

Clear Creek



Reach for the Stars

President's Message for February



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2021 Has Arrived!

What a kick-off to 2021 we had at our meeting last month. As we moved into uncharted waters nationally, our club proceeded with grace and courage as we welcomed 13 new members and had a packed house to listen to Master Peace Officer Tamara Spencer, and Congressman Randy Weber. Congressman Weber was an unplanned and welcome addition; He shared his personal experience while in session at the Capitol on January 6th. Every one present appreciated his candor about such a tragic and heart wrenching experience. Everyone was touched and thankful he is safe.

Thank you to those members that signed up to work on committees. The committees are the lifeblood of our club. They are what keep our members informed, moving forward, and prepared for whatever challenges arise. They also are what give us a sense of belonging.

"We are never defeated unless we give up on God."

Ronald Reagan

Let me end with this quote.

God bless you, and thank you for your diligence.

Roxann Lewis, CCRW President

Guest Speaker for February



Nick Adams is a four-time best selling author, motivational speaker, Fox New commentator and business innovator. He has spoken at military bases, universities, high schools, and churches in 40 states.

He runs the Foundation for Liberty and American Greatness (FLAG), a non-profit organization that teaches civics and informs parents and students on the power of the American Dream. FLAG has produced the world's first kid-friendly Constitution, Declaration of Independence and Federalist Papers. People such as Col. Allen West, Bill O'Reilly, Dennis Prager, Pete Hegseth, Steve Cortes are a few of the FLAG Board members.

Nick was born and raised in Australia, immigrated to America. He earned both undergraduate and post graduate degrees at the University of Sydney Australia. He was publicly elected the youngest Deputy Mayor in Australian history in Sydney at the age of twenty-one.

FEBRUARY

2021 Officers

President

Roxann Lewis
832-877-9050

1st V.P. Membership

Barbara Meeks

2nd V.P. Programs

Mary Kennedy

Recording Secretary

Martha Bosworth

Corresponding Secretary

Martha Fischer

Treasurer

Fay Picard

PAC Treasurer

Melissa Johnson

Immediate Past President

Kari long

STANDING CHAIR- WOMEN

Campaign Activities

Kathie Nenninger

Legislative

Lillian Murphy

Awards

Loretta E. Roberts

Hospitality

Linda Duryea

Literacy/Caring for America

Pat Kampenga

Special Events

Kristen Day

Publicity

Debbie Chrissinger

Social Media

Christine Parizo

Parliamentarian

Carol Evans

Directory

Mary Kennedy

By-Laws

Loretta Roberts

Chaplain & Newsletter

Mary Blackwell

CCRW Monthly Meeting

doors open at 11:30 AM

La Brisa on the Creek

501 N. Wesley Dr., League City, Tx.

281-554-4000



Reservations are required please. If you are making reservations for someone else please provide their name(s) for our reservations list.

Contact Fay Picard 281-507-0928 or

You may RSVP & register by clicking on this link <http://www.clearcreekrw.org/event/>

Please reserve and select choice #1, #2, or #3 by 12:00 pm noon Wednesday before meeting. We are only able to order from this menu. If you have a food allergy, please contact call Fay (281-507-0928). Please note: cancellations are accepted up to 9:30 pm on the Tuesday before our meetings on Friday otherwise an invoice will be mailed for the full amount. Thank you for your understanding in this very important matter. We also want to thank all of you who continue to make reservations in a timely manner.

Menu

1. Stuffed Chicken Breast with mashed potatoes, veggies.
2. Trio Enchiladas with rice and beans.
3. As entry fee \$5 covers your choice of tea, coffee, soda along with chips and green/red salsa.

February 2021 Birthdays

We have no reported February Birthdays.

If your birthday is in February we would

like to announce it.



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CCRW 2021 Calendar

- February 5 Executive board meeting, Judge Henry's Office, 9:30 a.m.
- February 5 CCRW Monthly Meeting 11:30a-1:00p at La Brisa Mexican Grille, League City. Speaker is Nick Adams.
- February 14 *Happy Valentine's Day*
- March 5 Executive board meeting, Judge Henry's Office, 9:30 a.m.
- March 5 CCRW Monthly Meeting 11:30a-1:00p at La Brisa Mexican Grille, League City.
- March 16 GHC "Nuts & Bolts" Officer Training, 9:30a-2:00p, 1414 Wirt Rd., Houston 
<https://www.ghcfrwpac.org/>



Food for Thought
 October 29, 2021
 Walter Hall Park



MEETING CALENDAR FOR AREA REPUBLICAN WOMEN CLUBS

Bay Area Republican Women – 4th Tuesday of the month 7:30am at Bay Oaks Country Club, Clear Lake
<https://barw.org/meetings/>

Texas Gulf Coast Republican Women – 3rd Monday of the month 6:30p Friendswood Chamber of Commerce

Galveston Republican Women – 3rd Wednesday of the month 11am – Tremont House, Galveston
<http://www.galvestonrepublicanwomen.com/>

Tri County Republican Women – 1st Thursday 11am of the month – Golfcrest Country Club, Pearland
<https://tcrwtx.org/events/>

San Jacinto Republican Women – 3rd Monday of the month – Peppers Restaurant, Pasadena
<http://sanjacintorepublicanwomen.com/index.php/about-us/>

West Pearland Republican Women – 1st Thursday of the month 6pm – Spring Creek BBQ, Pearland
<http://wprw.org/>

Social Media



Get more information by ctrl + click below to join us at our Facebook page.
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/ClearCreekRepublicanWomenClub/>

We are happy to help promote other Republican Women's Clubs. Go ahead, post your even and wait for approval from our webmaster.

Invite your friends to "Like" our page. We need more Republicans like you. Check us for the monthly CCRW meeting date and time.

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Membership

Barbara Meeks, Membership Chair

You can help Clear Creek Republican Women build our numbers in 2021! At press time, we have 54 Full and 24 Associate Members. Will you help us hit 100 Full Members? We are only as strong as our Membership and with your help we can make a difference!

We are in the home stretch for our Membership Drive Contest which runs through February 28, in time to have everyone listed in our membership directory. We are also accepting ads for the Directory, \$100 for a full page (5.5 x 8.5") full color ad to spotlight your business.

Contest Rules:

1. All members of CCRW are eligible to win.
2. Every new member you recruit who joins as a **FULL Member** is worth **5 points**.
3. Every new member you recruit who joins as an **ASSOCIATE Member** is worth **1 point**.
4. Prizes will be awarded to the top TWO who earn the most points.
5. Contest period is for 2021 paid dues through February 28th.
6. Winners will be announced at the CCRW meeting on March 5.
7. **1st Place Prize** is a Wine-Beer & Cheese Reception with County Judge Mark Henry for 8 people at a mutually agreed upon date.
8. **2nd Place PRIZE** is a lovely Kendra Scott bracelet. (I'll bring it to the 2/5 meeting)

PLEASE make sure your recruit lists you as 'how you learned about CCRW' on the new membership application. Keep track of the names of your recruits and I will keep track of the points based on membership applications.

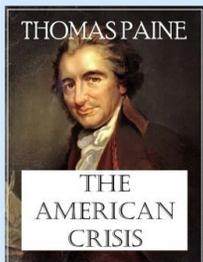
Full Member Eligibility: a woman who was not a member of CCRW in 2020 and is not a full member of another RW organization.

Associate Member Eligibility: a man who was not a member of CCRW in 2020 OR a woman who is a full member of another RW but was not an associate member of CCRW in 2020.

Current Contest Leaders are Linda Duryea and Martha Bosworth!

Legislative Report

Lillian Murphy, Legislation Chair



These are the times that try men's souls, when the summer soldier and the sunshine patriot will, in this crisis, shrink from the service to their country; but he that stands by it now, deserves the love and thanks of man and woman.

Tyranny, like hell, is not easily conquered; yet we have this consolation with us, that the harder the conflict, the more glorious the triumph."

Thomas Paine, The Crisis

A couple of important bills have been submitted in the current legislature. For more information on these and other bills submitted, go to our website clearcreekrw.org and click on TX Legislature.

House Bill 899 to limit disaster powers and stop state agencies from fining, suspending or revoking occupational licenses (or licenses to operate) based solely on the violation of a disaster order. This is a critical safeguard for small businesses and people's ability to make a living and feed their family. State agencies, such as the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission (TABC) have threatened many with 30-day shutdowns and even revoked licenses to operate, which has forced many out of business for good.

Bill 574 relates to preventing election fraud.

According to the proposed bill, it would be considered a second-degree felony, not a misdemeanor, for a person to knowingly commit election fraud.

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Clear Creek Republican Women General Meeting January 8, 2021 La Brisa Restaurant, League City

The meeting was called to order by Roxann Lewis at 12:02. Roxann welcomed everyone and asked local officials and politicians stand. She then welcomed and recognized guests.

The invocation was given by Mary Blackwell. Followed by the pledges lead by county commissioner Ken Clark.

Roxann made the following announcements:

Sign up sheets were circulated for members to join a committee.

Linda Duryea hospitality chair will be awarding a door prize.

Randy Weber will be speaking and answering questions about the recent events at the capital.

Membership Report – Barbara Meeks

Membership drive through February with top prize of a wine and cheese event.

Treasurers Report- Fay Picard

Balance- \$14,003.98

Roxann Lewis went over the 2021 budget

Approval of Minutes-

Minutes were circulated in January newsletter.

Minutes recorded as written.

Program Chair 2020 Barbara Meeks Introduced speaker - Tammy Spencer and her daughter Faith.

Further Announcements:

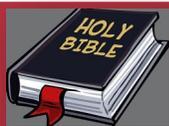
Legislative Day

Adjourned 1:05

Those that stayed listened to:

Randy Weber –who described events at Capital

Respectfully Submitted by Martha Bosworth , Recording Secretary



Chaplain's Message

"Conflict"

Conflict usually begins when a person does not get what they believe they are entitled to have. At the core of that person's heart is pride and selfishness. They believe the lie, a seed if you will, that Satan has laid in front of them. When the heart begins to grow in the selfish desire to rule or control someone else's life the seed has now taken hold. What kind of things are you dreaming of that are not rightfully yours? Money, position, power, someone's good looks, possessions? Many a person has murdered because of their pride and selfish desires.

A foolish person will not respect or recognize when they have encroached on someone else's personal boundary. A wise person who walks in the path of the righteous and follows the Word of God will bring peace to his relationships.

Will you be able to say?-

(20) The Lord rewarded me for doing right; he compensated me because of my innocence. (21) For I have kept the way of the Lord; I have not turned from my God to follow evil.

Psalms 18: 20-21

Mary O. Blackwell, CCRW Chaplain

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Brag Board



Martha Bosworth

Pat Kampenga

On August 26, 1920 the 19th amendment was adopted. The 19th amendment secured a women's right to vote. As a celebration of the 100th anniversary of that special day Clear Creek Republican Women generously donated the funds to purchase 7 books. Camilla Can Vote was written by Mary Morgan Ketchel and Senator Marsha Blackburn, the first woman Senator elected from her state. The children's book is about the Suffrage movement and the ratification of the 19th amendment. The books were delivered by the Literacy Chairpersons to Susie Ferrel, head librarian for CCISD at the Learners Support Center for distribution to elementary libraries.

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Membership Chair

2021 Membership Applications are available at each meeting or save time and paper and fill one out on our website ; www.clearcreekrw.org. We need a form filled out by every Member and Associate Member, even if your information remains the same. The club must stay in compliant with the Texas Ethics Commission. We appreciate your understanding.

You may click on the following link to complete your membership application on our website: <http://www.clearcreekrw.org/become-a-member/>



Clear Creek Republican Women PAC Galveston County, Texas 2021 Membership Application

Name _____ Spouse Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____ Home? ___ Cell? ___

Email _____

Occupation _____ Birthday (Month/Day) _____

Full Member \$30.00 _____ New Member _____ Renewal _____

Associate Member \$15.00 _____ (Member of another RW Club or a Male)

Are you a registered Republican? Yes ___ No ___

Member of another RW Club? ___ Yes ___ No ___ If yes, name of Club _____

How did you hear about CCRW? Website ___ Facebook ___ Newspaper (which one) _____

Friend (Name) _____ Other _____

I would like to help with the following (Please check all that interest you)

Audits ___ Awards ___ By-Laws ___ Campaign Activities ___ CCRW Directory ___ Hospitality ___ Legislative ___
Newsletter ___ Literacy ___ Caring For America ___ Parliamentarian ___ Fundraising ___ Social Media ___

Hobbies/Areas of Interest/Comments _____

I'll save the Club money and take an electronic directory _____

Please mail membership application and check to:
CCRW PAC, P.O. Box 2171, League City, TX 77574

Date Paid _____ Check# _____ Cash _____ Amt. Paid _____

Dues and Donations are not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal income tax purposes
Corporate Contributions Are Not Permitted

CCRW Name Badge Order



Badge Size 3" x 1-1/2" white with magnet back • Color CCRW logo
 Your info printed Black --or-- Blue (circle choice, black is default)

\$15 delivered to CCRW meeting • \$17 Delivered (Includes sales tax)

Name: _____

Line #2: this could be last name

Line #3 _____

Please mail Order & Check to: o: **Taylor MacQuen Advertising**
2951 Marina Bay Dr., Ste 130-#238 • League City TX 77573

*** include email, or phone number in case of questions***

****Delivered or Mailed back PLEASE add your address below:**

Phone # _____ email: _____ @ _____

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