Minutes
Arkansas State Sheep Council
May 6, 2012
Arkansas Spring Show

The meeting was called to order by President, Denise Trotter

The previous meeting minutes were passed out and for review then approved.

Treasurer’s Report – Denise reported for Mrs. Wanda, balance of $1912.27, there were no questions and approved.

ABL Report – Suzie Wright registered 40 today at show. 198 tags have been sold. Tags are 1yr tags. If lost there will be a replacement cost. Everyone thanked Mrs. Suzie for all her hard work.

ABL Online Sale – Cindy Kendrick reported first sale went well. 14 of 19 lots sold with 7 breeders participating and the gross was $4700.00. Consensus was everyone seemed happy with sale. Cindy proposed to charge per head with funds going to council scholarship. Discussion among members and breeders. **Motion was made** to charge $10 per head in place of $10 per breeder, **motion passed**. Discussion about pictures and shaving of lambs listed for sale for future online sales. **Motion was made** to have 2 views of lambs in future sales, **motion passed**. Everyone thanked Cindy for organizing the sale this year.

New Business:

District Shows – Discussion concerning the loss of sponsorship for district show awards. It was decided that a district director needed to attend and help run the ABL portion of show. These directors would also be in charge of getting sponsorships for awards for said district. Directors as follows – Jonesboro, Sherri Sanders – Pine Bluff, Mike Reynolds – Harrison, Rick Hale – Hope, Ron Bingham – Ft. Smith, Denise Trotter –Melbourne, Chad Moody ? (needs to be confirmed)

Major Sponsorships – Mike Reynolds begin discussion concerning sponsorships for State ABL Grand and Reserve. Members discussed. Motion was made to find a corporate sponsor for Grand and Reserve if found then current allocated money goes to ABL classes for payout. Motion seconded. Mike will be in charge with help from council for sponsorship.

District Banners / Jackets – Mrs. Wanda sent message via Mike to read to council. Due to lost sponsorship banners and jackets need to be funded. Banners run about $18 and Jackets about $80. Discussion among council. **Motion was moved and seconded**, $150 be sponsored for
Grand and $100 for Reserve to cover banners and jackets at district fairs. Sponsors names will be put on jackets. District directors in charge of getting sponsorships.

Meeting adjourned

The next meeting of ASSC will be held following weigh-in at State Fair.

AJSC meeting followed

Called to order by President, Denise Trotter

Members elected officers:

Pres. – Morgan Scroggin
V.Pres. – Zack Kendrick
Sec. – Kinsey Watkins

Treas. – Tyler Norwood
Rep. – Halee Akridge
Awards Chair – Kinder Harlow

President Scroggin took over meeting

Kinsey had officers give her their contact information and she will create a email list to keep everyone updated. She will also keep AJSC facebook page updated.

Halee will stay in contact with Kinsey to report any member updates, shows, etc. She will also submit information to Cindy Kendrick for the ASSC webpage.

Discussion on Jump Start Camp, Kinsey passed around notepad for members that could volunteer to help at camp. Cindy Kendrick had been contacted, the camp could be at the Marshall fairgrounds free of charge. It will be for 2 days in June. More details to be sent out later.

Fundraiser – fundraisers were discussed to help fund awards. A bake sale was discussed during state fair show. Tyler mentioned a raffle for a showbox or clippers or something that members could sell during the year and have the drawing at the State Fair. Tyler will talk to sponsors about donations. Also mentioned was selling cold drinks at the camp.

Meeting was adjourned

Officers will meet again at camp next month