

# MEPA GENERAL PARENT MEETING

**Date:** August 3, 2023

**Call to Order:** 6:04pm

**Call to Close:** 7:25pm

- A. Welcome Parents
  - a. Yanira call meeting to order and review the 2023-24 Board Members and their roles
  
- B. Stay Informed
  - a. Kasie went over various ways to stay informed during the 2023-24 season including the website, and the band app.
  
- C. Updated Schedule
  - a. Kasie reviewed important events for July and August
    - i. Band Camps
    - ii. Reherals
    - iii. Bowling Night
    - iv. Car Wash
  
- D. Upcoming Events
  - a. Yanira discussed Bowling Night and Carwash
  
- E. September Dates
  - a. Kasie reviewed important events for September
    - i. Reherals
    - ii. Football games
    - iii. Pops and Pies
  
- F. Field Crew
  - a. Mariana introduced herself, gave a quick overview of what Field Crew did and shared a QR Coded for people to sign-up to volunteer
  
- G. Fundraising
  - a. Ashlee introduced herself, and went over details for pops and pies
    - i. Raffle Baskets
    - ii. Volunteer Support
  
- H. FL Live Arena Fundraising
  - a. Ruben introduced himself and went over how to get involved at the arena
  - b. Idith went over how it is a fundraiser and what the money goes towards
  
- I. Points

- a. Idith explained how the points system works withing the Eagle Regiment and reviewed the Points Policy including what you can and cannot do with points.
- J. 2023-24 Calculating Dues
- a. Idith reviewed the different factors that went into calculating the dues for the 2023-24 season
- K. 2023-24 Budget Chart
- a. Idith reviewed where the money goes, how the dues are broken down
- L. 2023-24 Membership Dues
- a. Idith reviewed the membership dues for the 2023 Season
    - i. Payment Plan breakdown
    - ii. Not Including Macy's trip payments
- M. Charms
- a. Idith reviewed what charms is and how to access it
- N. Color Guard
- a. Mimi introduced herself
- O. NYC Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade
- a. Yanira went over the various packages for Fans to join the NYC Macy's trip
  - b. Reviewed some of the rules and regulations for the trip
  - c. Reviewed some of the highlights of the trip
- P. Eagle Regiment Letterman Jacket
- a. Kasie introduced the purpose of the Letterman Jacket and how to purchase
  - b. Discussed the due date
  - c. Showed some examples of how students put their information onto their jacket
- Q. 2023-24 Program Investment
- a. Mr Rivero introduced the Investment that the board was able to make for the band.
    - i. New Wind Instruments
    - ii. New Percussion Instruments
    - iii. Audio Equipment
    - iv. Color Guard Equipment
- R. Percussion
- a. John introduced himself
- S. Thank You
- a. Meeting was called to a close at 7:25pm