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Republican Women of Reno

*The oldest, largest and
most active club in Nevada –
a Powerhouse*

Thursday, June 9th, 2022

Atlantis Hotel, 3800 South Virginia Street, Reno, NV

Doors open at: 11:00; Lunch 11:30; Speakers and meeting 12:00 PM



**Wen Chen, Ph. D – Public Speaker for
Chinese Culture, History and Human
Rights**

Wen will be speaking on human rights in China and the Communist China Party's (CCP) infiltration into the United States.

Menu: Asian Chicken Salad with grilled chicken, mandarin oranges, crispy chow mein, and fresh fruit tart for dessert

Early Bird Prices (7 days in advance):

First Time guests: \$20, members: \$30, non-members: \$35

Late Registration (1-7) days before: Add \$5 for each category

Walk-ins (day of): Add \$10 for each category

Prepaid reservations: <https://republicanwomenofreno.wildanricot.org/event-4744527>

If you have trouble with the website please call Cindy Sassenrath at 707-621-2009

Reservations need to be prepaid by June 9, 2022 at 4:00 PM

To make a reservation and pay by check, call Cindy at 707-621-2009, make your check out to RWR and mail it to: Cindy Sassenrath, 7740 Harvest Hill Lane, Reno, NV 89523

Nicôl Herris, President

For the past 40 years, I have watched the Memorial Day Concert being broadcast from our nation's capital. This year's concert was especially moving as we remember all those who have given up their lives so we can have our freedoms. This brings to mind President Trump's famous motivational speech of "Never, ever give up!" and I include it here for you. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OSJDhZvLtak>

We must continue to fight and stand up for our core values, beliefs and our freedoms. We have watched our nation go down a path which is horrible and at times may be so devastating where we may consider giving up in defeat. "Never, ever give up!" "Never, ever give up!" We must serve as leaders for all of us and continue to fight and vote in our elections. This election is upon us and we must VOTE and encourage our friends and families to vote. I know many of us continue to work for our candidates, volunteer to make phone calls, walk the precincts, donate and work the polls. Every little bit helps and we must be clear in our mission and purpose.

I want to THANK each one of you for your membership in Republican Women of Reno and for all you do for us. With you and your encouragement we have grown into being recognized as a powerhouse where we will continue to be stewards for the founding principles of our great nation.

Thanks a Million and Blessings,



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Appointed Offices

Chaplain: Beatriz Robinson/Kathy Doyle

Corresponding Secretary: Victoria Crockett

Appointed Chairs

Achievement Awards: Kathy Doyle

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Nominating: Joan Shoop

Parliamentarian: Joanna Schumacher

Political Affairs & Activities: Debbie Hudgens

RWNN PAC: Barbara Kirk

Technology (includes Website & E-communications): Cindy Sassenrath



Connie Furlong, Caring for America

I went shopping for the Blue Star Mothers, who send the boxes of goodies over seas to our military. She was shocked at what all you ladies were able to purchase. I did purchase socks again, and she said they had heard from one individual who was very excited to receive socks in their box. So socks will definitely be on my list when I go shopping again. You ladies provided funds so we were able to supply the Blue Star Mothers with over \$400.00 worth of goodies. Well done ladies and gents.

I need you all to sign Christmas cards for men and women overseas. These cards are a six step process. I would like you to just sign the cards. Just a sentence or two will do. I have the cards in batches of 10 cards each. Please stop by the Caring For America table, at the luncheon, and pick up a packet or two. Thank you so much!



On May 24, 2022, innocent lives were lost when 19 fourth-graders were killed in Uvalde, Texas, along with their two brave teachers. Our hearts and prayers are with their families and the entire community.

Debbie Hudgens, PAA

PAA committee has been busy assisting with Election Integrity (which includes Poll Workers, and Watchers), Boots on the Ground, Coalition of Clubs, The fruits of our labors are about to be partially fulfilled with our coming Primary Election but the real test is in November.

We could see a huge leap forward in this Primary Election. If you even think for a moment you might skip it and wait for the General, PLEASE RETHINK! The Primary is where the best of the best have an opportunity to either be elected or go forward to the next step.

With all the effort being made in these last 2 weeks we will not have a PAA meeting in June. In July we will be ramping up for the Basque Fry and another fun event.

We had a very successful showing of "Unsilenced" and heard nothing but good reviews from those that saw it.

If you are interested in getting involved, please email me Debbie Hudgens @ debbie@debbiehudgens.com or call/text 925.222.8877. Good things are happening!

Please welcome our new members to RWR!



***Our Membership Chair
Kate Vineyard welcomes
new members at our
April meeting.***

***Starting at the left behind
Kate is Kelly Franquelin,
Nicolas St Jon, Pauline
Gersovich, Holly Dewar,
Lola Giusti, Ricci
Rodrigues-Elkins, Kenji
Otto, and Julie Wachhals***

***These are our newest
members who joined
RWR in May.***



***Pictured here from the left is Carol Allen,
Judy Lynn Charles-Griffin, Marilyn Gibson,
Matt Buehler and Mary Kilkenny.***

National Federation of Republican Women

Political and Campaign Awards for 2022-2023

It's time again for National Federation of Republican Women (NFRW) Political and Campaign Awards. RWR is such a powerhouse and a leader that I know we can really shine with this award.

The reporting period covers July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2023. It is divided into four reporting periods. The first two reporting periods are:

1. July 1, 2021 – December 31, 2021.
2. January 1, 2022 – June 30, 2022.

The deadline for reporting is July 15, 2022.

For these reports we will have to play “catch up.” NFRW asks that you reconstruct as best as possible your past activities; an estimate is fine. See some suggestions below for activities.

Once we report activities through June 30, 2022, we will be on a month-to-month basis. We will be sending you the worksheets to help you keep track of your hours. You do not have to return the entire worksheet – just report your total number of hours to me via email, text or phone call. Email: kathydoyle@mac.com, Phone: 415-823-1755. We will also have these forms available at our June 9 General Luncheon Meeting for you to fill out and turn in.

Some of the activities may include:

- Candidate Walking
- Candidate Hosting
- Washoe County School Board candidate support activities
- Fundraising events
- Election Worker hours
- RWR meetings with candidates as speakers

Male Associates: We can count your hours too! Please fill out the form.

Please reach out if you need any help.

School Board – Please Vote!

Depending on which school district you live in, many of you will see TWO school board trustees on your ballot - a "Standard" and a "General."

Please click here to find what school district you live in: <https://www.washoecounty.gov/voters/registration/checkmyvoterregistration/voter-registration.php>

(Note: if you live in District A, E and G - you probably won't see any school board trustees on your ballot - your representatives won't be up for re-election until 2024)

School Board Candidates
Vote for our conservative candidates!

Curious what district you live in? "Look up" your District here: <https://www.washoecounty.gov/voters/registration/checkmyvoterregistration/voter-registration.php>

<p><u>DISTRICT B- SPARKS AREA</u></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"><div style="text-align: center;"><p>"STANDARD" Trustee Cathy Kennedy-Reyes</p></div><div style="margin: 0 20px;"> </div><div style="text-align: center;"><p>PLUS</p></div><div style="text-align: center;"><p>"GENERAL" Trustee Graeme Reid</p></div></div> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <div style="text-align: center;"><p>"STANDARD" Trustee Colleen Westlake</p></div>	<p><u>DISTRICT F (AT LARGE)</u></p> <div style="text-align: center;"><p>"GENERAL" Trustee Graeme Reid</p></div>
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<p><u>DISTRICT C- SPANISH SPRINGS/NORTH VALLEYS</u></p> <div style="text-align: center;"><p>"STANDARD" Trustee Melanie Sutton</p></div>	<p><u>DISTRICT F (AT LARGE)</u></p> <div style="text-align: center;"><p>"GENERAL" Trustee Graeme Reid</p></div>
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DISTRICT D- CAUGHLIN RANCH/OLD SOUTHWEST



"STANDARD" Trustee
Edgard Hitti

Most people in District D will not see District F (AT LARGE) on their ballot.

Visit saveWCSD.com for bios and information

Day	Date	Event	Additional Information
Thursday	June 2, 2022	RWR Board Meeting 10:00 am	Plumas Bank Meeting Room 5050 Meadowood Mall Circle, Reno
Thursday	June 2, 2022	WCRP Central Committee Executive Meeting 4:00 pm	The Annex 3652 S. Virginia St C9 https://www.washoegop.org/meets/month/2022-06/
Thursday	June 2, 2022	RED MOVE NEVADA 40th Assembly & 16th Senate Dinner Debates 5:30 pm –Doors open for check-in 6:15 pm – Dinner is Served	Atlantis Casino Resort Reno, Nevada https://redmovenevada.com
Friday	June 3, 2022	Freedom Friday's Boomtown/ 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm	RSVP https://freedomfridays.com/event
Friday	June 3, 2022	Boots on the Ground School Board Boot Camp: Meet & Train 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	State GOP Headquarters 3502 S Virginia Ste. A2, Reno https://www.washoegop.org/meet/boots-on-the-ground-school-board-2/
Saturday	June 4, 2022	Boots on the Ground • 1st Shift Walk 10:00AM to 12:00PM • Lunch Back at Headquarters • 2nd Shift Walk 1:00PM - 3:00PM	State GOP Headquarters 3502 S Virginia Ste. A2, Reno https://www.washoegop.org/meet/boots-on-the-ground-school-board-2/
Monday	June 6, 2022	WCSD - Sexuality, Health, and Responsibility Education (SHARE) Advisory Committee Meeting 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM	Central Administration Building Board Room 425 East Ninth Street, Reno, Nevada https://www.washoeschools.net/site/Default.aspx?PageID=2&DomainID=4#calendar1/20220605/event/191879
Wednesday	June 8, 2022	Conservative Talk Lunch (CTL) 11:00 to dine/11:30-1:00 meeting King Buffet, 3650 Kietzke, Reno, NV	\$21.00 for full buffet, beverage, tax & gratuity OR \$4/beverage only For more info contact Carole Fineberg: 775-622-9811
Thursday	June 9, 2022	Republican Women of Reno (RWR) Freedom & Censorship: CCP Infiltration of the U.S. Speaker: Special Guest: Wen Chen	The Atlantis Hotel 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM Theme: Primary is June 14, Flag Day (June 14), Father's Day (June 19) https://www.rwreno.org/event-4744527
Friday	June 10, 2022	Boots on the Ground School Board Boot Camp: Meet & Train 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	State GOP Headquarters 3502 S Virginia Ste. A2, Reno https://www.washoegop.org/meet/boots-on-the-ground-school-board-2/
Saturday	June 11, 2022	Boots on the Ground • 1st Shift Walk 10:00AM to 12:00PM • Lunch Back at Headquarters • 2nd Shift Walk 1:00PM - 3:00PM	State GOP Headquarters 3502 S Virginia Ste. A2, Reno https://www.washoegop.org/meet/boots-on-the-ground-school-board-2/
Monday	June 13, 2022	RWR Political Affairs & Activities (PAA) Committee meeting 10:00 am	Home of Joan Shoop
Tuesday	June 14, 2022	PRIMARY - ELECTION DAY!!!!	GET OUT AND VOTE!!!!
Tuesday	June 14, 2022	Washoe County School Board of Trustees Regular Meeting 2:00 pm Central Administration Building Board Room	425 East Ninth Street, Reno, Nevada https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/517#calendar751/20220627/event/176362
Wednesday	June 15, 2022	Washoe Republican Women (WRW) 11:00 am Lt Gov candidate Tony Gray and 2022 Barbara Vucanovich Scholarship Award presentation	Atlantis \$35/members, \$40/non-members , \$45/walk-ins RSVP: kimbacchus@gmail.com
Thursday	June 16, 2022	RWR Membership Committee meeting 10:00 am	Home of Kathy Vineyard
Monday	June 20, 2022	Republican Men's Club (RMCNNV) 11:00 am doors open	King Buffet, 3650 Kietzke, Reno, NV https://www.republicanmensclub.org/
Tuesday	June 21, 2022	Board of County Commissioner Meeting 10:00 am https://www.washoecounty.gov/bcc	1001 E. Ninth Street Building A Reno, NV 89512
Tuesday	June 21, 2022	Sparks, Sparks Republican Women (SRW). 5:30 social, 6:00 dinner	https://www.sparksrepublicanwomen.com/ Please Register: sparksrepublicanwomen@gmail.com
Wednesday	June 22, 2022	Conservative Talk Lunch (CTL) 11:00 to dine/11:30-1:00 meeting	King Buffet, 3650 Kietzke, Reno, NV For more info contact Carole Fineberg: 775-622-9811
Friday	June 24, 2022	Board of County Commissioner SPECIAL Meeting 10:00 am https://www.washoecounty.gov/bcc	1001 E. Ninth Street Building A Reno, NV 89512
Monday	June 27, 2022	WCRP Central Committee Meeting 6:30pm-8:00pm	Boomtown
Tuesday	June 28, 2022	Board of County Commissioner Meeting 10:00 am https://www.washoecounty.gov/bcc	1001 E. Ninth Street Building A Reno, NV 89512
Wednesday	June 29, 2022	Mt Rose Republican Women 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM PST	Tamarack Junction Casino, 13101 S Virginia St,Reno, https://mtroserepublicanwomen.org/events

Joan Shoop, Americanism, Homeland Security

DID YOU KNOW

- * Two Barbie dolls are sold every second in the world.
- * The World Meteorological Society has retired the name "Ida."
- * The term "long covid" means the aftereffects, such as achiness, brain fog, cough, heart palpitations and loss of taste and smell.
- * The new Russian Roulette: One Fentanyl pill less than the size of a penny is lethal. In 2019, China was the leading exporter of the pills into the U.S. Since then, Mexico is. As of the beginning of this year, there have been 100,000 Fentanyl deaths.
- * Nationwide, over 10,000 die in car accidents each year because their seat belts were not buckled.
- * Nevada is #7 in pedestrian accidents.
- * In 2015, 1% of Americans invested in Bitcoin/crypto currency. In 2022, 16% of Americans (2 million) are investing.
- * McDonalds is selling all of it's fast food franchise restaurants in Russia.
- * On January 1st, 2023, California's minimum wage will be \$15.50 per hour. Expect higher prices.
- * For every \$1 billion retailers take in, \$700,000 or .07% is not paid for - it is from shoplifting.
- * Elvis owned five homes in his lifetime. Four are still standing, one, in Beverly Hills, was demolished.
- * The last payphones in NYC's Time Square have been dismantled and replaced with high-tech kiosks.
- * In the U.S., there has been, on average, one school shooting every week since the beginning of 2022. There are 900,000 entry doors in the school system. There have been 119 school shootings since 2018.
- * Stacy Abrams said Georgia is 'the worst state to live in", despite owning at least two homes in Georgia and running for Governor there.
- * The Department of Defense takes in over \$100 m annually from slot machines on military bases.
- * Since 2020, 1.2 million students have left school.
- * Liquor has only been sold in Boulder City since 1969.
- * ANY Op-ed/magazine said Democrats are secretly looking for a Biden alternative for the 2024 election.



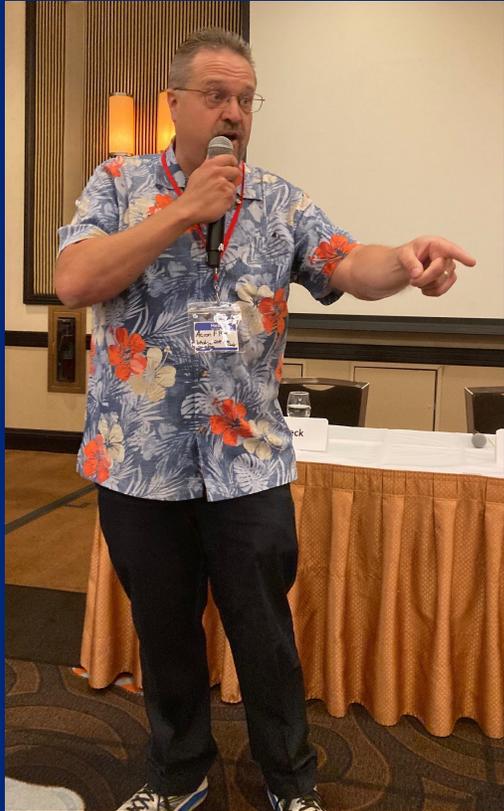
RWR May Luncheon



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RWNNPAC Candidate Expo

May 10 RWNNPAC Candidate Expo Event. Desiree Moreno, MRRW, Nikki Young, President, MRRW; Michael McDonald, Chairman, Nevada GOP; Caroline Smith, MRRW and NvFRW President; Kathy Doyle, RWR and NvFRW Secretary; Nicôl Herris, RWR President and NvFRW 2nd VP; Barbara Kirk, RWR and NvFRW Treasurer.





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RWR invites you to become a member of our dynamic, active group. We hold monthly luncheons with interesting guest speakers, as well as special activities throughout the year. Yearly dues are \$45.

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RENEWAL

Please PRINT Information:

**Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____ Member: \$45

Email: _____ Associate*: \$20

**RWR Name Badge (Opt.) \$10
(must be paid in advance)

*Associate is open to all who are members of another Republican club,
please provide name: _____

Sponsor Levels: Melania Trump \$100 John Hancock \$250
Ronald Reagan/Corporate \$500

Pay online at www.rwreno.org or you may send a check to: Republican Women of Reno
P.O. Box 21292, Reno, NV 89515

How did you hear of RWR? _____

I wish to receive the monthly RWR Newsletter by: Email Mail (\$20)

I would like to get involved: Membership Caring for America Fundraising
PAA (Political Affairs Activities) Event Planning Ambassador

I certify I am a registered Republican

I authorize the Republican Women of Reno (RWR) to share this information with the National Federation of Republican Women (NFRW) and the Nevada State Federation of Republican Women (NvFRW) for statistical and bookkeeping purposes only. I understand RWR will not use my personal information for solicitation or promotional purposes and will not circulate the membership roster outside of the above mentioned Republican clubs.

PHOTO RELEASE

I authorize RWR to post any club photos that include me on the RWR website, the RWR newsletter or on Social Media sites when the photo pertains to and is associated with club events. Please initial below.

Agree: _____
I grant permission

Decline: _____
I DO NOT grant permission

Signature _____

Date _____

