

**Sanborn County 4-H Leaders Meeting
January 7, 2009, 4-H Building, Forestburg**

The Sanborn County 4-H Leaders met on January 7, 2009 at the 4-H Building in Forestburg. President Stacy Zoss called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. Also present were Vickie Hines, Velma Kneen, Pam Moore, Kathy Zoss, Janet Edwards and Irene Graves, Extension Educator/Agronomy.

The flag pledges were recited.

Secretary's report: It was moved and seconded to dispense with the reading of the report. Motion carried. The minutes were approved as presented.

Treasurer's report: Vickie Hines presented the treasurer's report with balances as follows: Checking - \$744.59, Savings - \$3927.60, CD - \$1677.13 and Jr. Leaders - \$396.00. It was moved and seconded to approve the treasurer's report as presented. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. **Central Electric Supper:** The Central Electric Supper for January 8 was discussed. It was decided to set up tables and chairs after the meeting.
2. **Leaders Christmas Party:** It was decided to schedule a summertime get-together rather than a Christmas party.
3. **Store room shelves.** Velma is taking care of getting shelves for the store room at the 4-H building. The sewing machines will be brought to the 4-H building store room sometime soon.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. **Rate of Gain Weigh In's:** The Kid to Calf Connection and market beef weigh in is scheduled for February 13 at the Jerry Moore residence with a February 16 back-up date. Final weigh in will be June 15th at the Moore's. Pig and sheep will weigh in on May 2nd at 8:30 am at the 4-H center. COOL (Complying youth livestock project of origin labeling) must be completed on all purchased livestock.
2. **Scheduling:** The following events are scheduled.
 - Shooting Sports – Begin Sunday, January 4th and continue every Sunday from 3-6 pm
 - Horse Safety Day – May 20th, 9 am – Safety, 11 am – Fun Day
 - County Horse Show – July 7th, Pictures at 8 am, Show at 8:30 am
 - State Horse Show – July 21-23 in Huron
 - Achievement Days set for August 14-15 after much discussion.
 - 2009 4-H insurance forms due March 15th
3. **Photography Project:** The revised Photography Project guidelines were presented and discussed.
4. **SARE Youth Grants:** Irene discussed the SARE Youth Grants that are available.
5. The next meeting will be February 16th at 6:30 pm with host: Town and Kountry Kids

Acting Secretary, Janet Edwards