

District 1-3 Membership Meeting
October 12, 2013

In attendance were:

Barbara Waterman, Kevin Smith, Joe Riley, Joe Chavez, Kathy Abdis, Steve LaRivee, Slav Shcherbakov Mohamed Bouzenbila, Mike Adams, Nelson Carpentier, Bob and Kathy Thornber, Lou Guinta , Luemma McWilliams from District 6 and guests Donna Raciti and Jose Guzman,

Kevin Smith, the District Director, brought the meeting to order.

The minutes of the All American Budgerigar Show were shared with the Rhode Island club to familiarize them with what had been covered. A short discussion took place about some motions.

Kevin brought up the subject of ABS elections. A motion was entertained by Steve LaRivee and seconded by Bob Thornber regarding leaving the list of nominated people as it stands.

A lengthy discussion ensued concerning show tags. The conclusion seemed to be that local clubs want to use up their show tags first.

Kathy Thornber asked about status of individual ads in show programs and catalogs. It would be a good way to raise money for the clubs.

The question was asked: Has Rhode Island considered a website? Donna Raciti will work to set her aviary website to promote Rhode Island Budgie Society and gain them additional sponsors. Then perhaps it can be linked to the ABS Facebook page. Luemma Williams is currently updating Facebook and felt this was a positive step in promoting clubs like Donna would like to do with the endeavor.

A motion to end the Rhode Island District meeting was made and seconded by Kathy Abdis.

Respectfully Submitted:

Kevin Smith
District Director