

Celebrating 62 Years 1960-2022

November 2022

Shelby County Republican Women's Club

BOARD OF DIRECTORS President Rhea Clift 1st V.P./Programs Judy Pearson 2nd V.P./Membership Suda Calabro 3rd V.P./Awards Debergh Kinler Deborah Kinler Recording Secretary Rose Ann Hester Corresponding Secretary Lyn Windsor Treasurer/Operating Account Venita Osborne Assistant Treasurer Soheila Kail Bylaws Shirley Henderson Campaign/Volunteerism Jane Jones Fundraising Carrie Montgomery Legislative Judy Kilmer Membership Bonnie Siler Public Relations Karon Smith Literacy Chair Lyn Windsor Américanism Joan Hawkins Caring for America Joan Hawkins Janine Carney Chaplain Dr. Sharon Webb Decorations Jacque Clift Facebook Shirley Henderson Editorial Board Donna Howard Lyn Windsor Júdy Kilmer Greetér Janine Carney Leadership Leslie Olswanger Meeting Arrangements Kathy Reagan Parliamentarian Joyce Avery Voter Registration Dee Nollner Christmas Tea Suda Calabro Website/Newsletter/Directory Cindy O'Neal 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 901-415-5787 for additional information. Email: katreagan@att.net



You are Cordially Invited to Our SCRWC November General Meeting Luncheon TUESDAY November 8, 2022 12 PM - 2 PM (11:30 social and check in) Memphis National Golf Club 10135 National Club Drive | Collierville, TN

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, November 2, 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.





Celebrating our Veterans

Join us November 8, 2022

Diane Hight - Founder and President

Forever Young Veterans

This speaker receives rave reviews from audiences and her work with our veterans serves a unique need in our area. Bring a friend, neighbor or family member Veteran that deserves to be honored.





Shelby County Republican Women's club has a long tradition of supporting our active Military and Veterans. SCRWC will continue to collect needed items for the VA Hospital at the November meeting. Remember, 10% of the veterans who use the VA Hospital are women. Items needed are new or gently worn coats for winter, hats, gloves, crew socks, crossword puzzle books, sudoku books, calendars, deodorant, travel size toiletries (shampoo, conditioner, body wash, body lotion) and books. We will be taking monetary donations for Alpha Omega through the end of the year. SCRWC has also collected and signed Christmas cards that are being mailed to military serving overseas. A big "Thank You" to all members who have contributed so much to our Caring For America Projects. We appreciate all of you and your generous giving hearts!!

Janine Carney and Joan Hawkins, Caring for America



President's Corner

Election Day is November 8, 2022. It is so important that everyone votes. We will elect the Governor; the State Senators and Representatives; and U.S. Congressmen. We will also elect municipal mayors, aldermen, and school board members. In October we heard Dr. Daniel Republican Women's Club Chatham, who is running for the Germantown Municipal School Board. He sees the school board as a way to serve and to save our children. Also, four Amendments to the Tennessee Constitution are on the ballot. It is imperative that you make your voice heard in the elections. You MUST vote!

Every vote counts. All Republican votes are needed.

At our November meeting we will honor the men and women who have served and who are serving our country in the armed forces. Judge Valerie Smith will install the new officers. We have an excellent group of women to lead us. I hope you will join us to welcome our new President, Jessica Robinson and the other officers.

Be sure to vote early or before or after our luncheon meeting. Looking forward to seeing you at our November luncheon meeting,





Shelby Count

Literacy Chair Lyn Windsor and President Rhea Clift



GT Alderman Scott Sanders



SEC Member Peggy Larkin





Judy Kilmer

Lyn Windsor with daughter Carrie Montgomery





Dr. Daniel Chathem Candidate for Germantown School Board



Karon Smith, Judy Kilmer, Scott Sanders



Joyce Avery



November Birthdays

MEMBERS

- 04 Lyn Windsor
- 10 Louise Taylor
- 12 Vicky Ivy
- 12 Karon Smith
- 14 Patti Possel
- 20 Charlene Myers
- 25 Laura Hodges
- 25 Patsy Woodard

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

- 06 Bill Siler
- 22 Perry Hayes
- 24 Art Calabro
- 29 Steve Stamson
- 30 Van Montgomery

Shelby County Republican Women

(TN) celebrated Literacy Month by hosting Victor Evans, Executive Director of TennesseeCAN (an organization that advocates for improving K-12 education) and local school board member Amber Huett-Garcia. The club also received a signed "Thank You" card from students at Kate Bond Elementary for the books they donated to fill the school library's shelves



New Members...

Barbara Hvasta Phyllis Vincent Tracy Galfsky Carrie Schween Mary Murray

Thanks to 3rd V.P. Deborah Kinler for getting our literacy article and picture in the NFRW Capital Connection.



Membership...

New Members,

Welcome to Shelby County Republican Women's Club. We are privileged you have joined our team working for America. Help us inspire family, friends, and associates to get out and vote Republican during this upcoming election. Currently, we are in the process of renewing Calendar Year 2023 memberships. Now is the perfect time to renew your membership and encourage others to become united in one voice with SCRWC. Full Membership dues are \$40. Associate Membership 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 39183. 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.





Legislative News... 絕



Congressman David Kustoff reported Republicans unveiled their Commitment to America plan. Our commitment to you is this: An Economy That's Strong, A Nation That's Safe, A Future That's Built on Freedom and A Government That's Accountable.

Senators Blackburn and Hagerty introduced the Restoring Law and Order Act in response to the violence plaguing communities across America. Compared to mid-2019, America's largest cities have seen a 50% increase in homicides and a 36% increase in aggravated assaults. In Tennessee, Memphis has experienced a series of shockingly, violent crimes.

The Attorney General will award grants to:

- 1. Hire and retain enforcement officers
- 2.Combat interstate trafficking
- 3.Prevent violent crimes by prioritizing stringent sentences for repeat offenders
- 4.Use public safety tools to prevent dangerous offenders from returning to communities
- 5. Acquire resources to better target drug and fentanyl crimes
- 6.Detain and deport illegals that have committed criminal offenses in the United States
- 7.Eliminate investigatory backlogs and more quickly process criminal evidence

Christmas Tea...

Dear Ladies,

The Christmas Tea Silent Auction (December 13) will spotlight your donations. At our November meeting I will accept your items. Otherwise, contact me via text @901-283-9026 or email leslieolswanger@gmail.com to determine my meeting you, your bringing your items to my house, or my coming to your house to pick them up.

December 3 (Saturday) is the deadline for me to have your donated items.

The Christmas Tea will be a fun, festive event.

***Please note: I need volunteers to help on the day of the event. Tell me at the November meeting or text me if you would like to volunteer.

Looking forward to your fabulous contributions, Leslie Olswanger





Thank you, Suda Calabro 2ndVP/ Membership

SCRWC 2023 Officers will be installed by Judge Valerie Smith.

President Jessica Robinson 1st Vice President Dr. Sharon Webb 2nd Vice President Jennifer Allen 3rd Vice President Deborah Kinler Recording Secretary Rose Ann Hester Corresponding Secretary Charlene Myers Treasurer Venita Osborne Assistant Treasurer Soheila Kail

Volunteer Hours...

Be sure to turn in all your volunteer campaign hours at the end of October. Don't wait. Call or text Chairman Jane Jones at 901-351-6357. Go back, recreate, and send only the total hours.





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

Tuesday-Wednesday, November 1-3 - Final Days of Early Voting Sunday, November 6 - Daylight Savings Time Ends Tuesday, November 8 - Election Day Tuesday, November 8 - SCRWC General Meeting Memphis National Golf Club, (11:30am sign in) 12:00pm - 2:00pm Friday, November 11 - Veterans' Day Thursday, November 17 - SCRWC Joint Board Meeting , Incoming /Outgoing Officers and Committee Chairs - Memphis National Golf Club 12:00pm Thursday, November 24 - Thanksgiving Day

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!

Be sure to check us out on Facebook at: facebook.com/scrwc

scrwc1960@gmail.com

scrwc.org

The Co

Shelby County Republican Women's Club Newsletter Desk 8476 Allenby Lakes Drive Germantown, TN 38139-3261

