PC Hiking Club Minutes

November 16, 2026

Officers Present: Neal Wring – President, Mike Tansey - Treasurer, Nadine Eder - Vice President

Meeting Called to Order: 7:00 pm; Adjourned: 7:30 pm

Members in attendance: 33

Executive Committee Activities: April 2026 club meeting minutes were approved (Neal Wring) and seconded (Dana Thomas).

Treasurer's Report by Mike Tannsey: Period 10/01/2026 – 10/31/2026
Previous Balance: $4742.80
Current Balance: $5290.78
Club Membership (2026-2027 season)
Total 102 – pending Intro Hike (9), Honorary *(17), Regular (85)
*Minimum 3000 miles hiked and 3 years in club leadership position

Club Recognition

Dennis Zigmunt – thanks for leading all intro hikes

SOP for minimum Number Hikers:

The SOP will remain the same where the minimum number of hikers on a hike should be 3. If there are fewer then the hike is considered unsanctioned by club and miles will not be recorded for hikers. Board is looking for ideas on how to handle the summer hiking.

Miscellaneous club topics

- 61 hikes scheduled before the next meeting
- Hike leader training has 3 hikers scheduled for November 24 training
- Maricopa County Parks looking for feedback on long term planning
- December 2 – virtual meeting to discuss EMPR future from 5 to 6:30
    - **http://meet.goto.com/908755309**
- Some of trails at Tres Rios are out due to flooding
- Palm Springs – November 17 – 19. Trip went extremely well. Thanks for Tom Wellman and Kay Thomas for coordinating
- Superstitions B Hikes – November 11 – 13. Also went well – thanks Stacey for coordinating

100 miles in 100 days

This annual event is going on. There are 887 miles scheduled in park before February 8th

Safety Minute

There has been a lot of rain so there is a lot of rock – especially on Lost Creek.

Pay attention to hike description to be mindful of your capability – length, elevation, pace

Event Committee

The Event Committee needs 1 additional volunteer. Mary Perlaki-Neely has joined the team.

December 19 – Solstice Hike. Dave is leading at WTRP followed by meeting at Corral.

January 8 – tour of Cardinal stadium. Wanting to gauge interest.

February – Amazon tour on a Wednesday – date unknown

February 27 – Hotshots hike and movie

Future - Looking at range lead hike at Lake Pleasant

EZHikes

Dennis Zigmunt discussed - one done every Monday on trail or sidewalk. The hikes are tailored to hikers need.

Next Meeting: Monday, December 21st **i**n the Palm Room at Eagles Nest