



TRUNKLINES

**PIMA COUNTY REPUBLICAN
WOMEN'S CLUB
CELEBRATING OUR HERITAGE
1924-2009**

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Board meeting

Time: 5:00PM

Place: Penny's House

October 22nd

Cyndi's Farwell Party

Time: 4-6PM

Place: Hilton Hotel East
Patio

*(Note: PCRWC meeting
to follow at 6:15PM for
the election of officers)*

November 18th

Board meeting

Time: 5:00PM

Place: Penny's House

AZFRW 63RD BIENNIAL CONVENTION 2009

October 22 - 24, 2009

Hilton East Hotel

7600 E. Broadway, Tucson, AZ 85710

Republican women from across the state of Arizona will gather in Tucson beginning on Thursday, October 22nd for the AzFRW 63rd Biennial Convention. Our club delegates; Cindy Coleman, Sandra Munier, Joan Richardson, Ann Ross, Anna Stark and Micki Wyrick as well as PCRWC members designated as voting members; Jennifer Barber, Connie Beurlein, Cyndi Collins, Freddy Hershberger, Penny MacArthur and Jeanette Huey will be voting on important issues as well as electing a new AzFRW Board of Directors to serve a two year term. PCRWC members are welcome to attend as guests of the convention. Go to the AzFRW website for registration information and forms, schedule of events and fees to attend. The deadline to register is Friday, October 9th. Convention events include a campaign school presented by GOPAC, legislative sessions, election of officers, a silent auction, awards luncheon, workshops, a banquet dinner and featured speakers. Join us for a weekend of fun, fellowship and friendship!

Farewell for AzFRW President Cyndi Collins

"A Very Merry Convention"

*You are cordially invited to attend a farewell celebration for outgoing
AzFRW President Cyndi Collins on
Thursday, October 22, 2009 from 4 to 6PM*

*Join us on the patio of the Hilton East Hotel as we thank Cyndi for her
years of dedicated service, endearing spirit and tireless efforts.
There is no charge and reservations are not required.*

*Following the celebration at 6:15PM, a short PCRWC meeting will be held
to elect our 2010 Board of Directors. Please make plans to attend!*

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

September was a busy month for PCRWC. **Connie Beuerlein**, **Cyndi Collins** and I attended the biennial NFRW conference in Florida along with 1,200 of our closest Republican women friends. It was a fabulous event, packed with dynamic speakers. Among them were RNC Chairman, Michael Steele, syndicated columnist and author (and daughter of you know who!) Jackie Gingrich Cushman, FoxNews political analyst, Angela McBlowan to name just a few.

For me, the most moving speaker was Frances Rice, Chairman, National Black Republican Association. She passionately spoke about her quest to educate the public, mostly black Democrats the truth about the history of Civil Rights and how the Democrats have been suppressing blacks since the Civil War. Please visit their website, NBRA.info, click on their newsletter for an eye-opening history of Civil Rights. (Did you know it was Republicans who started the NAACP? Neither did I.)

AzFRW won several awards at the national convention. The most prestigious was First Place for the Public Relations Award (PCRWC member **Jennifer Barber**) along with recognition for its website (**Connie Beuerlein**). PCRWC received the highest level (Diamond) in the Club Achievement Award. Thanks to all of you for making this possible.

On the local scene, our 85th Anniversary Celebration was a huge success. We had almost 100 in attendance and Governor Jan Brewer gave a heartfelt speech praising the work of PCRWC. Superintendent Tom Horne dazzled us all with an outstanding performance playing "Rhapsody in Blue". He received a standing "O"! Many thanks to **Cyndi Collins**, **Jeanette Huey**, **Cece Stephens** and **Micki Wyrick** for all of their hard work in pulling this together. For those of you who attended, you will agree they did a stellar job!

The Tucson City Council election is coming up. Even if you don't live in the city, you are affected by the decisions of the Council. Please help by volunteering for phone banks, walks or envelope stuffing. Call Paula Maxwell at HQ (321-1492) to see how you can help. We need to throw all of the current city council bums out!

Penny MacArthur, PCRWC President



Pima County Republican Women's Club President - Penny MacArthur

PCRWC MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORIES:

Membership Chair, Ann Ross still has plenty of unclaimed PCRWC 2009 membership directories. Please contact Ann at (520) 498-4772 to get your copy. A portion of the membership dues are used for the printing of the directories.

PROGRAM NOTES

LOOKING AHEAD IN 2009

63rd AzFRW Bi-Annual Convention-
October 22nd-24th in Tucson at the Hilton
Farewell for Cyndi Collins-October 22nd
(No general membership meeting-November)
Silver Tea—Saturday, December 5th.
Make plans to attend these exciting events!

CAMPAIGN NEWS

Support our local Republican candidates for the Tucson City Council

Ward 3 Ben Buehler-Garcia

Ward 5 Shaun McCluskey

Ward 6 Steve Kozachick

GET OUT AND VOTE ON NOVEMBER 3rd!

Sherry Potter, Campaigns

PCWRC

2009 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

President

Penny MacArthur 327-1256

1st VP/Campaigns

Sherry Potter 744-7314

2nd VP/Membership

Ann Ross 498-4772

3rd VP/Ways and Means

Ce-Ce Stevens 907-0102

4th VP/Programs

Micki Wyrick 722-7344

Secretary

JoAnne Westerman

579-4945

Treasurer

Jeanette Huey 885-3076

Past President

Joan Richardson 749-3930

AZFRW President

Cyndi Collins 886-3508

Trunklines is the official publication of the Pima County Republican Women's Club. It is published every month with the exception of December. Comments and suggestions are welcomed. Please contact Anna Stark; Editor at (520) 744-7279 or at aloustark@comcast.net.

Ruth Gaddis Jefferies Award

PCRWC is taking member nominations of ladies worthy to receive our Ruth Gaddis Jefferies Award. This award is presented every year at our PCRWC Silver Tea held the first Saturday in December to an eligible member of PCRWC. To be considered, a letter of nomination must be sent to BOTH Co-Chairmen by email or snail mail, and the nominee must meet the criteria as follows:

1. Served as an elected precinct committeeman
2. Been a PCRWC member for at least 10 years
3. Proven loyalty and dedication to PCRWC

Members eligible for this year's award: Cindy Coleman, Sharon Collins, Cyndi Collins, Vicki Cox Golder, Cheri Cross, Virginia (Ginnie) Davies, Hon. Ann Day, Carolyn Donges, Nina Gregory, Hon. Barbara Hein, Patricia Herring, Pamela Jones, Julie Katsel, Margaret Kenski, Ann Kellison, Alma Kremer, Joan Lien, Jeanie Medideth, Deborah Parker, Judy Patrick, Mary Preble, Joan Richardson, Karen Simmons.

(If you know a member who has been omitted from this list and meets the criteria listed above, please contact either Dawn Epsom or Marilyn Zerull immediately so that we may add the person to the list of nominees.)

Letters of Nomination must be received by November 15, 2009. Please send letters of nomination to BOTH:

Dawn Epsom depson@quixnet.net
734 E Roger Rd. #150
Tucson, AZ 95719-1372

Marilyn Zerull zwinaz@msn.com
1089 W Gold Bar Place
Oro Valley, AZ 85737-9449

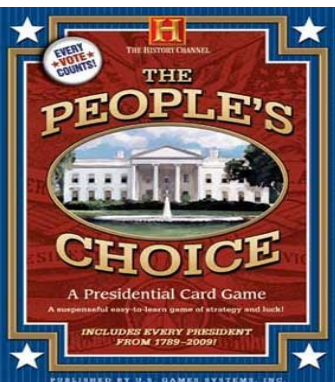
Save the Date!
Pima County Republican Women's Club Silver Tea
Date: Saturday December 5, 2009
Time: 1:00 to 4:00 PM
Place- Delores Johnson's Home

PCRWC Appointed Chairs

Chaplain
Marilyn Zurrell
Historian/Scrapbook
Ana Watson
Parliamentarian
Tiana Smith
Standing Committee Chairs
Arrangements
Carolyn Donges
Awards
Joan Richardson
Caring for America
Vacant
Legislation
Lesley VanBorssum
Literacy/MELP
Georgianna Plank
Newsletter
Anna Stark
Nominating
Micki Wyrick
Public Relations
Ana Watson
Ruth Gaddis Jefferies
Dawn Epsom
Silver Tea
Vacant
Youth Involvement
Ashley Collins
Web Master
Connie Beuerlein

HOW DID THEY VOTE?
WWW.MEGAVOTE.COM

People's Choice Presidential Card Game



This great card game is only \$15.00 and available for sale by contacting Ways and Means Chairwoman; Cece Stevens at 907-0102 or by emailing CeCe at: cecest@aol.com.

The game features personalities, interests, style, defining moments and legacy while learning fun, interesting and unusual facts about our US Presidents. It's fun to play and a great education resource for all ages.

- October Birthdays!**
- Antoinette Ransbottom-Oct 1st
 - Penny MacArthur-Oct 3rd
 - Cheri Cross-Oct 8th
 - Micki Wyrick-Oct 10th
 - Linda Barber-Oct 11th
 - Deborah Parker-Oct 12th
 - Nicki Nickerson-Oct 12th
 - Lynne St Angelo-Oct 15th
 - Barbara Hein-Oct 18th
 - Jeanette Huey-Oct 18th
 - Julie Katsel-Oct 25th
 - Tamera Strombaugh-Oct 30th

NEWS YOU CAN USE

2010 Membership Registration

Get 14 months of PCRWC membership for the price of 12 months! Send the completed form/your dues check to Ann Ross. You can also give your dues check and member registration to Ann at the next PCRWC event in October.

Editor's Notepad

The deadline to submit articles and news for the Nov issue is October 16th. Articles of interest, ideas, comments, and editorials are welcomed. Please contact , Anna Stark at (520) 247-4114.

Stay Informed!

www.PCRWC.com
www.AzFRW.org
www.AZGOP.org
www.NFRW.org
www.RNC.org
www.politics.com

**Another great website:
WWW.AmericansforProsperity.Org**

Tucson's Last Stand—"Enough is Enough"

Tucson Electric Park

Saturday, October 10, 2009 10 AM to 1PM

Local small business owners affected by the poor economy, high regulation, and a generally unfriendly political climate wanted a voice. Rather than continuing to depend on appeals to the unresponsive community leaders, they decided to take matters into their own hands.

Eric Ruden, owner of Essential Pest Management and spokesperson for a coalition of small business owners who are personally donating said, "enough is enough." Our leadership has failed the City of Tucson. Ruden approached the Tucson Tea Party in order to plan and carry out an event he has coined, "Tucson's Last Stand."

If projections hold up and the momentum continues, the event could be the largest political rally ever held in Tucson. Tucson's Last Stand will take place on Saturday, October 10th at Tucson Electric Park located at 2500 E. Ajo Way from 10 am to 1PM. The event is free and open to the public, but donations to offset costs would be greatly appreciated.

Speakers for the event include Judge Andrew Napolitano, a widely respected author as well as a television and radio host. Joining him will be Congressman, Barry Goldwater, Jr whose name and political acumen need little introduction in Arizona. Attendees will also be able to engage directly with City Council, State and Congressional candidates who are competing in the upcoming elections.

Trent Humphries, Tucson Tea Party organizer and local business owner said that nothing like this has been done in Tucson. It should be an historic event. For more information about Tucson's Last Stand, please visit the website at tucsonslaststand.com or you may contact the Tucson Tea Party at tucsonteaparty@yahoo.com or you may call (520) 979-2627.

-from the Pima County Republican Party website

Do You Have One Yet?

Don't miss the opportunity to get your very own PCRWC patriotic dog tag necklace.

Beautifully crafted by Ce Ce Stevens, Ways and Means Chairwoman, the dog tag is covered by sparkling red, white and blue crystals for only \$30. Contact Ce Ce at (520) 907-0102 .

FYI

GOPAC, the group that was formed to train and elect Republican candidates, is coming to Tucson on Thursday, October 22nd to kick off the 3 day AZ Federation of Republican Women Convention with a day long campaign class at \$40 to AzFRW or attendees. The class will run 9am - 3pm at the Hilton Hotel on Broadway in Tucson. AZ Congressman John Shadegg was a past chairman of the organization. Visit the AzFRW website for more information on how to register.

Pima County Republican Women's Club

2010 Slate - Board of Directors Officer Candidates

The nominating committee consisting of Chairwoman Micki Wyrick and members Marilyn Zerull, Carolyn Donges and Lesley VanBorssum are pleased to announce the 2010 slate of Board of Directors candidates:

President—Micki Wyrick

1st Vice President/Membership-Marilyn Zerull

2nd Vice President/Campaigns-Sherry Potter

3rd Vice President/Programs-Vacant

4th Vice President/Ways and Means-Delores Johnson

Secretary-Sandra Munier

Treasurer-Jeanette Huey

The office of 3rd Vice President is vacant and not yet filled. Please contact Chairwoman, Micki Wyrick at 722-7344 if you are interested. The Programs chair plays a vital and exciting role for the PCRWC. This person is tasked with recruiting and arranging the speakers and presenters for our monthly events. A dynamic individual is needed to coordinate this effort ensuring that the PCRWC meets its' goals by promoting the ideals of the Republican party.

Tea Party Express—"Countdown to Judgment Day"

The Tea Party Express is Rolling Again! October 25th – November 11th

www.TeaPartyExpress.com

HELP WANTED in 2010

PCRWC Newsletter Editor

Share your creative talents as the Editor of *Trunklines*. Duties include gathering news and information, editing and publishing the monthly issues of the newsletter.

No experience is required as on-the-job training is available and will be provided. This is a great opportunity to learn a new skill which can be used for future employment.

Contact Anna Stark at (520) 247-4114 to learn more.

Volunteer Greeters Needed!!!

Micki Wyrick is recruiting volunteer greeters for the 63rd AzFRW Bi-Annual Convention beginning on October 22nd through the 24th. A red jacket or red long sleeved shirt is needed-volunteers will be given a "hostess identity button." Greeting times will be determined by the number of volunteers able to work.

Please call Micki Wyrick at (520) 722-7344 to help out!

Do You Just Belong?

Are you an active member, the kind that would be missed or are you just contented that your name is on the list?

Do you attend the meetings and mingle with the flock or do you stay at home and criticize and knock?

Do you take an active part to help the work along or are you satisfied to be the kind that just belong?

Do you ever go and visit a member that is sick or leave the work to a few and talk about the clique?

Think this over member... you know right from wrong! Are you an active member or do you "Just Belong?"

Membership Report

Regular Members: 73
Associate Members: 13
Auxiliary Members: 13
Total as of Sept 30: 99

Welcome New Members:

Marjorie Marks

Ruth McClung

Associate Member:

Connie Pellman

Anna Stark, Editor

12829 N Cactus Terrace Place

Marana, AZ 85658

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***Pima County Republican
Women's Club***

Who we are...

*A group of women in the Pima
County area who come together
to improve and promote political
awareness.*

What we do...

*Promote an informed electorate
through education, promote the
ideals of the Republican party
and increase the effectiveness
of women in government
through active participation.*

JOIN US!



**CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE AT:
WWW.PCRWC.COM**

2010 MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM

Your Name _____ Birth date _____ Today's date _____

Your Spouse's Name _____

Address, City, Zip _____

Daytime phone number _____ Evening phone number _____ Cell phone _____

Email address _____ Membership Type: Renewal _____ New _____

Would you like to be more involved with our club? _____ May we contact you to discuss volunteer opportunities on our board? _____

Regular Membership ~ \$30 ~ Registered Arizona Republican female; includes full voting rights. Entitles you to a membership with the AZ Federated Women's Club and the National Federation of Republican Women.

Associate Membership ~ \$15 ~ Registered Republican female. Member of another Federated Republican Women's Club; no voting rights.

Auxiliary Membership ~ \$10. Registered Republican male; can not hold office and there are no voting rights.

Complete the membership form and send to PCRWC Membership Chair,

Ann Ross at 1302 Stone Forest Pl. Oro Valley, AZ 85755,

Please include your dues check made payable to PCRWC. Thank you.