# Bay Area Running Club

## BARC Board Meeting Minutes

January 18, 2021 @ 6pm – on zoom

* Treasury
	+ Treasury report sent today via email; inventory report sent via email
	+ $6,021 current balance
	+ Jim: we are getting a trickly of membership revenue. The last large expense we had was RRCA insurance.
	+ No major upcoming expensive foreseen
	+ Dave: hopefully by the summer when we have our membership renewal things will be in a better place with regards to COVID.
	+ Jim says he does not remember getting a check from RAS for LaPorte Half water stop.
		- **Action Item**: Dave will ask Alex about LaPorte and Lucky Trails payments from RAS
* Membership
	+ 116 current members
	+ Barry: it goes up a few every month, feels that when runs pick up again we should get more members.
	+ Dave: numbers look to be holding steady
* Upcoming Races
	+ Pearland half, Lucky Trails, TIR, Galveston (5k, Half, Full) are all approved for in person at the moment. Will bring these up in the general meeting.
	+ Lucky Trails and Pearland are the same weekend.
	+ Discussion about BARC running a water stop at Luck Trails
	+ Discussion about RAS paying BARC for running water stops
	+ Discission about this year’s TIR
	+ Dave covers what races he will cover in the general meeting
* Return to Running
	+ Dave: this is something we need to start looking at, does not feel it will be in the next month or two, but as things get better, figure out how to start up the organized runs again.
	+ Dave: would like to reach out to HARRA and other clubs to see what they are doing.
	+ Barry: notes that our RRCA insurance does not cover COVID.
	+ Discussion about how park rules pertaining to groups differ between Galveston and Harris county
* Website update
	+ Barry has been working with theDriven’s test site and gave tour of his work so far.
	+ Discussion about the website design and what elements we want on the home page.
	+ Discussion about possibly raising the club fee to $30 and fold in the $2.75 processing fee. Also discussed providing a singlet with membership.
	+ **Action Item:** Dave will send out request for a members to send in good running routes.
	+ **Action Item:** Dave will reach out to non-participating board members to see if they still want to participate.
* Merch
	+ Jim: we want to avoid holding inventory
	+ Dave: At the beginning of each quarter, we would place and order and anyone who joined in those three months, this would let up bulk order avoiding inventory and high prices for small screening batches.
	+ Brian: changing the logo each quarter is fine, the setup fee is only a few dollars.
	+ Dave: we need to make sure OTR is ok with being the singlet distribution location.
	+ **Action Item:** Dave will run the numbers to on singlet costs so we know if we can fold it into the membership fee.