

Agenda for Alamo District Advisors
September 9, 2015
Somerset High School

1. Welcome to the Alamo District
2. Introduction of Leadership
3. Guest and Special Thanks
 - Riverstar Farms – Scott Porter
 - Seitz – Justin Arms
 - Fresh Country – Todd Ebel/ Mr. Howard
 - Bear Creek - Mike Whyte
 - Palo Alto – Ty Chumbley
 - CEV – Jim Missildine
4. Old Business
 - a. State Payment and your judgingcard account – Ray Pieniasek
 - b. Update to district constitution
 - c. Officer Election Process – Mark Jarombek
 - d. LDE Team Entries (Judgingcard) – Andrea Watts
 - i. Fall CDE Oct 14
 - ii. Fall LDE Nov 12
 - iii. Spring CDE
5. New Business
 - a. Area Bylaws and Policy Book
 - b. Scramble information is all posted online – nothing goes to Dennis
 - c. Dues – Area dues get mailed to **Mark Jarzombek**
 - i. 1813 Tiger Lane Floresville, Texas 78114
 - d. Dues – District go to Judson High School – **Andrea Watts**
 - i. 9142 FM 78 Converse, Texas 78109
 - e. We need each of you to update your judgingcard information for your school
 - f. District Entry is available on Judgingcard.com
 - g. Greenhand Camp Sept. 18, 2015 – James Madison HS
 - h. Fall CDE
 - i. Group Leaders for Homesite includes Judson & Connor Area Contest CDE
 - i. Area, State Degree Check and Committee Assignments
 - i. Your assistance is required
 - ii. If your name is on the committee – you must find your replacements
 - j. District LDE Contest – November 12th – James Madison High School
 - i. Draw for team order. If you do not draw today, and you decided to you want to compete you will be automatically added to the 1st position.
 - ii. Only 1 team will compete from a school.
 - iii. Report from Danny Kempen on Judges and Judge Section for Contest
 - iv. Problems with the Questions Booklet for the Parliamentary Questions

- 1. Booth is the author of the Booklet printed by IMS
 - 2. IMS will send corrected versions for those that have received the problem copies
 - 3. Texas FFA says they will post the new booklet, IMS says no they won't and they have had a committee of teachers cleaning it up
- k. Area CDE Verification – Area will not put team numbers or correct team numbers at contest. It is highly recommended that each of you order the pre-coded scan sheets
- l. Our District Check/Banquet is set for May 12th at Somerset HS
- m. VATAT Concerns through Kevin, Danny or Ray – December Board Meeting
- n. Major Livestock Show Committee Recommendations – Meets Nov. 2
- o. **DATE CHANGE:** Tarleton State Invitational - April 7th not March 31st
- p. EC POULTRY CONTEST 2/14, EC LSJC 2/27
- q. Words from Area Leadership
 - i. Area7ffa.ffanow.org
- r. Words from State Leadership – Ray Pieniazek

NOTES:

Bexar County Schools:

Heifer Validation Date and Location Needs to be set – Material Confirmation is needed today with Lorie Kempen 210-279-7735 lorie.kempen@ecisd.net School: 210-581-1185 7173 FM 1628 San Antonio, Texas 78263

County Swine Chairmen – Ray Pieniazek

Sheep/Goat Chairmen – Danny Kempen 210-279-7742