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God Bless America

President's Message

Cheree' Barrett, President

If you weren't able to be with us last month you really missed a treat. We arrived for our regular meeting, but it was already set up for another purpose. The venue had failed to put us down for our meeting. The two women that were there had not had anyone arrive for their meeting. They had a BBQ meal set out for people to eat. The women asked that we partake of their food since no one else had shown up to eat it.

While sharing with them I had a moment to speak to one of the women. I explained who we are, what projects we do and about our 2100 cards to be sent out. We checked the list and she was not on it but told me that her family has been voting Republican. We determined the list is about a year old. She is very interested in joining us and has volunteer to help us with a newsletter in Spanish. She knows of a group of women of Spanish descent that vote Republican who have been looking for some group that had conservatives in it.

I hope that this project brings in these women and many more. We must be open to change. Our state is changing with more and more becoming Red. We must make them and any other women who are interested welcome. Introduce yourselves and ask them to sit with you. Hopefully we will have to find another place to meet to accommodate everyone.

ECRW to host the Texas Eagle Forum President



Cindi Castilla

The Ellis County Republican Women will convene on July 12, at 7pm at the Waxahachie Chamber of Commerce, 102 YMCA Dr, Waxahachie. Cindi Castilla, President of the Texas Eagle Forum will be the featured speaker.

Cindi's parents introduced her to political activism as a child, and she has been involved in the conservative movement ever since. After becoming a follower of Jesus, she began to understand her political positions based on our brilliant Constitution and God's Word.

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Cindi became a precinct chair and election judge in her early 20s. While she has been a leader and current member of the several Republican groups, she found her best fit in the Eagle Forum. Cindi loves research issues and going over bills to determine their impact on the people of Texas. She has previously served as the president of the Dallas Eagle Forum.

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Caring for America

By Jennifer Zarate, Chair

The donations are in (drum roll please) and once again we did a fantastic job! We have achieved over \$300 to send to the El Camino Real Republican Women’s Club to purchase supplies for the Border Patrol Agents. Thank you so much to those who were able to contribute! If you haven’t but would like to do so, you’re in luck! We haven’t finalized the donation. If can’t make the next meeting but would like to participate send an email to Susan Worthy at susan.worthy@sbcglobal.net and let her know a check is in the mail. Thanks again to all those who generously gave. Stay tuned for our upcoming project.

2022 Political/Campaign Hours Due July 10th

Hours reported may include:

- Monthly general meetings including travel time to and from meeting
- Paid hours count as long as it is not your primary source of income

In addition to hours, we are also asked to report number of phone calls.

A detailed report is not required - only the total number of hours/phone calls for April, May and June 2022.

Please forward to Vickie Blair at cvblair@yahoo.com or text at 469-688-7310 by July 10th.

Thank You!

July Program

By Melody Allen,
1st Vice President, Programs

CRT, SEL, SHAC...what does these acronyms mean? We hear them tossed around a lot, as they have become hot topics on the campaign trail. Most elected Republican officials, as well as Republican candidates, oppose these programs because they are part of the liberal propaganda in education.

Since I don’t have children, I must admit that I am not as informed on these topics as I should be. However, if you are like me, many of your like-minded friends, family, colleagues, and co-workers look to you for information on candidates and issues such as this. Since they respect us and value our opinions, we must do all we can to learn about these topics and be ready to answer questions when the opportunity arises.

Because I want to be more informed on these topics, and I want our membership to be more informed as well, I have invited **Cindi Castilla, President of the Texas Eagle Forum**, to be our presenter for our July meeting.

Cindi will share info on SEL, CRT, what we need to watch for and listen for, plus a bit on SHACs (School Health Advisory Councils). She also did a little check-up on all the school districts in our county in relation to inappropriate and pornographic materials found in many of the libraries in our schools. She will share the results of her search, so you don’t want to miss this!

Getting involved in local education is a great way to grow our club! Parents and grandparents are becoming more interested in politics because of the state of education, and if we know more than they do, they will follow us! Come out to our July 12th meeting!

Membership Matters

Just a friendly reminder if you have not joined this year, please note that we are looking forward to having all former and new members in our club this year! Please Join!



Anniversary Committee

The Anniversary Committee members are Melody Allen, Vickie Blair, Carol Bouldin, Beverly Gatlin, Whitney Krupala, Jennifer Zarate & Tommie Worthy.

The members are meeting monthly, and many wonderful suggestions have been discussed to make this a memorable event. The committee welcome all suggestions from the membership.

Tommie Worthy

Wisdom from the Founding Fathers Quotes!

“Observe good faith and justice toward all nations, Cultivate peace and harmony with all.”
~~George Washington

“Our greatest happiness...is always the result of a good conscience, good health, occupation, and freedom in all just pursuits.”
~~~Thomas Jefferson

“Liberty cannot be preserved without general knowledge among the people.”  
~~~John Adams

“The Constitution only gives people the right to pursue happiness. You have to catch it yourself.”
~~Benjamin Franklin

Membership Dues

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