

New Castle County 4-H Leaders Association  
May 23, 2022

President Kim Klair called the May 23, 2022 New Castle County 4-H Leaders virtual and live meeting to order at 7:00pm.  
All said the 4-H and American pledges.

The Secretary report was reviewed. The treasurer's report indicates the following balances: Checking = \$1810.76, Savings = \$8952.00.

Motion to accept the secretary and treasurer's reports:

Motion: Brenda Ebling

Second: Richard Melson

Agent Update:

- The Leader's Forum was cancelled due to low registrations.
- Please check your club leader lists for accurate State Fair passes. See the email from Kaitlin for details. Deadline is Friday June 23.
- Set up of the 4-H building for the 2022 Delaware State Fair is scheduled for Monday July 11. We need older, stronger members to help with this, as the work is heavy and dirty as we set up the display areas.
- Sussex County and New Castle County will partner with a float for the State Fair parade. The Jr. Councils will be working on this.
- The NCC Leaders Association will be serving at the Farm Bureau food booth on Saturday July 23, 3:00pm until close (around 11:00pm)
- The New Castle County 4-H Achievement Event will be held on Sunday October 2, 2022 at the Star Campus auditorium. Record book training is at the NCC 4-H office on Monday August 22.

Old Business:

1. Ag Day was a great success! We sold out of Hamburgers. All leftovers will be donated to the NCC 4-H Links for their food booth at the NCC Livestock Show. Many NCC 4-H clubs had educational booths in the Extension tent. This was well received.
2. We have 2 NCC 4-Hers who have submitted State 4-H Record Books:
  - a. Gabe Trunfio
  - b. Melanie Witte
3. Our 4-H Litter Barrel contest was a great success. Check the June newsletter for the contest results.
4. Fifty-four Delaware 4-Hers participated in the Delaware Legislative Day. This was wonderful.
5. The NCC Links are looking for more donations for their Food Booth at the NCC 4-H Livestock show on June 11 at the DE State Fairgrounds.
6. YQCA training must be completed by all 4-Hers who are exhibiting market animals at the Delaware State Fair.

7. There were 7 participants for the NCC Demonstration Contest.
8. Judging Make-ups had only 1 participant. There was much discussion regarding how to increase participation. This is a concern in all three counties.

New Business:

9. May 24, Livestock Weigh ins, Fairgrounds, 5-8. This is the last one.
10. May 26, Dairy judging, Greenwood, 6:30
11. May 30, NCC Office closed for Memorial Day
12. May 31, Poultry Judging Qualifier Kent County 4-H office at 6:30pm
13. June 1 Delaware State Fair entries deadline closes.
14. June 3, Livestock Judging, DSF, 6:30
15. June 4, NCC Livestock Show, Delaware State Fairgrounds.
16. June 10-12, State 4-H Environmental Camp, Camp Barnes
17. June 13-18, First week State 4-H Camp, live and in person! - Camp Barnes
18. June 20-25, Second week State 4-H Camp, Camp Barnes
19. June 20-25, Newark Day Camp/Cloverbud Camp/CIT Camp-training, Townsend Hall
20. July 4, NCC 4-H Offices closed for holiday July 11, State Fair 4-H building cleanup/setup
21. July 15, Fair entries due to NCC 4-H office by 3:00 if you want them transported to the 4-H building.
22. July 18, all Non-perishable Fair entries are due to the 4-H building, 3-6 pm.
23. July 20, Food/Vegetable, garden entries are due to NCC Office by 3:00 if you want them transported to the 4-H building
24. July 21, Food/Vegetable, garden entries to fair grounds 8:30-11:00
25. July 21-31, Delaware State Fair
26. The NCC Leaders Association will be volunteering in the Farm Bureau Booth at the Delaware State Fair on July 23, 3:00pm until close. Please sign up to help!

SHARING:

- Maureen shared a spray paint activity that was done at her class she teaches. The student is willing to come to clubs and train others on the process.
- The Health and Wellness ambassadors and Meadow-Larks did the "Can-geneering" for the Delaware Food Bank.
- Summit Bridge 4-H Club had their meeting at the Delaware Food Bank and the members participated in an activity there. This was in partnership with the Master Gardeners.

Motion to adjourn was made by Richard Melson and seconded by Sarah Berninger.

The meeting adjourned at 8:02pm

Our next meeting will be **Monday, August 22, 2022 at 7:00pm** at the NCC 4-H office. This will be live.

Respectfully Submitted:  
Marian Harvey