

ADBC BOARD MEETING

MAY 27, 2026

Call to order: President Larz Smith called the meeting to order at 10:03am. Larz Smith, George Morey, Kate Wickham, Diana Clive, Karen Cook, Wilma Hill and Doug Berke were present. Mary Ellen Stanton attended Zoom.

Minutes of May 27, 2026 Board Meeting: Diana presented the minutes from the April board meeting. Larz motion to approve seconded by Wilma. All approved.

Calendar and Special Events: Kate presented June calendar, Wilma presented July calendar. Correction to upcharge for July 22nd to be presented at the June meeting for approval.

Financial Report for May: Per George, we received \$1,835 favorable adjustment towards our rent due to lack of upgrade for building. Table counts improved in April; therefore, it was a good month. Hopeful for summer tables to increase.

Announcements of 2026 Club Charities: Votes for charities to be presented in June by Kate.

Special Membership Meeting: Board voted to call special membership meeting on Saturday, August 8th, 2026 to make final decision on renewal of lease.

Arlington Sectional: June 25th, 26th and 27th in Fort Worth location. Doug has asked for volunteers for breakfast, lunch, set up and takedown.

Special Discussions: Arlington financial budget should receive \$2,700 or more from the Dallas Regional Tournament.

Status of Donations to Club using PayPal: Donations for the Arlington Bridge Club are online through our website. Diana is checking on cancelling recurring donations before we present to the members.

Donations to Club: Larz has had discussions with two other bridge clubs that are 501c status. Palm Springs was originally set up as a foundation which created the 501c status and Nashville has education through the University of Vanderbilt and High schools. Board does not feel we meet these requirements.

Set Date for June Meeting: Meeting will be June the 10th.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned by Larz at 11:25am.