



MINUTES
MESQUITE MUNICIPAL LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD

August 7, 2018

7:00 p.m.

**Mesquite Public Library
300 Grubb Drive**

Present

Richard Larson, Chair
Julie Shelton, Vice-Chair
Karen Eberle, Secretary/Recorder
Debbie Morgan
Angel Blackstock
Virginia Mundt, Director of Library Services

Absent

Barbara Dunn
Beverly Hollingsworth
Tom Brown

Guests

Sandra Silva
Sergio Garcia

1. Richard Larson, Chair, called the meeting to order. It was determined a quorum existed.
 2. Julie Shelton made a motion to accept the June minutes. Angel Blackstock seconded the motion. The minutes were approved.
 3. Fifteen hundred children, 87 teens, and 76 adults participated in Summer Reading Club. Some used the new Beanstack software to record the books they read; others used traditional paper records. The children's party was Friday, August 3.
 4. Jeannette Curtis has joined the Main Library staff in Technical Services. The North Branch library now hosts one book club meeting each month. Computer classes will no longer be offered at the libraries. Patrons may make appointments with staff to have individual computer training.
 5. In June, the library system had a surge of new library cards and Beanstack users because of Summer Reading Club. The Library Director met with representatives from MISD to coordinate children's literacy programs.
- In July, several staff members attended training to learn about the new payroll program the city will use beginning October 1. Several staff members were working on an upgrade to the library's online catalog.
6. Julie Shelton made a motion the meeting be adjourned; Debbie Morgan seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned.