Big Foot Pioneers	
Elkhorn	Judy Rodriguez
Flamethrowers	
Harvesters	
LaGrange	Eloise Rohloff, Wyatt Esch
Lake Beulah	Matthew Markham, Rosemary Markham, Xabier Bisabarro-Hudoc
Lakeland	
Linn	Lily Leedle
Richmond	
Ridge Prairie	
Sharon	Barley Schell, Connor Schell
Spring Prairie	Lilly Hartmann
Springfield	Eoin Martin
Sugar Creek	
Valley View	
Walworth	
Whitewater	Caylah Boldt, Scarlett Klietz, Torianna Bellrichard
Guests	
Extension	Debbie Harris

