



Greenville County Republican Women

EFFECTIVE WOMEN WORKING TO KEEP THE REPUBLIC

The Elephant's Ear

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Sept 22nd Luncheon Meeting

12:00 Noon, Poinsett Club

\$20.00 Members/\$22.00 Guests

GCRW 2022 Luncheon Dates

September 22

October 27

December 1 *

(Not the 4th Thursday)

OTHER IMPORTANT EVENTS

Mon Sept 26 6:15pm
4th District Victory Kickoff
with Gov. McMaster

Thurs Sept 29 7:00 pm
PWC Night for Life

Tues Oct 11 6:00-7:00 pm
Learn about ESG's with
Mom and Pop Alliance

Weds Oct 12 12-1 pm
Learn about ESG's with
Mom and Pop Alliance

See articles for details

For Reservations:

Email Beth Bare at
gcrwreply@gmail.com
by **MONDAY SEPT 19th**
2pm

OR

www.eventbrite.com
type in GCRWC and
click the meeting date.
Event Brite deadline is
TUESDAY SEPT 20th
2 pm.
There is a \$2.20 EB
convenience fee.

A Note from Dianne Mitchell, President

Buckle up for a great meeting and a busy month! Please note calendar events and stay tuned, we hope to be adding more! And bring a notebook, you are going to get so much information at this meeting!

We will have short updates on Election Integrity from Brenda Muldrow, what the public libraries are up to from Rep. Elect April Cromer and the latest on fighting CRT in our schools from Rep. Elect Thomas Beach.

Chad Groover, Republican candidate for Greenville County Probate judge, will share his vision for that office.

And that's just the 1st 20 minutes!

South Carolina's Conservative Future was started by John Warren and is a statewide organization focused on advancing freedom, economic opportunity, and accountability at the state level through policy advocacy, empowering grassroots leaders to support reforms, and direct electoral engagement.

You will really enjoy Taylor Hall. He understands and presents the picture of statewide politics with an energetic and conservative perspective. Please bring Friends!

Working with you and for you to keep our county, state, and nation from tyranny.

Dianne



PS- There is a satirical article in the newsletter. I realize sometime it is hard to tell the difference between the real news and satire. Can you spot it? 😊

Greenville County Republican Women

invite you to hear

Taylor Hall
of

South Carolina's Conservative Future

*Started by John Warren to elect
courageous conservatives to state office,
SCCF is making a difference across the state.*

Also Chad Groover, candidate for Probate Judge,
an election integrity update, CRT in our schools
and inappropriate books in public libraries.

Thursday September 22
12-1:15pm

Poinsett Club 807 E. Washington St. Greenville

GCRWreply@gmail.com by MON Sept 19 2pm

Eventbrite GCRWC by TUES Sept 20 2pm

EB charges a \$2.20 convenience fee.

A RESERVATION MADE IS A RESERVATION PAID

How to sign up to be a poll worker or a poll watcher

Being a poll worker requires sign up through the State Election Commission who will pass your information to your county. [The State Election Commission has set up a central location online where people can apply and then be contacted by their local election offices regarding training.](#)

Being a poll watcher requires signing up through the SCGOP.

[If you're interested in being a poll WATCHER for the Republican Party, sign up to volunteer on their website! Click "poll watch" and they'll be in touch.](#)

*Condolences to: Representative Patrick Haddon on the loss of his step mother;
And GCRW member Karen Mims, on the loss of her husband.*

MEMBERSHIP - Robin Duffie

Howdy from Membership.

I don't know about you, but I am still basking in my Cowgirl Glow from our August Member Summer Social. Who knew that so many of our members could "boot-scootin' boogie" across the dance floor with ease. Thank you to all that were there!

I would also like to give a special thank you to our Board members who stepped-up to make the Social a success. Dianne Mitchell, President, Gayle Stanley, 2nd V. P., Jill Hancock, Treasurer, Tracy Phillpott, Recording Secretary, Michelle Peterson, Legislative Chairman, Gloria Landry, Caring for America Chairman, and, Christi Stahl, By-Laws Chairman. GCRW are certainly blessed with an exceptional Board.

Membership Update:

We are now 153 members strong with 49 new members since the beginning of January. Let us welcome our newest members:

Joy Bailey

Elise Hicks

Carole (Peaches) Talbot

Susan Meyers

If you have any questions or concerns regarding membership, please contact me at, robinduffie@msn.com. Or, come see me at the Membership table at our next meeting.



GCRW Members will get a \$5 discount if you sign up at our meeting this Thursday and pay to attend one of these sessions

Greenville County Republican Women

encourage and invite you to attend a presentation
on arguably the most important
economic issue facing our country, ESGs, given by

Mom and Pop Alliance

**ESG - What does it mean?
How will it effect businesses?
How will it effect the consumer?
Are there far reaching effects yet to be seen?
What is South Carolina doing about this issue?**

Tues Oct 11

6-7pm

BBQ Dinner

\$15 to cover food

Weds Oct 12th

12-1pm

catered lunch

\$15 to cover food

RSVP to info@momandpopalliance.org

Pay at the door

ReMax Building
600 Independence Blvd Greenville, SC 29615
Near 385 and Roper Mountain Rd.

**Mom and Pop has a great article in fitsnews on this topic.
<https://www.fitsnews.com/2022/09/14/guest-column-esgs-why-should-south-carolina-care/>**

AMERICAN IDENTITY

Since the passing of Queen Elisabeth, the 2nd, most of us have been impacted by the breadth of her life. She represented constancy through enormous historical events even as Britain changed in diversity and culture. Being this constant, meant she was often called old fashioned and outdated. To me, she personified the best of British qualities through tumultuous times, these being her faith, dedication, sense of duty, loyalty to country, stiff upper lip (don't complain) attitude, curiosity, and love of history. This gave the British a chance to focus on the best of themselves rather than the worst, which as in the history of all countries with human leaders, there definitely are bad times.

As Americans, I believe we have lost our identity - partially due to our own apathy and also to anti American forces undermining our foundations. Our American identity has been eroded and we no longer know who we are and we have no long-standing personification of it. Likely if we did, it would be attacked and vilified.

If you had to describe the American identity, what would it be for you? What do we need to be repeating in our conversations and writings as the justification for America?

I'm looking forward to the conversation.

Dianne



THE CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Idell Koury, Chaplain

Dear Lord,

We pray for our country. We need your wisdom in our stewardship of our heritage.

George Washington and James Madison both stressed education—not to be puffed-up by knowledge, but to be informed.

Washington said, "A primary object ...should be the education of our youth in the science of government.... what duty more pressing... than communicating it to those who are to be the future guardians of the liberties of our country?"

Wisdom is foresight, and the beginning of wisdom is the respect of Your laws.

Amen

JEFF DUNCAN BBQ



Gayle Stanley, Robin Duffie, Aly Seppala, Elisabeth Boyle



Debbie Spough, Brenda Muldrow, Mike Pompeo, Polly Dillworth



VICTORY KICKOFF

fourth Congressional District

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

6:15 PM Reception 7:00 Program
The Historic Greer Depot (300 Randall St)

Email 4thdistrictchair@scgop.com to RSVP



Gov. Henry McMaster



Lt. Gov. Pamela Evette



FUNDRAISING

Beth Wadsworth

Dear Patriots ,

Please bring your silent auction donations to our September Luncheon . There will be an extra table near me marked donations please place your items there . I may be tied up running the raffle table .

If you want to bring your donation to my house instead, just call me 864-363-7650 and we can set up a date and time .

If we don't get enough donations from our members or businesses I may wait till after Christmas to have several smaller silent auctions throughout 2023 . Either way we will have a good time placing bids and it's always fun to see who wins.

Last month our 50/50 cash raffle was a success and the winner made \$159 dollars .I plan to have another cash raffle after the new year.

Thanking all of you in advance for your Generosity.

Large or small I take them all

Beth Wadsworth

Fund raiser chairman

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A Big THANK YOU to

Laraine Shockley
and ReMax for the
use of their office
for our education
seminar on ESGs.

Membership Directory

We have decided to wait until after the election to print the directory in order to put the new elected representatives in the legislative section.

If Tom did not get your picture for the directory, please email a picture of yourself to Robin. robinduffie@msn.com

The info printed in the directory will be your name, address, phone number and email and is for CLUB USE ONLY.

Migrants who recently landed in Martha's Vineyard, decline Gov. Newsom's Offer Of Asylum In CA Since They Just Came From A Collapsing Communist H*hole With No Electricity**

The migrants say that California's trash-littered sidewalks, water shortages, and electrical outages bear too much resemblance to the Venezuela they left behind for it to be a desirable destination.

Source: Babylon Bee

Duke Buckner for US Congress 6th District

Last Saturday, 9 GCRW members went to the SCFRW Fall meeting in Columbia and heard from our Republican candidate running to unseat James Clyburn, the #3 Democrat in the US Congress. Duke Buckner is a wonderful man, has a solid plan and is running an effective campaign, but he needs the help of Republican women! He needs it all; volunteers to phone call, volunteers to knock doors, and of course, \$\$.

If you can volunteer any time at all, email Dianne, GCRW.pres@gmail.com. The SCFRW is organizing volunteer efforts and much of it can be done from home.

Give this man some \$! Any amount would add up to help him and let him know that the state Republican have his back in this race.



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SOUTH CAROLINA POLICY COUNCIL

reminds us of important amendments which will be on the ballot this November.

More about this as we get closer to the election.

<https://scpolycouncil.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=90f4d72dbc04b9503f9c911dc&id=148013b616&e=9238aa5593>



Robin Duffie