

CHELAN COUNTY 4-H LEADERS' COUNCIL MINUTES

September 15, 2020

In attendance: Michelle Lain, Katrina Bell-Lynch, Brett Lynch, Hilary Richmond, Justin Pulliam, Linda Simon

Michelle said there were only a couple of entries for the Virtual Showcase, so she and Stephanie Smith decided to keep it open until the end of September (the 30th). They will advertise that and ask leaders to encourage members to put in some entries.

The County Awards Night will be virtual. It was decided to do a video and post it on our Facebook page and as a private YouTube video. The thought was to introduce an award and then flip through "slides" of the winners. We could ask parents to take a picture of the member when they got the actual award and then put the picture on Facebook. The plan is to have the video included in the Friday update on Nov. 20.

A lot of families have already asked for help with membership fees for the 2020/2021 year. The fee is \$10 county fee plus \$25 state fee, for a total of \$35. Michelle asked about dropping the county fee for this year. Since there already is a policy for helping those in need, it was decided to stay with that. There is a form to fill out and the family pays the \$10 county fee and the Leaders' Council pays the \$25 state fee. It will be put in the Friday update that help is available.

Katrina made a motion to make \$1800 of funds not used this year to be available for families in need. Seconded and passed.

The awards to be given this year will be for Demonstrations, Record Books and Scholarships. Record Books are due Oct. 13. Only age group books will be judged. Michelle will ask for a waiver for leaders to meet to judge the books.

Katrina suggested making a video of pictures of the 4-H year to add to the Virtual Showcase. These could be pictures of activities that members and clubs did this past year.

The next meeting will be Monday Oct. 12 at 7pm.

Submitted by Linda Simon