PACHYDERM PARTY LINE

Southern Monterey County Republican Women Federated P.O. Box 221, King City, CA 93930

 President-Karen Leonhard (karenleonhard@yahoo.com)
 Newsletter Editor ~ Jeane Errea Mills (jlerrea@aol.com)

 Membership Chair-Dorothy Errea (djerrea@aol.com)
 California Federation of Republican Women www.cfrw.org

 30th Assembly District
 12th State Senatorial District
 20th Congressional District

 https://www.facebook.com/groups/501005353617619
 November 2018
 Volume 18

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER November 6th General Membership Meeting

Fall Back! Remember to move your clocks back one hour. 2:00 7:00

November 4th

Roast Turkey Dressing, Gravy, Vegetable, Yams, Cranberry Sauce Tuesday, November 6th, 11:30am \$15 includes beverage, tax and tip



RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST !!!!!!

Respond to Karen at karenleonhard@yahoo.com or (831) 385-1333 by Nov. 4

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP



The guest speaker for the November 6th General Membership meeting will be Russ Surber, retired American diplomat. Mr. Surber will discuss news of the moment and reflections on President Trump and foreign policy. Everyone is welcome for lunch or to stop by to hear the speaker.

Russ Surber is a native Californian and a graduate of Cal Poly. Before joining the Foreign Service, he was a Coast Guard Officer. In Washington, he served at different times as special assistant to the Assistant Secretary of State for Latin American Affairs and to the Counselor of the Department, the Department's fourth ranking officer. He was George H.W. Bush's nominee for Ambassador to the Federated States of Micronesia. Russ retired to Paso Robles in 1994 with his wife, Denise, who is a member of Paso Robles RWF

and an associate member of SMCRWF.

QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"A nation that cannot control its borders is not a nation"

Ronald Reagan



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Kathy, Karen and No. Div. Pres, Dottie Lindon





I was pleased to represent our club at the CFRW Fall Conference in Bakersfield. I attended workshops on leadership and membership and there were many interesting and motivating speakers including John Sullivan, writer, director and producer whose latest film is Gosnell. We participated in a Yes on Prop 6 rally in front of the Convention Center and gained quite a bit of attention for our cause.

Candidate for Governor, John Cox, spoke as well as many other candidates including Mark Meuser. Ben

Bergquam, co-founder of the Fight Sanctuary State Initiative and host of Frontline America also spoke. It is truly inspiring to be among so many enthusiastic conservative Republican Women.

Karen Leonhard, President

AMERICANISM Did you know?

Veterans Day is held in honor of all those who served in the United States Armed Forces. This is different from Memorial Day, which honors those who died while serving.

Kathy Forgnone, Americanism Chair

COOKIE WALK

We need your cookies and/or favorite baked goods. This fundraiser is fast approaching. November 17th to be exact. Please bring your goodies to the cafeteria building at the fairgrounds or call Dorothy to have them picked up. Call Dorothy or Jeane at 382-4230 for more information or to volunteer.

picked up. Call Dorothy of Jeane at 362-4230 for more information of to v

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT



We had a huge attendance at our October meeting where Darlene Acosta and Mayor Mike Lebarre, candidates for re-election to City Council in King City spoke. They talked about the importance of youth in our community and thanked the club for our support of the after school Pro-Youth program.

Lance Walker, Greenfield City

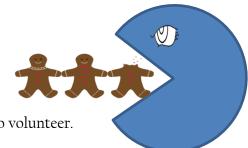
Councilman, told us of his candidacy for Mayor and his vision of the Yanks Museum and airstrip being completed as well as seeing that a Court House is built in Greenfield. Legislative Chair, Kenda Chavez, gave a rundown of all of the Propositions on the November ballot. A special thanks to all of the members who took Yes on Prop

6 door hangers, bumper stickers and information to distribute. A reminder that members should keep track of their volunteer hours when working on campaigns. Kaeda Barrios was the lucky winner of the opportunity drawing.





Associate member Will Clark supporting the Yes on 6 effort.



John Cox

View From The Edge Of The Crowd $_{\mbox{\scriptsize by Lee Schell}}$

Democrats declared war on Republicans with the Kavanaugh atrocity. What they did to that man and his family was unspeakable and has disgusted even some people in their own party. Let's hope that works to Republican advantage in the upcoming mid-term elections. Current political polls show the GOP could lose control of the House of Representatives. These same polls had Hillary winning in 2016 so stay tuned. Election night in November may have it's own surprises.

Justice Brett Kavanaugh was one of the most qualified Supreme Court candidates to ever go before the US Senate for confirmation so why did the Democrats get so vicious during the confirmation hearings? Sure, it was another conservative on the court, but there is another reason lurking in the background. They went

after Kavanaugh *because* he was a boy scout! The Democrats want to send a message to anyone else who might be nominated to the high court by President Trump or any other future Republican president. These unscrupulous political hacks want everybody to know that if they can ruin or permanently damage Justice Kavanaugh and his family they can inflict as much or more mayhem on another equally or lesser-qualified candidate. Their smear machine will reach back to a nominee's middle school years, if need be, and dredge up the worst of inane stuff with which to hammer any candidate who agrees to be subjected to the confirmation trial-by-fire. If they can accuse Justice Brett Kavanagh of gang rape they can accuse anyone of anything...and that's their message.



The Democrats have another trick up their sleeves. If the president of the United States were elected by popular vote instead of the constitutionally mandated Electoral College Al Gore would have been sworn in in the year 2000 and Hillary Clinton would be two years into being our worst nightmare. We are a republic not a true democracy. The founding fathers saw the danger of the most populous states shouting down the smaller ones. The Electoral College makes sure that smaller states have equal say in electing the chief executive of the country. But now, Democrats think they have found a loophole in the

constitution's Article-II. They think that if they get enough states and voting territories to commit all of their Electoral College votes to the winner of the popular vote they can prevail in upcoming elections. That is a simplification of a complicated process but the fact that it is even being considered to do an end run around Article-II of the US Constitution is a real concern. It just points out that some people will stop at nothing to slake their thirst for power.

VOTER REGISTRATION

Thanks to Claudia Wollesen, Kathy Rice, Mike Oliviera and Karen Leonhard for registering voters at Safeway last weekend. This is another event that should be recorded in your record of volunteer hours spent for the club's campaign activities.



Kathy Rice and Claudia Wollesen

Arlene Azcona, Voter Registration Chair





SUNSHINE

Know of any of our members needing a bit of sunshine to brighten their day? Just give Cheryl Harrison a call and she will send a card. (831) 385-5977

LEGISLATIVE



California state lawmakers recently passed a bill forcing restaurants to offer specific beverages to children. Governor Jerry Brown signed the legislation, which passed easily in both the Senate and Assembly, at the end of September.

Though SB 1192 allows customers to order other drinks upon request, the Golden State is now mandating that only unflavored milk and water be listed as "default beverages" on menus (a provision also allows for "non-dairy fluid milk substitutes" containing under 130 calories).

Despite attempts by California lawmakers to alter human behavior-broadly reducing individual liberty in



serve without being sued."

the process-they failed to achieve their goal. Three years of a prohibitive policy failed to make a meaningful dent in the stated problem, yet the legislature continues to apply the same controlling principles, burdening businesses and restricting individual choice.

While rampant consumption of unhealthy food may be a public health issue, California would do well to rely more heavily on approaches beyond bans. For example, ample scientific research shows educational campaignswhich empower people with knowledge rather than making choices for them-reduced youth smoking rates

Whether it's dictating who must serve on the boards of private companies or attempting to regulate speech, California lawmakers continue to condescend to citizens, assuming they know better.

Meanwhile, the results of their intrusive policies continue to demonstrate their own incompetence.

Kenda Chavez, Legislative Chair

MONTEREY COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY VOTER GUIDE

The Monterey County Republican Party voter guide is included in this newsletter. Keep in mind that CFRW and MCRP have differing opinions on some of the Propositions on the ballot. CFRW recommends Yes on Propositions 5,6 and 11. A No vote is recommended on Propositions 1,2,3,47,8,10 and 12. MCRP recommend Yes on Propositions 2,3,6,7 and 11. No on Props 1, 4, 8, 10 and 12. On the Judicial section of the ballot, Carol A. Corrigan and Nathan D. Mihara were both appointed by Republican Governors. The others were appointed by Governor Brown.

CARING FOR AMERICA **TROOP PACKAGES**

We will be sending packages to the troops following our November 6th meeting.

Our club has partnered with Operation Care and Comfort, a 501 (c)(3) organization based in San Jose Compared non-profit group packs and mails the items for the troops and monetary donations you may want to provide are tax deductible with Tax ID # 27-3116300, Donation #77631. Remember that bar soap, pork products and alcohol should not be included in your gifts. Since it is Holiday time, a Christmas ornament or Christmas cards will be appreciated and especially a personal note of thanks and encouragement. Please bring your items for the troops to our meeting on November 6th in a bag or box or you may drop them off at the Rustler office. After the meeting we will be sorting the donations to take them to OC&C, if you have some time please stay and help. We can arrange to pick up items or if you have any questions about our club's ongoing outreach to the troops, please call Karen Leonhard at (831) 385-1333

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Dues are due. Membership envelopes will be handed out at the December meeting. You can also use the form found after the Elected Officials box and give the envelope to a Republican friend to encourage them to join.

Dorothy Errea, Membership Chair

SOUTHERN MONTEREY COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN FEDERATED **GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2nd, 2018** Location: Lawrence's Restaurant, King City, CA

Call to Order: A quorum present, President Karen Leonhard called the meeting to order at 12:00 p.m. All Officers **Present:** President, Karen Leonhard, 1st Vice President, Sue Kleber, 2nd Vice President, Jeane Errea-Mills and Treasurer, Dorothy Errea and Secretary, Kathy Forgnone. Guests & Members present: 41 (Exhibit A.) **Invocation:** Led by Chaplain, Roz Arness.

Pledge of Allegiance/This Day in History: Led by Secretary Kathy Forgnone.

Introductions: President, Karen Leonhard introduced the speakers and guests, see Exhibit A.

Guest Speakers: 1st Vice President, Sue Kleber, introduced the following guest speakers: King City Mayor Mike LeBarre, running for re-election, King City Councilwoman, Darlene Acosta, running for re-election, and Lance Walker, running for Mayor of Greenfield.

New Business:

Approval of Minutes: With no corrections, the Minutes of September 4th, 2018, General Membership Meeting will stand as approved. Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Dorothy Errea, gave the report for August, with an ending balance this date, (10/2/18) of \$4,199.68. She reported that Rabo Bank extended a three-month reprieve on low balance fees. A new bank policy is to charge fees on balances under \$5,000. The report will be filed for audit. (Exhibit B.)

Old Business: Treasurer, Dorothy Errea gave information on the Holiday Cookie Walk fundraiser to be held on Saturday November 17th, from 9:00 a.m. until supplies run out.

Membership Report: Membership Chair Dorothy Errea reported a total of 46 members and 35 associates. It was announced that the CFRW will accept any new memberships this month and November towards their 2019 dues. 1st VP **<u>Report</u>**: Sue Kleber announced that the speaker for the November 6th, General Membership meeting will be former American Diplomat, Russ Surber.

Sunshine: Member Ruth Lopes is now home from the hospital and in good spirits.

Legislation: Kenda Chavez listed all the Propositions on the November ballot. Yes on 5, 6, and 11. All others No. Newsletter: Jeane Errea-Mills announced that the deadline for items to be included in the November Newsletter will be October 15th-17th. **Open Positions:** President Karen Leonhard, thanked Roz Arness for volunteering to serve as Chaplain. She encouraged members to volunteer for two positions currently open: Hospitality Chair, and Caring for America.

Events & Announcements:

King City in Bloom Award - Laurie Slaten gave information on the National award their committee received for their beautification of King City.

October 6th & 20th. Monterey County Republican County Chair, Juli Mitchell requested volunteers to walk the precincts, Also needed are people to work the phone banks.

Oct. 27th - Wildhorse Poker Run, 8-10 a.m., check in, BBQ 11:30 am.

Oct. 31st- Open Your Trunk for Halloween. Roz Arness gave information on how member's could participate in King City's "Open Your Trunk," for children, Trick Or Treating on Halloween at the City Park.

Meetings:

Oct. 11th - Monterey Peninsula RWF Fundraiser, 11 a.m. - Palo Corona Reg. Park, Carmel.

Oct. 15th - Paso Robles RWF meeting - 11 a.m. - Paso Robles Inn

Oct. 30th - SMCRWF Board of Directors meeting at 12 noon at Rabo Bank in King City.

Nov. 6th - SMCRWF General Membership Meeting 11:30 a.m. at Lawrence's Restaurant, King City.

Opportunity Drawing: Member Kaeda Barrios' number was read for the Opportunity Drawing. Adjournment: With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

Kathy Forgnone, Secretary Approved: Submitted by:

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS

SMCRWF is a member of the King City Chamber of Commerce. They promote our club with information about our meetings and events and we are welcome at their meetings. The Chamber is having their November luncheon meeting on Thursday, Nov. 1st at Scheid Vineyard, Greenfield. Call (831) 385-3814 for reservations.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORING CLUBS

MONTEREY PENINSULA RWF

Nov. 8 Monterey RWF, 11:30am, Palo Corona Park, Carmel Valley. Ed Brodow "Tyranny of the Minority" & Sheriff Steve Bernal. RSVP (831) 484-1104

PASO ROBLES RWF

Our club was well represented at the Paso Robles RWF meeting featuring Christopher Scalia, son of the late Justice Antonin Scalia. He has written a book, "Scalia Speaks", containing many of his father's speeches and life as one of Justice Scalia's 9 children.

Nov.19 Paso Robles RWF, 11:30am, Paso Robles Inn. Joshua Recalde-Martinez, Orange Coast College Republican Club. RSVP (408) 981-2546

CALENDAR

Oct. 30 Board Meeting, 12 noon, Rabo Bank, King City.

- Oct. 31 Halloween
- Nov. 4 Daylight Savings Time Ends
- Nov. 6 Election Day
- Nov. 6 General Membership Meeting, 11:30am, Lawrence's
- Nov. 11 Veteran's Day, VFW BBQ and Bake Sale, Bitterwater Road
- Nov. 22 Thanksgiving Day

BIRTHDAYS

- Nov. 2 Jeane Errea-Mills
- Nov. 10 Will Clark
- Nov. 13 Vivien Lindley

Celebrate

Nov. 14 Patricia Schleve Nov. 19 Kathy Rice Nov. 23 Ruth Pedroza-Moore



FLAG DAYS

Election Day-November 6 Marine Corps Birthday-November 10 Veterans Day-November 11 Thanksgiving Day-November 22

REAGAN LIBRARY EVENTS www.reaganfoundation.org (805) 522-2977

Oct. 29 Sebastian Gorka,"Why We Fight", 6:30pm-8:30pm, \$10

Nov. 7 Pompeii Exhibition & Lunch Tour, 12:30pm-4:30pm, \$64

Nov. 11 Veterans Day Ceremony, 10am-3pm

Nov. 14 Gen. Stanley McChrystal," Leaders: Myth & Reality", 6pm-8pm, \$65

NEWS OF OUR SPONSORS

TRUE VALUE HARDWAREwww.truevalue.com/kingcityBargains of the month:20# Wild Bird Food\$ 4.99SM Allergen Filters\$ 9.99GE 4pk 5W or 9W Led Bulbs\$ 8.99View and print coupons for buy one get one keys and \$5 off \$50 purchase.

WILDHORSE CAFE Wildhorse exit on Hwy 101

October 27th is the date for the annual Wildhorse Poker Run that benefits New Life K9s Service Dogs. Sign up at (831) 710-1453 or just stop by for the BBQ lunch.

Wildhorse Cafe will prepare your Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings. Just call (831) 385-4312 and they will prepare roasted turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, sage dressing, green bean casserole, rolls and cranberry sauce, apple or pumpkin pie. \$105

FRAMEWORK teresa@8financial.com

Christmas Gift Idea: Not just for Christmas, think weddings, graduations, birthdays. A life insurance policy through me, with options for building cash, long term income, tax efficiencies, is a gift which keeps on giving. These are great times to think outside of the box and give a gift, a nest egg for the future. I'm happy to talk with you. Call me to chat! (661) 325-7361 Teresa Sullenger Registered Representative offering securities through Infinity Financial Services. Member FINRA, SIPC, CA License 0154172

ELECTED OFFICIALS http://www.montereycountyelections.us/pdf/elected officials list.pdf

MONTEREY COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Simon Salinas D District 3 South County 168 W. Alisal, 3rd Floor. Salinas, CA 93901 (831) 385-8333

KING CITY CITY COUNCIL

Mayor Mike LeBarre R Darlene Acosta R Carlos DeLeon D Carlos Victoria D Rob Cullen D

2121 S. Vanderhurst St., King City, CA 93930 (831) 385-3281

STATE SENATE

Sen. Bill Monning D District 17 State Capitol Room 313, Sacramento, CA. 95814 (916) 651-4017

Sen. Anthony Cannella R District 12 369 Main St. #208, Salinas, CA 93901 (831) 769-8040

STATE ASSEMBLY

Anna Caballero D District 30 318 Cayuga Street, #206, Salinas, CA 93901 (831) 759-8676

CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS

Speaker Paul Ryan R House of Rep. 1011 Longworth H.O.B. Washington, DC 20515 (202) 225-6205

CONGRESS U.S. HOUSE

Jimmy Panetta D District 20 228 Cannon House Office Building. Washington, DC 20515 (202) 225-2861 100 W. Alisal, , Salinas, CA 93901 (831) 424-2229

U.S. SENATE

Sen. Kamala D. Harris D 112 Hart Senate Office Bldg. Washington, DC 20510 (202) 224-3553

Sen. Dianne Feinstein D 331 Hart Senate Office Bldg. Washington, DC 20510 (202) 224-3841

PRESIDENT

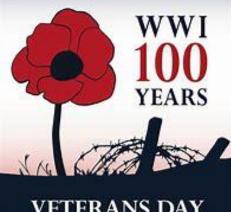
Donald J. Trump R The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W. Washington, DC 20500 (202) 456-1111 (202) 456-2461 (fax)

Sen. Majority Leader Mitch McConnell R 317 Russell Sen. Bld. Washington, DC 20510 (202) 224-2541

GOVERNOR

Jerry Brown D State Capitol Bldg. #1173 Sacramento, CA. 95814 (916) 445-2841





	1	-	-		-	~		10	D		-		
N	0	٧	E	м	B	Ε	R	1.1	, 2	0	1	8	

va.gov

0

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name Birthday (Mo/Day)

Address

Phone E-Mail

Active Member \$25/Year Associate Member \$10/Year

Active member is a registered Republican Woman. She will have voting privileges and may hold office. Associate member is a woman who is an active member of another Republican Women Federated club or a man that is a registered Republican.

Signature

Date

Please make check payable to SoMoCo RWF

Mail to: SoMoCo RWF P. O. Box 221 King City, CA 93930 SMCRWF thanks the following sponsors for helping defray the costs of publication and distribution of this newsletter. Copy information reproduced has been provided by the sponsor and does not constitute endorsement of any product, service or candidate by NFRW, CFRW, Northern Division or this Federated Club.



MONTEREY COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY GENERAL ELECTION VOTER GUIDE 2018

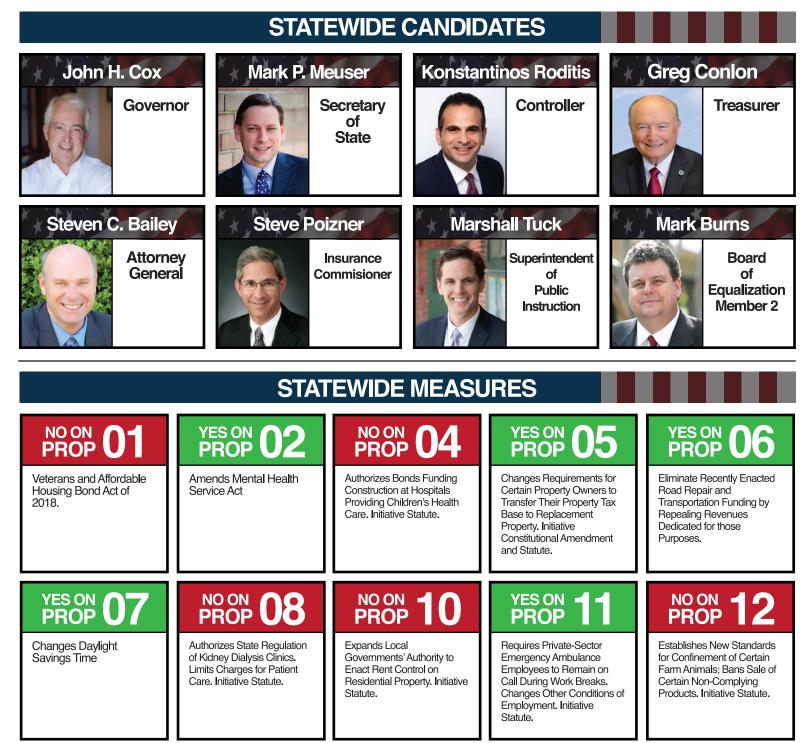
LOCAL CANDIDATES & MEASURES



Member Communication



Monterey County Republican Party 1098 Del Monte Ave. Suite C. Monterey, CA 93940 Phone: 831-324-0617 | Fax: 831-324-0742 www.MontereyRepublicans.org Facebook.com/MontereyGOP Twitter.com/MontereyGOP



Paid for by the Monterey County Republican Central Committee Member Communication