

## **WILDE BUNCH BOARD MEETING**

**January 3, 2026**

Attendees: Lise Brooks, Pablo Candelaria, Tony Horvat, Joni Micals, Joy Babbin, Susan Moore, James Ferguson, Chris Clarke.

The meeting was called to order at 10:03.

### **Secretary's report:**

The motion to accept the secretary's report was made by James, seconded by Susan, and was passed

### **Treasurer's report:**

The motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Tony, seconded by James, and was passed.

### **Old Business:**

Chase the Chile:

Fundraiser Sale: Susan is preparing a flyer to collect donations of items to be sold at Chase the Chile. The income from this sale will be added to the income from the Chase the Chile festival funds.

Swag bag: The possibility of bags imprinted with the Chase the Chile logo to be given to attendees. Also to explore with the ABQ Chamber of Commerce what ABQ items they could donate to the bag and what free brochures they have about Albuquerque to be added.

Registration forms and payments: which are coming in from various sources need to be forward to Tony who is the head of the committee for Chase the Chile so that he can input them into his Excell sheet to keep track of everything.

Payments for Chase the Chile and for membership can be done on PayPal. Susan is working to coordinate the Paypal accounts and to make sure that they are working as expected.

Flyers: Tony will email flyers to the closer Gay Clubs. He will also send copies of the physical flyers to these same club so that they can put them in their racks.

T-shirts: James and Tony are going to work on the design for a Chase the Chile t-shirt without a date on the shirt. James reminded us that the minimum order for the best discount is 54 t-shirts.

### **2027 Convention:**

Vendors: James and Joni will meet to visit the area/space available for the vendors. Joni will do the space planning and prepare the reservation form for those interested in renting space.

Committee meeting for 2027 Convention: James is calling a meeting for those interested in serving on this committee. The meeting will be on Saturday, Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 after the board meeting. Lise will announce this.

Scholarship dance June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026: Susan will do the flyer for the Scholarship dance immediately to meet the deadline for Joni's NMSRDA newsletter. The auction drawings and baskets to raise money for this fund be announced as a reminder to the club and also to the various clubs in the area and added to the Save the Date email. Lise will work on this.

**New Business:**

ASDC hall: Chris Clarke will review the bylaws of the Wilde Bunch and the bylaws of ASDC to review the ratio of membership and those who are paid members of ASDC from the Wilde Bunch.

The Scholarship Fund: James made a motion that the monies collected in the scholarship fund are to go to help a person who desires to be a caller to go the GCA Caller School at convention. Then the caller will be able to get the GCA Gay Callers Association badge.

The next meeting will be February 14<sup>th</sup> 2026 at 10:00 o'clock.

The motion to adjourn was made by James, seconded by Joni, and was passed.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:50.