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MONTEREY PENINSULA REPUBLICAN & WOMEN

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MONTHLY BUFFET LUNCHEON Thursday, January 9

Social at 11:30 a.m. • Lunch at Noon Palo Corona Regional Park 4860 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel



Guest Speaker: **Joel Pollak**

Joel Pollack is the senior-editor-at-large for Breitbart News. He is the author of several books, including *How Trump Won: The Inside Story of a Revolution*. He is a winner of the Robert Novak Journalism Alumni Fellowship. He's a frequent guest on Fox News and CNN, and spoke at CPAC.

RSVP: Pauline at (831) 277-6208 or info@mprwf.org \$25/Members (includes lunch) • \$30/Guests (includes lunch) • Cash or Checks

> • • • Members bringing a guest who joins as a Regular Member will receive a FREE lunch • • •

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED! PAYMENT IS DUE FOR ALL RSVPsSubmit RSVP cancellation by Monday prior to our luncheon

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President's Message

s we welcome the New Year, our 2020 executive board of officers and our committee chairwomen join me in wishing you and your family a very blessed and Happy New Year.

With the upcoming 2020 Presidential Election it is important that we continue to grow our club membership. Many hands are needed to help our party keep the momentum going. Please send in your membership renewal and invite friends and family to join us. We are contacting inspirational and dynamic speakers for our programs. We need volunteers for our committees listed on page two. Please pair up with a friend(s) and volunteer for one or more committees. Your participation is needed and greatly appreciated. With your help, 2020 will be a very successful and fun year for our club.

An exciting year is planned for the California Federation of Republican Women (CFRW) beginning with the Winter Conference in San Diego, February 7-9, 2020. I plan to drive down to attend the conference and would love to have you car pool with me. MPRWF will pay your registration fee, but we are



Karen holding her MPRWF thank you gift for her leadership and a fabulous 2019.

responsible for our own travel, lodging, and food expenses. If you want to attend the CFRW Winter Conference, please give me a call at (831) 277-6227 for more information. �

Karen Reissman, President

CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN

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2020 Winter Conference

FEBRUARY 7-9, 2020 • SHERATON SAN DIEGO HOTEL & MARINA PRESIDENT SUE BLAIR

Let's Continue Our 2019 Award Winning Caring for America Program

We want to thank the donors to the teddy bears for the Monterey Sheriffs Department and for everyone who brought food and toy donations for the Salvation Army's food drive. We outdid ourselves for both with teddy bears overflowing the table in December, and we had so much food and toys that we had to fill a second barrel. Our club members are so generous in their giving to the community. We thank you.

To continue our 2019 award-winning Caring for America Program in 2020, we need a committee chair for the program. If you volunteer for this important task, it would involve deciding on continuing our projects from last year which included donating teddy bears for the Sheriffs Department in June and December, donating backpacks and school supplies in August, and then food and toys in October and November. A reporter with the newsletter can alert the membership of upcoming projects and send a thank you and hopefully photos at their conclusion. Your task would be to make sure that the donations get either picked up or delivered to the charity. We have won an award for our 2019 program, so let's continue in supporting our community as a club. Please let Karen know if you are able to help with this important program. Robin Bassett, the 2019 committee chair, can answer your questions if you need more information. �















Monterey County Republican Party Monterey County Republican Central Committee

Six Republicans filed for the Monterey County Republican Central Committee District 4, and will appear on the March 3, 2020 Presidential Primary Election. RCC District 4 is only entitled to have five members. Therefore, voters in District 4 will be able to vote for no more than five.

The six candidates are: Dennis Allion, retired naval officer; Peter Andresen, financial advisor; Kristin Callender, editor/homemaker; Jerry Edelen, retired army officer; Peter Kaiser, educator, and Ben Stricklin, private security officer.

Candidates who filed for the Republican County Central Committees Districts 2, 3, and 5 will be appointed in-lieu of election. No one filed for RCCC District 1. The candidates are:

♦ District 2

Pamela Dawn Jones Lawrence S. Moore Angie Morfin Susan L. Shaw Lyle Byron Skeen

♦ District 3

Mike LeBarre

♦ District 5

Michael Addison Michael J. Aspland Jeff Davi Loretta A. Davi Hunter James Garrison Jeff Gorman Carl Miller Karen Reissman

Please contact the Republican Central Committee at (831) 324-0617 to confirm when the candidates take office. Vote by mail ballots are mailed beginning February 3. VOTE. ��

— Paula Anderson, MCRP Central Committee, District 5

SMCRWF Luncheon to be held January 7





LeBarre

Walker

Southern Monterey County Republican Women Federated will hold its monthly luncheon meeting on Tuesday, January 7, 11:30 a.m. at Lawrence's Restaurant, 611 Canal St., King City. The guest speakers will be King City Mayor, Mike LeBarre; and Greenfield Mayor, Lance Walker. Their topic will be "State of Two Cities," and discuss their cities' 2019 accomplishments and upcoming plans.

For reservations and information, please call (831) 385-1333 or e-mail karenleonhard@yahoo.com. ��

MPRWF & Associates "Remember, Honor, and Teach" with WAA

Our club received the following message from Amber Caron, WAA Director of Communications: "Con-



WREATHS - across - AMERICA

gratulations! You have done an amazing job this year helping to share the mission to Remember, Honor, and Teach. This program would not exist without your hard work and commitment Thank you all for your Remember, Honor, and Teach amazing work this year. Together, we are honoring 2.2 million veterans at 2,158 participating locations across the country. This mission grows because of all of you bringing awareness to your communities. THANK YOU!"

Our club provided 83 wreaths to the Monterey Presidio National Cemetery. We thank all our donors, and everyone who attended the two wreath-laying ceremonies at the Monterey Presidio, and at the California Central Coast Veterans National Cemetery in Seaside. Your generosity honors our military and demonstrates our ongoing commitment to our community. As a club, we epitomized the Christmas Spirit. ❖

- Paula Anderson, WAA 2019 Coordinator



As we move into the beginning of the 2020 Presidential Election year cycle, please renew your member-

ship and put the second Thursday of the month on your 2020 calendar. We have a lineup of great speakers.

Annual dues are \$35 for Members and \$20 for Associate Members, who are men and members of other CFRW clubs. We send \$18 of your dues to CFRW for CFRW dues for each member. If you have not already renewed your membership for 2020, you can renew at our January luncheon or mail it to our post office box in the enclosed envelope. Thank you for your continued support. ❖

•••Happy Birthday••• to everyone born in January

- Elizabeth Fry
- Sylvia Fabris
- Nancy Critchlow
- **Larry Moore**
- **Brian Burleson**
- 11 Sally Erlich
- Diane Mayer
- 23 **Carrol Barrie**
- Marjorie Knight
- 29 Elle Zimmerman
- 30 **Sharon Powell**

••• Thank You •••

December Opportunity Drawing Donors

June Elliott Pauline Rosenthal Joyce Lender Diane Mall



With Symphathy

June Duran Stock, who passed away in Pebble Beach at the age of 100 years, was a long-time member of the Republican Women Federated and the Monterey County Republican Central Committee. We send our thoughts and prayers to her family. �

Thank You Member Volunteers

We want to thank our Decoration Chair, Joyce Lender for her wonderful Christmas decorations, cookie and candy-filled favors. Joyce is sharing her Sandies cookie recipe with us. The Christmas program was lovely with our singers, the Silver Belles, and our installation of officers by Robin Basset. Thank you Robin.

As you know, the elephant holders and American flags are on the tables to remind everyone entering the room that they are attending a Republican political event. Joyce adds monthly theme decorations to our centerpieces for our enjoyment. Please do not remove the flags or centerpieces. If the small flag impedes your view, please move to another location. We are delighted with our centerpieces so we appreciate your help by not removing them during the meeting. Thank you. �

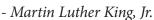
Calendar of Events-

- Happy New Year
- Nat'l. Bird Day
- SMCRWF Luncheon (page 6)
- MPRWF Luncheon
- 11 Human Trafficking Awareness Day
- 19 Nat'l. Popcorn Day
- Martin Luther King Jr. Fly Your Flag Nat'l. Peanut Butter Day
- 31 Nat'l. Hot Chocolate Day

Upcoming:

California Federation of Rebublican Women 2020 Winter Conference February 7-9 • San Diego

"A genuine leader is not a searcher for consensus but a molder of consensus."



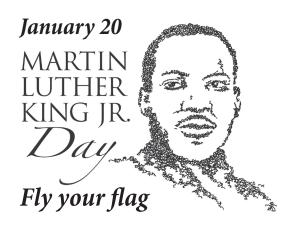
- Sherry Butler, Americanism Chair







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Membership Application • Club year 01/01-12/31 • I am a registered Republican

NAME	Day/Month of Birth	
ADDRESS		
CITY	STATEZIP	
TELEPHONE	E-MAIL	

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