March 11, 2009
4-H Leaders Association Meeting
Courthouse

Present:
Travis Williams   Michelle Tummonds
Megan Rutherford   Fred Pelroy-President
Karen Moon-rep to Fair Board   Cathy Ugalde
Tess Casey   Heather Read
Becky Brown   Anne Sheeter
Becky Cunningham   Jeanne A. Hogan
Joanna Corson-Treasurer   Shana Withee-Extension Agent
Sandy Whitmore-Secretary

Fred called the meeting to order at 7:25.
He called for introductions.
Fair Board Meeting: there was nothing to report at this time.
Pledges: Fred led the American and 4-H Pledges.
Treasurer’s Report: accepted
Minutes: Hadn’t been printed out. I (secretary) need to get them to Shana quicker. This
is March 12, 2009 and that is what I am doing now.
Correspondence: None
Business:

Fundraising dinner: 350 steaks, served 335 dinners.
   Half steak portions were sold-Good Idea
   72 auction items vs. about 44 last year
   Plenty of cakes-more than usual
   Bill Buerman won the camera that was raffled off at the dinner.
   Table decorations: 1st Bits and Pieces
      2nd Busy Bunnies
   Top Ticket Sellers: 1st Madison Carson
      2nd Claire Newman
      3rd Layola Bennett
      4th Kalyn Beers

It was suggested by Becky Cunningham that pictures of table decorations would
a good card judging.
4-H Enrollment: 327 vs. 318 last year
Insurance fees still due ($118 in the negative yet)
Buyers appreciation dinner fee and stall fees are due. Can be turned in with
the record books.
Record books are due August 4, 2009 by 5:00 pm
Contest days and judging cards: April 2nd  Makeup: April 21
4-H Memorial Scholarship was due March 1st
   Selection Committee: Fred Pelroy, Joanna Corson, and Micelle
      Tummonds. Shana will find a suitable date for all to meet.
Western Regional Leaders Forum: Shana said was a great experience.
Next year will be in Albuquerque, New Mexico
Bits and Pieces Scrapbook members that attended (Julee Withee and Megan Gini) will give a demonstration at the April meeting.

Steer Tagging: March 14
Rate of gain has to be that day.
10 am Fairgrounds, 1 pm Drewsey, Diamond & Roaring Springs

Community Service Project
Cookies for HC Library summer events

New Leaders Training:
EOLR: March 13, 14, & 15 in La Grande
23 participants signed up and will be at Eastern Oregon University
They will be attending for example: school of nursing, dentistry, art business, etc.
There is a bus and each will pay a fee for that.
Camp Counselor training: April 25 & 26, May 1 & 2
9th grade and older
Babysitter training: June 8-10
SFQ Dog Show: June 13
SFQ Rabbit Show: June 13
SFQ Llama Show: July 17
SFQ Fair Horse Show: July 11—but change will change because it conflicts with 4-H camp. New date is July 25th.

OSU Summer Days: June 24-27
There is a bus available again this year.
4-H Camp: July 7-11 at Lakecreek.
Theme: Rockin & Rollin Hippies
Ranch Horse meeting April 9 at 6:00pm
Auction Committee: April 21 at 6:00 pm
Shana will call state about Ranch Horse Book
Bill Buerman: new owners of Lee’s Custom Cutting.
In May would like to hold a workshop for kids on cutting up various animals. FFA is welcome. Would do individual clubs, also.

OTECC totally replaced lights in the 4-H building and wrote a check $1270. The association paid $19.70 to recycle the old light bulbs.

Motion to adjourn at 8:00: Anne Sheeter moved
Jeanne 2nd
All approved.

Respectively submitted:

Sandy Whitmore, Secretary