



S.E.A.R.C.H.
Board Meeting Minutes
Barbara Weitz Community Engagement Center (UNO)
Monday 10/05/2026 – 7:00pm

Meeting Notes

- Call to order – 7:00 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**
 - Joey (Owner of Flixx)
 - Zach (Representing ICON)
- **Invited Guest**
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- **Approval of previous meeting minutes**
 - Motion to approve: John
 - Seconded: Nick
 - Approval: Unaniomous



Board Member Reports

President	Nothing to report
Vice President	N/A
Secretary	Sadie enjoyed teaching and is going to keep us in the loop if she is in town again to see if we can't organize another education event in the future
Treasurer	- Money in Account: - Cash on Hand: - Outstanding reimbursement for \$78.65 for bonfire rental
	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	Nohting to report
At-Large – Vacant	N/A
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S/M Chair – Cris	- X Followers: 419 - Instagram Followers: 163 - Bluesky Followers: 72 - Facebook Page Followers: 521 - Private Facebook Group Members: 473 - Discord Members: 54 - FetLife Followers: 126



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

Public Comment (15 minutes)

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Old Business

- Education - Flixx, 9/19
 - Seems to have been enjoyed by those who enjoyed
- Gear Night - Flixx, 9/19
 - Filled a couple tables in the bar
- Game Night - Spielbound, 9/25
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 - Managed to pull in a couple people specifically from FetLife, worth continuing posting on there
- Bellevue Berry Farm
 - Food
 - SEARCH to provide hotdogs, buns, condiments, chips, s'mores fixings
 - Flixx offered to donate a couple packs of hotdogs
 - Nick to bring keto-friendly hotdogs
 - Austin to provide s'mores fixings
 - Attendees recommended to bring their own chairs
 - Last second invites
 - Sir Tim and Kitty may be coming from KC
 - Sending an invitation to KC Midnight Howl
 - Zach extended invite to ICON
 - Accessibility: Gator request
- October Gear Night - Flixx, 10/24
 - Jello shot plans
 - Nick and John to work together on flavor planning
 - Planning on making the Jello shots the Thursday before the event (10/22) at 6pm
 - Spooky theme



- Happens to be the same weekend as the Des Moines gear night
- Link Tree
 - Cris needs to coordinate with Ox to take care of email authentication

New Business

- “Club” Creation/Rebrand
 - Organisation name stays the same
 - Create a name for folks that participate to promote buy-in to our events
 - Timetable discussion
 - Graphics designer located when we are ready
 - Executive meeting after next scheduled meeting to discuss costs and specifics around establishing social group
- ICON Events
 - 11/14 - Food for Thoughts
 - 12/12 - Toys for Tots
 - Event at 7pm-9pm, doors open 6pm
 - Regular yearly event for ICON
 - Collaboration event 12/13
 - Gear/sweater social
 - Looking at Green Room for possible venue, Verdict as secondary option
 - Tentatively 3pm-8pm
 - Food, silent auction, specialized drink menu
 - SEARCH to potentially help with food and auction items, more details to come as we get closer to the event
 - ICON planning on doing another cigar social sometime in spring
- Education for Iowa Leather Family
 - Still in the works
 - Current title holders more likely to nail down for an event
- Leather Bingo at Flixx
 - 11/8, doors at 12pm, start at 1pm
 - Austin to put together playlist for the event
 - New system runs on an app, so no need to print cards in advance



Next Meeting Date, Time, and Location

Date/Time: 11/2/2026 – 7:00pm

Location: Barbara Weitz Community Engagement Center (UNO)

Adjourn:

- Motion to adjourn: 7:45pm
- Seconded: Nick
- Adjourn time: Cris



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