

## **Kiel FFA Alumni and Supporters Meeting December 19, 2022**

**PRESENT:** Scott Schweitzer, Jodi Kautzer, Ross Bender, Mike Joas, Abigail Winkel, David Mueller, Emmy Hastreiter, Sam Lensmire, Zach Lensmire and MyKayla Bell.

**ABSENT:** Ross Westhalen and Jon Braun.

President Scott Schweitzer called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm.

**CONSENT AGENDA:** The Secretary and Treasurer's reports were sent out prior to the meeting. Advisor's report given by Emmy Hastreiter. She reported Parliamentary Procedure practice has started. Chapter meeting is tomorrow night and activities include movie night and gift exchange. Evan Mennen, Section 9 State Officer visited with Emmy's classes today. The visit went well. Consent agenda approval made by Zach seconded by Abigail. Consent agenda motion approved.

### **DISCUSSION AGENDA:**

**FFA REPORT-FFA OFFICER:** MyKayla Bell reported \$250 of toys were donated to The Toys For Tots program, which was evenly distributed between Zielanis and the Middle School collection boxes. Officers will be ringing bells for the Salvation Army over the holiday break. December's life skill was how to wrap a gift. The Half-Time Conference is being held January 14-15, MyKayla Bell and Emily Mueller will be attending. LDE and CDE practices will be starting soon. The March 1 School Board presentation that the FFA will be presenting continues to be worked on.

**NUT & BOLT SALE, NOVEMBER 28th-DECEMBER 2nd:** It was reported that the profit was over \$3,000 and the check will be issued in January.

**ALUMNI CONVENTION 2023, FEBRUARY 3rd-5th, WAUKESHA:** No update.

**ALUMNI CONVENTION 2024-February 9th and 10th-OSHKOSH:** Kiel and Brillion are responsible for registration. No other updates.

**FUNDRAISERS FOR 2023:** Scott reported that the brat fry can be held at ACE Hardware on May 13. The spring auction will be held at the golf outing as a silent auction. Zach will book the golf outing for July 22 at Miller's Glen in Howards Grove. A silent auction and 50/50 raffle will be planned in conjunction with the golf outing. Sam will work on getting a raffle license. No update needed on mum sale. On-Line auction will be tabled until after the golf outing. The nut and bolt fundraiser will continue for the same time period as in the past.

**CHOCOLATE MILK GIVEAWAYS:** Julie Mauer contacted Emmy about providing chocolate milk for after school extra co-curricular activities. A cooler is stocked with chocolate milk and is unlocked after school and then locked up after co-curricular activities are completed for students to fuel up. Denmark school currently has this available to students and it is very popular. It costs approximately \$650/month for the milk expense. Donations from area businesses will be

requested to fund activity. Emmy will contact Denmark for more information to get activity started.

**ALUMNI OUTING:** Tabled until January.

**OTHER BUSINESS:** Abigail continues to work with Jamie regarding FFA Alumni clothing. Mike brought up where the safe should be kept, it will be kept in Emmy's office. Ross B. suggested setting up goals. Goal setting will be put on the January agenda.

**NEXT MEETING DATE:** January 30, 2023 at 7pm at Kiel High School

Motion made by Jodi and seconded by Ross B. to adjourn meeting at 7:55 pm.