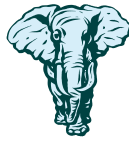




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## Meetings and Activities From the Detroit Chapter AAZK People

### Meetings:

At our *April 18, 2007 General Membership* Kelly presented a BFR T-Shirt Design for 2007. A previously proposed design was "voted down" by BFR coordinator Barbie Wilson.

Kelly requested input on a chapter credit card that may earn travel reward points that can be kicked back to membership. It was decided that the issue will be discussed by the executive board before presenting any issues of concern to membership.

Tiger Ticket Sales are still not final (still no dates) but proceeds will be \$9/ticket sold. We will have to pre-pay only \$1/per ticket, which is not refundable, but we will not be obligated to pay the whole \$9 out front. Kelly will select a game date, hopefully near or on a week end.

The AAZK Toledo Chapter will hold its Bowling For Rhinos event May 4, 2007 at 7:00 pm. Kelly will attend. Anyone else interested in going can organize to travel with Kelly or as a group. Toledo is waiving minimum contribution/collection requirements for Detroit Chapter members so cost is only the \$5.00 bowling/registration fee to bowl (we reciprocate this policy to Toledo members).

Molly Miller will be resigning as Vice President. Our constitution provides that the board may appoint a replacement for Molly. Based on the results of our board vote in December, 2006, the board decided to appoint Tammy Colt as she was the next runner up for board position in December. Tammy has accepted this appointment and will take Molly's place in a few weeks.

The chapter has also decided to recognized member birthdays once each month with monthly cake and ice cream celebrations. We are also open to any ideas about upping our level of fun, learning and professional development. Please provide any suggestions to any board member. We are planning to incorporate some monthly activity (just a quick over view of some animal issue, 5-10 minute presentation, etc.) into each general membership meeting. Anyone with an idea or wishing to volunteer to present a quick blurb in May please let Kelly or Marilyn know.

April Insight is available on line at [www.aazkdetroit.org](http://www.aazkdetroit.org)

*Executive Board Meetings* were held January 4, 2007 and March 12, 2007. The following issues were finalized:

- Board meetings will not be pre-scheduled but will remain on an as-needed basis.
- General Membership meetings will be pre-scheduled the third Wednesday of each month
- The Chapter Constitution amendment regarding our voting quorum requirements was approved.
- The board will approach DZS about ideas to help keepers with uniform costs.
- Follow up is needed with Society about vending machine contracts.
- The 2007 budget was revised and approved (see March MADCAP

### Events:

Volunteer Appreciation week this week

Toledo Chapter Bowling For Rhinos May 4, 2007

Toledo, OH (see Kelly) 7:00 p.m.

Detroit Chapter Bowling For Rhinos July 28 2007

Cloverlanes, Livonia, MI 3:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

THANKS to everyone for attending the BFR Kick-off at BW3! We had a great turn-out!