

AIKEN DRIVING CLUB
BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
JUNE 9, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.

Present: Peggy Dils, Michele Huguet, Mick Burke, Jerry Milano, Susan Gregorio,
via call in: Dan Rosenthal, Tracey Turner, Karen Marlin

Minutes from May 2025 meeting approved as written.

Treasurer's Report approved as written.

OLD BUSINESS:

Gaston Livery Stable: Peggy reported that a Vendors market as well as Gaston Livery history presentation was held recently and was very successful. This event is scheduled for the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. till 2 p.m..

Gerde Museum is open and is seeking volunteer docents for 3 hours each Sunday.

Volunteer Program guidelines and forms are complete and will be available for member access on the ADC website. Members who are part of the event committee would not be eligible to count their hours for the Volunteer Program.

Carriage Driving Intro School/Clinic/Camp: Peggy reported that she spoke with the insurance company and that the fee for the event is feasible for the club to afford. More information to follow.

The By-Laws revisions were reviewed and passed by the Board. Will be available on the ADC website for general membership review and will be voted on at the Annual meeting. The old By-Laws will remain on the website for comparison prior to the vote at the Annual meeting.

Vista Drive will be held on August 20th. There will be a brunch available for those who are attending. Peggy states she needs 6 volunteers for this event.

The ADC 40th Anniversary weekend is scheduled for the weekend of October 24th. More details to follow.

NEW BUSINESS:

The meeting was opened to the General members in attendance.

Ray Mansur suggested that the Committee members of an event should be included and allowed to participate in the Volunteer program hours considering the many hours that event committee members often dedicate for multiple days before, during and after an event. Following discussions from the floor supporting Ray's suggestion, Peggy stated she will present this to the committee and report back to the membership.

The ADC equipment trailer is still in need of a "Quartermaster" to maintain and organize the trailer. Discussions including a club work party, making it a paid position or including the trailer duties as part of event volunteers with perhaps 2 persons assigned for each event when the trailer is used. Karen to publish the position in the ADC newsletter again.

Peggy reports that she is organizing a meeting for July for the upcoming calendar dates in order to avoid conflicts for the upcoming season.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m..

The next meeting will be July 14, 2025.

Susan Gregorio, Secretary