



Orange County

Federation of Republican Women

One County - United - We Win!

**Keeping Orange
Red!**

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**Make your
Reservation!**



April 5th

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President's Message:

Republican Women are setting the record straight: Yes, California is benefitting from the Tax Reform Bill. Yes, we will make California RED again by electing Republicans.

It is said that "as California goes, so goes the nation. Aren't you tired of a one-party rule by Senate Democrats in Sacramento that has ruined our state by pursuing an agenda of progressive/socialistic policies?

We can win on issues like sanctuary cities. They are putting American citizens in danger by not cooperating with Federal law in immigration. And just in, the DOJ Sessions has brought a lawsuit suing the State of California. We also have another big issue or releasing sex offenders or the passing of the gas tax without voter approval. 41% of Democrats did not like what Sacramento did. These are a few laws where the Democrats are overstepping their bounds and voters are becoming more aware of the negative effects.

This election is very critical to keeping the electing Republican candidates. We all have other things in our lives, but after 2018 they might not be there anymore if we don't spend our time and energies on the election process. We have 8 months. We all need to be out working hard to turn California around and make it safe again. Make it clean again. Make it affordable again.

Watch for "CALLS TO ACTION" alerts. These will be opportunities where you can help our Candidates. Volunteer. The finish line is in sight. Everything you do helps. Be positive! Stay passionate! We need you to help **"Keep Orange Red."**

Cynthia Thacker

Membership VP:

Membership is always on my mind. Like the other day when I went to my doctor for my hearing aids. I talked to her about the Federation while she adjusted my hearing aid. I asked and she joined! I also have as a member my hair dresser, my travel agent, my dental assistant and my insurance agent's wife. I support them so they support me. Try it – it works!

Charlotte Christiana





APRIL 5, 2018 BOARD OF DIRECTORS LUNCH MEETING

Meet our Republican Candidates ready to lead us in 2019!

Governor – Travis Allen & John Cox; Secretary of State – Mark Meuser

District Attorney -- Tony Rackauckas and Todd Spitzer

Sheriff - Don Barnes and David Harrington

OC Assessor - Claude Parrish and Richard Ramirez

Where: Phoenix Club 340 S Sanderson Ave, Anaheim, CA 92806 ·

Time: Check-In 10:00am - Call to Order 10:30

Lunch: \$26 Check payable to OCFRW.

For Reservations: Carol Peterson cjpeteoe@aol.com

Reservation deadline: **Thursday, March 21, 2018**

Please let Reservations know if there are any dietary restrictions.

Executive Committee, Club Presidents and Standing Committee Chairmen have Standing Reservations.

If unable to attend, please send a replacement or cancel your reservations otherwise you will be billed.

For any questions please call 1st VP Candice Burroughs 949-633-5006

or President Cynthia Thacker at 714-749-6585

Save The Dates

April 5: OCFRW Candidates Forum at The Phoenix Club, 1340 S. Sanderson Ave., Anaheim

May 2: CFRW So. Division Meeting

May 18 – 20: CFRW BOD/Advocacy Workshop in Sacramento.

June 5: California Primary Election Day

June 7: Election Integrity Program-The Phoenix Club

June 16: OCGOP Flag Day

July 7: CFRW So. Division Meeting

Sept. 5: CFRW So. Division Meeting

Sept 6: OCFRW Meeting, Costa Mesa

Nov. 1: OCFRW Meeting, Phoenix Club

Nov. 6: Election Day!!!

Nov. 10: CFRW So. Division Meeting

Do your own “snooping!”

Interested?

Look up the source for your answers:

1. A complete list of OC GOP endorsed candidates can be seen at www.ocgop.org/victory
2. Most up to date information see “Capitol Update” (www.cfrw.org) for State information.

WORKER OF THE MONTH

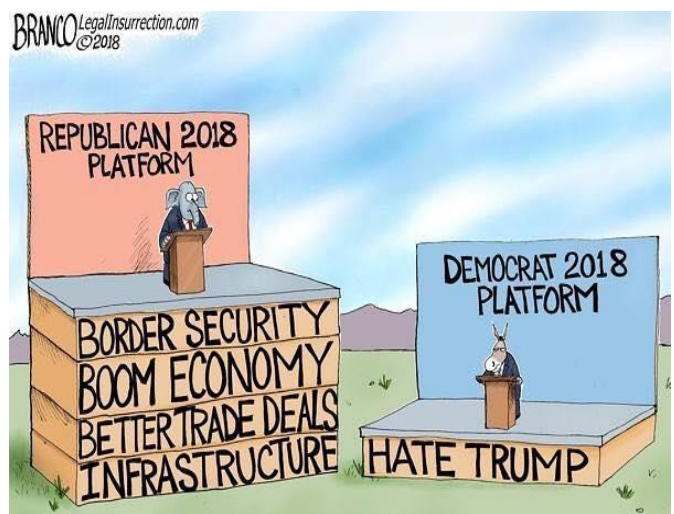
Do you know someone in your club that deserves to be recognized? Is there that special woman that is ready with a moment's notice to help and work?

Please send the person's name and a little background info to:

Pat Even pbe330@cox.net 949-0884

cc: Pres. Cynthia Thacker

cthacker.ocfrw@gmail.com 714-749-6585



PROGRAMS VP:

As Orange County Republican Women, we need to be ready for the battle to take back control of our State. The June Primary is especially important. Getting our Republicans through as one of the “Top Two” is our goal. We also have the “Stop the Gas Tax” initiative that will help us build our base and keep the Democrats from getting back their “Super Majority” status in Sacramento.

You just can’t miss our Candidate Forum on April 5th. Check out the information on the previous page to see who will be coming to speak with you and answer your questions. This is your time to meet some of the candidates that hope to represent all of Orange County. Although we do not endorse for primary elections, each and every one of them has dedicated themselves to that hard work of running for public office. They are to be admired for their willingness to fight our fight to make California great again!

We look forward to seeing you all on April 5th at our new meeting location – The Phoenix Club in Anaheim. Make your reservation today.

Candice Burroughs

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY:

Hello ladies... Our membership reporting is “down” for the year. Two clubs have not reported at all! We need the club presidents to help out to provide oversight so that the reports are done correctly and in a timely manner.

Just a reminder that the per capita reports are due by the 5th of the month. In February we had several issues that I would like to avoid in the future. Please note:

I need 3 hard copies including the membership roster and the check before the 5th of the month.

I need an email copy as soon as you get it done. This will help me to make sure everything is correct.

And, (very important), unless I your check, I can’t process your report. If we all help each other, we will bring our membership back to what it should be.

Helga Arnold

OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN:

Saturday, March 17th: 9:30 – Noon

RLA Republican Women Federated (Rossmore-Los Alamitos) is having a Breakfast Meeting to “Meet the Candidates.” Courtyard Marriott, 5865 Katella Avenue – Cypress (*at Valley View*)
Steven Bailey, Attorney General
David Clifford, 47th District
Eric Early, Attorney General
Todd Spitzer, OC District Attorney
Featuring Special Speaker Shelley Hasselbrink, Los Alamitos City Council

**RSVP Today! 562-865-3258 or
Chris.Barnes4727@gmail.com**



***Join the OC GOP 2018 Victory Team!**

The Republican Party of Orange County would like to invite RWF members to volunteer their time and efforts at the OC GOP Headquarters. Shifts are available Monday to Friday from 11 AM to 2 PM. A few hours of your time during the week can go a long way for the Party.

Wed. Mar. 28: Fullerton RWF invite you to our March meeting. Our featured speaker will be Neal Kelley, OC Registrar of Voters. 11:30 AM at China Buffet, 104 W. Orangethorpe Ave., Fullerton. Contact Gretchen Cox for more information. gcoxshoelady@yahoo.com

Wed. Mar. 28: Huntington Harbor RWF invite you to celebrate Republican Women making History. Featured speakers will be OC Supervisor Michelle Steel, CA State Senator Janet Nguyen, and OC Treasurer Shari Freidenrich.

Meadowlark Country Club

16782 Graham Street, Huntington Beach, 92649

Dinner and Speakers: \$28.00

Speakers only \$5.00 donation

Meet and Greet: 6:00 to 6:30 PM **Buffet Dinner:** 6:30

Meeting: 7:15 to 7:30 PM **Speakers:** 7:30 PM

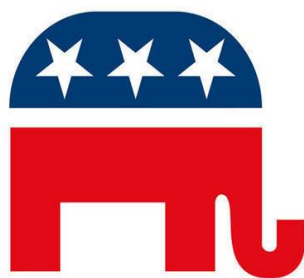
Reservations must be made by March 22, 2018

Contact: Amy Harman (714) 964-4536,

amyharman@yahoo.com

Charlotte Christiana (714) 846-4841

****Please make checks payable to HHRWF**



FEED ME PLEASE

I LIKE - LOSE CHANGE - DOLLAR BILLS.

Funds will go into

The Pat Nixon Scholarship.

**We need \$270 more to meet our goal to
complete the \$1000 fund.**

APATHY EXHAUSTION AND VALLEY FORGE Riding high with Ronald Reagan – for 20 years the Golden State was never stronger or healthier.

Today, after 20 frustrating years of Democrat hegemony, millions of Californian's are feeling. Over 4 million since 1995, some 3000 Californians permanently leave each weekend. That is a NET loss. We are witnessing the largest out-migration of any state in American History. Many of those who moved away are good friends. Most of those who leave are younger people with young families. It's easy to understand why some Republicans are frustrated and discouraged. During the Reagan era, conservatives suffered in Pennsylvania, Michigan and Wisconsin. All those state were under long term total union democrat domination. Back then people were fleeing those states and driving to California.

Today we live in an upside down world. The good news is that most of America is pro-American while California is an outlier. Democrats crushed and chased away long term industries and created generations of poverty in the norther mid-west. Today those states are recovering and enjoy healthy Republican majorities. California in the meanwhile has the highest percentage of poor people in America. The Democrat war against the Middle Class is in full force. The super wealthy are insulated on the coast. Today's California looks increasing like the feudal system of old Europe. The 10% wealthy are served by the 90% impoverished. However, the Democrat super majorities will wear thin as the working people in California see their taxes climb with fewer job options.

Today most Californians cannot afford to buy the home they were born in. After the tax paying population suffer to a tipping point we will reach another Prop 13 moment. That time is unpredictable. With radicals like Gavin Newsome running, the changes of a California economic collapse become more likely. When the crisis hits California, Republicans will be given a short time to lead. We need future Scott Walkers in training today. We need to work more than ever on the local level to prepare future leaders to lead California out of poverty of democrat control. Yes, these are tough times for Republicans. But in prior years, improving California was a greater challenge. Our party was founded in 1856 to challenge three pro-slavery democrat governors in a row. After the Republicans became a majority following the Civil War, we became a Gold State with endless opportunities for almost 100 years. Our mission is to make California Golden again.

By Shawn Steel, California National Committee to the RNC

Call to Action!

Now is the time to get involved.

If you want your lawfully cast ballot

To be counted accurately!

We need an ARMY of Volunteers.

Training starts in MAY.

Contact: Katherine Gerdis,

Orange County Coordinator at 714-813-5862

<https://www.electionintegrityproject.com>



OCGOP will be doing
Voter Registration Tables
throughout the county and would like
OCFRW to help.

We already have a few clubs like
San Clemente and Alisa Viejo
starting this important project.
We need to help "Keep Orange Red."

Go to

www.ocgop.org

and click on

"take action" on the menu bar.

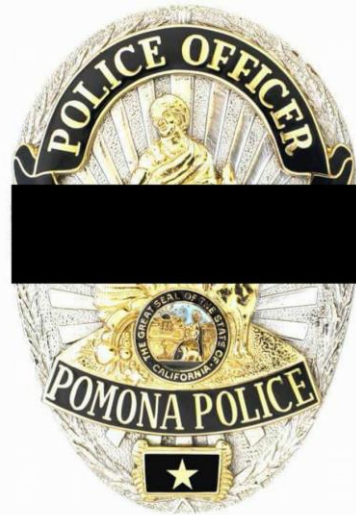
Please contact
OCFRW President Cynthia Thacker

If you have any questions.

Lets get started

On

"Taking Back our State!"



Please pray for the Pomona Police Department and their families as they grieve the loss of one officer and the recovery of a second officer shot in the line of duty on March 9, 2018

Did your event not get into the OCFRW newsletter this month?

Just remember to please send articles for upcoming newsletters to:

Peggy Westerfeld at

pandcwest2@gmail.com

before the 8th of the month to assure you that it will be included. This newsletter goes out to the entire membership of OCFRW!

Please feel free to also forward it to your friends and encourage them to be part of our team dedicated in taking back our State.