**Minutes of a Meeting of the Harlingen South FFA**

**November 2, 2021**

**Call to order: 6:01**

**Roll: 39 members / 0 guests**

**Minutes: read by Naelynn Jimenez**

**Treasure’s Report: read by Alexandra Trejo**

**Committee Reports**

**\*Chapter Recruitment: none**

**\*Leadership: Leadership camp for junior FFA members is being planned**

**Environmental: none**

**New Business**

**Swine validation:** Validation will take place November 10th from 4-6pm at the HCISD ag barn. A parent must accompany you to validation, if your parent is unable to attend a parental waver must be signed and turned in to an AG teacher prior to validation.

**Major show entry deadline:** All major show entries must be turned in to Mr. Guerra November 12th by 4pm. The entry form, payment, and Quality Counts must all be turned in. Please do not forget to account for gate and parking passes when completing your entry forms.

**RGVLS Gala:** This is a community service opportunity open to any FFA member in high school. Volunteer form can be picked up from Ms.Rike and the completed form turned in by November 15th to the RGV livestock show office. The date for the Gala event is December 4th 5:30 to 10pm. You can work the whole event or a beginning or ending shift.

**Prospect shows:**

* November 13th - All species Showmanship Clinic at the RGVLS grounds.
* December 11th - The Cowboy Classic (all species) at the RGVLS grounds. Animals will be hauled to this show by AG teachers - must sign up for hauling using the link sent out via remind. Entry payment collected day of show.
* December 18th - The Christmas Classic (swine only) at the RGVLS grounds. Animals will be hauled to this show by AG teachers - must sign up for hauling using the link sent out via remind. Send entry money to the address provided on the entry.

**Rabbit/ poultry purchase:** $55 /rabbit order must be a minimum of 4 rabbits and chickens will be $85 for 50 chickens purchase money will be due to an AG teacher by November 19th.

**Horticulture:** Rules and categories were distributed to the students interested in showing a horticulture project. All plants have to be in the exhibitor’s possession by December 10th. The first photo of the plant must be taken on or before December 10th. If you further questions, see Ms. Rike.

**Veterinary Science CDE**: The veterinary science CDE is a contest that test your veterinary knowledge, contest includes an ID portion, exam, and practicum. If interested study materials can be picked up November 3rd in Rm. 502. The exam to make the team will be given on November 12th in Rm 502 at 4:15pm.

**Thanksgiving Box:** The chapter voted to do the following community service project for South families in need. We will be collected the sides and fixings to donate to four South families in need. If interested in donating any of the needed items, please see Ms. Rike. ALL donations will need to be delivered to Rm.502 by November 17th.

**CCFLS and RGVLS pageant:** The chapter voted for their representatives for the Cameron County Livestock Show Cowgirl contest:

3rd-5th grade - Sophia Cavazos

6th-8th grade - Addison Enriquez, Landry Mitchell

9th -11th grade - Kylie Mitchell, and Alex Trejo

Our Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show Covergirl representative will be Alex Trejo.

**Tip O Tex, CCFLS, and RGVLS entries**: Entry forms for the local shows were handed out at this meeting. All entries, money will be due December 7th – NO EXCEPTION.

**Newsletter/ Member of the Month:** The member of the month was Matthew Santamaria! Please use the link sent out via remind to view the newsletter.

**Adjournment:** 6:38pm