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CCRW President's Message

What a great time Loretta Roberts and I had in Austin attending the Texas Federation of Republican Women Board Meeting. We attended some great informational business meetings presented by great speakers. We received details about the RPT Convention to be held in San Antonio in June. The board meetings are quarterly and guests are encouraged.

We were treated to an awesome fun evening on Friday. First we had a behind the scenes look at the Supreme Court, then we went on a Ghost Tour! Really interesting guides and lots of "I didn't know that!" moments. Republican Women really know how to mix business with fun.

Are you ready to vote in the run-off election on May 22nd? There are many forums, meet and greets, and casual gatherings taking place with candidates running in this election. Please take advantage of these opportunities to get to know the candidates and what they stand for so you can make an informed decision when casting your vote. Early voting starts on May 14th. Please do not leave the results to others. Make your voice heard. Truly, every vote counts.

The main speaker at our May 4th lunch meeting will be Karen Newton, President of TFRW. Here is your chance to find out what TFRW does for you and what you can do to support the Republican Party of Texas. Karen will make it fun. Don't miss it.

I hope you are getting out and enjoying this amazing Spring weather. Many blessings to all.

Lillian Murphy
CCRW President

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May CCRW Speaker



We are delighted to have Karen Cuneo Newton, President of the Texas Federation of Republican Women, as our May speaker.

Karen is former Vice President of Finance for TFRW and has served as Co-Chair of Campaign Activities for the National Federation of Republican Women, Recording Secretary for the Greater San Antonio Council of Republican Women and President of Alamo Heights Republican Women. In 2016, Karen Co-managed the Donald J. Trump for President National Call Center in San Antonio. Karen is dedicated to keeping Texas Red by fully immersing herself in Texas grassroots efforts.



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2018 CALENDAR



- May 4 CCRW Monthly Meeting 11:30a-1:00p, LaBrisa Restaurant, League City; Speaker: TFRW President, Karen Newton
- May 22 Republican Primary Run-Off Election
- May 24 CCRW Board Meeting
- June 1 CCRW Monthly Meeting 11:30a-1:00p, LaBrisa Restaurant, League City
- June 14-16 RPT Convention, Grand Hyatt Riverwalk, San Antonio, TX PLAN TO ATTEND!!

MEETING CALENDAR FOR AREA REPUBLICAN WOMEN CLUBS

- Bay Area Republican Women—4th Wednesday of the month — Bay Oaks Country Club, Clear Lake
- Friendswood Republican Women— 4th Thursday of the month — Friendswood Chamber
- Galveston Republican Women—3rd Wednesday of the month — Fisherman’s Wharf, Galveston
- Tri County Republican Women—2nd Tuesday of the month—Golfcrest Country Club, Pearland
- San Jacinto Republican Women— 3rd Monday of the month—Peppers Restaurant, Pasadena
- West Pearland Republican Women—1st Thursday of the month—Spring Creek BBQ, Pearland

Publicity and Social Media

Hopefully you have joined the buzz by joining CCRW on our **Facebook** page.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/ClearCreekRepublicanWomenClub/>

If not, please feel free to request to be added to our group page. Please note that we only allow posts that are of the non-opinion nature and don’t demean others. Further, this isn’t a business networking group so please don’t push out posts that are for your specific business unless it is of the candidate nature. We are happy to help promote, by posting on our FB page, your Republican local events.

Please share our Facebook page and events with your friends by sharing it to your personal profile and invite your friends to our monthly CCRW meetings.



Please submit your volunteer hours for first quarter 2018 (Jan, Feb, March)

For information on what hours are eligible:
<http://www.clearcreekrw.org/become-a-member/campaign-activities-volunteer-hours/>

Consider reporting your hours now, while you’re reading this. Simply click the link, <http://www.clearcreekrw.org/>, and complete a short form at the bottom of the page.

Thank you!

Martha Fischer,
bradfisc@aol.com





Free ice cream at the front entrance, help yourself as you leave!

CCRW Monthly Meeting, , doors open at 11 AM

La Brisa on the Creek

501 N Wesley Dr. League City, TX * 281-554-4000

- 1. Taco Platter-3 spicy ground beef crispy tacos topped with lettuce, tomatoes, cheese, with rice and beans.**
- 2. Enchiladas-3 chicken enchiladas topped with chili gravy, cheese with rice and beans**
- 3. Soda, tea, chips and salsa**

Reservations are required please. If you are making reservations for someone else please provide their name(s) for our reservations list. We do not want to miss anyone.

[Contact Fay Picard 281-507-0928](tel:281-507-0928) or

[Click here http://www.clearcreekrw.org/event/](http://www.clearcreekrw.org/event/)

Please select choice #1, #2, or #3 on your reservation by 9:30p.m. The Tuesday before the meeting. We are only able to order from this menu. If you have a food allergy, please feel free to email me and I will try to accommodate you. Please note: cancellations are available up to 9:30 pm on the Tuesday before our meetings on Friday. If you do not cancel your reservation and do not show an invoice will be mailed to you. 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.

May Birthdays

Georgia Young May 2

Greg Rikard May 21

Robin Onstott May 5

Timothy Paulissen May 21

Chris Peden May 16

Kent Moss May 30

Happy Belated Birthday to Sherry Peterson!

**Clear Creek Republican Women
Minutes of a Meeting of the General Membership**

April 6, 2018 12:00 Noon

LaBrisa Mexican Grille – League City, TX

1st Vice-President Kari Long called the April 6, 2018 monthly membership meeting of the Clear Creek Republican Women to order at 12:00 noon

Chaplain Mary Blackwell gave the invocation and Judge-Elect Kerri Foley led the Pledges to the U.S. Flag and the Texas Flag.

The minutes of the March meeting were approved as emailed and Treasurer Brittany King reported a current balance of \$17,159.95.

Roxann Lewis, Chair of the Internal Review Committee reported that the internal audit of March 9, 2018, found all 2017 books to be in order, all TEC deadlines met, and QuickBooks working well. The committee recommended that someone other than Treasurer sign off on expenses. Committee members were Jackie Peden, Bonnie Wilson and Paula Smith. Treasurers Brittany King and Past Treasurer Chrissy Crews were available for the duration of the meeting. The committee commended Brittany King and Chrissy Crews for their work as Treasurers.

Program Chair, Kathie Nenninger introduced the Honorable Jacquie Baly, former Mayor Pro Tem of Sugarland and FOX Political News Analyst, as speaker for the meeting. The topic, "Politics, the Media, and Race", received total attention from the audience and questions followed. Ms. Baly recognized County Commissioners Joe Giusti and Ken Clark for their work and for getting funding for Galveston County.

Kari announced that the May 4 speaker is TFRW President, Karen Newton. Dave Johnson announced speakers for the Republican Network meeting on April 19 are County Judge Mark Henry and Republican County Chairman Carl Gustafson. Ken Clark announced the Republican Primary Run-Off election is May 22, with early voting from May 14-18. CCISD At Large candidate Jennifer Broddie announced the School Board election is May 5.

The meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

Immediate Past President Loretta Roberts took the Minutes in the absence of Recording Secretary Alison Putman.

The Chaplain's Message

God is crystal clear about everything. He does not want anyone to be unsure about what he commands us to do, and not do.

He does not say it is okay to worship anyone else. No, he clearly commanded number one Exodus 20:3 "Thou shalt have no other gods before me".

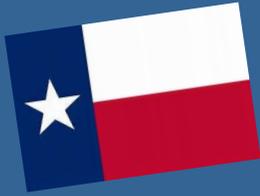
God also commanded not to: Exodus 20:13 "Thou shalt not kill". He does not give us a way out as many people want to apply conditions under which it is permissible to murder.

Humans have and will always want to be in total control of their lives, surroundings, and other people. We think we can make our own "laws" to justify what we do in every aspect of our existence. There will come a time when we will have to answer to God for everything we did and did not do while we walked this earth.

God said in Proverbs 1:24-33

"Because I have called, and all of you refused; I have stretched out my hand, and no man regarded; but all of you have set at nothing all my counsel, and refused my reproof; I also will laugh at your calamity; I will mock when your fear comes;...when distress and anguish comes upon you. Then shall they call upon me, but I will not answer; they shall seek me early, but they shall not find me: for that they hated knowledge, and did not choose the fear of the LORD...therefore shall they eat of the fruit of their own way, and be filled with their own devices...but whoso hearkens unto me shall dwell safely, and shall be quiet from fear of evil.

Mary O. Blackwell, CCRW chaplain



CCRW Brag Board



SD 11 district director Deborah Roan, Texas national committee woman Toni Ann Dashiell, TFRW deputy President Loretta Roberts, and CCRW President Lillian Murphy at the Texas State Supreme Court in Austin while attending the TFRW quarterly board meeting.



Kathie Nenninger introducing our April Meeting guest speaker



Jacquie Baly guest speaker

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
2018 Membership Application**

Name _____ Spouse _____

Mailing Address _____ Precinct # _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone Numbers (H) _____ (Cell) _____

Email _____

Occupation _____ Birthday (Month/day) _____

Full Member \$25.00 ** _____ New Member _____ Renewal* _____
*Member since _____

Associate Member \$15.00 _____

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

How did you hear about CCRW? Newspaper(name) _____ Website (name) _____
Friend(name) _____ Other _____

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

Audits _____ Awards _____ By-Laws _____ CCRW Directory _____ Historian _____ Hospitality _____
Legislation _____ Newsletter _____ Community Outreach _____ Parliamentarian _____ Publicity _____
Fundraising _____ Website _____

Hobbies/Areas/Topics of Interest/Comments _____

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

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

Date Paid _____	Check# _____	Cash _____	Amt. Paid _____
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How to order your name badge:

- Print this form, complete and bring to the next meeting to order your name badge. OR
- Print, complete and mail with check to address on form.

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)

\$13 delivered to CCRW meeting • \$14.75 if mailed (**Includes sales tax**)

Name: _____

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