

NvFRW NEWSLETTER

News From Around the Silver State

Message from President Caroline

Dear NvFRW Club Presidents and Members,
Power tends to corrupt, and absolute power corrupts absolutely. Lord Acton, 1887

True then—true now. The Democrats have manifested once again by the raid on our former President’s home that they have no limits in their pursuit of power by corrupting the very agencies that once stood as the bulwarks securing JUSTICE and the equal treatment of law for all. They contorted the FBI and the Justice Department into mere puppet machines as enforcers of their distorted agenda aided by news outlets singing the Sirens’ song. The history of their misdeeds is recent and long, but a few examples are sufficient to prove to a *thinking, seeing, and hearing* person the malevolent abyss into which they are leading the country.

Do you remember how the FBI used forged documents to get surveillance on former President Trump,



how the FBI failed to pursue Hunter Biden and secreted his nefarious laptop until after the election, how the FBI ignored Hunter’s business partner implicating President Biden himself in the China deals, how the FBI went “after mothers who rallied against CRT as terrorists yet left the BLM group and their sycophants to destroy our cities, and how the FBI had agents invested in the

January 6 protest the full extent of which is yet to be uncovered? Now, to inflame the cut to our nation’s very sinews, the FBI has used the ruse of a classified document to rummage through our former President’s home via a search warrant any lawyer worth a pound of salt could tell you is illegal on its face. But, legality has not been a part of the FBI and Justice Department’s collusive action against Republicans and our former President Trump. **But act, we must.** FIRE UP your membership. It’s a battle we cannot and must not lose.

—Caroline Smith, President, NvFRW

Below is the statement issued by the great Donald J. President Trump, 45th President of the United States of America

These are dark times for our Nation, as my beautiful home, Mar-A-Lago in Palm Beach, Florida, is currently under siege, raided, and occupied by a large group of FBI agents. Nothing like this has ever happened to a President of the United States before. After working and cooperating with the relevant Government agencies, this unannounced raid on my home was not necessary or appropriate. It is prosecutorial misconduct, the weaponization of the Justice System, and an attack by Radical Left Democrats who desperately don’t want me to run for President in 2024, especially based on recent polls, and who will likewise do anything to stop Republicans and Conservative in the upcoming Midterm Elections. Such an assault could only take place in broken, Third-World Countries. Sadly, America has now become one of those Countries, corrupt at a level not seen before. They even broke into my safe! What is the difference between this and Watergate, where operatives broke into the Democrat National Committee? Here, in reverse, Democrats broke into the home of the 45th President of the United States.

**CHECK OUT OUR NEWLY REVAMPED WEBSITE
 at NvFRW.ORG**

VOTE FOR REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

**U.S. Senate
Adam Laxalt**

**U.S House of Representatives
Congressional District 1
Mark Robertson**

**Congressional District 2
Mark Amodei (Incumbent)**

**Congressional District 3
April Becker**

**Congressional District 4
Sam Peters**

**Statewide Offices
Governor Joe Lombardo
Lieutenant Governor**

**Stavros Anthony
Attorney General
Sigal Chattah
Secretary of State
Jim Marchant
Treasurer
Michele Fiore
Controller
Amy Matthews**

**Nevada Senate
Senate District 2**

**Leo Henderson
Senate District 8
Joey Paulos**

**Senate District 9
Tina Brown**

**Senate District 10
Phil Graviet**

**Senate District 12
Cheryl Arrington**

**Senate District 13
Matthew Buehler**

**Senate District 14
Ira Hansen (Incumbent)**

**Senate District 16
Lisa Krasner**

**Senate District 17
Robin Titus**

**Senate District 20
Jeff Stone**

**Senate District 21
April Larsen**

Nevada State Assembly District

**State Assembly District 1
Garland Brinkley**

**State Assembly District 2
Heidi Kasama**

**State Assembly District 3
Joshua Lemack**

**State Assembly District 4
Richard McArthur (Incumbent)**

**State Assembly District 5
Kelly Quinn**

**State Assembly District 6
Kathryn Rios**

**Senate Assembly District 7
Anthony Palmer**

**State Assembly District 8
Jenann Logan**

**State Assembly District 9
Ryan Fleming**

**State Assembly District 10
Sandie Hernandez**

**State Assembly District 11
Eric Krattiger**

**State Assembly District 12
Flemming Larsen**

**State Assembly District 13
Brian Hibbetts**

**State Assembly District 14
Shawn Stamper**

**State Assembly District 15
Steven Bang**

**State Assembly District 16
Jesse “Jake” Holder**

**State Assembly District 17
Eugene Pawley III**

**State Assembly District 18
Christine DeCorte**

**State Assembly District 19
Thaddeus Yurek**

**State Assembly District 20
Stan Vaughn**

**State Assembly District 21
Jon Petrick**

**State Assembly District 22
Melissa Hardy (Incumbent)**

**State Assembly District 23
Danielle Gallant**

**State Assembly District 24
Dorzell King**

**State Assembly District 25
Sam Kumar**

**State Assembly District 26
Rich DeLong**

**State Assembly District 27
Carmen Ortiz**

**State Assembly District 28
Clint Brown**

**State Assembly District 29
Rhonda Knightly**

**State Assembly District 30
Ricci Rodriguez-Elkins**

**State Assembly District 31
Jill Dickman (Incumbent)**

**State Assembly District 32
Alexis Hansen (Incumbent)**

**State Assembly District 33
Bert Gurr**

**State Assembly District 34
Stacy Butler**

**State Assembly District 35
Tiffany Jones**

**State Assembly District 36
Gregory Hafen (Incumbent)**

**State Assembly District 37
Jacob Deaville**

**State Assembly District 38
Gregory Koenig**

**State Assembly District 39
Ken Gray**

**State Assembly District 40
Philip O’Neill (Incumbent)**

**State Assembly District 41
Paul Bodine**

**State Assembly District 42
Eddie Facey**

Source: <https://nevadagop.org/>

NvFRW Fall Meetings 2022



It's time to register!

Friday, October. 21, 2022
Executive Committee,
Regents Meeting & Reception
(private location provided upon registration)



Saturday, October 22, 2022
NvFRW Fall Board of Directors
& Member Meeting
Sunset Station Hotel & Casino
1301 W. Sunset Road, Henderson Nevada

TICKETS ON SALE AT EVENTBRITE

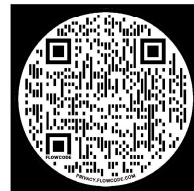
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nvfrw-fall-board-of-directors-meeting-tickets-409341229637?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

Early Bird Registration Board of Directors Meeting \$100
Late Registration Board of Directors meeting \$105
Walk-ins Board of Directors Meeting \$110
Regents' Reception – Non-member \$25.00*
Note: The \$25* fee can be applied to your 2022 Regent's Membership fee of \$100, \$200, or \$300 if you join at the Reception. *Please see Eventbrite link for details.*



ALL REPUBLICAN
WOMEN'S CLUB
MEMBERS ARE
ENCOURAGED
TO ATTEND

Scan here with cell phone
to go directly to site





A MESSAGE FROM JOE WEAVER

STATE DIRECTOR,
NEVADA REPUBLICAN
NATIONAL COMMITTEE

With less than three months until Election Day, now more than ever, we need to get active and Unify around our Republican Candidates! I wanted to give you a short analysis of Voter Registration trends in our state. Over the last three months, 75% of all new registrations have been Republican! This is an ongoing trend showing in favor of Republicans since 2020. On Election Day in 2020, Republicans trailed Democrats by 87,000 registration statewide. As we sit today, Republicans have GAINED over 40,000 on the Democrats and only trail by around 47,000 statewide! For reference, in 2016 and 2020, we lost this state by under 40,000 votes. Whereas these trends are the best we've seen since Reagan, we can't sit on the sidelines and expect a red wave to fall at our feet. We must get active and knock on doors, make phone calls and help our slate of candidates.

The Victory team will host a Week of Training from August 19th – 25th! It is a perfect opportunity to get trained on voter contact or on how to become a poll watcher in the state. If you want to participate or schedule a training, please sign up below or find an event at <https://gopvictory.com/>! Lastly, I wanted to highlight that we've officially passed two million voter contacts for the cycle between our volunteers, candidates, and clubs! We're not slowing down anytime soon, and I hope you will join our efforts. If you'd like to schedule trainings or for me to speak with your club, please email me at jweaver@gop.com.

See you in the field! —Joe

Joseph Weaver
State Director,
Nevada Republican National Committee
Cell: 775.720.2866

Exciting Website News!



IT'S HERE, and we're rightly proud of it. We've completed a total revamp of our webpage. Please check it out at NvFRW.org. The menu is selected via three horizontal lines at the top right. Each computer, iPad, phone, etc., will see the site differently, so watch it on various devices to get its full impact. We start with a vibrant front page and the president's message, followed by significant categories of *Events, Newsletters, Clubs, Regents, Take Action, Leadership, and About Us*. We have as subcategories under Events: Upcoming, Gallery, Press Releases, and Resolutions. The Gallery has photos of our past and present activities where you may see yourself and your club. Under Newsletters, you'll see all our past and current web pages. Under Clubs, we list all the Northern and Southern clubs, when and where they meet, contact info, and their president. Under Regents, we have info about what they do and how to join. Under Take Action, we see news about the upcoming election and how to get involved. Under Leadership, you can visit our executive board, board of directors, and leadership handbook. Under About Us, we have a page about our History, Bylaws, Awards, and Forms. PLEASE check it out and give us your constructive input: maybe what you'd like to see something added.

Onward and upward.

—Caroline Smith, NvFRW President

A Message from the National Federation of Republican Women

MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT HEADS TO PRIME TIME

By NFRW President Eileen Sobjack

It's summer, and opportunities abound to bring in new members. There is growing dissatisfaction with the current administration, and women want to do something to effect change. They just need to know we exist. Fortunately, the low-hanging fruit is all around you!

As you participate in Republican campaign events like picnics and door knocking, advertise your club by wearing your club nametag. You will likely meet Republican women who don't belong to a local club. Be sure to invite them to your next club meeting. Give them something tangible to which they can refer later, such as your business card or club brochure.

Another ideal tool for getting the #RedWave going in your community is the **new NFRW Palm Card**. Pictured below, the Palm Card is available for purchase in the NFRW's online store at by going to: www.nfrw.org/store-publications-multimedia. States and clubs are welcome to add a customized label with local contact information in the white space.

It's easy meeting Republican women at Republican events, but we also must be more visible in the community. Get a booth at your local fair or enter your club in a parade, (or Farmer's Market). Again, advertise your club by wearing your club nametag and handing out a business card, brochure or palm card.

Many communities have conservative radio programs and podcasts available online or on social media. Contact them and offer to do an interview on an issue. There's always an opportunity to bring up your club and when it meets.



NFRW President Eileen Sobjack and granddaughter Emersyn working the fair booth in 2020 and recruiting Republican Women

Please see your weekly *Capital Connection*, for the NFRW Membership Committee's membership tips to help you in your outreach efforts.

Above all, always remember that your enthusiasm is the best marketing strategy for growing membership. Increasing membership increases our strength as Republicans and means more Republican votes in November. ***Now is prime time to grow our membership.***



NEW MEMBER RECRUITMENT TOOL



The NFRW has created this tool to aid states and clubs in their local membership recruitment and public relations outreach efforts.

States and clubs are welcomed to add a customized label with local

contact information in the white space. Package of 50, 2-sided palm cards—\$10. Not for resale.

View the digital version of the full Palm Card online.

SEE: nfrw.org/store-publications-multimedia

Cortez Masto Casts Deciding Vote for Recession Tax Hikes Dem Opposes Border Funding and Title 42. Instead Funds 87K IRS Agents & Hikes Taxes On Energy



LAS VEGAS, NV – Nevada Republican U.S. Senate candidate Adam Laxalt released the following statement after Senator Catherine Cortez Masto cast the deciding vote to pass a partisan \$700 billion package that raises taxes on businesses and working families.

Catherine Cortez Masto just voted to raise taxes on Nevada families and small businesses in the midst of a recession. Senator Cortez Masto had a chance to get serious and help pass bipartisan legislation to secure our border, lower gas prices, and provide real, much-needed relief to the millions of Nevadans struggling to get by. Instead, she enthusiastically rubber-stamped a reckless \$700 billion package that will fuel the flames of inflation, give the IRS \$80 billion to hire 87,000 new agents, raise taxes on Nevadans making as little as \$30,000 per year, and direct billions of taxpayer dollars to subsidize electric vehicles.

Last January, Cortez Masto and her Democrat colleagues forced through a massive \$1.9 trillion spending bill that sent inflation soaring to its

highest point in 40 years and put our economy on a one-way track to recession. Yesterday afternoon, they made the same mistake again - doubling down on their failed liberal agenda with a new package delivering more spending, higher taxes, and more inflation.

This is literally the last thing Nevada families and small businesses need. But Cortez Masto doesn't care. She's just there to rubber stamp whatever President Biden and the radical left put forward. Unfortunately, hardworking Nevadans will be forced to pay the price.

To read Adam Laxalt's press release in its entirety, please see our website: NvFRW.org



FROM THE PARLIMENTARIAN

Some Tips on Meeting Minutes

Why are minutes of meetings important?

- Minutes are the record of decisions made by an organization, board, or committee.
- Minutes show the legal transactions/decisions of an organization.
- Minutes record what was done, *not what was discussed*.



CONNIE SKIDMORE

Who records and keeps the minutes of an organization?

The Secretary/Recording Secretary/Clerk/Scribe/Recorder. The Secretary should maintain a file of completed and approved minutes so members may review and refer to them.

In the absence of the Secretary, the President or Chairperson should appoint a pro tem to take the meeting minutes.

What is the format for minutes?

Heading and first paragraph: Name of organization, type of meeting (regular, special, or adjourned), location, called to order by whom, action taken on minutes of the previous meeting(s) – approved as written, read, or corrected.

Body of Minutes should include:

- (1) Reports of officers (at least the Treasurer's report), Standing Committee reports any special committee reports.
- (2) All motions/resolutions passed or failed (with drawn motions do not go in the minutes). State the name of the motion maker; it is not necessary to mention the seconder.
 - (a) Final wording of all main motions (with any amendments).
 - (b) All points of order and appeals, noting whether sustained or lost and giving the Chair's reasons for the ruling.
- (3) Announcements
- (4) Adjournment time
- (5) Signature and title of recorder of the minutes.

Note: It is no longer necessary to use the words "respectfully submitted" at the end of minutes. The person writing the minutes should only put their name at the end and title.

Based on the current edition of Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised, Connie Skidmore, RP.



National FRW Fall Board Meeting

September 23-24, 2022

Westin Alexandria Old Town
Alexandria, VA

<https://www.nfrw.org/board-fall22>

NvFRW Fall Board & Member Meeting

Oct. 21 Exec. Committee &
Regents Reception

Oct. -22, Fall Meeting (*all invited*)

Sunset Station Hotel & Casino
1301 W. Sunset Road, Henderson Nevada

GENERAL ELECTION-NOV 8, 2022



Famous Women of Nevada

Anne Henrietta Martin (1875-1951)

Anne Henrietta Martin was a leader in promoting the passage of the women's suffrage amendment, serving as the chair of the Nevada Equal Franchise Society. Ms. Martin was head of the history department of the University of Nevada (1897-1901) and the first national chairman of the National Woman's Party in 1916.



In her efforts to obtain suffrage, she organized branches in every county, resulting in ultimate triumph when the Nevada Constitution was ratified in 1914, followed by the passage of the 19th Amendment in 1920. She was also the first woman to run for U.S. Senate in Nevada, although she lost in both 1918 and 1920.

An interesting aside is she was arrested in 1910 trying to enfranchise British women. A friend from her Stanford days, whose husband was one, Herbert Hoover, enlisted Herbert to pay Martin's bail, although another friend had already posted her bail before he could act.

We owe a great debt of gratitude to those women who blazed a trail for the rest of us. In the future, historians will hopefully recognize our great organization as an instrument of change in Nevada.



Question:
When is a yes vote on a "bad" bill the right vote?"

Answer:
When a legislator is willing to sacrifice themselves on the altar of "Amendments."

By Barbara Kirk, NvFRW Treasurer

Spending their time, effort, and political capital to create and negotiate acceptance of an *amendment* that makes a *bad* bill less bad often has negative consequences for the *initiating legislator*.

When an amendment is made, it is required that the creator of that amendment vote *yes* on the bill. When the deck is already stacked in favor of the *bad* bill, then one more *yes* vote is immaterial but necessary. Many times, these legislators receive bad press for voting in favor of the *bad* bill with no mention of the reason or the amendment.

They sometimes are labeled RINOs because people are too lazy to do the research or ask questions. This decision can also negatively impact their voting statistics.

Think for a minute. Most of us offer our support to legislators that continually vote *no* on bills that we would consider *bad*. Not only do we support them we often idealize them. A *no* vote on a *bad* bill is great and appreciated, but consider that, in part, it might be an easy, effortless way to legislate. So, in the future, ask more questions, do your research, and give credit to legislators willing to sacrifice their reputations for the greater good of all Nevadans.



GOOD RESOURCE:
I have been campaigning for sites on our Republican websites that identify the candidates (national, state and local). See: www.ballotpedia.org It lists the candidates and ballot measures also. Go Red! Thanks, Lynn

Membership Tips

From Nicôl Herris, V.P. NvFRW Membership

As of July 2022, our membership is 1,530, which is 11 shy of our membership at the end of 2021. Our clubs are doing a great job of attracting new members while keeping an eye on membership renewals. Our veteran members are the life of our clubs as they sustain our activities throughout the year.



How do you honor your members? With an article in your newsletter? Recognize them with an award each month? Highlight their accomplishments throughout the years they have been a member? It would be interesting to see which NvFRW member has been the longest, and please let me know as I will have a gift for her. Please send in her name, the year she joined your club, and a short bio.

Renewals are just around the corner, and please let me know how your club intends to promote this important event.

Once again, *Each One Brings One* grows our clubs and makes NvFRW an important part in Turning Nevada Red Again!

Thanks a Million, Nicôl

**BE SURE TO SEE
OUR
COMPLETELY
UPDATED
WEBSITE at
NvFRW.org**

CONTINUING SAGA OF THE ELEPHANT LOGO'S STARS



We received a response to the question I mentioned in the last issue of this newsletter. WHO, WHEN, AND WHY were the stars on the GOP elephant turned upside-down? It piqued the curiosity of one of our readers, who sent me this informative email with links to some answers.

I could not resist looking up your question about why the stars on the elephant logo are upside down. Check these out. "Why were the stars turned upside down in the Republican Elephant in 2000?" This Bing video explains the star concern.

Also, see Political Pistachio: Study of the GOP's Upside Down Stars explains nicely that it was NOT Bush and offers a couple of ideas. Please do a follow-up article once you find the answer!

*Warm regards, Kathryn E Kelly, DrPH, MEd,
Executive Director I-School*

Thanks, Kathryn; this research disproves some of the below-noted myths surrounding the change.

A Few of the Theories

- The GOP made a deal with the devil, and the inverted stars represent a pentagram!
- When a country is in distress, its flag is flown upside down—thus the change in the stars' direction
- Some college intern graphic designers did it for fun to see if anyone would notice.

As a result of the research Kathryn found, we can rule out that the change came in 2000. Several campaign logos and election buttons well before the emergence of Bush Jr. show the stars upside-down. See examples on the website: [Political Pistachio: Study of the GOP's Upside Down Stars](#) (above).

Further, the change of the direction of the stars did not happen randomly or covertly. According to U.S. Trademark Applications and Registrations Retrieval database, it was issued Trademark No. 1908397 filed in 1993, and registered in 1995. First use date is 1969 and it appears on the '72 Republican Convention rule booklet, complete with upside-down logo stars. Thus debunking the the unnoticed graphic error theory.

However, it still leaves the question, who decided on the reversal when the trademark was applied for and why it was done? *Still wondering...*

—Anita Kornoff, Editor

Message From Susan Ruch

**CCRCC Chair,
NvFRW Campaign Vice-Chair,
CCRW 1st VP of Programs**



We have a matter of weeks until early voting starts here in the state of Nevada. This election is the most critical election of our lifetime. We must vote if we want to save our state and country as we know it and love it. Many people feel that our votes no longer count, so why vote? Well, I am here to tell you why you must vote. First, voting is our most sacred honor as United State Citizens, and failing to exercise that right diminishes our citizenship. Not only that, but not voting gives a liberal Democrat *one more vote for them*. We must all go to the polls or mail/drop off your ballot (my least favorite voting method). But you **must** vote! As Republicans, it is imperative we overwhelm the system with our votes, so please do not stay home and please vote on November 8.

The NVGOP and the Carson City Republican Party are extremely busy trying to ensure our BIG RED WAVE. We are preparing to have three paid Walkers distributing our Republican Candidate Slate Card, including the true Republican candidates. We will be mailing these cards to every Republican voter in Carson City and handing them out. This way, all voters will know for whom to vote in the General Election in a few months. As Chairman of the committee, I have signed a pledge with the NVGOP that the CCRP to support only the Republican Candidates who won their seats in the Primary held on June 14. Many of us were deeply disappointed that some of our favorite candidates did not win, but now we must put this behind us. We must be a **solid voting block for only Republican candidates**, and it's an absolute must! Please do your part in saving Nevada and the United States, VOTE Red!

The big question is, "What Can You Do to assist in the Big Red Wave?" You can sign up to be a poll watcher with the Carson City Clerk-Recorder or the NVGOP working at the Community Center during the early Voting time and Election Day. It took Republi-

cans years to be released from a legally binding agreement that hindered them from working in the polls for over 30 years due to the Republican National Consent Decree of 1982. In 2017 a Judge appointed by Obama released us from this nightmare, and we Republicans were allowed to start participating as poll watchers once more. (Please see the related article uploaded on our website carsoncityrepublicans.com)

Notice: Spanish-speaking volunteers and others interested in expanding the Republican point of view are needed for the recently implemented program "Vamos" an Hispanic outreach starting in Carson. Become a part of this historic election, by stopping by the Republican office on California Street or visiting the website, carsoncityrepublicans.com, to start volunteering. I can promise you; WE NEED YOU. God Bless America, Nevada, Carson City, and you.

—Susan Ruch

Attention: Club Presidents
The NFRW Campaign Award has been completely revised and broadened. The most critical changes are that the Club submit their forms online every six months.

**CONTINUING NFRW PROGRAM
COMMITTEE PRESENTS**

BITESIZE TOOLS YOU CAN USE
Please check out this video on You Tube
<https://youtu.be/Vh4uoAAewZ8>

See our website for complete
details of the new rules:
**POLITICAL & CAMPAIGN AWARD
FORM INSTRUCTIONS 2022-2023**
nvrw.org

Welcoming NvFRW's Newest Republican Women's Club

ORMSBY



NvFRW PRESIDENT CAROLINE SMITH WELCOMES THE NEW ORW PRESIDENT CHRISTINE BRANDON WITH A CONGRATULATORY CAKE.

The Nevada Federation of Republican Women (NvFRW) is proud to announce the launching of its 19th Nevada Women's Club, **Ormsby Republican Women (ORW)**, in Carson City.

Recording Secretary: Mary Perkins, wyperk1@charter.net. 775-722-1153; and Treasurer: Jaki Wolfen, wjakilyn@yahoo.com. 775-315-8387. OrmsbyRepublicanWomensClub@gmail.com is the Club's email address.

President" Caroline also gave ORW a check for \$500 and an E1B1 start-up kit, compliments of the Nevada Federation.

Congratulations to Christine and the Ormsby Republican Women!

—Kathleen Doyle,
NvFRW Secretary

Their first officially chartered meeting was held on July 20, 2022, at Casino Fandango in Carson City. ORW was formed to afford women (and men) the opportunity to meet in the evening as an alternative to the Carson City Republican Women (CCRW), which meets at lunchtime.

ORW meets the third Wednesday of every month at Casino Fandango, Craft 55 Banquet Room. The social starts at 5:30 p.m.; the meeting is from 6-7 p.m. All are welcome to attend ORW meetings, and if you wish to support them further, you may become an Associate member. The featured speaker at the July 20 meeting was Constitutional Expert Shawn Meehan, whose topic was, "Guard the Constitution."

Please welcome the new Ormsby RW Board:
President: Christine Brandon, christineeabrandon@gmail.com. 775-315-1046; 1st Vice President: Angela Dean, stingray13485@gmail.com. 775-980-9529; 2nd Vice President: Mardu Lydick, mardu@militaryanimalproject.com. 775-400-1947;



ABOVE PHOTO CAPTION: NEW ORMSBY REPUBLICAN WOMEN BOARD WITH NvFRW BOARD. L-R FRONT: JANET FREIXAS, NvFRW PAST PRESIDENT; CHRISTINE BRANDON, ORW PRESIDENT; CAROLINE SMITH, NvFRW PRESIDENT; KATHY DOYLE, NvFRW SECRETARY; MARDU LYDICK, ORW 2ND VP. L-R BACK: MAXINE RODOWICZ, NvFRW NORTHERN DIRECTOR; JAKI WOLFEN, ORW TREASURER; ANGELA DEAN, ORW 1ST VP; MARY PERKINS, ORW SECRETARY; NICÔL HERRIS, NvFRW 2ND VP.



MEET CHRISTINE BRANDON, PRESIDENT

ORMSBY REPUBLICAN WOMEN

CARSON CITY, NV

Christine was born and raised in Kansas City, Missouri and graduated from the University of Missouri-Rolla with a Bachelor of Science degree in Geological Engineering. She went on to work for the Army Corps of Engineers, the Federal Aviation Administration, Defense Logistics Agency and the Marine Corps in construction management and environmental engineering. She moved to Carson City with her family in 1998 and raised her two children there.



Christine got involved with the Republican party when she turned 18 and could vote for her first president, President Ronald Reagan. She has been involved in Republican politics ever since, realizing how important being involved at the local, state, and federal levels.

Christine is a Past Co-President, Woman of the Year, and the Americanism Chair of the Carson City Republican Women, the Northern Chaplain for the Nevada Federation of Republican Women twice and is currently the President of the [newly chartered] Ormsby Republican Women's Club. Christine believes in working on local Republican candidate campaigns, as the local candidates are our future State representatives.

Christine decided to start a new evening Republican Women's Club because she could no longer attend the day Club meetings, as she took a full-time job that offered very little flexibility. She realized that

there were many other women in the same situation and stay-at-home moms, who could not attend the day meetings.

"Many of this new club's founding members have never been involved in politics before, we need their energy and their voices heard!"

REPUBLICANS WORKING TOGETHER!

Although we are separate organizations, we have mutual goals like electing Republicans. Many of us have dual roles with the Republican Women and GOP. The NFRW focuses on educating, empowering, and training as well as supporting and encouraging women to run for office.



MEET MISSY DAY PRESIDENT



As we continue in our quest to get acquainted with the presidents of our 19 Women's Republican Clubs, NvFRW's leader Caroline Smith urged me to do an article on Missy Day of the Republican Women of Las Vegas (RWLV). It turned out to be a very interesting interview.

Missy was born in Long Beach, California, and raised in nearby Bellflower. She attended college in Oregon, where she met her husband at church. She remained living in Oregon for 15 years. In 1993 the couple relocated to Las Vegas and will celebrate their 40th anniversary this November. Missy enjoys traveling and reading in her free time and recommends a favorite book to fellow conservatives, *The 5 Levels of Leadership: Proven Steps to Maximize Your Potential* by John Maxwell. It is directed toward working as a team.

Missy grew up in a Democrat party household except for her father. When she turned 18 and was preparing to register to vote, he asked her, "You are going to be a Republican, aren't you?" Of course, she said yes, and proceeded to join the Republican party, where she has remained a member ever since. She speaks fondly of having had the opportunity to work on Ronald Reagan's campaign in California.

She served as the president of the NAWBO—National Association of Women Business Owners and joined a Republican women's group in 2018. The RWLV group had been around for 75 years and once boasted 150 members. Unfortunately, the club's size had dwindled, and when the entire board termed out after serving their four years, it became a *sink or swim situation*.

In 2021 the then president Saroj Singh approached Missy with an earnest

plea. "Missy, if you don't step up and become president, this group may cease to exist." So, of course, Missy took on the challenge. And a challenge it was! Missy had to recruit an entire slate of new board officers for starters, then go about bringing the organization into the 21st century.

The task began with creating a new website and developing a social media presence—thank you, Dina Lynn. Next came putting together a club newsletter. This effort was made easier when Board member Cristin Ludlow offered, "Sure, I earn a living doing those; I'll help you ." Cristin has continued producing the club's monthly newsletter ever since. Oh, and a big surprise—the 75-year-old group didn't have a current set of bylaws. No problem for Missy as once again, she rolled up her sleeves and tackled the task. She and her board researched various club bylaws to begin developing their own. Board member Devra Betts came to their aid and put them all together.

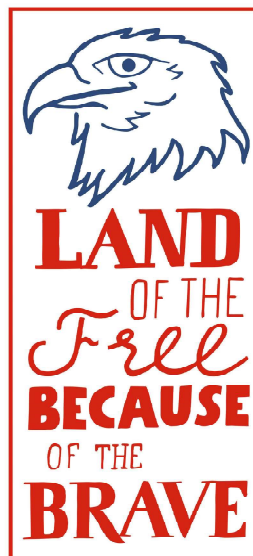
The newly revitalized group is now running at peak performance and again building its membership. In addition to their monthly luncheon meetings, they host casual *3rd Saturday of the month, Conservatives and Coffee*, get-togethers at various coffee shops where people can get acquainted and meet local candidates who often drop in. Missy would like to thank the entire board for their hard work and tenacity in making The RWLV great!

As we move toward the mid-term election, she advises fellow Republicans that despite their possible disappointments in some of the results of the primaries, we put our differences aside and join together to support our Republican candidates. Your vote is more important than ever at this critical time!

—Anita Kornoff



Missy Day, President





By Joan Shoop,
NvFRW Caring for America Chair

It was a sunny, balmy Monday morning in New York City on September 11, 2001. But "normalcy," as we knew it, was about to change. At 8:46 a.m., the first plane hit the World Trade Center. (A film crew nearby filming something else turned its camera toward the WTC, and within three minutes, the Associated Press picked it up, sending it nationwide.) Three other planes were intentionally crashed that morning, including one in a field near Shanksville, Pennsylvania. The target of Flight 93 will never be known. It may have been the White House, the U.S. Capitol, Camp David, or one of the nuclear plants along the East Coast.

As the collapse of the second tower began it took only 10 seconds to fall. After the first plane hit Tower 1, the people in Tower 2 tried to evacuate but were told to stay at their desks. Those who tried to leave were held back by security. The ages of the victims ranged between two and 85. Almost 85% were men. Over 100 Search and Rescue dogs were deployed to help find survivors in the rubble.

The attacks killed 2,996 people; 400 were emergency personnel. Over 6,000 were injured. As of August 2017, 60% of the WTC victims' remains have been positively identified, leaving 1,113 with no biological confirmation of death. At least 200 people jumped from the towers. These deaths were ruled — *not suicide but homicide at the hands of terrorists*.

Osama Bin Laden, the al-Qaeda leader, was the mastermind behind it and the 19 men who carried it out were mostly from Saudi Arabia. The hijackers' ages ranged from 20 to 33. It is estimated it cost \$500,000 to carry out the attack. It took ten years to finally take out Bin Laden. At the time of his death, a \$25M bounty was out for him.

The attack caused about \$10B in infrastructure and property damage. The cost of clean-up was \$750M. The 41.8M tons of debris took 3.1M person-hours and was finished in May 2002. More than 1,110 people who worked or lived near the WTC at the time have been diagnosed with cancer due to exposure to toxins from the site. Asbestos, printer cartridges, smoke, jet fuel, and many other carcinogens have caused severe health problems.

Most of us remember where we were and what we were doing that fateful day, as the news spread worldwide. September 11, 2001, is a solemn reminder that even the strong, free nation we are cannot be untouched by hatred and destruction. It is believed the attacks were:

- A protest against America's support of Israel.
- Our participation in the Persian Gulf War.
- The ongoing military occupation in the Middle East.

Although not a national holiday, September 11 is commemorated as **Patriot Day** in honor of all those who died that day.



Regent's Report

As I write this, the number of Regents is at 85. Our goal as Nevada Federation of Republican Women will get our REPUBLICAN candidates into the winners' circle this November. I know many of you are committed to volunteering at campaign offices and walking neighborhoods. Don't forget a friendly conversation in a grocery store check-out line—where you have a great talking point. For starters, inflation is an ideal way to spread the word about our candidates. Local and real is the way to make an impact. While waiting in line at the grocery store yesterday, the woman in front of me opened the conversation on just that point. No minds were changed because we thought the same way—unless we had some influence on a third-party listener.

The Regents committee to study the Regents By-Laws and Standing Rules have begun to communicate about areas of concern and offer suggestions. These will be presented to the Regents at the October Regents meeting for consideration and finalization.

As we get closer to the October meeting Regents will receive more information. I am looking forward to the October meeting. It will be held at a private residence due to space considerations at the hotel. We are grateful that a member is kind enough to open her home to us. We were a bit cramped for space at the April meeting. Please mark your calendars for October 21st so you don't miss an important meeting and lively social to follow. Look for details in the general Call to Meeting.

—Mary Beganyi,
Southern Nevada Regents Chair

Labor Day: More than Just a Day to BBQ

What do you think of when you hear *Labor Day*? That it marks the end of summer, time for your last big pool party, cook-out, or day at the lake, maybe even the last day to wear your white shoes?

Most of us don't even recall that the first Monday of September is a day rooted in the opposite atmosphere of the festivities we celebrate today. However, on September 5, 1882, over 10,000 NYC workers took to the streets and marched from City Hall to Union Square. This unofficial parade honored all the US workers who labored long hours under the harsh conditions of the time. Factories were often unsafe; workers were severely underpaid, and even young children were sent to work on the factory floor to earn wages to help support their families. The deplorable conditions led to anger and resentment. There were uprisings and violence—both inside and out of the factories.



While the creation of labor unions helped to alleviate the terrible conditions that inspired the violence, workers still felt the need for more. So, when those 10,000-20,000 workers in NYC took unpaid time off on that day in 1882 to march to honor the American worker there was fear that things could turn into a disaster. Instead, the parade, was filled with music, laughter, flags, and badges, ended with a picnic that drew even more people. This peaceful protest was a bright spot that caught the attention of legislators and workers alike.

By 1885, several states had considered legislation for an official "labor day," and in 1894, Congress declared the first Monday of September a national legal holiday.



Ladies for Laxalt Coalition Campaign Launched!

Adam Laxalt officially launched the **Ladies for Laxalt Campaign** last week in Reno with 26 WRW club women attending the kick-off event in Reno. The event included a panel discussion by Jaime Laxalt, Cindy Carano, Patty Cafferata, and Ted Cruz’s wife, Heidi Cruz.

We, women, are a powerful force—we know it’s time for a change—and we’ll work to make it happen. WRW women were the largest contingent in attendance! Well done!

— Stephanie Hanzlik



Panelists from left to right: Jaime Laxalt, local leader Cindy Carano, former State Treasurer Patricia Cafferata, Far right: Moderator Courtney Holland



MT. ROSE REPUBLICAN WOMEN AND REPUBLICAN WOMEN HOST TABLE AT 7TH ANNUAL *MORNING IN NEVADA* *PAC BASQUE FRY*

By Kathleen Doyle, NvFRW Secretary

The 7th Annual Morning in Nevada PAC Basque Fry was held on Saturday, August 13, 2022, at Corley Ranch in Gardnerville, Nevada. True to tradition, there was patriotic country music, rides and goat petting for the kids, Basque food, and wonderful speakers!

This year all scheduled speakers showed up: Texas Senator Ted Cruz, U.S. Senate candidate Adam Laxalt, Nevada gubernatorial candidate Sheriff Joe Lombardo, South Dakota Governor Kristi Noem, Nebraska Governor Pete Ricketts, Retired Army Col. Kurt Schlichter, and former U.S. Attorney General under Trump, Matthew Whitaker.

Most importantly, the Nevada Federation was represented by Mt. Rose Republican Women (MRRW) and Republican Women of Reno (RWR) shared a booth at the event. Not only was it fun and resulted in some new members for both clubs, but it also was a chance to mix with the public and energize them to join a local Republican club, support all Republican candidates up and down the ballot, and vote! This joint presence also showed that our Federation clubs could and do work together as we all have common goals.

Around 1,500 like-minded conservatives attended, according to a local press release. A great time was had by all, and if you've never had their famous *Basque fries* (lamb testicles breaded and fried), you don't know what you're missing!

See event photos on next page



Ladies for Laxalt

TESTIMONIAL CAMPAIGN!

WRW members and supporters have started a grassroots campaign to get the word out in support of Adam Laxalt with personal testimonials of support. Pictured are Secretary Stephanie Hanzlik, President Glenda Gilmore, and Caring for America Chairperson Tee Rogers. These 30-second videos are fun and PRICELESS to de-bunk the false claims by Cortez-Masto.

If interested, contact Steph Hanzlik at sthanzlik@gmail.com or 760-614-0156. Join us!

Here is Tee's testimonial:

"Hello, my name is Tomoko, and I'm a registered voter in Nevada. I've seen the ads run by Katherine Cortez-Masto which are dishonest. The *Washington Post* gave her six Pinocchio's for honesty in her campaign. Adam Laxalt is an honest family man who puts Nevadans first. I'm voting for Adam Laxalt for U.S. Senate. You should too."



**Deadline for our Next
Newsletter:
October 30th**



Nearly two centuries ago, visionaries such as Horace Mann and John Dewey brought forward the concept of government providing a public school system paid for by tax dollars. The goal was that every American child would be able to get a basic core education in reading, writing, math, science, and history and thus become a productive member of society.

Unfortunately, America has, over several decades, pushed out much of our core education and replaced it with content that is intended to indoctrinate our children. The powers that be understand that what we teach our children is vital to defining what kind of country we are. As the direction of our nation becomes more of a political struggle, those who have charge over our schools are seeking to create a nation that reflects their goals and values. We see that now in full force. Parents are kept at bay while the teachers' unions, university education departments, and the state legislatures and bureaucracies fill our children's heads with social justice, racial justice (Black Lives Matter), environmental justice, and way-too-young sexualization of their bodies. We must push back on this.

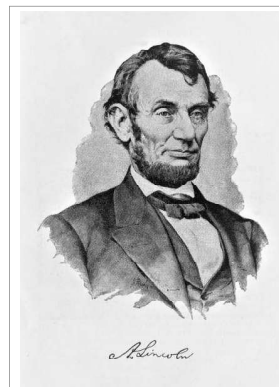
It is true. As goes our children so goes our nation. A secondary but also distressing result of the piling on of all these politically-charged materials is the amount of pressure it heaps on teachers. Even if they want to meet the educational needs of their students, there simply isn't enough time to educate them in the basic core subjects. How schools are currently handling discipline, which is also part of the political maneuvering, is a huge hurdle. The issue of being able to control the students in the classroom

has reached a crisis level because of burdensome responsibilities assigned to teachers regarding disruptive students. The far left's insistence through the Nevada Legislature on Restorative Justice (or Restorative Practices as it is called in the policy our school district adopted) has taken the sting out of consequences for actions.

Ironically, research shows that school administrators and other staff have fared far better in getting higher salaries than those we charge with educating our kids. I am of the belief that teachers deserve more respect and support – and pay. If our superintendent is to be paid \$166,000 a year plus benefits, then I think that teachers, being on the front lines, should be supported much more.

*Katherine Dickerson,
Candidate for School Board, District #6
Member SNRW*

The above is not a candidate endorsement but rather information provided by Republicans running for office, sharing insights with our readers.



"America will never be destroyed from the outside. If we falter and lose our freedoms, it will be because we destroyed ourselves."

— Abraham Lincoln

Dr. Jon Petrick at RWLV



Dr. Jon Petrick was the speaker at our July 20th luncheon. He talked about the US Constitution and each attendee received a pocket sized Constitution. He's running for Assembly District 21. (three photos across top of page)

The three photos on the right are from the RWLV's August luncheon with Drew Johnson and Garland Brinkley.

Missy Day, President of the Republican Women of Las Vegas



WRW Rocks the Basque Fry

Once again, the members and friends of WRW were Rock Stars at the Corley Ranch in Gardnerville for the 7th Annual Basque Fry! Over 40 women and men of our club came out in force to celebrate and meet the challenge of Making Nevada RED Again!

That's almost half of our total membership! Impressive and expressive to show our support for such an awesome line-up of amazing speakers! Way to go, WRW! Let's get Laxalt and Lombardo elected! Everyone can do a small part in making a mighty tidal wave! See you all at the WRW Wednesday Night Phone Bank Bash for Lombardo at his campaign headquarters, 4-6 p.m. It's fun and super easy with Sidekick! Contact Alex Bacchus at alex@joelombardofornv.com. See y'all there!

*—Glenda Gillmore
President WRW*

Mount Rose Republican Women Youth Award

By Lisa-Marie Lightfoot

UNR Student Malachi Aaron Southerland is a winner! Congratulations to a deserving youth! On Wednesday, 06-29-22, 18-year-old UNR Student Malachi



Aaron Southerland received the Sandy Masters Youth Award for \$2,000 from Mt. Rose Republican Women (MRRW) to assist in his educational pursuits. The award was presented at a gathering of 80 attendees at the Tamarack Lodge in Reno.

Mr. Southerland, one of five children, was honored with his family, giving a moving speech about his life and dreams. He was selected based on his significant contributions and leadership in our community. Mr. Southerland was homeschooled and has already completed his Associate's Degree at UNR, working towards a degree in business. Not only is he an outstanding student, maintaining a 4.73 grade point average, he is a leader in TeenPact, Nevada—a Christ-centered youth program, and a worker for the NevadaWins PAC. Through TeenPact, Mr. Southerland has received formal instruction on the Nevada State Government, interacted with the state legislature, and engaged in local charitable activities, such as producing hygiene packets for the homeless. The TeenPact

theme is "Changing lives to change the world," and Mr. Southerland exemplifies this positive message.

The mission of the Sandy Masters Youth Award is to



recognize, encourage and honor youth who have made significant contributions in conservative and constitutional values to their community & state. In his application for the award, he noted, "Through my involvement in the program I have grown significantly as a person in both faith, and my political involvement within my community. I desire to live a

life unto the Lord, spreading the good news he has given me and changing our world for the better. The opportunity to change politics is something that we have been blessed with as Americans. We may not like how the country seems to be going, but regardless we have it much better than everyone else in the world."

The Youth Award was created to honor Sandy Masters, founder of the Mt. Rose Republican Women's Club (MRRW) serving South Reno. Sandy Masters, long-time known for her Republican leadership, continues to support conservative and constitutional values for her community, state, and nation. Mother, grandmother, and businesswoman, she believes youth will provide our hope for the future of "We the People." If you have an interested 17-24-year-old who would be interested in applying for next year's award, please contact Lisa-Marie Lightfoot, 775-750-4913, lmightfeet@gmail.com At Mt. Rose Republican Women, we are so proud and hopeful for the future!



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Join the Red Wave

Stay in The LOOP

**NvFRW President
Caroline Smith
reminds all club
presidents to share
their latest info in
this newsletter.
Next Deadline:
October 30th**

Your input is welcomed
Send articles and photos to:
anitakornoff3@gmail.com
cc: kakarose@aol.com

Douglas County Republican Women (DCRW) Fall Frolic 1860's Style!



Friday, October 14, 2022
5:00pm - 8:00pm

Douglas County Community & Senior Center
1329 Waterloo Lane, Gardnerville

Join us & dress Union or Confederate

\$65 per plate dinner

\$600 per table including:

2 bottles of wine with early entry
& first in line for dinner

The whole evening with grub, booze and silent auction items benefits our scholarship program in our high schools

No host bar, door prizes, best costume contest and historic skit & entertainment

For information, tickets, and to help, contact:

Maxine Rodowicz (775) 600-5759 or max1953x@yahoo.com
Chris Golightly (562) 881-0481 or chris@gochris.com



Invites you to

Ride the Red Wave

SNRW Membership Recruitment Reception
Don't get frustrated ~ get involved!

Saturday, September 10th
3 p.m. to 5 p.m.
COD Casino
1593 Esmeralda, Minden 89423

RSVP: snrw.membership@gmail.com
Appetizers and light beverages will be served
No host bar available



Save the Date!!!



11/10 to 11/12, 2022
Las Vegas, Nevada

Join together with fellow conservative women at a special joint meeting of the states in the National Federation of Republican Women's Regions 1 & 2! Enjoy educational breakout sessions & hear from inspirational speakers! All members are invited to attend! More information to follow...

I'm asking you to pass this on to your members so support this Conference in the following ways:

1. Volunteers for Check-In
2. Find local sponsors for the event
3. Obtain auction items

NFRW President Eileen Sobjak will be attending. We are in the process of setting up registration via Eventbrite. —Caroline



BCRW Boulder City Damboree Parade July 4th

MEET, EAT AND GREET WITH THE CANDIDATES

SEPTEMBER 27 5PM-7PM

MARK ROBERTSON - CONGRESS DISTRICT 1
DR. JON PETRICK - ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 21
DREW JOHNSON - COUNTY COMMISSIONER

CANDIDATE Fundraiser

ENTRY IS COMPLIMENTARY, BUT DONATIONS TO CANDIDATES ARE ENCOURAGED.

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TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT
WWW.REPUBLICANWOMENOFLASVEGAS.COM/EVENTS

More News From Our Clubs Around the Silver State



Fernley Republican Women July Meeting



CCRW'S Annual Scholarship Fundraiser

CARSON CITY REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S ANNUAL
Nevada Day Pancake Breakfast
Saturday, October 29th, 7-9:30 a.m.

Campaign Calls to Action

2022 is the Most Consequential Election Year In the History of Our Republic!



Kerry Ferguson
 BBRW Campaign Director

Join the Primary Campaign. There are plenty of ways to help! See the Volunteer Opportunities below. Also, take a moment to meet our outstanding Campaign Team! You will want to join them in turning Nevada RED!

★ SUPPORT ★ VOLUNTEER ★ INFORM ★

A Great Way to Start the Nevada Day Parade!
Annual Pancake Breakfast at the Governor's Mansion
 You're invited to the Carson City Republican Women's Annual Pancake Breakfast
 The Nevada Room, 606 Mountain Street.
 Enjoy Pancakes, Ham, Scrambled Eggs, Coffee, and Juice.
 \$7 for adults | \$4 (for children under 10)

Our local politicians will be there to help serve breakfast and visit with guests. The food, prepared by Glen Eagles, is donated by various community agencies. Start the day with a good breakfast to benefit deserving high school students in the area.

Meet Local & State Politicians at the Governor's Mansion

ATTN: CCRW MEMBERS: VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HELP AT THE EVENT. Please Call MARY BURGOON 775-315-0993

ALL PROCEEDS ARE DEDICATED TO SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS FOR DESERVING SENIORS FROM CARSON OR DAYTON HIGH SCHOOL.

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Get to Know Your NvFRW Standing Committees and Chairpersons



WE NEED YOU!

In this critical Mid-Term Election year your involvement is more important than ever. Please check out our list of Standing Committees and contact their respective Chairs to volunteer.

Vist our website: NvFRW.org

Choose the Leadership tab on the upper right menu tab for the list of *Standing Committees*

Choose *Leadership* tab on the list on right for *Committee List*,



**Our committees are fun
and a great way to get involved
while working with your fellow
State Federation members**

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**May be held for next issue
due to space limitations
anitakornoff3@gmail.com**

From Our Boutique Chair

Hi Ladies,

I am going to be placing an order for our Nevada Federation of Republican Women embroidered logo blouses and would like to know how many of you would like one. Keep in mind that ***they run small***.

They are 55% cotton and 45% polyester and wash and wear beautifully. At the moment, I have in stock: — 1 - XL, 2 - XXL, 2 - 3 XL, and 1 4XL. They are \$45.00 each. They come in S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, and 4XL.

If you would like one please send a check for \$45 to: Brenda Robertson, P.O. Box 1064, Genoa NV 89411. Or email me at bjr463@charter.net.

Thanks, Brenda Robertson

