

MINUTES
Agriculture & Extension Education Committee Meeting
Conference Room
810 Lincoln Street, Kewaunee, WI
Wednesday, January 5, 2022
8:30 AM

1. Call to Order. Chair Romdenne called meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.
2. Roll Call. Present: Supervisor Romdenne, Supervisor Paape, Supervisor Lazansky and Supervisor Agamaite. Educators: Aerica Bjurstrom, Renee Koenig and Interim Area Extension Director Judy Knudsen.
3. Approval of Agenda and Approval of Minutes of the December 1, 2021 meeting. Motion made by Supervisor Paape and seconded by Supervisor Lazansky to approve the January 5, 2022 meeting agenda and minutes of the December 1, 2021 meeting. Motion carried all voting aye.
4. Public Input. No input.
5. Educators Reports – Written/Narrative/Q/A
 - a. Renee Koenig provided additional information regarding Co-Parenting course taught in Kewaunee and Manitowoc Counties. In 2021, 80 parents of 178 children successfully completed the program. She partnered with Sheriff Joski to offer two training sessions of QPR Suicide training which was well received with good attendance. She will offer Mental Health First Aid training in early 2022.
 - b. Aerica Bjurstrom responded to questions regarding Beef Quality Assurance Training. She shared videos are being viewed over 6,500 times. She received positive feedback from a viewer in Canada.
6. Review Dog Damage Claims – No claims submitted.
7. Department Head/Area Director Report – Judy Knudsen
 - a. Extension Updates:
 - Will meet with Duet Resource Group on 1.6.2022 to look at space in the Exhibition Building on the Kewaunee County Fairgrounds in which Extension will be moving into.
 - Patrick Nehring, UW-Madison Division of Extension will provide programming in community development on a limited time basis in 2022. Funds saved from regional agriculture staffing strategy will be used to cover his salary and fringe benefits for work completed in Kewaunee County.
 - Hiring –
 - Will advertise 4-H Program Educator position in January.
 - Regional Crop Educator position has been accepted Krishna Bhandari.
8. Review and Set Future Committee Meeting Dates. February 2, 2022 and March 2, 2022 are dates for upcoming committee meetings.

9. Adjourn: Motion made by Supervisor Paape and seconded by Supervisor Agamaite to adjourn meeting. Motion carried all voting aye. Meeting adjourned at 8:56 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Judy Knudsen

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