

Crook County Cattle Women Minutes | January

The January 2016 meeting was called to order at 12:38pm with the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer at the Devils Tower Golf Course in Hulett, Wyoming. All who attended were Denise Wagner, Minnie Williams, Criss Crozier, Sarah Striver, Lauren Clark, Roxie Dacar, Barb Davis, Hannah Ista, Janet Jensen, Donna Willey, Barbara Clark, Evelyn Hejde, Ruth Ann Collins, and Margaret Ellsbury.

Janet Jensen talked about a Benefit for Kristi Dobesh on February 13, at 8pm at the Hair Gallery Styling Salon in Belle Fourche, SD.

Treasurer's Report - Margaret Ellsbury

(No November or December Meetings)

Last meeting balance: \$2,958.85 October 27, 2015

\$4,472.32 Three CDs

Total: \$7,431.17

Paid out: \$25.00 Cash for the State Presidents Gift,

\$26.00 to Four Seasons for two dinners for the entertainment,

\$50.00 to Opal Oudin for rent the Sundance Senior Center,

\$96.00 to Sundance Times for the Ad for Thanksgiving,

\$63.00 to the Post Office for Stamps and postcards

\$48.25 to the Sundance Times for displaying the napkin ad,

Total Paid Out: \$308.25

Deposits: \$40.00 Dues for eight

\$240.00 Napkins, Margaret Ellsbury

\$36.00 Christmas party meals

\$232.00 Craft Fair Napkin Sales from Barbara Clark

\$110.00 Napkins and cards - Minnie Williams

\$286.00 Napkins

\$6.00 Bandanas Minnie Williams

\$70.00 Note cards bought from Barbara Clark

\$7.00 Placemats Minnie Williams

\$5.00 Dues

Total Deposits: \$1032.00

Three CD's \$4472.32

Bank Balance on January 19, 2016 \$3,682.60

Total Balance: \$8,154.92

Correspondence

Bills- No Bills

Committee Reports

- **Ag Expo:** Mary Heinert working on the Expo from Florida! Lauren Clark talked about the Crockpot classes. Having a hard time getting the funding from Grass Roots. Barbara Clark will donate three Crockpots and recipe books. Criss Crozier mentioned Vicki Hamen in the Extension Office in Newcastle, WY. Janet Jensen made a motion and Minnie Williams seconded for CC Cattle Women to help fund Crockpot classes and not go through Grass Roots for funding.
- **Legislative:** Lauren Clark – Billy Jack Terhune is no longer a threat to local society!
- **Membership:** Margaret Ellsbury – Mailed 40 Post cards for dues. If you need State Dues Applications, there are some on the State Website. www.wyocattlewomen.org
- **Publicity:** Janet, Paper, Email, Radio, Facebook

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- Courtesy: Donna Willey, please call her if anything needs to be sent out.
- Historian: Opal - Working on the scrapbook.

Old Business

Minnie Williams gave a report on the 75 pounds of food donated on the behalf of the C.C. Cattle Women from our 2015 Christmas Party in Sundance, WY. There was 28 cans total cans of non-perishable food items donated by CCW. Moorcroft, Sundance and Hulett all got an estimated 25 cans.

Janet Jensen gave a report on the turn out of the Christmas Party. Chuck Larsen did a great job being our entertainment. He did a wonderful job with his Cowboy Poetry. Jeanette left her decorations and Janet Jensen, Opal Oudin, Linda and Chuck Larsen, Mary and Everett Heinert helped decorate. Margaret took the money at the door. Four Seasons catered and said it was very hard to cater because there was no use of the Senior Citizens kitchen. Well attended with 43 people. Linda worked hard on the favors also.

The ad in the paper for announcing the napkin bundles at the Country Cottage was too expensive. To keep our name out there is important. KOA, Villa's Pharmacy, WBar, Trading Post.... Donna made a motion to buy different colors for different occasions. Roxy Seconded, MOTION PASSED. Also, more items to sell- mugs, pens, etc. Committee for Advertising with the napkins/note cards is Hannah Ista, Donna Willey and Roxy Dacar. Possible bundles could be Mugs with a coffee sampler, Note cards with pens, all wrapped in cellophane.

New Business

The Crook County Cattle Women have an Associate Membership drive in March and April. Committee: Roxy Dacar and Criss Crozier to design brochure. Janet Jensen would like it the brochure would include how the funds are used. Plan something like an event to collect dues. Coffee and Pie in the afternoon, (possibly 3pm) in the different towns to bring in associate member to pay dues?? The public don't really comprehend what we're asking; they just come for the pie and coffee and leave without paying their dues. When dues are mailed in, possibly be taken a gift, window Clings, possibly a mug, or have them made up and trade them: dues for gifts...

Minnie Williams motioned that CCCW need a website, Roxy Dacar seconded it, MOTION PASSED. Then both websites and Facebook needs to be in the brochure.

Adjourned at 1:23pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Hannah Ista

Next Meeting planned for 11:30am the Ponderosa Café in Hulett, Wyoming.