

The regular meeting of the Ross County Agricultural Society Board of Directors was held Monday, June 1, 2026, at the Ross County Fairgrounds, 344 Fairgrounds Road, Chillicothe, Ohio.

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Steven Clever at 6:00 pm.

Roll Call revealed that Benner, Bethel, Boggs, Corcoran, Cosenza, Haubeil, Haubeil Jr., Kemper, Wetzel, and Guthrie were absent.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Clever.

Guests – Kacey Kruger, Tom McWhorter, and Ryan Kline

6-1-26: Clifton moved, Chain seconded to pay \$100.00 for rabbit tattoo supplies, and renew ShoWorks contract for \$650.00. Motion carried.

6-2-26: Roll moved, Hill seconded to not allow the scales be used after they are certified on July 20th until the fair. Motion carried.

Sales Committee asked for 20 cases of bottled water, Roll said he would get them donated for the helpers at the Sales Arena.

Kline announced that Logan Kennard has takes a different job and would no longer be with the Ross County Extension Office, Kline will be taking over his job for the time being. Skill-a-thon is on tract.

6-3-26: Hill moved, Nelson seconded to approve the minutes for May 4th and May 19th. Motion carried.

6-4-26: Roll moved, Clary seconded to permit Ag Career Day to use the Multipurpose Building on September 15, 2026. Motion carried.

Wheeler reported that all is going well. He asked who collects the camping money for Jeep Fest. It is the RCAS responsibility to collect the money. Wheeler asked for help on the gate. Hopkins said he would help.

6-5-26: Hill moved, Free seconded to raise the non-fair camping to \$35.00 per night. Motion carried.

Gray reported the Fair Book is on the website and the hard copies should be delivered in two weeks.

Nelson will be starting on the wait list this week.

6-6-26: Hill moved, Clary seconded to give five of the oldest tables be used in the Poultry Barn, the tables will be replaced with new tables purchased by RCAS. Motion carried.

Clary was asked by a private person if we allowed individuals to work horses in the Horse Arena. The Board said no.

6-7-26: Elliott moved, Chain seconded to approve \$225.00 to repair the skylight in the Horse Barn. Motion carried.

The Board raised money for a brick in memory of Karlton Wheeler, Free is also getting a quote for a bench.

6-8-26: Hill moved, Nelson seconded to Adjourn the meeting at 6:45 pm. Motion carried.

WITNESSED BY:

RESPECTIVELY SUBMITTED BY:

STEVEN CLEVER
RCAS VICE PRESIDENT

MARY LUDWICK
RCAS SECRETARY