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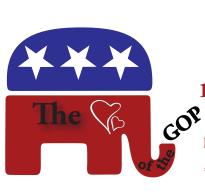
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Luncheon Note*

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 901-415-5787 for additional information. Email: katreagan@att.net



You are Cordially Invited to Our SCRWC September General Meeting Luncheon TUESDAY September 13, 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, September 7, 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.

SEPTEMBER IS LITERACY MONTH

Please join us on Tuesday, September 13 , 2022 for A TRULY INSPIRATIONAL PROGRAM WITH







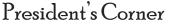
VICTOR EVANS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF TNCAN

The Tennessee Campaign for Achievement works to ensure that every Tennessee student has access to a high-quality education through great teachers and great schools.

Victor holds a Bachelor's degree from Rhodes College and a Master's Degree in education from Christian Brothers University. Learn and be challenged by this speaker with his experience in private, charter and public schools.

Our goal for Literacy Month is an impressive array of educational books for K-3 students. Your contributions will benefit students who are learning to read. Let's fill a tabletop or two with your donated books at our September luncheon. Enjoy your shopping for books that will assist in teaching K-3 students to read.

Our school recipient for books will be Kate Bond Elementary





September is Literacy Month. Remember to bring books for children in kindergarten through third grade to the meeting. We want to be K-3 book contributors for these learningto-read years. A solid foundation in reading is essential for the students' on-going reading-tolearn years. The Friends of the Germantown Library have a great selection of books that focus on phonics and reading. They are very reasonable and are the best investment we can make in

the future!

Our speaker this month is Victor Evans. He is currently the Executive Director of Tennessee Campaign for Achievement, TNCAN. He has been a classroom teacher and was the Engagement Director of the Republican Party in 2015. I'm looking forward to meeting him because he is one of the few policy makers who has taught in our school system.

Looking forward to a great turn-out at the luncheon,





Mary Weatherwax and Kathy Green



Brent Taylor



Janine Carney and Joan Hawkins Caring for America

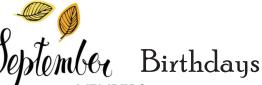


Karen Dunavant, Lyn Windsor, Nancy Tapp, Margie Smidt



Rhea Clift, Brent Taylor, and Judy Pearson





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Governor Bill Lee says every Tennessean has an active role to play in ensuring school safety, and that starts with downloading the Safe TN app. I invite your family to use this tool to quickly and confidentially report safety concerns at your child's school and in your community.

Congressman David Kustoff talked with the BSA Scout Troop 48 out of Shelby County in our nation's capitol. He was happy to speak with them about his duties as a Member of the House of Representatives.

Senator Marsha Blackburn met with Tennessee Future Farmers of America (FFA) State Officers recently in Washington. These students are developing critical leadership and career skills that will set them up for future success in agriculture and beyond!

Judy Kilmer Legislative

Report of the 2022 Nominating Committee...

In accordance with SCRWC Bylaws ARTICLE VII NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS, Sections 1 and 2, the 2022 Nominating Committee has unanimously nominated the following slate of Executive Committee officers for 2023:

President - Jessica Robinson 1st/VP/ Programs - Dr. Sharon Webb 2nd VP/ Membership - Jennifer Allen 3rd VP/ Awards - Deborah Kinler Recording Secretary - Rose Ann Hester Corresponding Secretary - Charlene Myers Treasurer - Venita Osborne Asst. Treasurer - Soheila Kail



In accordance with SCRWC Bylaws ARTICLE VII NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS, Section 4. Nominations from the Floor, nominations for elective offices may be made from the floor at the October 11, 2022 meeting.

2023 Nominating Committee:

Patti Russell Janine Carney Rhea Clift Donna Howard Judy Kilmer Judy Pearson



Alternates Peggy McDonald Margie Smidt

I would like to thank my wonderful Nominating Committee:

Patti Possel Nancy Tapp Karon Smith Nancy Boatright Alternates: Sharon Webb Carrie Montgomery



Patti Russell, Nominating Committee Chair

Going Forward to November 8 Election

SCRWC is not stopping!!! More campaigning is to be done for State and Federal offices. Campaign hours to be counted, letters to be addressed, signs to be held and put in yards, and phone calls to be made await our efforts. SCRWC also has PAC money to be distributed from our fund-raising account. The lack of voter turnout should be a good talking point to illustrate what happens when Republicans do not support conservative candidates. Shelby County will certainly be seeing some changes.

Let's all get behind our November ballot:

- Governor Bill Lee U.S. House, District 8 - David Kustoff U.S. House, District 9 - Charlotte Bergmann TN Senate, District 31 - Brent Taylor TN Senate, District 33 - Frederick Tappan TN House, District 83 - Mark White TN House, District 95 - Kevin Vaughan
- TN House, District 97 John Gillespie TN House, District 99 - Tom Leatherwood

Remember, Municipal Elections on November 8 include: Bartlett, Collierville, Germantown, Lakeland, and Millington. Suburbs need good, conservative leadership, also. Local elections directly affect your community.



to our Members!

Amber Mills, elected County Commissioner, Dist. 1 And Valerie Smith, elected Circuit Court Judge, Div.3

New Members...

Tina McElravay Jessica Robinson Mary Sloan Weatherwax Charlotte Meyer Frederick D Tappan (Assoc.)



Members and Associate Members - Volunteer hours from July 1 should be turned in NOW, until December 31. Add up all those hours campaigning, telephoning, texting, etc., now! Turn them in before you forget ! The rules now are EVERYTHING COUNTS: meetings, business meetings, board meetings, events(even if a ticket was purchased), everything that promotes the Republican Party. Travel time to and from events also counts. Calculate your best estimate. Thank you for your time and compliance!

901-351-6357 jarmurray@yahoo.com Remember, community service such as Caring for America projects, even though important, does not count as campaign volunteer hours.

Caring for America...

Regarding the 2022 USOSOA Christmas cards for our military, I am able to collect any that still need to be turned in at the September meeting; I am so grateful for that. They did reference the fact of higher postage rates: I am going to send a personal check to help them out. Thank you for all the support you have



Jane Jones

given me the last 2 years!! Love our group! Joan Hawkins

Donna Howard



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

Monday, September 5 - Labor Day Sunday, September 11 - Patriot Day Tuesday, September 13 - SCRWC General Meeting Memphis National Golf Club (11:30am sign in) 12:00pm - 2:00pm Thursday, September 15 - SCRWC Board Meeting Germantown Library, 9:30am Saturday, September 17 - Constitution and Citizenship Day Thursday, September 22 - First Day of Autumn

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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