

Gladwin 4-H Leaders Council Meeting Minutes

January 26, 2026

PRESENT: Trista Harrell, Jen Milks, Sarah Royce, Talynn Akermann, Audrey Greer

Agenda:

- Treasurer's Report
 - Total in all accounts: \$36,415.89
 - 2025 Gladwin County 4-H Scholarship: Chloe Lawrason and Adison Greer turned their information in. Jen will send by the end of the week.
 - 2026 Senior scholarships have been sent out
 - Dubiel is due to the Midland Foundation website January 31st
 - 4-H scholarship is due to MSU Extension office by February 23rd
 - Last year's scholarship review committee: Trista, Lindsie, Kate, Audrey
 - Trista, Lindsie, and Audrey have all confirmed that they would like to participate in this years scholarship review committee
- Banquet Reflections
 - Everyone thinks it went really well!
 - Idea submitted for next year: Pajama party with hot cocoa bar and Christmas themed Kahoot + popcorn maker from the concession stand
- Record Book Contest Overview
 - All record book contest information has been posted on the Gladwin MSU Extension website to view
 - Those receiving donation birds MUST participate in the record book contest
- Upcoming:
 - **4-H Fish Fry Fundraiser Fri, Feb 13th 4pm-7pm**
 - Clare-Gladwin Winter Carnival Fri, Jan 30th
 - Poultry Order Forms Due Feb. 11th
 - Spring Break Programming:
 - Butter making, jams and jellies, hands-on mussell and water programming from USFWS March 30th-April 3rd
 - Michigan Livestock Spring Workshop -March 7th. Sign up now!
 - 4-H Day with the Tigers -April 12th
 - 4-H Capitol Experience -March 15-17

- 4-H Day at the Breslin Center -March 1st
- What programs would you like to see in this calendar year?
 - Request: 4-H representation on the Jr Livestock Board because the meetings are now closed and changes aren't being voted on and updated until the next month

Next Meeting: May 4th at 5pm at the MSU Extension office