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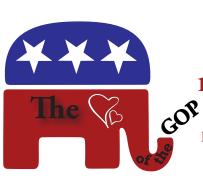
### August 2022

## Shelby County Republican Women's Club

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#### Luncheon Note\*

Reservation is required if you are staying for lunch. The deadline for reservations is Wednesday of the week prior to the meeting. If you make a reservation and are unable to attend, payment will be expected. Please remit by check or pay online at <u>scrwc.org</u>. Call or text Kathy Reagan at 001 415 5727 for additioned 901-415-5787 for additional information. Email: katreagan@att.net



You are Cordially Invited to Our SCRWC August General Meeting Luncheon **TUESDAY August 9, 2022** 12 PM - 2 PM (11:30 social and check in) **Memphis National Golf Club** 

10135 National Club Drive | Collierville, TN For Noon Luncheon Reservations, please call or text Kathy Reagan at 901-415-5787. Email: katreagan@att.net

\*\*Reservation Deadline is Wednesday, August 3, 2022\*\* Luncheon is \$30 per person.

Note: Because we are billed, if you make a reservation and are unable to attend, payment will be expected.

### Tuesday August 9, 2022 (5 days after the Shelby County Elections)

## **MOVIN' ON TO MIDTERMS!**

Help us kick it off with

## **BRENT TAYLOR REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR SENATE**

Be inspired by this former City Councilman, County Commissioner, Election Commission Chairman, Businessman, Entrepreneur and family man. We need you to vote and Shelby County needs Brent Taylor in Nashville.



New Members...

Katherine Green Rebecca Rogers Perry Hayes (Assoc.) Brenda Baser (Assoc.) Giorgianna Scola (Assoc.) Todd Payne (Assoc.)

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## President's Corner

Good news!! SCRWC's great fundraisers have enabled us to give \$7,000 from our PAC to local Republican candidates. These donations provide financial help to our hard working campaigners. Virtually all of the elected offices in Shelby County are on the August 4 ballot. Everyone must vote. Remember that "Republicans who don't vote elect Democrats!"

It has been so easy to vote during Early Voting at any polling site. On Election Day August 4, however, you must vote at your assigned precinct. Every ten years redistricting is completed. Due to redistricting, your polling place and district may have changed. If you are not sure where to vote on Election Day, go to www.electionshelbytn.gov or call the Election Commission at 901-222-1200.

Have you thought about helping your Republican friends who may not drive? Think how helpful it would be to pick them up and drive them to the polls.

If you have an hour to spare, volunteer at Republican Headquarters. Its address is 714 North Germantown Parkway, Suite 1. The hours are Monday-Friday from 10AM to 5PM and Saturday from 10AM to 3PM. The phone number is 901-685-3335. "Republicans who don't vote elect Democrats!"

Be sure to bring your completed Christmas cards for Joan Hawkins to mail to our troops. Brent Taylor will be an informative, inspiring speaker at our meeting.

Looking forward to seeing you August 9th,



Speaker Steve Basar



Sherri Hicks, Steve and Pat Almond





Randal and Karon Smith, Lyn Windsor, Carrie Montgomery, Donna Howard

## August Birthdays

Paula Bowman ,Janine Carney , Joan Hawkins and Rose Ann Hester

## MEMBERS

- 05 Rachelle D'Eri
- 10 Joan Hawkins
- 11 Soheila Kail
- 15 Cathy White
- 17 Deborah Smith
- 18 Jane Jones
- 23 Eve Gammon
- 23 Dorothy Fuller
- 27 Leslie Ólswanger
- 27 Judy Pearson
- 30 Rhea Clift

#### ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

09 Brent Taylor 09 Sherrie Hicks 20 Hon. Tom Leatherwood 22 Steve Allmond

- 24 Lucy Hazel
- 24 Barbara Trautman



# Legislative News...

Senator Marsha Blackburn reported that Tennessee authorities are warning people against picking up folded dollar bills they see on the ground due to the risk of surprise fentanyl poisoning. This is just one more terrible consequence of Biden's open border policies. Over the course of three years, there has been a 4,000 percent increase in fentanyl seizures. It's time to prioritize the safety of Americans, and this begins with a secure southern border.

Governor Bill Lee signed an executive order June 20th directing accountability measures for school safety and an evaluation of training for Tennessee law enforcement. The order also establishes additional resources to support parents, teachers and law enforcement in improving school security practices.

Congressman David Kustoff sent a resolution to President Biden that addressed urgent issues for the sake of the public safety and sends a message to Police Officers that Washington is focused on upholding the law.



Membership... New Members, welcome to SCRWC. We value your membership.

With the election cycle in full swing, now is the time to pull out all the stops and get family and friends to join SCRWC to work for Shelby County to elect our Republican candidates. By combining our voices with our neighbors, we can be bold and work for freedom.

Full Membership dues are \$40. Associate Membership dues for men and for ladies who are already a member of a federated club are \$30. You may send a check made out to SCRWC to Suda Calabro, P O Box 38844, Germantown, TN 38183. PayPal is also an option on SCRWC.org.

If you have any questions or know of someone who needs a Trifold (brochure) telling about our club and how to apply for membership, please call me at 901-830-4960 or email sudab@att.net.

"Government's first duty is to protect the people, not run their lives." President Ronald Reagan

Thank you,

Suda Calabro 2nd VP/Membership Chair

# Tennessee Federation of Republican Women Barbara Andrew Iris Fund

You are invited to attend the Luncheon and Silent Auction (In conjunction with TFRW Board Meetings) Saturday, August 20, 2022 Brentwood Country Club, Brentwood, TN \$60 per person RSVP by August 13, 2022 Email: lynamed@bellsouth.net Mail checks to: Lyna Medlock, 7629 Foster Ridge, Germantown, TN 38138

The TFRW Board of Directors established a Political Action Committee (PAC) to provide financial assistance to Republican candidates in 1997, which continues today. SCRWC contributes annually to The Iris Fund and will provide an item for the Silent Auction to help enhance the money in this fund that supports Republican candidates. Our auction item belonged to the late Dave Windsor and is donated by Lyn. It is a very nice, large, framed and matted picture of Donald Trump worth \$160.00. This picture will keep our club from purchasing a donation \$160.00. This picture will keep our club from purchasing a donation. Thanks to the Windsors.

The Iris Luncheon is a good way to network with other Republican women from across the state, get new ideas, hear a great speaker, and have fun. Please consider attending. Keep up the tradition of SCRWC having a good representation.

Donna Howard

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## The BIG August 4 Election - It's Not Too Late!

This August election will have a very large ballot. It is imperative that you study the candidates and prepare before you go. August is a Primary election for Federal and State candidates vying for a position on the November ballot. The county General Election is also on the ballot including The District Attorney General, County Mayor, all the county clerks, sheriff, and all the county judges.

Some of your districts may have changed after the 2020 census redistricting because of the ever eastward shifting of the population. . Be sure to carefully examine your mail. Every voter in the county should have received a large postcard with your current voting information.

Dee Nollner

# Volunteer Hours...

CAMPAIGN VOLUNTEER HOURS for BOTH REGULAR MEMBERS AND ASSOCIATES

Our next reporting period ends DECEMBER 31. Everyone will have many campaign hours to report because everything counts now except time spent on Caring for America projects. Yes! All time spent at luncheon business meetings, board meetings, campaign activities, everything that promotes the Republican Party and Republican candidates - these hours all count. Also, travel time going to and from all of these events count. Please keep track of your volunteer time! Email or Text me on a regular basis or save them for one big total by the end of December 2022. Thank you for doing your part.

> Jane Jones jarmurray@yahoo.com 901-351-6357

# CHRISTMAS CARDS IN AUGUST FOR OUR TROOPS

REMINDER: Be sure to bring your completed Christmas cards to our August 9th luncheon. I must mail our Christmas cards in August so that they get to the proper places in time.

We want our cards to reach Army, Navy, Marines, and Air Force servicemen and servicewomen before Christmas.









SCRWC MEMBERS, LET'S ALL JOIN IN SUPPORTING THE REPUBLICAN PARTY OF SHELBY COUNTY! 2022 RPSC Membership dues start at \$25. RPSC HQ Phone: 901-310-4570 | shelbygop.org

## **Upcoming Events**

Thursday, August 4 - State & Federal Primary and State & County General Election Tuesday, August 9 - SCRWC General Meeting Memphis National Golf Club (11:30am sign in) 12:00pm - 2:00pm Thursday, August 18 - SCRWC Board Meeting Germantown Library 9:30am

## Newsletter News

You can help SCRWC save money on newsletter production and mailing costs if you opt to receive your newsletter via email instead of postal mailing. Please be sure to note this on your 2022 membership renewal form, or you can let us know via email at <u>scrwc1960@gmail.com</u>. Please let us know if you would be interested in sponsoring a newsletter for \$100. Many thanks to Dee Cole and his staff at Imec, 5120 Elmore Road in Bartlett, TN for printing our newsletters!

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