

Run Oxford Business Meeting Minutes October 8 2025

Meeting called to order by President Jurss.

Secretary Klingler documented the presence of the following members in good standing:

Jason Barrett
Jewel Bunch (Treasurer)
Dennis Caselman
Lexi Duscher
Nathan Hammer
Jessica Interiano
Jorge Interiano
Jonah Jurss (President)
Mariana Jurss
Marvin King
Amanda Klenke
Jonathan Klingler (Secretary)
Adam Stewart
Julie Wronski (Vice President)

President Jurss presented the minutes from the summer meeting. Nathan Hammer moved to approve the meeting, and Treasurer Bunch seconded. The minutes were approved unanimously by voice vote.

President Jurss presented the agenda. Nathan Hammer moved to approve the agenda, and Treasurer Bunch seconded. The agenda was approved unanimously by voice vote.

Secretary Klingler gave the membership report. There are 27 single or joint memberships in good standing, and 17 single or joint memberships have been collected as part of the summer membership drive.

Treasurer Bunch gave the treasurer's report. The club's taxes still need filing for 2024, and costs \$300, which the club has yet to pay, along with payment for t-shirts, insurance, and the website. We have \$350 left in our account, and we need to find funds to pay our taxes.

Treasurer Bunch has obtained a commitment for a \$500 donation from Taco Bell and upon confirmation the club will give a public shout out of gratitude to Taco Bell for the donation.

President Jurss initiated the discussion of club funding shortfalls and the future of the club.

Nathan Hammer suggested that we redesign the website and move to a campus server which would be effectively free. Secretary Klingler agreed that this would be a beneficial cost-saving move.

Lexi Duscher raised the point that membership drives would be more successful if we provided tangible benefits for membership. She raised the point that the Buffalo run club does not have insurance and requires participants to sign a waiver that they run at their own risk, which if we did would negate the need for RRCA insurance and the associated expenses. Marvin King responded that the club obtained insurance only when we started organizing races, and that since people can always sue us frivolously, a waiver can only take us so far.

Jessica Interiano mentioned the possibility of soliciting discounts from area businesses for club members, and Treasurer Bunch mentioned that we used to do this in the past.

Lexi Duscher mentioned getting t-shirts from University Sporting Goods for \$3 per shirt.

Treasurer Bunch raised the unsustainable finances of the club, and the inability of the current officers to personally finance the club any longer. Secretary Klingler laid out two options, of dissolving the club organization and no longer providing insurance for group run coordinators, which would lead group runs to have to go private, or bringing in a new generation of leadership and a commitment to a new funding model which would no longer require direct financial support from Nathan Hammer and Jewel Bunch.

Discussion of the question from several members coalesced around keeping the club's legal organization, so Secretary Klingler raised the subsequent question of finding specific individuals to step up and serve in a new generation of leadership.

President Jurss began the discussion of 2026 officers.

Marvin King stated that there could be a core board which could jointly run the organization, with a separate committee for races. Adam Stewart said he intends to continue organizing the Run of Champions. Adam Stewart suggested that Ty Russell, who could not be present, would likely be interested in serving as President in 2026, and that he would be willing to take an officer position. Lexi Duscher indicated an intention to serve as an officer in 2026, and Jewel Bunch agreed to stay on to help handle the paperwork of handling money so long as the rest of the leadership team raised money.

Secretary Klingler suggested having the next business meeting, 2026 officer elections, and Winter Social on December 3, 2025. After discussion the suggestion was unanimously approved by voice vote.

President Jurss raised adjournment. Nathan moved to adjourn, Secretary Klingler seconded, and the motion to adjourn was approved by voice vote.