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Mesquite Police Department Announces 2024 "Shop with a Cop"

Mesquite, NV – The Mesquite Police Department is proud to once again host "Shop with a Cop" for local schoolchildren. Every December, Mesquite Police Officers along with neighboring law enforcement agencies participate in this spectacular tradition.

The children who participate in this extraordinary event were carefully pre-selected by the schools based upon their needs and circumstances. The officers will personally pick up their assigned child from school to begin their holiday shopping together. The children will enjoy one on one time with their officer while picking out gifts for themselves and their family.

When the shopping is done the Mesquite Elks Lodge #2811 will graciously host the children and officers for snacks and pictures with Santa and Mrs. Claus. After a fun-filled morning, the officers return the children to school with their hearts full of joy.

In addition to Virgin Valley Elementary and JL Bowler Elementary Schools, the Mesquite Police Department, with the help of our generous community donations, will also be able to spread holiday cheer to students at Beaver Dam Elementary School.

"Every moment we spend with these children is filled with laughter and joy, and their smiles remind us of the power of connection and kindness" stated Chief MaQuade Chesley. He continued "We are deeply honored to continue this meaningful tradition, and we hope it leaves a lasting, positive impact on their lives and their families' hearts."

MPD would like to thank all past and future supporters of this incredible event, as it is entirely funded through community donations. The Mesquite Police department invites anybody who would like to donate to "Shop with a Cop" to drop their donations off at the Mesquite Police Department, located at 695 Mayan Circle. Checks should be made payable to the Mesquite Police Department. For questions please call (702) 346-5262.

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