

Spokane County 4-H General Projects Committee
Special Meeting
Final Minutes 5-15-12

Called to Order@ 6:50 pm

Secretary for the Night: Gary

Attending: Gerry D, Laura V., Marv D., & Gary V.

Approval of February and May Minutes: Approved read

Treasurers Report: \$1962.50 specifically for general projects

- grant balance \$351.25 for arts grant

Unfinished Business -- none

New Business

1. Cooking Contest:
 - a. Gerry is working on a date that is in between winter and spring sports
 - b. We should be able to use Mt. Spokane again
2. Make it with wool
 - a. one entry
 - b. there will be a "judging event" that Gerry & Louise will coordinate to determine if the entry is good enough to go on to state.
3. Meetings
 - a. November
 - b. January
 - c. February
 - d. March
 - e. May
4. We should invite the robotics group to at least come to some meetings
5. Can we formalize the descriptions of the various areas (general projects, etc.) and provide a handout...
6. We need to discuss the public presentations
 - a. how we did last year
 - b. plans for this year

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- c. We need to check with Gina on 2013 plans
- 7. We need to a new local name for General Projects! ...we are going to search for the magic [new] label
 - a. we are arts, family living, community involvement, science, & personal/group leadership
 - b. within these categories
 - i. robotics
 - ii. rocketry
 - iii. performing & fine arts
 - iv. photography & videography
 - v. KYG, SA, Teen Conf, Teen Rally
 - vi. Public Speaking
 - vii. shooting sports
 - viii. STEM related/natural science
- 8. We need to get the word out in some new and creative ways...and it deserves further consideration at our next meeting!

Adjourn: 7:20 pm

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