The December 9, 2009 meeting of the Union County Home Economics Leaders was called to order by Sherry Nantz at 5:30 pm with 8 people in attendance. Those present were: Jhavanna Shaw, Darla Thompson, Robin Gerber, Kimi Durning, Kelly Anderes, Sherry Nantz, Tiffany Shaw, and Beth Longwell.

New leader Kimi Durning was introduced to the group. She was a 4-H leader in Idaho. Her club is named “Critters of Gold.” She does a little bit of everything from, Lamas, Rabbits, Sheep, Sewing, Knitting, Etc. She is in the Summerville area. Resources Call 541-534-4018

Minutes read from September 9th meeting by Robin Gerber.

1. REVIEWS
   **Food Contest:** Laurie Graves is on this committee, she has done some revision on it. But she was unable to attend tonight. We will review progress at next meeting.
   Suggestions from group for her updating:
   a. Prep-Time/Judge-Time, refer to Robin Gerber. There was a brief discussion about possibly having a prep area where contestants can be getting ready as others are finishing.
   b. Guidelines for judges - timeline allowance?

   **Sewing Skills:**
   a. Criteria needed.
   - This needs to be done for County Level only as this is not a state contest.
   - Possible Guidelines could include: Timelines for completion of contests, dress codes, etc.
   - Protocol Judges Sheet is being updated by Robin Gerber & Jhavanna Shaw for next meeting to be approved, worked on, and or passed.
2. FAIR SCHEDULE
   a. Fashion Revue Is OPEN for business!!!!!! The design is already being discussed. If you are interested in this for a Senior Project or anything else, please Call Jhavanna Shaw. 541-963-2017

   b. Discussion on the new time schedules for fair contests. People seemed to like the new times. The evening Fashion Revue was good. There were more entries in the Favorite Foods Contest than in the past. Cake Decorating saw some growth as well. Both of these contests are open to all 4-Hers.

3. OTHER
   Make it with wool: Tiffany Shaw gave us a “What happened” at the event. Union County had 5 participants. Emily Patterson received runner up in her category. We brought home new wool materials. Need to write THANK YOU letters. The class is already looking forward to next year.

   Robin Gerber is having a sleep over Dec 12-13. 10:00 a.m. Saturday to Noon on Sunday. There will be fabrics from donated sources free for the taking for any interested students. This is open to anyone.

4. NEXT MEETING
   March 10th, 2010, 5:30 p.m.