



Announcement:

Meeting of the Willow Bend Environmental Education Center Board of Directors and Guests

July 20th, 2026
Grand Canyon Adventures
(400 S Malpais Ln, Flagstaff, AZ 86001)
4:30-6:00PM

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[01 July 2026](#)

4:30- 4:45 Welcomes, check in's
(Grant Mohn, Tabi Bolton, Ariel Leonard, Melanie Colavito, Eric Souders, Alex Babinski, Melissa Eckstrom, Gina Graziano)

4:45 PM: Call Meeting to Order

- Agenda review and refine (if needed)

4:45 PM: Public Comments

4:50 PM: Review and approve June meeting minutes
 **June 8 - Willow Bend Board Meeting Agenda NOTES.docx**
Melanie motioned to approve, Ariel seconded

4:55 PM: Board Retreat Followup
[2026 Community Program Schedule](#)- no needs at this time besides fundraiser and Science in the Park (September)

5:20PM August Fundraiser

- Community Event
- Donation Tree (Replacing Raffle - possibly small prizes as small incentives)
 - Melanie Colavito has a document describing it [here](#).
 - Roots - \$100 (4)
 - Trunk -\$75 (4)
 - Branches - \$25 (10)
 - Leaves - \$10 (Same amount as suggested donation - "Get a leaf with entry") (50-60)
 - Animal - \$250 (2-4)
 - Eric Souders building the tree
 - Asking for help on the leaves
 - Cloth or maybe (laminated?) light green cardstock leaves
 - Need board members (Gina Volunteered to help)
 - Grant looks for "prizes"
 - Goal: \$2000
 - Grant will bring coolers and ice
- Food: Fratelli's Pizza

- Band: Andi
- Drinks: Mother Road - Ariel Leonard

5:40PM: Staff Reports

 **July Director's and Program Report 2026**

 **06 June 2026 Program Report.docx**

 **BudgetvsActualsCURRENT-Budget_FY26_PL_-FY26PL (4).pdf**

 **StatementofActivity (44).pdf**

 **StatementofFinancialPosition (36).pdf**

**5:55PM Additional agenda items
Next steps**

**6:00PM Vote to Adjourn
Eric votes to adjourn Ariel seconds it**