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Hello from Conroe Texas! We now have two great granddaughter's, Annora Clare arrived, at home, on Friday night to join her sister, Ayla Joelle, age 2! What a blessing! (You may ask why is she putting this in our newsletter, guess it's personal privilege! I am so bad!)

When we meet next month, November 4, it will be the the day after what is being called "the most important election of our lives." I believe this statement and know that we have all done everything we could to put our President, Donald J. Trump, into office for another fours years!!



Our guest speakers will be President Janet Freixas, NvFRW President, with news from the National Federation and Virginia Starrett, our Americanism Chair who has written her presentation. Those of us who went to the NvFRW meeting at the Atlantis were given a preview. You won't want to miss the presentation.

That's it for now, looking forward to celebrating with everyone on November 4th.

Stay safe! Brenda

"Election Night Watch Party"

Hosted by the campaigns of Mark Gardner, Tony Magnotta, and Jim McKalip, Hamdogs Restaurant, November 3rd, 6-9 pm, light refreshments provided!

Hope to see you there!

Mark, Tony & Jim

OUR NEXT MEETING

Wed Nov 4, 2020
Valley Christian Fellowship Church
1681 Lucerne St.,
Minden 89423

Sign In: 11:00 am

Cost \$10.00

Reservation deadline:

Oct 30 , 2020

Reservations:

Linda Colavechio

775 782-5338

lrcal1@aol.com

Without Reservation:

COST \$15.00

MENU

**No lunch served,
there will be light
refreshments**

PENDING SCHEDULED SPEAKERS (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Janet Freixas

President NvFRW

NOVEMBER 4TH

VIRGINIA STARRETT

AMERICANISM CHAIR

Presenting:

The Yellow Rose of Nevada



DECEMBER 2ND



CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Either

The Living History Ladies

Or

Sheriff Duffy 's talk on how to be safe and aware of our surroundings

JANUARY 6TH



The true story behind Thanksgiving is a bloody struggle that decimated the population and ended with a head on a stick

- **Most American schoolchildren grow up with the story of how the English pilgrims and Native Americans came together for the first Thanksgiving in Plymouth.**
- **In reality, peace didn't last between the English settlers and their one-time Wampanoag allies.**
- **The two became embroiled in a devastating war just a generation after the famous feast.**

In the US, Thanksgiving is a time for family, parades, lots of delicious food, and, oftentimes, intense travel snarls.

American schoolchildren are usually taught the tradition dates back to the pilgrims, English religious dissenters who helped to establish the Plymouth Colony in present-day Massachusetts in 1620.

As the story goes, friendly local Native Americans swooped in to teach the struggling colonists how to survive in the New World. Then everyone got together to celebrate with a feast in 1621. Attendees included at least 90 men from the Wampanoag tribe and the 50 or so surviving Mayflower passengers, according to TIME. The bash lasted three days and featured a menu including deer, fowl, and corn, according to Smithsonian Magazine.

In reality, Thanksgiving feasts predate Plymouth. You'll even find a number of localities have vied to claim the first Thanksgiving for themselves.

Settlers in Berkeley Hundred in Virginia decided to celebrate their arrival with an annual Thanksgiving back in 1619, according to The Virginian-Pilot — although The Washingtonian reported the meal was probably little more than some oysters and ham thrown together. And decades before that, Spanish settlers and members of the Seloy tribe broke bread with salted pork, garbanzo beans, and a Mass in 1565 Florida, according to the National Parks Service.

Our modern definition of Thanksgiving revolves around eating turkey, but in past centuries it was more of an occasion for religious observance. The storied 1621 Plymouth festivities live on in popular memory, but the pilgrims themselves would have likely considered their sober 1623 day of prayer the first true "Thanksgiving," according to the blog the History of Massachusetts. Others pinpoint 1637 as the true origin of Thanksgiving, owing to the fact Massachusetts colony governor John Winthrop declared a day of thanks-giving to celebrate colonial soldiers who had just slaughtered 700 Pequot men, women, and children in what is now Mystic, Connecticut.

Either way, the popular telling of the initial harvest festival is what lived on, thanks to Abraham Lincoln.

The enduring holiday has also nearly erased from our collective memory what happened between the Wampanoag and the English a generation later.



To read the full story of Thanks giving go to :
<https://www.businessinsider.com/history-of-thanksgiving-2017-11>



DECEMBER CHRISTMAS PROGRAM



BAD NEWS FIRST:

Unfortunately we are unable to have the High School or Middle School choirs this year due to the Corona Virus .

HOWEVER (HERE'S THE GOOD NEWS)

We are having a Christmas party with music, homemade cookies, games and prizes .

There will also be a gift exchange for those that wish to participate.

To participate each person is asked to bring one wrapped gift, value limit of \$5.00. (We will have a limited amount of gifts available for \$5 if you forget to bring one but want to join.)

Should be a lot of fun, so be sure to sign up at the November meeting!



Annual Christmas

Tree Decorating

at Minden Museum

November 30th @ 10 am

This years theme:

“HONORING OUR FIREFIGHTERS”

ALL ARE WELCOME



NvFRW LEADERSHIP TRAINING

Now is the time to start thinking about the NvFRW Leadership Training event in January. We are penciled in for Jan. 6th at the Nevada Room (Governors Mansion) in Carson City. It's an all day event, lunch included. Any interested members are invited to attend this free event. We don't have any details yet of what, if any, restrictions there will be, But we will keep you informed as the date gets closer .



SUNSHINE ALERT

We sent Julie Moore a get well card after she was bit by a dog while handing out literature door to door.

Please let Jean Tomlinson know if anyone is in need of a card. tomlinson4@frontier.com

Douglas County Republication

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Start planning now!

SAVE THE DATE!!

NFRW 41st Biennial Convention

September 23-26, 2021

JW Marriott Orlando, Grande Lakes

Orlando, Florida



**MARK YOUR
CALENDAR**



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DONATION HOURS REPORT

If you are donating time working for the elections please send your current hours to our Campaign Chair NANCY KJELDERGAARD, nancy@kjeldergaard, This covers the period July 1, 2019 thru June 30, 2021.

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MEMBERSHIP REPORT

I am happy to introduce you to two of DCRW's newest members: Daiana Azpilcueta and Arlene Becker. Please be on the lookout for these ladies at our next meeting and help make them feel welcome.

With the passing of October and the coming of the holidays, DCRW will be in the throes of the first quarter of the 2021 membership year. This means it is time to renew your membership. As of this writing, DCRW has 20 full members and 10 associates. Please help us make our membership goals for this new year and renew at your earliest convenience.

Below are some helpful tips on how to renew.

If you are **renewing** at one of our DCRW meetings, look for the designated membership table. Pick up a clip board and on it you will see the revised membership form.

Check if you are renewing as a full member or associate. The rates are the same as last year. \$40 for a full member and \$20 for an associate.

Ladies, if you are renewing as an associate member, please write the name of your primary club underneath the line you check for associate member.

Print your name, the current date and your birthday.

If your other contact information has not changed, such as your address and telephone number, you can skip those lines.

To help us ensure we have the correct email address for you, please print it even if it has not changed.

Clip your check or cash to the board and hand it to me along with the completed form.

For **new members** to DCRW, just pick up a clip board and complete the membership form. Attach your check or cash and simply hand the clip board to me.

Ladies, please check if you will be joining as a full member, \$40, or as an Associate member, \$20.

Women must join as a full member unless you are already a member of another Republican Women's Club. In that case, you will join as an associate member. Please be sure to write the name of your primary club underneath the line you check for associate member.

Husbands and male friends, we welcome your membership as associate members.

Those wanting to renew or join new by mail, please follow the above instructions and mail to:

DCRW; PO Box 1214; Minden, NV 89423.

Anyone wanting a membership badge, just complete the bottom of the membership form. Be sure to write-in how you wish for your name to appear and check if you want red or blue. Attach your \$15 check or cash to the clip board and hand it to me. I will have it for you at our next meeting.

Thank you,

Mo Karas

2nd VP Membership



With only a few days left until Nov 3rd, we need all hands on deck to cross the finish line STRONG!!

I know that we are all very busy with other things in the campaign, and family lives.

If you are able to make Red Dial or Live Vox Calls this week, please RSVP the days/hours you can help.

If you are able to knock doors this week, please RSVP me! We especially need help tomorrow & Tues! If you need a paper walk-book, we can get you that too. Also, if there is a precinct you'd like to walk, we can make that happen as well. You just need to take a short survey. I will enter the details into Advantage at the end of the day.

If you are able to use advantage, you can do that as well when knocking doors.

This is critical to get as many contacts made for our President either by phone or door. He fights hard for us everyday, and he needs our help now!

Thank you for all you do!

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Julie Moore

Douglas County Turf Coordinator

Trump Victory

775-790-6419

November Birthdays

Christina Blackburn

Carmen Bowman

Amber Carrillo

Sherry Dilley

Sandy Girdner

Virginia Starrett

Marsha Tomerlin

And any one we missed!

Web

Sites of Interest:

Douglas County

Republican Women

www.dcrwnevada.com

Nevada Federation of

Republican Women

www.nvfrw.org

Nevada Republican Party

www.nevadagop.org

Douglas County Republican Central Committee

www.douglasgop.org

Republican National Committee

www.rnc.org

The Federalist:

www.federalist.com

Heritage Foundation:

www.heritage.org

Left Coast Report:

www.newsmax.com

Pacific Justice Institute:

www.pacificjustice.org

Nevada Governor:

www.gov.nv.gov

Grassroots:

www.grassroots.com



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Mark your Calendars

Nov . 3	Election - Hamdog Watch Party
Nov. 4	DCRW General Meeting
Nov. 11	Sierra Nevada General Meeting
Nov. 12	DCRCC General Meeting
Dec. 2	DCRW General Meeting
Dec. 9	Sierra Nevada General Meeting
Dec. 10	DCRCC General Meeting
Dec. 25	Christmas
Jan. 2	DCRW General Meeting
Jan. 6	NvFRW Training Meeting
Jan. 9	Sierra Nevada General Meeting

A special Thank you to:

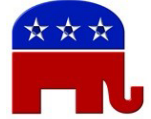
Janet Freixas and Maxine Rodowicz
for their yummy contributions last month.





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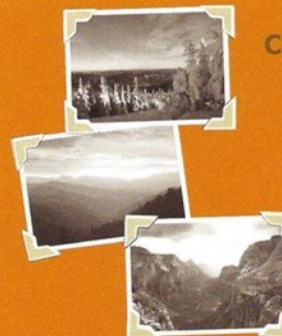
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DOUGLAS COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN MEMBERSHIP FORM

By joining Douglas County Republican Women (DCRW) you automatically have membership in 3 clubs, DCRW, the Nevada Federation of Republican Women & the National Federation of Republican Women.

Membership provides monthly club meetings featuring keynote speakers, email notification of community & political events and monthly newsletters from all three clubs. Republican Women are all about education, action and getting our candidates elected.

Profits from fundraising go toward providing scholarships to selected seniors from Douglas, George Whittell and Aspire Academy High Schools, the local Boys & Girls Club and Honor Flight, an organization sending our Veterans to see their war memorials in Washington DC.

Our only requirement is that you are a registered Republican. Thank you for your interest in joining Douglas County Republican Women.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES

Women who do not belong to another Republican women's club will join as a "Full Member". Full Members of another Republican women's club, spouses of members & men may join as "Associate Members". Dues are for a calendar year, January through December. Renewals begin in October for the following year.

Please check which membership you are seeking.

_____ **\$40.00 Full Member**

_____ **\$20.00 Associate Member**

PLEASE PRINT:

Your Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Husband's Name: _____ **Your Birthday: Day & Month.** _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Physical Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: DCRW

Bring this form and check to a DCRW meeting & go to the Membership Table to see our Membership Chair Mo Karas, or

Mail to: DCRW; P.O. BOX 1214; MINDEN, NV 89423

NAME BADGES are available in red or blue for \$10.00. They can be purchased at any time. Should you wish to order one now, please print your name as you want it to appear on the badge, select your color and include payment.

_____ \$15.00 Red _____ Blue _____ **Name:** _____

Thank you for supporting Douglas County Republican Women!