

ORNCC Board Meeting Minutes
Feb 5, 2023, 10:05 am

Present: Mark Babson, Gary Baran, Mary Kate Land, Carlos Sathler, Karina Arndt

We welcomed Karina Arndt, who is considering joining the ORNCC Board to sit in on our meeting.

During check-in, participants shared their NVC activities.

Karina: Rose City Practice Group, IIT in Finland

Mark: Portland Police Bureau Citizen Review Committee Consensus statement

Gary: Mini training at U of O Law School, review of new Puddledancer Press book of Marshall's quotations

We re-elected Board officers for the coming year:

Gary Baran (Board President)

Mark Babson (Board Vice-President)

Carlos Sathler (Treasurer)

Mary Kate Land (Secretary)

Carlos shared a verbal Treasurer's report, to be followed by a document later today. Mark is preparing to file ORNCC's taxes for last year. Paypal donations totalling \$18.00 were transferred to the ORNCC account.

We decided to continue with our every other month pattern of meetings, agreeing to the following dates: April 22, June 17, August 19, October 21, December 16

Karina was invited to join the ORNCC Board.

Mary Kate agreed to connect with the Oregon Post-Adoptive Resource Center (ORPARC) to facilitate online training and practice for adoptive parents. Gary suggested an article for the website detailing the work that Mary Kate is presently doing with parents and eliciting support from the membership to create training/practice opportunities through ORPARC.

Meeting adjourned at 11:05 am.