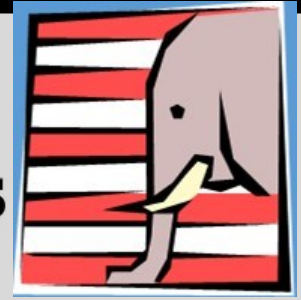




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FEBRUARY 2, 2024 MEETING

Location: Clubhouse 5
Social Hour: 11:00

Meeting: 11:30 Lunch 12:15

SPEAKER: ERIC EARLY

SUBJECT: Candidate for U.S. Senate



Eric earned a B.F.A. degree from New York University in 1981 and a J.D. degree from Southwestern Law School in 1993. Early's career experience includes working as an attorney and managing partner of Early Sullivan Wright Gizer & McRae LLP. Eric will fight for common sense solutions to everyday problems. Eric feels our nation is at crossroads. California deserves a US Senator who will stand up to the far-left career politicians setting our nation down a dangerous path.

MARCH 1, 2024 MEETING

Location: Clubhouse 5

Social Hour: 11:00 Meeting 11:30 Lunch 12:15

SURPRISE SPEAKER!!!



PLEASE NOTE RESERVATION CHANGES: CHECKS MUST BE MAILED FRIDAY BEFORE MEETING—RESERVATION DEADLINE IS 8 P.M. TUESDAY BEFORE MEETING— NO EXCEPTIONS

To make payments using Zelle, access Zelle through your bank's website or mobile app. Please send no later than 8 pm Tuesday

To: Treasurer@Republicancluboflagunawoods.org

COUPON FOR FEBRUARY 2, 2024 MEETING

Name _____

Name _____

Send your coupon along with your check to RCLW P.O. Box 2431
Laguna Hills, 92654 Member: \$30 Guests \$35

**Must be mailed by Friday January 26, - Deadline for reservations is
Tuesday, January 29, 8p.m.—no exceptions**

Menu: **Chicken Parmesan with Bowtie pasta-Green beans-Garlic Bread
Chocolate cake with strawberries**

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**Must be mailed by Friday February 23 -, Deadline for reservations
is Tuesday, February 28, p.m.-no exceptions**

Menu: **Meatloaf with mashed potatoes & Gravy—Rolls & Butter
Key lime pie**



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@REPYOUNG KIM

As we embark on this new year, I would love to hear from you and know what matters most to you in 2024. Share your thoughts and take my 2024 priorities survey.

Her online survey is in her 1-5-24 email newsletter I distributed in early January. Please contact Young Kim, by email, call her office or send message on X to give your feedback and let her know you'd like her to represent you and your values. She needs to hear from us.



ASSEMBLYWOMAN
Diane Dixon
72ND DISTRICT

Happy New Year! We officially reconvened the 2024 Legislative Session in Sacramento. I am pleased with my accomplishments from last year and have a renewed commitment for what is ahead!

In my first week, I introduced a transportation package to address public safety concerns related to electric bicycles or e-bikes. AB 1773 will allow local jurisdictions more enforcement control over their beach boardwalks, and AB 1774 focuses on limiting the high speeds of e-bikes.

Changes to Committee assignments include being named Vice Chairman of the Assembly Judiciary Committee, and I was placed on the Assembly Committee on Governmental Organization. I will continue as Member of the Assembly Committees on Business and Professions, and Banking and Finance. While no longer a member of the Local Government Committee, I do intend to follow Local Government legislation and stay informed of proposed legislation affecting our cities and county.

Diane



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Faithful Patriot Members & Friends,

Happy New Year! We are grateful to all 300 of you who have joined us and renewed your membership in 2024...whether you joined today... or 20 years ago. This year is predicted to be THE most crucial Presidential Election year in our lifetime...so let's commit to keep healthy and stay strong as we brace ourselves for a potential "rocket ride".

As your President I am committed to lead you and our fabulous Governing Board of Directors (see list on back page of Newsletter) by staying focused on the key issues local, state & national. Together, we are planning additional strategic activities, such as Movies and Townhalls at the PAC, produce a monthly show 'Light on America', and of course, upcoming election activities all this year.

All these activities are in conjunction with hosting interesting and relevant speakers that will engage, educate and inspire you at our regular monthly meetings the 1st Friday of every month. Thus, your supporting Membership dues and participation is crucial to our success in achieving our club's objectives and goals. We WILL "MAKE GREAT AGAIN" by electing conservative Republican candidates to represent us and accomplish this.

WE NEED YOU...and humbly invite you to participate with us in any way you are able. As we look back on 2023, we feel grateful for your participation. You attended our meetings faithfully and signed hundreds of petitions for several KEY causes,, i.e. 'End the Death Penalty Tax'; writing to ask our US Congressman and Senators to free the January 6 prisoners; and writing letters & making calls to our 5 OC Board of Supervisors. We respectfully requested they secure our elections by returning us to local precinct voting with Voter ID, same day voting, no more machines, and hand counting. This is still a work in progress.

Please join me in attending the Concerned Citizens and Bridge Builders meetings so we can provide 'conservative presence' and be a 'bulwark of opposition' to their policies to destroy our Republic. See the back page of our newsletter with recommended TV, radio websites to keep informed.

We hope you will tune into our show 'LIGHT ON AMERICA' on Village TV which airs every Tuesday at 1:30 pm. We strive to provide the TRUTH about the key issues of the day and dispel Mis, Dis and MAL information. We welcome your comments and feedback.

Remember, together we will face whatever is necessary to uphold our precious God given rights as well as those rights granted by our US Constitution. "NEVER GIVE UP!" Winston Churchill.

Let us continue to PRAY to Almighty GOD for His Hand on our nation.. .and keep forever hopeful that with GOD's help we will save our Republic

Sincerely., Your RCLW .
President, Pat Micone



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WHO WE ELECT MATTERS

- ◇ One only needs to look at the recent bloated omnibus bill that passed BOTH the House and the Senate. This bill is nothing more than an ode to big government. Among the more tragic aspects:
 - Costs American taxpayers \$1.7 trillion. That breaks down to \$6 billion per day. \$250 million per hour. \$4 million per minute.
 - Prioritizes bees, salmon, and plankton AHEAD of the crisis at the Southern Border.
 - Allocates \$1.9 billion to “catch and release” illegal aliens and specifically forbids using the funds to “improve or expand physically border security.”
 - Provides \$575 million for United Nations “Family Planning”
 - \$286 million to Planned Parenthood via the Title X program.
 - Was passed in the figurative “dead of night” during the Christmas season in the hopes that American taxpayers would be distracted and not know what happened. In fact, (thanks to new COVID-era “vote by proxy” rules), Members in Congress didn’t even want to be bothered with it, as this was the *first bill in the HISTORY of Congress to pass without a physical quorum present!*
 - Reinforces Joe Biden’s UNCONSTITUTIONAL vote-buying Student Loan by providing millions in funding to “encourage” student loan holders to enroll in this program (despite it currently being right-fully challenged in court).
 - Funds the progressive Left’s “woke” nonsensical agenda by providing millions of dollars for so-called “Diversity, Equity and Inclusion” initiatives.
 - Bankrolls Wasteful Democrat “Pet Projects” including LGBTQ + museums in New York community spaces for “gender expansive” people in Ohio, and LGBTQ+ “Pride Center” in California, a COVID-19 “American History” project.
 - \$3.5 million to fund the superfluous “Office of Diversity and Inclusion” in Congress.
 - \$3.6million for something called the “Michelle Obama Trail Project.”
 - Gives \$65 million in wasteful contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency
 - Provides millions in additional funding to hire even more bureaucrats.
 - Gives the IRS \$12.3 BILLION additional dollars to harass everyday Americans and small business owners.
 - Includes \$10.14 billion for the IRS for “enforcement measurers.”
 - Supports radical environmentalist ideology with \$2 billion in taxpayer dollars for “climate and environmental programs.” Additionally, it includes millions for the Smithsonian “Climate change Action Plan” and \$3.4 billion for “renewable energy” programs at the Department of Energy.
 - Handicaps Immigration and Customs Enforcement by restricting their ability to coordinate with local and state law enforcement agencies.
- **AND, THE CHERRY ON THE TOP OF THIS PROGRESSIVE SUNDAE...IT NAMES A FEDERAL BUILDING AFTER NANCY PELOSI!!!!**

As you can see, this Omnibus spending bill is nothing short of a disaster. Senator Mike Lee rightly called it “*the ugliest spending bill on record.*” And Senator Rick Scott took it a step further calling it a “*reckless inflammation bomb*” that is a “*disaster for our economy and a slap in the face.*”

Sadly 9 REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AND 18 REPUBLICAN SENATORS joined the Democrats to help pass this atrocious bill!!

These votes represent an egregious betrayal of Republican values. Yet it serves to remind us, once again, **and the importance of electing strong conservatives to the highest offices of the land.**



Article by..... By Congressman Jim Jordan
I'm proud of the principled stands I've taken over the years.
This tract record has earned me some of the highest ratings by conservative groups and lowest ratings by liberal progressive groups.
I will continue to fight...for you and conservative principles.



WE NEED YOU!

2024 PRIMARY ELECTION

CALL TO ACTION!!!



ELECTION INFORMATION

2024 may be THE most CRUCIAL Election year in our Republic’s history and we need every able-bodied person to volunteer to fill and perform any election activities.

We need YOU to make Phone Calls, Voter Registration and Observers at the Vote Centers. Please call Pamela Ellermann at 951-972-7946 to help Get Out The Vote and Save our Nation. To support EVERYONE casting their VOTE in this Primary we will host Ballot Marking sessions. We will go over every candidate and issue, so you feel most confident in casting your vote.

Three Ballot Market sessions

Saturday, February 10th, 2024 from 1 pm–3 pm at Restaurant 19, Rooms 1-3
Saturday, February 24th, Two sessions at Clubhouse 7: 10 am-11:45 pm & 12 noon– 2 pm

We will collect completed ballots and drive them to the Registrar of Voters vs place in mail.

We do recommend ‘IN PERSON VOTING’ on PRIMARY ELECTION DAY, March 5th or 1-3 days prior

Call us if you need a Ride to the polls—713-697-0014

Come JOIN us! We will have FUN! Bring friends & neighbors. NO CHARGE at all sessions!

Call Patti Zingaro at 303-886-9600 to RSVP for one of the Ballot Marketing sessions.



Come learn what CAGOP & OCGOP are doing to protect our 2024 elections.

**Saturday, January 27
10 am—11:30 am**

6910 Beach Blvd., Buena Park, Ca. 90621

DID YOU KNOW?



OCGOP’s Reclamation Program is working? Almost 10K Republican Voters (any were unaware their party affiliation had been switched) have re-registered as Republican Voters! Ryan May is our OCGOP Republican Field Director. Any Questions email Ryan@OCGOP.org The OCGOP Election Integrity has Vote Center and Registrar of Voter observation programs, and we provide training scheduling and attorneys.

Bryan Anguiano, CA State Director CAGOP/RNC Election Integrity Program

Karen Sewell is OCGOP Election of Election Integrity Officer Observation Program. Contact Karen to RSVP to be trained, 714-927-6743 or, ElectionIntegrityOC@gmail.com

The CRP-CA Republican Party provides an Election Hot Line providing attorneys to help ensure voters are not disenfranchised.

RULES FOR A PERFECT DAY

JUST FOR TODAY, I will try to live through this day only—and not tackle my whole life problem at once. I can do some things for twelve hours and that would appall me if I had to keep them up for a life time.

JUST FOR TODAY, I will be happy. This assumes that what Abraham Lincoln said is true, that “Most folks are about as happy as they make up their mind to be” Happiness is from within—it is not a matter of externals.

JUST FOR TODAY, I will adjust myself to what is and not try to adjust everything to my own desires. I will take my family, my business, and my luck as they come and fit myself to them.

JUST FOR TODAY, I will take care of my body. I will exercise it, care for it, and nourish it and not abuse it nor neglect it, so that it will be a perfect machine for my will.

JUST FOR TODAY, I will exercise my soul in three ways, to wit:

- a. I will do somebody a good turn and not get found out. If anybody knows it, it will not count.
- b. I will do at least two things I don't want to do, just for exercise of will-power.
- c. I will not show anyone that my feelings are hurt. They may be hurt, but today I will not show it.

JUST FOR TODAY, I will try to strengthen my mind. I will study, I will learn something useful. I will not be a mental loafer all day. I will read something that requires effort, thought and concentration

JUST FOR TODDAY, I will be agreeable. I will look as well as I can, dress as becomingly as possible, talk low, act courteously, be liberal with praise.

JUST FOR TODAY, I will have a program. I will write down just what I expect to do, I may not follow it exactly, but I'll have it as a pattern to follow. It will save me from two pests—HURRY AND INDECISION.

JUST FOR TODAY, I will have a quiet half-hour all by myself and relax. In this half-hour I will think of God, so as to get a little more perspective to my life.

JUST FOR TODAY, I will be unafraid, especially I will not be afraid to be happy, to enjoy what is beautiful, to love, and to believe that those I love, love me.

HAVE A HAPPY DAY!!

By Tom Hopkins

A little diversion from the stress of our lives today!

**Never blame any
day in your life.
Good days give you
happiness, bad days
give you experience,
and the worst days
give you a lesson.**
WWW.LIVELIFEHAPPY.COM

BITS AND PIECES OF INFORMATION

WE NEED YOU!! Roles needing to be filled on our 2023 Governing Board of Directors: **WRITE GLOBE ARTICLES; LEGISLATION COMMITTEE; SPECIAL EVENTS COORDINATOR; VOTER REGISTRATION; VOLUNTEERS FOR RIDES TO MEETINGS.** Please contact Pat Micone for more details and to consider your participation 714-697-0014

CHANNEL 6 VIDEOS ON THURSDAY AT 6 P.M. Videos of previous speakers and meetings are on Village TV. Go to our website to see photos of events & meetings & all past Newsletters and flyers. www.LagunaWoodsVillage.com, click Clubs, then political Tune in every Tuesday at 1:30 for our show 'LIGHT ON AMERICA'.

TEA PARTY SENTINEL MEETING: at 7:00 p.m. in Clubhouse 7. February 26. Businessman Doug Neill will present how to "de-google your phone." He shows personal practices on phones and laptops to minimize government and corporate tracking and/or hacking of personal information.

RCLW DUES: This is a friendly REMINDER to all members of the Republican Club that your renewal dues are due by THURSAY, FEBRUARY 28TH. Feel free to call us with any questions regarding membership status. We have 3 options for renewing and joining. Regular membership is \$25; Patron Member is \$50 and Star Membership is \$100 or more. Please mail your check to RCLW PO Box 2431 Laguna Hills, Ca., 92654..or you pay by Zelle. Thank you -Donna Gailus 949-505-3742 and Mary Miranda 949-939-6390.

PAYING YOUR RCLW DUES AND MEALS WILL ZELLE Thanks to all of you who use Zelle for payments to RCLW. It is fast and safe, and it reduces the Treasurer's workload. If you prefer to continue using checks, that's fine, but Zelle saves you the cost of a check, envelope, stamp, and maybe a trip to the mailbox. For those using Zelle, please use the MEMO SECTION to indicate the purpose of the payment, especially when it's for multiple people or purposes such as membership together with a meeting meal. Please contact me if you have any questions or issues. **J.R.Davis, RCLW Treasurer**

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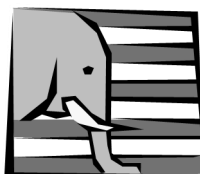


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