

SA Greys Board Meeting
Wilmot Library
February 9, 2020
Tucson, AZ

Meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm.

Approval or correction of minutes: Minutes from the previous board meeting were approved and will be posted.

Financial Report

There was no formal financial report; nice results from the Greyt Winter Festival, and no taxes or HOA expenses from the Green Valley property which has sold. Our vet bills have been relatively low.

Operations

Four dogs – all males -from the Caliente racetrack were picked up in California by SA Greys volunteers , Cindy and Jeff Hall and Joan and Paul Athey. They arrived in Tucson on January 25. Potential dogs coming from Kansas farms as well as an anticipated haul from SWGX (possibly the first week in March) would bring us more hounds. SWGX drop would be in Phoenix. Suggestion was made to send an email to the whole list to consider fostering or sponsoring. The “Top Ten Reasons to Foster” was suggested. Karyn Zoldan will help with the writing of the foster campaign.

Foster Coordinator will resign on May 1 – a new coordinator is needed to step up to take this responsibility. The need for someone to fill this position will also be advertised.

A possible back-up plan for kennels may need to be put into place to cover Wanda’s vacations.

Adoptions

Although there is not an extensive waiting list for hounds, Yolo and Lyon each went to their forever homes very quickly. Rickey is in foster and more than likely will be adopted by his foster. Justin is going to foster leaving only Arnie at Lazy Grey.

Events & Volunteers

Upcoming events include:
Bravo Vino – March 29
Yappy Hour – April 20
Ice Cream Social – April 19
Dog wash – May (?)
Yappy Hour – October 5
Dogtoberfest
RooUnion – November

All events are in need of Event Coordinators.

Jim Click Raffle will get underway on February 20. The grand prize this year will not be a Jeep.

Volunteers/Civi

Civi takes old volunteer roles from previous events and rolls them over to this year's same event. A new Adoption Report has been crafted in Civi; designated reports can be shared.

Civi system has been upgraded and now 300 minutes per day are available.

Call to the Audience

The issue of fund raising included the suggestion of reviving the crafting of clever Facebook pages.

Arizona Gives Day is coming up – Mary Freeman to spearhead this event. Nancy Lynberg will prepare the PowerPoint presentation.

Meeting was adjourned at 3:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Lopez