

**Southern Arizona Greyhound Adoption
Board Meeting Minutes
Sunday July 12, 2026 at 2:00 pm**

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

Meeting called to order

Time: 2:02 p.m.

Verification of quorum

Board members present: Jeanne Gacke, Sarah Hosea, James Rappaport, Nancy Lynberg, Ann Poff, Abrie Schroeder, Anne Lopez, Alice Goddard, Katherine George, Nick Thorne, Nate Thorne

Board members absent: None

Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve last meeting minutes. Nancy Lynberg moved, duly seconded.
Approved without objection.

Treasurer's Report (Sarah Hosea)

Current assets: \$50,000

High Yield Savings: \$82,418 (3.35% interest)

Jackie's Fund: \$17,606

Current liabilities: \$0

Current expenses YTD: \$44,785

Up this year—vet, foster, and kennel. Gas prices have impacted this.

Operations, business, other expenses down

Jeanne: We are battling hookworm in a few hounds, which increased costs

Total income: \$48,975 (down from last year)

AZ Gives: \$11,768 (we won \$2,000 power hour prize)

Greyt Winter Festival \$7,612 (gross)

Jim Click Raffle: Down \$487 year over year
HYS interest: \$1,096

Treasurer tasks all complete:

IRS 1099

AZ Annual Report

Internal Audit

IRS 990

Operations January-June 2026 (Nancy Lynberg)

Adoptions: 15

Rebounds: 2

Available: 1

Pending: 1

Total: 16

Welcome new hounds

Lucky (from Australia)

Divides time between Illinois and Tucson\

Wizz (Australia)

Koki's cousin!

Apollo (Australia)

Lives in Maricopa with his sister

Rana (Australia)

Has taken over the couch

Artie (Australia)

Puppy-just turned 2

Wild man, lives with several birds

Natalie (West Virginia)

Brood mom

172 races, 21 puppies

Lives in Vegas

Disco (Maine)

Lives in Phoenix
Rebound, but settled now with four hound sisters

Benny (US)
Abrie's new hound
Blue and white boy

Cosmo (US)
2 years old, Lives in Vegas

Haven (US)
1 year old
Lives in Phoenix

Indy (West Virginia)
Lives in Sahuarita

Dingo (US)
Newly adopted

Dooley (Australia)
Big boy! Sweet, and very tall
Four years old

Twyla von Houndness (Australia)
Wears pearls

Pascal (Australia)
Lives in AZ and Wisconsin

Jack (Australia)
Six years old, in foster care
Found forever home in Phoenix

Notable medical:

Hookworms—\$2,000 to treat five dogs. This is in addition to Dr. Weir treating the hounds before we get them.

Applications: 42 (56% decrease this year, consistent with other groups)
Current approved adopters:

Goals and projections

Continue community outreach–kudos to Ann Poff for her work on this front
Adoption fees reduced to \$650 regardless of origin
Continue to increase volunteer base
Re-evaluate fall dog haul members

Upcoming events

August 28: Vertigo Wines

September 12: Bark N Berry Meetup 6121 E. Broadway Blvd., Tucson, 85711 (10 am to noon)

September 13: Virtual Board Meeting

October 11: Virtual Board Meeting

October 25: BooRoo

November 8: Virtual Board Meeting

Ways to support us:

Buy a T-shirt on the website:

<https://www.bonfire.com/store/sa-greys-online-store/>

Buy a Jim Click raffle ticket:

<https://sagreys.org/ways-to-give/jim-click-millions-for-tucson/>

Discussion ensued on reasons for application decrease, application rejections (living out of area, unvaccinated pets are among the more common reasons)

Old Business

Bylaw Review (Abrie Schroeder)

Elections coming up in November

Secretary and Vice President positions open

Jim Click Raffle Tickets
Orange Nissan pickup truck

Call to the audience

Tinajas event was very successful—nine hounds

We have done Parade of Lights for several years, but last year we had only 3-4 hounds. Lot of fun, but a lot of standing around (2-3 hours), noise, and stimulation for the hounds. Parking is also difficult.

No questions from the audience.

Raffle/door prize announced

\$50 gift card to El Torrero: Sandy

Bottle of cabernet sauvignon: Manami

GPS tracker: Cheryl

Meeting adjourned: 2:34 p.m.