

Executive Committee Meeting
Monday, November 17, 2025
6pm at Oregano's in downtown Gilbert

Attendees: Heather, Michael, Lin, Tom, Cindy

I. Lin discussed trips in the works for 2026:

West Fork Backpack in June
Michael's trip in March
Joshua Tree in March
Li's trip to Croatia
Terry and Joyce's trip to Maze

II. Awards Potluck & Hike at South Mountain on January 24th

Lin would like Tom to work on a list of previous members as we would like to do an "alumni" hike and invite them. Michael is going to work on creating an online signup for the potluck. Tom will get the \$25 gift cards for the top hikers, leaders, and drivers. Lin is going to do an inventory on what supplies we will need to purchase on behalf of the club for the party. Cindy is going to create the certificates that we pass out.

III. Guest speakers for club meetings

We currently have a guest speaker for January 2026's meeting, but we are in need of several more. Someone will approach Carol Bryant again.

IV. Leader training

We will need to ask the club members who are interested in additional leader training. We would like to do it in January if possible. It was suggested to have it at the Gilbert Riparian Reserve.

V. Elections

We currently have no one to run for Vice President. While we are searching for someone, it has been decided that we may have to have the elections in December if we don't find anyone in time for the November meeting.

VI. Treasurer's report

Tom advised that we have \$10,508.01 in our account. We will need to pay for our post office box soon, which will be \$192.00. We currently have 142 members.