AREC Board Meeting

July 16,2026

1. Meeting called to order at 6:40pm
2. **Attendance**: Amy Chambers, Nathan Searles, Russ Bowers, Adriana Estrada, Patti Coulombe and Kevin McKee

3. **Review of Minutes and Action Items (Patti)**
   a. Amy working on non-active membership letter
   b. Roll out promotion of bringing two friends to join the club during the months of September & April. Members will receive free membership for next year.
   c. Nathan still working on local partnerships
   d. We still need to promote wearing AREC gear to races and members receiving extra raffle tickets for MAP
   e. Nick and Brian will collaborate for a Track 5,000 race

      ** ***Minutes approved***

4. **Financial Report (Russ)**
   a. Budget discussion regarding the costs of the summer picnic, MAP, storage unit, marathon training supplies, insurance, website and renewal shirts
   b. Our cash is currently in a healthy place with the help of our fundraising events

5. **AREC Shirts**
   a. Adriana will get a list of new members that currently need an AREC shirt
   b. Club will order new shirts from Pyramid Printing for next year

6. **Summer Picnic**
   a. July 26 (12:00-4:00) at Marina Vista Park
   b. Adriana will send out an RSVP form along with food sign ups
   c. The club is providing a Taco Truck this year
   d. World Cup Theme
      1. Patti and Nick will recruit soccer equipment for games
      2. Buy Nothing FB group for decorations (Nathan)
      3. Board members meet at 11:00 for set up with tents, coolers, tables, etc..

7. **MAP**
    a. Strongest date is October 17th
    b. Still working on final venue
    c. Amy will send a list of possibilities for board members to call
    d. Provide feedback by Tuesday July 21st

8. **Ice Cream Social**
    a. Wednesday July 22nd
    b. Volunteers: Patti, Nick, Nathan and Kevin meet at 6:15
    c. Kevin will get the ice cream at Whole Foods while members are running

9. **Fundraising 5K**
    a. California Dreaming Theme
    b. September 17th at 6:30 Belmont Pier
    c. Cost is $25

10. **Next Meeting August 6th at Amy's Place (6:30)**