

TWHS Booster Club Meeting Minutes – April 2, 2025

Welcome: 6:31 PM

Board Updates:

- Chis Soucy (President) is out of town, Gina Soucy (Secretary) will be leading tonight's meeting.
- At the end of tonight's meeting, we will be voting in the new 2025-2026 board.
- Senior Buckles
 - Rory Turcotte reported that the buckles are in and them out to the seniors.
 - We are so proud of our FFA seniors. They have all had different journeys and participated in different ways and tonight we want to reward them with their senior buckle.
- Senior Scholarships
 - o Can be found on our website twhsffa.org
 - Applications are due by April 14th
 - Seniors will need to write an essay and have 2 recommendation letters that they can upload
- Banquet Updates
 - Sabrina reported that planning is going well
 - Food Options
 - Quotes for 125
 - Senior Tables
 - Families will probably need to bring their own 6' table.
 - o Members agreed on a \$35 ticket price for the banquet.
 - Shaun Castillo is setting up our ticket sales

- Montgomery County Fair begins this weekend
 - Pigs
 - Moving in on 4-3 and showing on 4-4
 - Non-livestock
 - All categories show on either 4-4 or 4-5
 - Heifers
 - Moving in on 4-5 and showing on 4-6
 - Lambs
 - Moving in on 4-5 and showing on 4-6
 - Rabbits
 - Moving in and showing on 4-7
 - Goats
 - Moving in on 4-7 and showing on 4-8
 - Steers
 - Moving in on 4-7 and showing on 4-8
 - Gina communicated ideas for groups to get together and decide how they want to do breakfasts, lunches, and dinners.

Treasurer Report:

- Ryan reported that we are doing well with our budget. We will be leaving the next board in really good shape.
 - Expenses not on the current budget sheet include
 - Senior buckles
 - Upcoming banquet expenses
- Ryan also reported that work on the trailer has started and that all materials needed will be bought in the next month or so

Chapter Report:

- Amariah Rodriguez Student Advisor gave the chapter report tonight
 - Mira reported on the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo and on upcoming CDE competitions. She also informed the booster club of upcoming Montgomery County Fair dates and information regarding the upcoming banquet including attire being formal/Sunday best.

Advisor Report:

- Mr. Woodson gave out all MOCO paperwork and passes to those showing. The green pass is for the students and includes a parking pass. Extra parking passes were available at the time of purchase.
 Yellow entry has to be brought at time of livestock move in (has to be notarized)
- Mr. Woodson also reported that the yellow form must be signed, notarized, and brought to the fairgrounds at the time of livestock entry.

Voting in of the 2025-2026 board:

- Gina Soucy led the voting for the new board
- Before the current meeting, there were three nominations: Sabrina Yamani, Shaun Castillo, and Ryan Coffel.
- At the time of voting, Keith Harris, Jenn Bodnar, and Monica Avila were also nominated.
- There was a motion for each board position that was then second. All those nominated and voted for accepted the position.
- Mr. Harris will most likely be a barn liaison for the upcoming board, but it will be discussed at their first meeting.
- The new 2025-2026 TWHS FFA Booster Club Board is:
 - President Sabrina Yamani
 - o VP (Sponsorships) Ryan Coffel
 - o Treasurer Shaun Castillo
 - Secretary Jenn Bodnar
 - o Parliamentarian Monica Avila

Meeting Adjourned: 7:22 PM