



Call to Order: The meeting of Southern Colorado Runners Club was called to order on April 1, 2026 at 6:02 PM.

Attendance: Members in attendance- Eric M, Ted Sillox, Paulette Arns, Amy Bailey, Dave Diaz, Nelson B, Melanie, Sean M, Kim A, Ron D, Debbie

Minutes from March were approved with correction, need to correct attendance Eric was in attendance Mar 4.

Treasurer Report - Receipts for Firecrack, Spring Runoff, Valentine's Twosome. Report shared with all in attendance.

Newsletter: Ron - deadline for submissions April 30 so we can include Spring Runoff.

Membership: 224 members as of today. Nelson to forward Paulette Run Signup financial info.

Race Calendar: Dave emailed the calendar. Fox Trot Raffle Run April 18, Spring Runoff April 26, Choose Your Own Adventure May 17, Hot to Trot Sept 20

Raffle Runs: Ted - calendar is set for the year, 2 in July, 2 in Aug, 2 in October. Calendar on website.

Tri Club: Cheryl not here

We need a Volunteer Coordinator & a Raffle Run Coordinator

Gwen planning to time Hot to Trot and Firecracker, but will not be here for Spring Runoff, replacement is training.

Spring Runoff: Everything is set ~330 people registered. Ted shared a new course proposed for Funner To Be A Runner, moving kids to track to spread them out before the hill and avoid a mass of kids hitting the gate at same time and avoid the Spring Runoff runners. Group had discussion regarding flow of course for kids. Kim would like kids to run the track in the same direction as the other runners. This year, the kids will follow Ted's proposed course. Will revisit after the race to discuss what worked and what didn't. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR RACE DAY!**

Newbie Training:

Amy B: Looking at offering for the Hot To Trot with training starting in late July (8 weeks prior to race).

Burrito Run will be July 18 at Beulah Mountain Park. Harvest Run?, Rock Canyon Dec 6, Valentine's Twosome planned for Feb 13.

Hot To Trot to be held Sept 20. Chamber waiting for a description of race. Due to alcohol at the festival there are additional road closures. Start and finish to be held at Walter's Brewing, right on C St to Main St. Bridge to riverwalk. Course will not go through the festival, but all registered runners will get a free ticket to the festival. Chamber will add link to race on their website. Gwen offered to help setup race in Run Signup. Ted mentioned a training video on Run Signup. Insurance will need to go through Road Runners of America. Plan to offer shirt, no medal

Gift cards for race directors is \$150 per Race Directors. More to come at next meeting.

Kim introduced a 150 mile challenge on foot or on bike June 1 - Aug 1 to celebrate Colorado's 150th birthday in place of bicycle bingo. Looking for prize options for a drawing for anyone who completes the challenge. Motion put forth to support a \$150 prize, approved.

Next meeting is scheduled for May 6 at 6pm at American Driving Academy, all are welcome.