

Tehama County CattleWomen

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Talkin' Beef in Dairyville!

Miss Tehama County, Mahlon Owens, daughter of TCCW member Anne Owens, with Kelly Mouton and Beef Ambassadors Emyli, Kayla and Danielle at Dairyville



Talking Beef at Farm Day!

Coming Events



- TCCW Dues are due. \$40 to Shirley Davis. 229 Beverley Ave. Red Bluff CA 96080
- Oct. 28** – 6:30 p.m. Winter Dinner planning, Tehama Room
- Nov. 5** – Career and College Day, 8th grade, fairground
- Nov. 6** – Friday, 12 noon, TCCW Meeting, Rolling Hills Casino
- Nov. 7** – Fashion Show, “Women of the West”
- Nov. 13** - TCCW dues are delinquent
- Nov. 19-21** – CCW/CCA Convention, Sparks, NV
- December 1** – TCCW Christmas Dinner, RB Elks Lodge - 6 p.m. social, 6:30 prime rib buffet dinner \$25.00 - Guests welcome.

TCCW Meeting Minutes

October 1, 2015

The meeting was called to order by President Linda Borrer at 12:05 p.m. at the Farm Bureau Office, Red Bluff. Flag salute, Creed and introductions followed.

Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Ruth Flory and seconded by Jeanne Smith to approve the minutes as mailed. Motion carried.

Committee Reports: Tammy Chrisler, Legislative reported on matters of interest. Shaleen Hogan reminded members FAS Disaster Insurance for 2016 due date is December 1. Pem Lester absent, Linda Walker reported Linda McCay recovering from surgery. Membership Chair, Shirley Davis reported 62 members have paid; new date for dues, now delinquent November 15. Kendra McCluskey is working on scrap book project.

Treasurer's Report: Renee Ewing, Treasurer report. Michelle Blunkall moved to approve Treasurer's Report, Nancy Enos seconded, motion carried.

Budget Report: Darci Richeson absent.

Correspondence: Letter from Eileen Belan of Sacramento regarding the Beef N' Brew event and charges for designated drivers. Letter to be handled by Beef 'N Brew Committee.

OLD BUSINESS:

Policy & Procedures – Linda Walker stated nothing to report at this time.

Report on Beef 'N Brew – Linda Johnson said booth did great. Sold 700 tasting mugs, 300 on hand for next year, no date on them. Renee Ewing said approximately 1,500 people attended, money-wise appears \$36,000 will be split with DRBBA after expenses and final tally. Linda Walker read thank you email from Cathy Tobin to members and families who helped with event.

Farm to Fork – Ann Butler reported on attending the Sacramento event and representing Glenn and Tehama Counties in the CCW booth.

Education Day at the Fair – Kari Dodd reported 742 Sixth graders attended.

“College & Career Day” – scheduled for 8th Grades – November 5, Fairgrounds, Red Bluff, CattleWomen have donated \$250 towards lunches for presenters.

Scrap Book update – Kendra McCluskey working on project, due date extended for Tehama Co. since she is out of area.

Steer Bump-Up Prices – CattleWomen donated \$2,000 and Cattlemen's donation was able to bring all sale animals up to \$4.50/lb price.

Computer Literacy Class – Barbara Secor asked if there was any progress on presenting the class. Linda Borrer will talk with Jane Daugherty to see if we can get it going.

Chamber Membership Dinner – Jeanne Smith, Irene Fuller and Cathy Tobin attended and decorated a table which was purchased by Andy Houghton Insurance. Lots of comment on CattleWomen's table.

NEW BUSINESS:

Christmas Party – Michelle Blunkall asked to be moved to top of Agenda due to time constraints. She recommended our Party be held Tuesday, December 1 at the Elks Club, Red Bluff. She had contacted them and they can do a Prime Rib Buffet for \$25 per person. Jeanne Smith made a motion to have the Christmas Party at the Elks, seconded by Nancy Enos. Motion carried. Michelle Blunkall will handle arrangements.

Fashion Show – Michelle Blunkall reminded members the **November meeting will be held Friday, November 6, at Rolling Hills Casino**, bring your pantry items. She will handle luncheon arrangements. Joyce Bundy reported several stores lined up for fashions, Sassy 'N Classy, Dress Barn, Wheeler West. Jeanne Smith suggested it would be fun to add some vintage western wear from members if available. We need models; meal has been changed to a beef Southwest salad, lesser price than before. Pem Lester in charge of Cowboy Pantry; Linda Walker advertising in R.B “Daily News”; Shaleen Hogan doing Boutique; Jeanne Smith decorations.

Scholarship Winter Dinner – Planning meeting, Oct. 28, Tehama Room, Fairgrounds, 6:30 p.m. Cathy Tobin

chairperson.

Dairyville Orchard Festival – Linda Johnson will have CattleWomen’s booth there, Oct. 17, Lassen View School, Dairyville, members are invited to help her man the booth.

Walt Rodman Contest – Jeanne Smith read the information on the amount of beef CattleWomen have served at various events in Tehama County.

Farm Day for 4th Grades – October 20, Fairgrounds, Beef Ambassadors will be there.

Boom, Boom, Vroom Event – Irene Fuller reported the 20-30 Club is proceeding with plans for the July 2 date. She presented several options for CattleWomen to consider as far as participation; i.e., sponsorship, manning a booth, preparing food, etc. The event is to feature a motorcycle run which will end at City Park in Red Bluff, steak dinner, fireworks. A trade show is planned on the river gravel bar featuring motorcycle gear, RVs, etc. There will be a river float which will end at the Park. More information to be presented at the Director’s Meeting.

Announcements: Nancy Enos shared some mementos; Kari Dodd announced Farm Bureau drive-thru dinner on October 8.

DIRECTOR’S MEETING, October 27, 6:00 p.m., Farm Bureau Office.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Linda Walker
Secretary

Directors absent: Beth Chaney, Shelley Macdonald



(Above) At the Dairyville Orchard Festival, the Tehama County Beef Ambassadors pose for photographers.
(Right) Linda Johnson and Kelly Mouton, at the TCCW booth, in the rain at Dairyville.



These members had over 2,000 CCW newsletters ready for mailing in 1 hour and 40 minutes

**** Bring your items for the Cowboy Pantry at the Friday, November 6, meeting. Baked goods, jams and jellies, pickles, etc.

*****Don't forget to bring items for the raffles too. Linda says, "In addition to Jere Hale's recent acquisition of walnuts from Mark Spanfelner and Haleakala Orchards and pistachios from Bruce Lindauer, we now have a "chicken quilt" made by the world famous quilter, Sandra Merhoff, and a donation of a western purse from Charlene Priest. Please let me know what goodies you are finding out there so I can start compiling a list of donors for our program. If you have questions, call me at 385-2616 or mwranch@netzero.net