



Battle Born *Bulletin*

MEMBER OF NATIONAL FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN
MEMBER OF NEVADA FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN

We Are Active Republican Women of Las Vegas



We **A**RE Dedicated to Republican Party Values

We **R**ESPOND to the needs of our State & Country

We **W**ILL Make a Difference

Our Mission

Active Republican Women (ARW) of Las Vegas Nevada is a women's political organization, bringing together women to positively impact the direction of our state and our nation.

We come together as a collective force advancing the Republican Party and women through political access and participation.



Important Mark Calendars!

--Change September Meeting to September 22! for details see calendar section



Hello Patriots!!

Wow - was July a busy month!! Thank you to all of our members who weathered the heat and the early hour to walk in the 4th of July Parade in Summerlin with our sister, Secretary of State, Barbara Cegavski. Thank you to all who helped and attended the 6th Annual Independence Day reading of the Declaration of Independence and fireworks fundraiser at Brenda and Michael Flanks lovely home for the Conservative Alliance for Community growth foundation. As usual, a must attend affair. We were able to congratulate several of our primary winners in attendance. What did you think of our Republican Convention?! I was glued to the TV Mon-Wed of course had to see Thursday taped when I got home after our monthly meeting. The Trump Family is incredible each and every one of them. Prayers were answered - only one bloop - Ted Cruz and his self-inflicted political career ending. Even the demonstrators were very cooperative. Then there is a DNC convention. You know the old saying "misery loves company"! It was so nice to hear the major stations talk about the drama going on with the Democrats for a change! Our July General Meeting was really terrific with our speakers: Congressman Crescent Hardy US 4th District House of Representatives, State Senators representing Las Vegas - Victoria Seaman, District #6 and Scott Hammond, District #18 and candidate for Judge - Rebecca Kern. Last but not certainly not least.....I want to thank each and every one of you for your help and friendly attitude welcoming all the visitors and new members to our club. We continue to grow and our new members are so happy and enthusiastic about our club - "Love is reflected in love"! We have a very positive reputation and its due to all of you. Still so much to do and we are in need of volunteers for the club and campaign and continued prayers for our success.

God's blessing, Gwen

--FALL NvFRW BOARD MEETING Friday, September 30, 2016--if you want to go, let me know!

Nevada Federation of Republican Women

Fall Board Meeting Sept. 30th - Oct. 1st 2016

Carson City

You are a member!! All members are invited and greatly encouraged to attend! Your board requests and is eager to have more of our memberships attend to learn more about Republican Women and help groom you for growth at the local state and national levels. It is a wonderful opportunity to meet ladies from the 18 state clubs and share friendship, ideas, growth with our other sister clubs in the state.

The State Board meets twice a year - Spring in Las Vegas and Fall in Carson City which is all in color and decorated for Halloween.

Transportation: Fly or drive with others going

Reservations: Single Rooms or share with others

Registration: ARW will reimburse the registration cost.

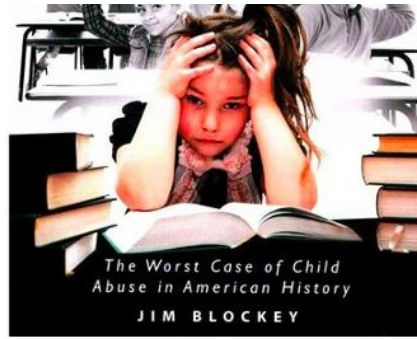
Expenses: If you would like to attend but need a little help in expenses - please see Gwen. ARW can set aside money to help with expenses. We really want you to go!! Next year the National Federation of Republican Women will have their convention in Philadelphia and President Trump will be our speaker. We go together as a state and you will already know the Nevada Delegates by attending the State Board Meetings.

It's so much fun!!

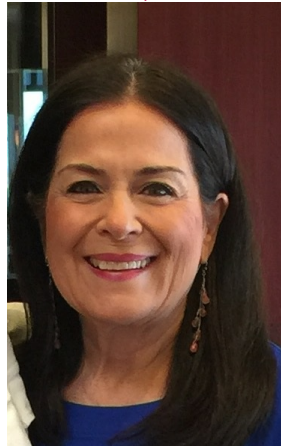
Next General Membership Meeting, August 18, 2016,
Jim Blockey talking about education, and
Maureen Karas talking about her RNC experience...

(Blockey's Book available on Amazon, click on image to purchase)

**PUBLIC
SCHOOLS**



*The Worst Case of Child
Abuse in American History*
JIM BLOCKEY



Maureen Karas,
ARW Past
President, and
Republican
National
Convention (RNC)
Delegate at Large
will tell us about
her experiences at
Cleveland RNC

Red Rock Country Club
[2250 Red Springs Drive 89135](#)
Mingle: 5:30 Dinner: 6:00 p.m.



**Get your dinner reservations in early! Please RSVP...
Red Rock Country Club requires 3 days in advance for ARW dinner
reservations! So we may keep our hosts on budget for this spectacular venue,**

**Please RSVP no later than Monday, August 15 to Martha
Kimpel: lvmartha@cox.net**

SAVE THE DATES CALENDAR AND BE SURE TO SIGN UP FOR THE UPCOMING EVENTS!!

- Reference ****Standing Committees below; we need volunteers to assist ARW 2016-2017 Committees, please see Gwen Barrett.**
- **August 18, ARW General meeting, Jim Blockey on Education, and Maureen Karas, ARW past president, our representative at the RNC. JIM BLOCKEY, Las Vegas author (click on link to purchase his book on Amazon), [Public Schools-The Worse Case of Child Abuse in American History](#)**
- **August 20, The 2nd Annual Basque Fry, held by Attorney General Adam Laxalt on Saturday, August 20th from 10am to 2pm. The event is being held at Corley Ranch in Gardnerville and includes speakers: Former Ambassador John Bolton, US Senator Tom Cotton (Arkansas), Congressman Heck and Milwaukee County Sheriff David Clark. The event is for the entire family, which includes traditional basque meal, live entertainment and petting zoo.**
- **Note change of date for ARW September meeting from Sept. 15 to September 22!**
- **September 17, Constitution Day celebration hosted by our own Brenda Flank, more details soon.**
- **Through NvFRW President, Lori P., ARW Voter Registration campaign will be designated zip code 89147--join committee to assist Republican Party Voter Registrations--see Cristina Cimino cristinavcimino@yahoo.com. Cristina phone: 818-348-3988.**
- **The phone bank setup is ready at the Cresent Hardy office in Sun City and we're ready for volunteers. Also open to volunteers that want to do other activities (walking, office work, events, etc.) If you have any questions, please feel free to call Ed Williams or Victoria Rivers at phone 702-854-9373 or mobile 702-381-4527.**
- **Our biggest fundraiser of the year October 8.**


ACTIVE REPUBLICAN WOMEN

 **SILVER SPURS FUNDRAISER** 

Saturday, October 8, 2016

ARW is proud to host a spectacular Western theme fundraiser at the Clark County Shooting Complex Nevada's 5-Star Outdoor Shooting Facility-- www.ClarkCountyNV.Gov/ShootingComplex

RV parking available, located at 11357 North Decatur Boulevard, Las Vegas, NV 89131

 3:00PM to 5:PM ~We will be featuring a special introduction to the sport of Trap!
Included will be: Rental of a Beretta Shotgun, ammunition, range safety officer and 10 clay targets for the price of \$10.00 ~ to be purchased at the shotgun center


5:00PM to 8:00PM ~ Western BBQ with food provided by, award winning John Mull's Road Kill Grill

Enjoy the Silver Spurs Saloon selling beer and wine at very reasonable prices~ Silver Spurs Bank will be open for business Warning! The Sheriff and his deputies will be in town so you could be thrown into the Silver Spurs Jail if there is a warrant out for your arrest, will someone bail you out?

- *We will have a best dressed contest to be judged by our "Nevada Judges" who will present the winner the grand prize!
- *Meet and greet your Republican candidates
- *Fun activities for adults and children
- *And many more surprises

OUR OPPORTUNITY DRAWING FEATURES:

"Diamond Lil and her Lil Silver Spurs Whiskey and Wine Wagon"

 For \$20.00 per ticket (buy more) you can win Diamond Lil
Lil Silver Spurs Whiskey and Wine Wagon with all it's contents!
You do not need to be present to win
Diamond Lil along with Lil Silver Spurs wagon and it's contents will be delivered to your door!

Mark your calendar--All ARW members are part of the NvFRW and all are invited to participate in the Fall Board meeting on September 30, 2016 - October 1, 2016 in Carson City. ARW may consider sponsoring and reimbursing those who are willing to go but are hesitant because of expense. The Board will need to vote on this, so please make your wishes known to someone on the ARW Board. We currently have 19 Clubs in State of NV, all of which are part of the Nevada Federation of Republican Women (NvFRW). All are invited to the Nv FRW Fall Board Meeting. Please save the date and start your planning!

ARW LEADERSHIP TEAM OFFICERS:

President: Gwen Barrett
1st Vice-President: Alice Shillock-Clark
2nd Vice-President: Martha Kimpel and Eleanor Mills (co-Chairs)
Recording Secretary: Marty Wright
Treasurer: Judy Kelly

STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Achievement Awards	Eleanor Mills	Americanism	Carol Noblet
Audit	Eleanor Mills	Budget and Finance	Priscilla Campbell
Boutique	Christine Barrett	Bylaws	Martha Kimpel
Campaign Activities (Zip Code Voter Registration)	Cristina Cimino	Caring for America	Patty Pennise
Chaplain	Kristene Fisher	Check-in	Wendy Enzenauer
Communications/Public Relations	Vacant	Corresponding Secretary	Lee Price
Decorations	Gwen Barrett and Lee Price	Fundraising	Stephanie Reeder
Hospitality/Greeter	Lee Price	Historian	Vacant
Leadership	Alice Shillock-Clark	Legislation	Tina Larsen
		Website/Social	

	Governs	Newsletter Editor	Alida Roberts
Parliamentarian	Kathie Slaughter	RSVP Chair	Martha Kimpel

**Note: Standing Committees are not carved in stone. Chairs are appointed by the President. If you are interested in helping, chairing a committee, have ideas for a new committee, or have any questions, please contact Gwen Barrett via email gwenbarrett44@gmail.com or phone (702)523-5378.

Literacy - Message from Molly Governs

TWO BOOKS ON TOPICS IN TODAY'S HEADLINES

[The War on Cops: How the New Attack on Law and Order Makes Everyone Less Safe](#) by Heather Mac Donald.

The author, Heather Mac Donald, with documented research dispels much of what is being told in the media about Black Lives Matters and much more about what is going on in law enforcement today. The book starts with an introduction that covers the current policing revolution, crime today, and the anti-law-enforcement movement. From there the book is divided into four very important topics: Burning Cities and the Ferguson Effect; Handcuffing the Cops; The Truth About Crime; and Incarceration and Its Critics.

AND

[Crisis of Character: A White House Secret Service Officer Discloses His Firsthand Experience with Hillary, Bill and How They Operate](#) by Gary J. Byrne.

The book takes the reader into the training of the Secret Service and many aspects of the rules and regulations under which those officers work. Gary Byrne tells what is like to work and be around Bill and Hillary Clinton, their personalities and relationship. The author served during the Clinton Administration and his consequently being drawn into having to testify in the investigation of the Bill Clinton scandals. The author suffered a lot of stress on this job and recounts it throughout the book, but feels passionately that this story needs to be told.

SUMMER READING FOR ALL AGES

If there are any young children or teens in your life it is important to keep them involved in summer reading. If students keep reading during the summer school break what has become known as the "summer slide" won't take place. That is a phenomena where students loose what they have gained during the school year in reading skills. The Las Vegas-

library card, and enroll in the library's summer reading program. There is fun in store for those who participate.

http://www.lvccld.org/events/special_programs/club_read/index.cfm?sStrtdat=



The National Federation of Republican Women (NFRW) also offers some good reading listed in the Mamie Eisenhower Library Project (MELP) for all ages. Take a look at the MELP list of suggested reading at the website listed below.

<https://www.nfrw.org/sites/default/files/documents/members/literacy/MELP14-addendumIII.pdf>

Molly Governs
ARW Literacy and MELP Chair

Boutique - Christine Barrett

Boutique Chair Christine Barrett

We now have our own ARW "T" shirts for sale! All proceeds go to benefit our club.

Boutique nearly sold out and new stuff arriving each month.



ARW Being Active

"Love is Reflected in Love"

This summer ARW finds several of our Sisters and Brothers in need of special prayers because of illness or forthcoming surgeries.

Sisters: Alida Roberts, Diane Dennison, Morty Wright, Nelly Segal, Patty Pennise, Wendy Enzenaurer

Brothers: Bob Clark, John Price and Sonny Reeder

Please remember them in your thoughts and prayers

We also want to hear "Positive News": a new job promotion, raise, family additions, etc. We want to share your happiness! Hearing good news gives us all an up-lift!

Please contact:

Lee Price, Corresponding Secretary

Mlprice4@cox.net

Leadership Corner

ARW Membership Application

IT'S AN ELECTION YEAR AND WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

To join ARW or to renew your membership - please click [here](#)

ARW ADVERTISING BOARD

Advertising space available...

Get your business noticed by your fellow ARW members

ARW is accepting ads for our newsletter

\$25.00 Bus. card size

\$50.00 1/4 page

\$75.00 1/2 page

\$100.00 full page

Advertising pricing is based on full year. Pricing for half-year or quarter-year available upon request.

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