



S.E.A.R.C.H.
Board Meeting Minutes
Barbara Weitz Community Engagement Center (UNO)
Monday 08.04.2025 – 7:00pm

Meeting Notes

- Call to order – 7:01 pm
- Agenda adopted with flexibility.
- **Introductions (for the benefit of the public)**
Introduce yourself, your position/affiliation, and your pronouns - if guests are present
- **Current Board Members**

<u>X</u>	President: Ox	<u> </u>	At-Large: Vacant	<u> </u>	Fund. Chair: Vacant
<u> </u>	Vice-President: Vacant	<u> </u>	At-Large: Vacant	<u> </u>	Show Chair: Vacant
<u>X</u>	Secretary: Austin	<u> </u>	At-Large: Vacant	<u> </u>	Emeritus: Vacant
<u>X</u>	Treasurer: John	<u> </u>	S/M Chair: Vacant	<u> </u>	Emeritus: Norm
<u>X</u>	At-Large: Nick	<u>X</u>	S/M Chair: Cris	<u> </u>	Emeritus: Vacant

- **Other members in attendance**
 - Clutch (President for NebPaH)
 - Danny (Treasurer for NebPaH)
- **Invited Guest**
 - None
- **Approval of previous meeting minutes**
 - Motion to approve: John
 - Seconded: Cris
 - Approval: Unanimous



Board Member Reports

President	ICON has event director in flux, plan on attending next month's meeting to discuss possible joint meetings
Vice President	N/A
Secretary	Nothing to report
Treasurer	• Money in Account: \$974.09 • Cash on Hand: \$173.83
	Verbal or Physical: Verbal
	Motion to accept Treasurer's report: Nick
	Seconded: Cris
	Abstained: John
	Approved: Unanimous
At Large – Vacant	N/A
At-Large – Nick	• Working on Iowa Leather prep • Wanted to thank board to for fundraising opportunities coming up • Upcoming events: • 8/15 – Nifty, karaoke @ 8:00pm • 8/16 – Maloney's, karaoke @ 8:00pm • 8/20 – Flixx, 7:30/8:00 start time, raffle for variety of toy baskets
At-Large – Vacant	N/A
At-Large – Vacant	N/A
S/M Chair – Cris	• 410 Twitter Followers • 146 Instagram Followers • 46 Bluesky Followers • 492 Facebook Page Followers • 463 Private Facebook Group Members • 55 Discord Members • FetLife: 58 • Wanted to confirm it was fine to approve members invited to private Facebook group



Fund. Chair – Vacant	N/A
Show Chair – Vacant	N/A

Public Comment (15 minutes)

- None

Old Business

- Heartland Pride wrap up
 - Parade had more folks watching than marching, but fine otherwise
 - Festival went as well as anticipated
 - A notable bit of foot traffic in adult section
 - Only real issue was initially no one posted to check IDs for adult section
 - Demonstrations resulted in a lot of engagement
 - Intention to reach out to Pride committee for possible discussions around running adult section or leading some more organized education, will discuss reach-out plan at next meeting
- Education at Flixx – Lucian, August 9, 2025 at 4:00pm
 - Cris to reach out for last checks
 - Need to confirm if front door will be open
 - Junior to set up projector
- Pups Zoo outing – August 14, 7:00-10:30pm
 - Handful of members interested in attending
- Iowa Leather Weekend, August 22-24
 - John to bring SEARCH business cards to give out at event
 - No plans to do anything organized as SEARCH as event
- Bear nights
 - Still in talks with Joey
 - Currently looking at twice a month, Sundays 2:00-5:00/6:00pm, Flixx show bar side
- Fetish Weekend
 - According to Robert now cancelled this year due to health concerns
 - John to remove event from calendar, Cris to remove posts from Facebook group



New Business

- September events
 - Flixx gear night
 - Originally planned for Friday, 9/19, 8pm
 - Downstairs space is assumed to not be completed yet, will likely be on main bar side, will confirm with Joey
- Plan for October
 - Tentatively planning to do a bon fire at Bellevue Berry Farm first weekend (potentially 10/3), reviewing other possible options like Valas and Ditmar's, coordinating with pups to see if they wanted to participate and if that weekend worked for their members
- Looking to do at least one more education event before end of year
- Looking at going down to KC for a Pioneer event, planning on looking at calendar at next meeting for options



Next Meeting Date, Time, and Location

Date/Time: 09.08.2025 – 7:00pm (Not 9/1 due to Labor Day)

Location: Barbara Weitz Community Engagement Center (UNO)

Adjourn:

- Motion to adjourn: Nick
- Seconded: Cris
- Adjourn time: 7:56pm



Executive Session (closed session to individuals not on executive board - as needed.)