



MINUTES
MESQUITE MUNICIPAL LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD

September 4, 2018

7:00 p.m.

Mesquite Public Library

300 Grubb Drive

Present

Richard Larson, Chair

Julie Shelton, Vice-Chair

Karen Eberle, Secretary/Recorder

Angel Blackstock

Beverly Hollingsworth

Tom Brown

Virginia Mundt, Director of Library Services

Absent

Barbara Dunn

Debra Morgan

Guest

Jeannette Curtis

1. Richard Larson, Chair, called the meeting to order. It was determined a quorum existed.
2. Julie Shelton made a motion to accept the August minutes. Tom Brown seconded the motion. The minutes were approved.
3. The city will hold Taste & Trade on September 25th. The theme for 2018 is "Great State Fairs." Friends of the Mesquite Public Library will hold the fall book sale October 25th – 27th. The Staff Pumpkin Decorating Contest will begin October 22nd with winners announced November 1st. Author Chris Barton will present a program for families at the Main Library, Monday, October 22nd and at the North Branch, Wednesday, October 24th. Halloween Happenings is scheduled for Tuesday, October 30th.

Computer classes at both libraries have been replaced by "Book-a-Librarian," a program that allows patrons to have a private computer lesson with library staff.
4. Jeannette Curtis gave the board members a presentation of the new online catalog.
5. Board members voiced their support for all the library programs.
6. Library staff members attended three school fairs in August. The new Enterprise catalog, an addition to the SirsiDynix system, is fully operational. All library staff members have received training on the new city payroll system. David Toye has been hired as the Adult Services Librarian at the North Branch Library.
7. Tom Brown made a motion the meeting be adjourned; Beverly Hollingsworth seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned.