

Middlecreek Valley Antique Association Inc.

Special Meeting

Date held: December 4, 2012

Began: 7:34 PM

Mike Lessman Presiding

There were 14 Members and 5 guests in attendance.

Secretary's report from the previous meeting was read and a motion to accept was made by: Ira Lessman, 2nd by: Kenny Frymoyer, Motion carried.

This meeting was opened to discuss the May show and the Dairy Princess Pageant and other activities.

It was mentioned that the Beaver Fair Queen may come if the dates work out.

Penny the cow will be picked up at the Farm Show Complex. It was also mentioned that 2 live cows might be brought to the show for milking contests.

It was also mentioned that there might be a celebrity milking contest.

We then discussed the ice cream sundaes. It would work better for us if it was held on the Sunday of the show. Discussed if the ice cream could be purchased from Sam Yoder. It was mentioned that Sam's ice cream is a soft serve ice cream and the ice cream that is used for the sundae needs to be hard.

The next discussion was the cow milking contest. It will be held the Friday of the show. They would like to get 5 groups of 10 people. They are working on getting Representative Fred Keller, the County Commissioners, local radio station personalities and some folks from the Daily Item to participate.

Discussed trying to get the local FFA Chapters from the area schools to come to the show as well. It was mentioned that any FFA activities would probably need to be done on Friday because there would be a bigger turn out of students. They could use that day as a field trip.

Also discussed getting a tent for the activities. It was mentioned that the tent should be up for all three days of the show. Also needed are tables and chairs. It was mentioned that 6-8 tables would be needed and also some chairs for some of the activities. We have chairs in the barn that could be used.

It was suggested having a wagon backing contest. Need to see if the FFA would be in charge of this event.

It was also suggested having a straw bale maze, bean bag toss and other games.

It was suggested putting in our brochure about a kid's activity tent for Friday and Saturday.

It was suggested that the Farm Bureau can do the activities on Saturday which would include cheese tasting.

It was also discussed having a farm safety event which would be coordinated with a local Fire Company.

It was mentioned that they are trying to get 2 radio stations to come to the show.

Also, we are still in the process of trying to get a petting zoo.

It was also mentioned that the 4-H is looking into doing dairy trivia, dairy jeopardy and other games.

Discussed the events and how we could advertise them. It was suggested that Friday would be FFA day, the Farm Bureau and the Dairy Princess Pageant would be Saturday and Sunday would be 4-H day.

It was asked if there is a pa system that would be available for the tent area. We do have a portable pa system that they could use.

Discussed the ice cream sundaes again. If it was done on Sunday, it was suggested trying it at 1 PM. This is still open for discussion.

It was mentioned that a camper could be used for the girls to change in and they could also use it for the pageant interviews.

Ray Hummel mentioned that he is looking into a group called the Morgan Family for \$575.00 for the entertainment for Saturday night.

It was suggested that they could play music until 7 PM and then we could have the Dairy Princess Pageant and then they could play music again.

It was also suggested contacting the Puppin Meister Productions and let them know what is going on and see if they would like to come back to the show to do their puppet shows.

At 8:50 PM, Kenny Frymoyer made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by: Ira Lessman, Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Michael Clark, Secretary