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WOW what a month we have had in Douglas County!

Probably the most exciting event was the visit by

President Trump at the Minden Airport on September

12, 2020 !! As Bobbi Thompson, Airport Manager,



stated "it was very fast!" The airport has 48 hours to prepare for President Trump's visit. There were 28,000 people in venue and approximately 10,000 outside the grounds of the airport. Volunteers stated that people came from several states. Senator Settelmeyer opened two of his fields for parking which were packed with cars etc. What a great event for Douglas County.

Now we are gearing up for the upcoming election. As several sources have stated-this is probably the most important election of our life times!!

I hope you have volunteered at headquarters, help at the Farmer's Market, talked to people in the grocery store, walked your precincts and passed along the word of how important this election is for our country!! If you need more information - please go to: douglasgop.org

Stay well and be safe - Brenda

OUR NEXT MEETING

Wed Oct 7, 2020 Valley Christian Fellowship Church 1681 Lucerne St., Minden 89423

Sign In: 11:00 am

Cost \$10.00

Reservation deadline:

Oct 2, 2020

Reservations:

Linda Colavechio

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Without Reservation:

COST \$15.00

September 12, 2020 Douglas welcomes President Trump



PENDING SCHEDULED SPEAKERS (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

OCTOBER 7TH





JAMES SETTLEMEYER

NEVADA SENATE 17TH DISTRICT

JIM WHEELER

NEVADA ASSEMBLY 39TH DISTRICT

DISTRICT COURT JUDGE CANDIDATES

Caren Cafferata-Jenkins

Nathan Tod Young

NOVEMBER 4TH

JANET FREIXAS

NVFRW President

VIRGINIA STARRETT

AMERICANISM CHAIR

DECEMBER 2ND



CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

DISTRICT COURT JUDGE DIST, 9 DEPT, 1 CANDIDATES

Caren Cafferata-Jenkins

I am Caren Cafferata-Jenkins. I would be honored to earn your vote and serve Douglas County as District Court Judge in Department 1.

Last year, only 22% of all Douglas court cases involved criminal matters. Yet, before joining the bench, both of our current judges' legal experience centered on criminal law. But real estate matters, business and commercial disputes, child abuse and neglect, juvenile, probate and family law/divorce cases fill most of the court's docket. My 25 years representing clients in civil litigation, estates & probates and family law will serve Douglas County well.



The Nevada Constitution provides that District Court judges be selected by the electorate. But only once in the last 35 years have Douglas County voters had a choice. The current Governor-appointed judges have never (and their predecessors have rarely) been challenged to account to the voters. Twice in the last 46 years an incumbent was challenged, and both time he was unseated.

If nobody runs against the incumbent, voters' voices are silenced. I am running, and I am listening. Use your voice – you finally have a choice.

I have the patience, temperament and leadership to maintain order in the courtroom. I also have the aptitude, analytical ability and experience to determine just outcomes. My leadership and management skills have been lauded. And, for nearly 3 decades, I have provided free pro bono (for the good) legal services to low income Nevadans. Various entities have recognized those contributions. But, from the beginning of my legal career, I've dreamed of serving Nevada as a District Court Judge. I ask that you recognize my ability, and elect me to the bench. Your vote can make the difference for us all.

www.electJenkins.com

775-720-1181





Nathan Tod Young, incumbent

During my tenure, the court has made tremendous strides forward. I have led the modernization of our courtrooms at zero cost to Douglas County taxpayers, adding technology for evidence display and remote appearances. Our District Courts are now ADA compliant, giving access to justice for everyone on an equal basis. Under my leadership, our judiciary has saved nearly \$89,000 per year by combining the CASA and SAFE programs into a single Court Advocacy office.

The position of District Court Judge requires experience and dedication. I preside over many types of cases, and in a single day may have to focus on several diverse and complex legal issues. Serious crimes, including murder, juvenile cases, family law, construction defects, guardianships, probate and water law are all just part of this important position. It is essential that the judge understands the law and the rules of evidence. I do. I am dedicated to providing fair, honest and unbiased justice to all who come before the court.

The Supreme Court of Nevada has appointed me to serve in numerous commissions and committees to promote equal access to justice throughout our state. Governor Sandoval appointed me to serve on the Commission to End the Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children. I have been honored to be appointed to hear a case for the Supreme Court when justices of that court had to recuse themselves. I have also been elected twice by my fellow judges to represent them on the State Judicial Council.



EARLY VOTING:

Douglas County Community Center, 1329 Waterloo Ln, Gardnerville

October 17, 2020 10 a.m.—2 p.m. Saturday

October 19—23rd, 9 a.m.—6 p.m. Mon-Fri

October 24th 10 a.m. – 2p.m. Saturday

Oct 26– 30th 9 a.m– 6p.m. Mon-Fri

We remember Joyce Neppenriep

As the Record Courier stated "Joyce was a priceless

gem"- the Carson Valley lost one if its gems on August 14. 2020 at the age of 90.

Joyce was a woman on the move all of her life helping in the family business, working at Douglas High School and probably her biggest legacy was the open of Joyce's Jewelry



and Antiques which she opened in 1977. Many of us remember- a gift in red, what more needs to be said.

Joyce was a past president of Douglas County Republican Women in 1966 and the Entrepreneur of the Year in 1999.

As Barbara Smallwood said - "Joyce was a wonderful and generous Lady who loved and treasured her family, friends and community. I worked for her for several years. She was a great business woman with outstanding customer service always."

Joyce will be missed.

SUNSHINE ALERT

As the Corvna Virus lock down continues please remember our club members in your prayers.

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

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Barbara Vucanovich

A Champion in Proving the Mettle of Nevada Women



At the age of 61, this remarkable woman became the FIRST WOMAN to represent Nevada in Congress. At that time, in 1982, Nevada had just been split into two districts, so she had the honor of being the voice of a majority of Nevada residents (except a bunch who lived in Clark County).

That would be mostly the RURALs (yes, I know, it also included Reno). Actually Reno played a bit of a role in Barbara's ultimately amazing career in politics. She was one of those thousands of women who came to Nevada seeking a divorce in the late 1940s.

And wouldn't you know, while bidding her time in Reno she met a dashing lawyer and after a while married him. They jumped into Republican Party politics and campaigns. After he died, Barbara married Tonopah native George Vucanovich, and it was in that same year that U. S. Senate candidate hopeful Paul Laxalt (Hmmm... that has a famil-

iar ring ...) hired her as part of his (ultimately losing) campaign team. After well more than a decade of working together and his observing how talented Barbara was, the then Senator Laxalt (he did eventually win the seat) urged her to seek office.

Barbara is my kind of Republican. Her "political philosophy" is described as "conservative Republican" and her voting record "was consistent with the Republican platform." Oh, if only there was more of that going around today. She hits the mark on the abortion issue, too. She was solidly prolife.

One of the notable, and very much appreciated in the rurals, pieces of legislation she proposed and got passed is the repeal of the 55-mile-per-hour speed limit. Thank you, Barbara! She impressed her fellow Representatives in the House enough to become the first Nevadan to serve in a leadership position in that body when her peers elected her their conference secretary.

She impressed the voters of Nevada enough to be re-elected a grand total of seven times—and none of the election results could be considered close. Her winning campaign slogan, "What Congress needs is a tough grandmother," should inspire all of us Republican Women to keep on keeping on in our fight to keep America on the RIGHT track.

Ginger Starrett, Americanism Chair

As a reminder, the October fund raiser was cancelled due to

the heavy restrictions the Virus has inflicted. As you know its main purpose is supporting our Scholarship fund. While we hope to be able to do some type of fundraising event in the near future, there is still a lot of uncertainty. We have received some contributions for the fund and encourage our members contribute if they can. While we have adequate funds to cover 2021, we will need to replenish as soon as we can get going again.



NEVER THOUGHT I'D ADMIT REID DID SOMETHING RIGHT...

DONATION HOURS REPORT

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

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MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Thank you to all our members for helping us make our 2020 membership goal of 100 full and associate members combined! In fact, we have now surpassed that goal with 57 full members and 46 associates!

Please look for our new members at our next meeting and make them feel welcome. New full members are Becky Halaska, Judy Marsh, Darlene Wheeler, Bobbi Deering, Sheila Michelson and Caren Jenkins. New and/or renewed associate members are Dallas Debatin, Amy Valdes and Melissa Zellner. Welcome!!!

Beginning with our October 7th meeting, we will have a designated membership table to more easily facilitate new membership and also 2021 renewals which now begins in October. The fee for new full membership & renewals has not changed and remains \$40. New associate members & renewals remains at \$20. Badges also continue at \$10.

Thank you,

Mo Karas

Membership Chair





Web Sites of Interest:

Douglas County

Republican Women

ww.dcrwnevada.com

Nevada Federation of Republican Women

www.nvfrw.org

Nevada Republican Party

www.nevadagop.org

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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:

ww.gov.nv.gov

Grassroots:

www.grassroots.com



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Mark your Calendars

Sep 29	1st Presidential Debate	
Oct. 7	Vice Presidential Debate	
	DCRW General Meeting	
Oct. 14	Sierra Nevada General Meeting	
Oct. 15	2nd Presidential Debate	
	DCRCC General Meeting	
Oct. 16-17	NvFRW Fall Meeting, Reno	
Nov. 3	Voting Day!	
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	

A special Thank you to:

Christmas

Maxine Rodowicz and Chris Golightly

for their yummy contributions last month.



Dec. 25



Dem Impeachment Witness on Amy Coney Barrett: 'This Combination of Smart and Nice Will be Scary for Liberals'



Bronson Stocking,
posted Sep 26, 2020 TownHall

One of the liberal law professors that Jerry Nadler tapped for a starring role in the Democrats' impeachment circus is already saying Judge Amy Coney Barrett deserves to be confirmed to the Supreme Court.

In an <u>OpEd</u> for Bloomberg, Harvard Law professor and Democrat impeachment witness Noah Feldman writes that he is "devastated" by former Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg's death and laments the fact that President Trump now gets to nominate a third Supreme Court justice during his first term in office. Despite his frustrations, Feldman admitted Judge Amy Coney Barrett is highly qualified to serve on the nation's highest court.

"I disagree with much of her judicial philosophy and expect to disagree with many, maybe even most of her future votes and opinions," Feldman wrote "Yet despite this disagreement, I know her to be a brilliant and conscientious lawyer who will analyze and decide cases in good faith, applying the jurisprudential principles to which she is committed. Those are the basic criteria for being a good justice. Barrett meets and exceeds them."

Feldman recalls meeting Barrett more than 20 years ago when both attorneys clerked for the Supreme Court in the 1998-99 term. Feldman says that out of all the thirty-some clerks, who graduated top of their law schools and came from all around the country, Barrett stood out the most.

It must be hard for a Harvard professor to admit this, but Feldman wrote that Barrett was the go-to person whenever Feldman needed help understanding extremely complex cases, "especially one involving hard-to-comprehend statutory scheme."

"This combination of smart and nice will be scary for liberals," Feldman warned. The former impeachment witness said the judge's deep commitment to her faith and conservative jurisprudence should not be treated as disqualifying. Feldman knows the process is political and with Republicans in control of both the White House and the Senate, fully expects Trump's nominee to be confirmed.

"Elections have consequences, and so do justices' decisions about when or whether to retire," Feldman writes. "Trump is almost certainly going to get his pick confirmed."

"And when she is confirmed," Feldman continued, "I am going to accept it as the consequence of the constitutional rules we have and the choices we collectively and individually have made. And I'm going to be confident that Barrett is going to be a good justice, maybe even a great one — even if I disagree with her all the way."

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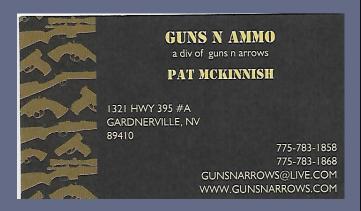
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DCRW MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FOR 2020

Membership Dues for

January 1, 20120-December 31, 2020

\$40.00 Full Member	\$20.00 Associate Member
Full Members are women	Associate is a member's
who are not members of	spouse or a member of
another Republican Women's	another Republican
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Or give to: Mo Karas, 2nd Vice C hair at a club meeting in 2020

Thank you for your continued support of our CLUB!