

Stark County Agricultural Society
Board Meeting Minutes: FAIR WEEK
Thursday, September 3, 2026

President: Jill Sterling called the meeting to order at 3:06 PM.

Everyone stood for the pledge and the prayer led by Jill Sterling.

Roll Call was taken with the following members present:

Justin Durkin, Bryan Griffin, Bill Locker, Dan McCracken, Jill McNeil, Julie Nicholas, Earl Rohn,
Ashley Royer, Danny Schmucker, Travis Secrest, Jill Sterling, Dave Swartz, Cindi Vickers,
Sarah Yungen

Secretary: Crystal Bean

Junior Fair Coordinator: Julie Pinter

Guests: Stark County Sheriff Dept.

Absent: Mikayla Durkin, Dan Farnham, Kevin King, Drew Kissel, Amber Shoemaker, Dave Stock, Russ Thorn

• Reports from Directors & Staff:

- Report on gate admissions and baked goods auctions.
- Severe weather is expected tonight. The board discussed the weather plan for the concert tonight.
- Pygmy goat show is taking longer than expected.
- Reminder about adhering to golf cart safety rules.
- The board purchased 2 animals projects and has enough money left over to participate in the Saturday auctions.
- No Boundaries program was a HUGE success and many participants expressed their thanks to the board, Kissel Amusements and all the vendors who participated.
- The Dual auction is going good, but has a few tweaks that can be easily addressed.
- 3rd Street gate needs to be opened by 7AM.

Motion 26-175: Justin D motioned to adjourn the meeting. Danny S seconded the motion with all voting yes.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:41PM.

Jill E Sterling *Board President*

Crystal Bean

Board Secretary

Approved on _____

* The meeting agenda, contracts, meeting reports, and paperwork presented at this board meeting can be found within the 2026 Minutes book located at the fairground's office.