

Mesquite Educational Paraprofessional Association (MEPA)

Staff Development/ Business meeting was held on November 7, 2023 @ 10:13 am. The meeting was held at West Mesquite High School in the Cafeteria.

- Deloria Harmon welcomed everyone and thanked our speakers for coming. (Kelly Smith, Sabreana Smith, Jennifer Hiser, and Dorthie Thompson). She led us in the pledges and prayer.
- The Minutes and Treasurers report were approved and are on the website. A membership report was given and currently we have 1,000 members.
- We have schools that still need to pick up their lunch bags, Dorthie has those today. They are Wooley, Rutherford, Mackey, A C New, Achziger, Shands, and McWhorter.
- Heather talked about fundraisers. Pecans will be in next week. 22 campuses participated this year.
- There will be no Holiday bazaar this year. We need more help. The baskets will be done at the banquet.
- Lisa Porter talked about needing more Board volunteers. We can't say this enough, we need more help.
- Lisa recognized the Star Paras. Ronald Dodd from Berry for September and Lillian Calito from Range for October.
- We had a great turn out today. We did not print enough certificates. if you do not get one, please send MEPA an email and we will send them to your campus.
- Meeting adjourned at 11:00 am

Submitted by

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