Collegiate 4-H Meeting Minutes
January 23, 2014
WSLR 116, 6 p.m.

Call to Order & Welcome  Austin Guoli

Pledges
- American  Holly Kyler
- 4-H  Chris Bueckers

Old Business
Secretary’s Report – Jessyca Allen

Treasurer’s Report – Grace Mears  Our current balance is $3696.72
- Purdue Collegiate 4-H Club Dues
  - $10 for the Semester; $15 for the year (if you were a member last semester)

Ag Council Report – Chris Bueckers
- The last Ag Council meeting was yesterday, Wednesday, January 22
- The Hot Chocolate social is January 29. Clubs need to RSVP by tomorrow if they would like a table. Clubs that participate receive points through the Ag Council points system.
- The campus shooting was addressed at the meeting. They encouraged us to discuss what happened with our club. Many people continue to have strong feelings about what happened, and if you do too and would like to speak to someone please contact Chris at cbuecker@purdue.edu.

New Business
Clothing Orders – Grace Mears
- Clothing orders are in and ready to be picked up. If you have not paid, please do so!

Murdock Afterschool Program – Lydia Smith
- Murdock Afterschool Program is similar to an intro program to 4-H. Collegiate 4-H members have an opportunity to volunteer with the kids each week at Murdock Elementary School. A sign up sheet was passed around to determine when those who are interested are available, so a day can be set for the semester.
- Find or email Lydia (sm1416@purdue.edu) if you are interested in getting involved! Those interested will need to pass a background check to be approved to be a volunteer with the Lafayette School Corporation. Those who have previously been approved do not need to reapply.

Tri-County High School Carnival – Austin Guoli, February 22
- Tri-County High School will host a Parent Teacher Organization Carnival on Saturday, February 22. There will be games, a bounce house, drawings and concessions. The event will be from 4:30-7:30pm and they are looking for volunteers for 1-hour shifts, or for the entire event. More information will be available at future meetings.

Intramural and Social Events – Alyssa Hudson
- The club currently has a wallyball team for intramurals. The first game was Wednesday night and the team won! We play every Wednesday night at 10:15pm. Next week, we will play on racquetball court 7 in the co-rec.
- If you don’t know what wallyball is, essentially it is a game of volleyball played in a racquetball room. If you want to join, sign up on this site and come play!
National Collegiate 4-H Conference – Cullen Johnson Penn State, March 6th–8th, 2014

- The National Collegiate 4-H Conference is Thursday, March 6th at 3pm to March 8th at 10:30am at the Penn Stater Conference Center Hotel. Registration is $125.
- Hotel costs are as follows, per person, for both nights:
  - One Participant Per Room= $220
  - Two Participants Per Room= $120
  - Three Participants Per Room= $86.67
  - Four Participants Per Room= $70
- Workshops include how to effectively use social media, teambuilding, group dynamics, 4-Health the smoothie way, marketing and branding, and how to teach a workshop. There are five different tours to choose from, a night on the town and many speakers to hear from.
- If you are interested in attending, contact Cullen at john1053@purdue.edu.

Social Media – Missy Welsh

- More people could be posting on our Twitter page, @Purdue4H. Our Facebook group is now going to be decommissioned, and everybody is to just use the Facebook page.

Hot Chocolate Social – Austin Guoli, January 29th

- The Ag Council Hot Chocolate Social will be Wednesday, January 29th at 5:30pm. The cost is $25 to have a table. Nicole Mudrack moved that we pay the $25 to participate in the Social and Katelin Ade seconded the motion. The club voted and the motion passed by popular vote.
- It is tradition for each club to provide a topping/ingredient for the hot chocolate. There was discussion regarding what our club would provide. It was decided that we would offer Andes mints. A sign up sheet will be sent out so members can represent the club at our table during the social.

Bowling – Austin Guoli, January 30th

- The officers had decided last semester that the club would go bowling Thursday, January 30th. A good number of members showed interest in going. We would need to determine how much shoe rental and lanes would cost on a Thursday night to determine what portion the club will pay.

Ice Skating – Austin Guoli, February 7th

- The officers had had also discussed last semester that the club would go ice-skating Friday, February 7th. There was some interest among members to go, so we are planning on 7pm that night.

Officer Trainings – Holly Kyler

- The first officer training is coming up! We will be having an “officer training training” at the next meeting. To sign up for officer trainings, use this Doodle poll.
  - February 1st—Lawrence County (team building workshop, not officer training)
  - February 13th—Marshall County
  - February 15th—Decatur County
  - February 17th—Monroe County
  - February 18th—Jasper County
  - February 19th—LaPorte County
  - February 24th—Pulaski County
  - February 25th—Searcy County
  - February 27th—White County
  - March 4th—Miami County
  - March 5th—Cass County
  - March 6th—Elkhart County
  - March 26—Benton County

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**Spring Fest – Nicole Mudrack**, April 12th–13th, 10am-4pm
  - As a club, we usually participate in Purdue’s Spring Fest by having gold fish races and a booth with the National 4-H Science Project. There will be opportunities to volunteer in shifts either day with both activities.

**Spring Retreat – Nicole Mudrack**, April 5th
  - The Spring Retreat is tentatively scheduled for April 5th. It will be similar to the retreat that was held in the fall. If you want to be on the committee to plan it, look out for an email from Nicole!

**Spring Semester Meeting Dates**
  - Thursday, January 23rd—Callout
  - Thursday, February 6th
  - Thursday, February 20th
  - Thursday, March 6th
  - Thursday, April 3rd
  - Thursday, April 17th

**Ball State Collegiate 4-H Fundraiser for St. Vincent Children’s Hospital – Austin Guoli**
  - Ball State Collegiate 4-H is looking for donations for St. Vincent Children’s Hospital. We will need to decide as a club if we will be making a donation, if so how much and what kind of fundraiser we will have to raise the money.

**Purple Up Day for OMK – Holly Kyler**, Tuesday, April 15th
  - Purple Up Day is in honor of military kids and all branches of the military. It will be held on Tuesday, April 15th. Ryan wants to know if we could do something on Memorial Mall to commemorate the day. And don’t forget to wear purple!

**FFA Judging Day – Steve**, January 25th
  - This Saturday is the State FFA Judging Day for meats, dairy, forestry, entomology and crops. They are looking for help, so if you are interested please tell Steve.

**Suits and Sneakers Awareness Weekend – Alyssa**, January 25th
  - The Big Ten Network will join the American Cancer Society in support of Suits and Sneakers Awareness Weekend this weekend. The university with the most students “suited up” will receive a $10,000 donation to the school’s Relay for Life Initiative.
  - If you are attending this weekend’s basketball game against Wisconsin, be sure to wear some sort of business wear, even if it’s just khaki pants, and visit the specified check-in station before the second half of the game to be counted!

Katelin Motioned to Adjourn the Meeting, Sean Tormoehlen Seconded the Motion – Austin Guoli Adjourned the Meeting at 7:12pm.

**Important Dates**
  - Hot Chocolate Social— **Wednesday, January 29th**
  - Next Club Meeting – **Thursday, February 6th**, 6pm, WSLR 116
  - Bowling – **Thursday, January 30th**
  - Ice Skating – **Friday, February 7th**
  - Spring Retreat– **Saturday, April 5th**
  - National Collegiate 4-H Invitational – **Penn State, March 6th–8th, 2014**
Additional Dates of Interest

- FFA Judging Day – Saturday, January 25th
- Suits and Sneakers Awareness Weekend – Saturday, January 25th
- Tri-County High School PTO Carnival – Thursday, February 22nd 4:30-7:30pm
- Spring Fest – Saturday, April 12th & Sunday, April 13th 10am-4pm
- Purple Up Day for OMK – Tuesday, April 15th