

DCPA MINUTES

February 15, 2024

President Renita Murphy called the meeting held on this date to order at 11:56 a.m. via Zoom. President Murphy welcomed 29 DCPA members, 13 SBOTPD members, 4 guests and Speaker John Cashman.

Old Business- President Murphy announced the following:

1. Motion for January minutes made by Lisa Bowles. 2nd motion to approve made by Pam Snavelly. Unanimously approved.
2. President Murphy announced our paralegal of the month for January – Lily Lord
3. President Murphy announced our paralegal of the month for February – Pamela Snavelly
4. President Murphy reiterated the need for volunteers to help with venue for in-person monthly meetings, socials, co-chairs, etc.
5. President Murphy reminded members of membership dues and renewals, and reiterated the fee increase to \$50.00.
6. President Murphy reminded members of the Wild Apricot App.
7. President Murphy reminded members of the Scholarship Deadlines for each certification/association.

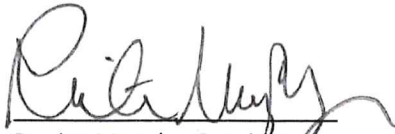
New Business- President Murphy announced the following:


1. TAPA – Texas Alliance of Paralegal Association is hosted by Capital Area Paralegal Associate this year and is set for April 13, 2024
2. DCAP Fundraising Events:
 - a. Valentines Day Grams:
Sold 152 total; \$1,131.00 collected; \$\$1,056.36 profit!
3. Social Events:
 - a. Mardi Gras TONIGHT! See you there!
4. Recognition of February member birthdays.

President Murphy introduced OAG Attorney, John Cashman as our CLE Speaker today. Mr. Cashman's topic was "Why is the AG involved in my case."

Door Prize: _Emily Irlby won a \$15 Amazon gift card.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:05 p.m.


Renita Murphy, President


Melissa Hopkins, Secretary