

SWMS Meeting Minutes



February 19th, 2026

General

Note: This board meeting was held in person, at Fuddruckers [4855 Pan American Fwy NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109].

The meeting was called to order at 6:11PM by President A. Sanford.

1. Opening:

- Motion to approve the agenda was approved and seconded.

2. Announcements from the President and Board Members:

- Longtime member and co-founder Bob McNeill passed away on February 4—Celebration of Life was held on February 25 at French – University
- Google Calendar invitation for 2026 meetings was sent out
- 13 memberships for 2026, so far (2026 SWMS licensing is open on Motorsports Reg)
- Track truck title was located and will be handed over to track management
- A. Sanford is looking for help addressing the club's legal status—previous legal rep has been unresponsive—perhaps Leo Romero can assist?
- A. Sanford and wife are expecting a baby in May! Club board has agreed to fill in as he adjusts to the new family member

3. Treasurer's Report

- Current balance as of February 4: \$13,790.76

4. New Business

- Winter Practice 1: Cold weather, decent turnout from Vintage and Miata groups, a few incidents/wrecks
- 2025 Suika Banquet: Went well, was covered by track management—no charge to SWMS
- Vintage group will coordinate dinner/potluck/event for Saturday evening of two-day events—L. Haynes to coordinate April's event
 - Club agreed to use \$200 of club funds per event to help sponsor potlucks
 - A. Sanford will confirm no conflicts with track management/concessions
- Annual Tech Inspections will be done on Fridays before event starting at about 3pm and on Saturday mornings of events
 - Question about whether Spec 7/Spec Miatas can use factory fuel tank—L. Haynes will research
- Melons Endurance race on March 14
- Winter Practice 2 on March 28 (Super Lap) and March 29 (Super Cup/SWMS)

5. Old Business

- A. Sanford will send out mission statement suggestions – club votes at March meeting
- Procedures: Next up for revision is Competition Licensing
- Legal Project: See above – needing legal help

6. Attendance: A. Sanford, M. Travers, J. Jerger, G. Self, L. Haynes, M. Tribble, R. Dunn, J. Neumann

The meeting was adjourned at 6:51PM.

The next board meeting is to be determined. See separate upcoming emails for meeting details.