

Union County Fairboard

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Our next Fairboard Meeting is set for Tuesday, June 23, 7:00 p.m. at the Fairgrounds in Alcester.

If you have not taken the survey on Survey Monkey, please do so today. You can find the link to the survey in the email.

Please let me know if you cannot make it to the meeting by emailing [union.county@sdstate.edu](mailto:union.county@sdstate.edu) or calling 356-2321.

Thanks everyone!

  
Janet Lingle  
Fair Manager

**2020 Fair Dates**  
**August 6th-8th**

Union County Fairboard Meeting  
Tuesday, June 9, 2020  
Fairgrounds Alcester

Members present: Dan, Paulette, Trisha, Jennifer, Pat, Bruce, Tom, Gene, Kevin, Darla, John

Staff present: Janet & Lauren

President Bruce call the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Motion by Pat/Tom to approve the minutes of the last meeting, motion carried.

Janet gave the Treasurer's report - \$3,222.23 in the fairboard checking account and \$50,453.39 in the County Budget. Motion by Gene/Darla to approve the treasurer's report, motion carried.

#### New Business

2020 Fair Discussion. Board members discussed options for the 2020 fair. Many of the entertainers had already cancelled with the fair manager, this included the pedal pull, Hit Medleys Musical Group, No Commercial Booths, No Royalty Contest, No Pie or Smile Contest, no Zoomobile. Inflatables would come to the fair, but they do not sanitize the inflatables until the end of each day. Lauren explained where 4-H will be at as of August 1<sup>st</sup>, only 50 people can be in attendance at 4-H events, masks must be worn by 4-H members, leaders, staff, safety person must be assigned and sanitizing methods will be followed etc.

After much discussion, the fairboard decided to wait until after the Leaders Zoom Meeting that will be held tomorrow night June 10<sup>th</sup> and we will see what the leaders decide. Janet will send out an email with a survey to the fairboard members on Friday, June 12th to get the fairboard members vote on one of the following:

1. Cancel the County Fair 2020 100% (no events at all including Tractor Pull)
2. Tractor Pull and County Youth Livestock Show Only
3. Tractor Pull Only

#### Other Business

RR property at the fairgrounds has been offered to the County for purchase. This is lease #1179 with the SD Department of Transportation and Railroad. County Commissioners gave the go ahead to purchase the land.

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Motion by Dan/Gene to adjourn, motion carried.

Janet Lingle  
Union County Fair Manager

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**Fairgrounds, Alcester**

1. Call Meeting to order
  
2. Reading and Approval of Minutes
  
3. Treasurer's Report
  
4. New Business
  - a. County Fair 2020 Survey Results and Discussion/Planning of events if moving forward with any 2020 Event
  
5. Other Business
  
6. Set Next Meeting Date
  
7. Adjournment