



Hello Ladies,

I hope you all had a wonderful summer and are looking forward to heading into our fall season. Fall is my favorite season as it is a season of football, hockey, cooler nights and well who doesn't love some cute fall decor. The day our calendar rolled over to summer I excitedly busted out our fall decor and began to spread fall cheer throughout my house.

I am also excited to be having Barbara Price speaking to us this month. She is one of the most dedicated, hardworking, and passionate women I have the pleasure of knowing. Her devotion to her family, community, state, and the Republican party is something to be admired. I hope, as she speaks, her enthusiasm for this work will inspire all of us to do our part to save this country from the direction it has taken.

Furthermore, we are heading into a season where we start the conversation about our plans and how we envision what we want our club to be like for the next 2 years. We also have our upcoming elections regarding our own board this year as well. I want to encourage you all to think about what direction you would like to take our club. I will be asking for volunteers to serve on our nominating committee to form a list of officers they believe to best serve our club this coming term. I would also ask that if you feel called to serve as a board member and would like to be considered by the nominating committee, to please reach out and let me know. I will be including this information in my directions for the nominating committee as they start these discussions.

I enjoy working with this wonderful organization and look forward to serving more in any way possible.

Happy Fall Yall,

Katie Hope



NORTHWEST ORANGE REPUBLICAN WOMEN, FEDERATED

Luncheon and Meeting

Thursday, September 21, 2023



THE HILTON GARDEN INN-APOPKA CITY CENTER
580 E. Main Street, Apopka, FL 32703

\$20 (Includes Lunch)

Without Reservation at Door \$25

Reservation Deadline: September 17, 2023.



Barbara Price

President Lake Federated Republican Women's Club
Candidate for President of FFRW

PLEASE CHOOSE (1) ONE: Plated Lunch

California Turkey Club, Crispy Chicken Wrap, or Veg-Out Wrap
Includes Fruit Cup and Beverage

Lunch Meeting Starts at 11:30 AM—1:30 PM

Reservations: Marty Harrison-407-886-1922 or 407-493-0471.

martyaoii@aol.com and on-line at www.norwf.org



"Women Making a Difference"

Thanks to NORWF for supporting Kids in Support of Soldiers (KISS) as they pack boxes for military members who are on active duty. We will be at the Apopka Community Center / VFW Post 10147 from **8 AM to 10 AM on October 14, 2023**. VFW Post 10147 members and Auxiliary will also be helping them pack boxes.

They can use the following items at any time. You can bring items to monthly meetings or contact Loretta Forlaw at 407-579-5971

- Canned Tuna
- Vienna Sausage Cans
- Slim Jim Sticks
- Beef Jerky
- Snack Sized Cookies
- Snack Sized Chips
- 12 oz Gatorade Bottles
- Granola Bars
- Peanut Butter Crackers

Columbus Day... (or Indigenous People's Day) is observed on the second Monday in October each year. In 2023, Columbus Day is Monday, October 9th. Let your voice to be heard OUR HISTORY IS BEING CHANGED.....DO YOU WANT IT CHANGED?????

Will Apopka change from Columbus Day to Indigenous People's Day? The Council is scheduled to take up the issue at the **September 20th meeting**.

SIGN UP FOR DOUG BANKSONS NEWSLETTER

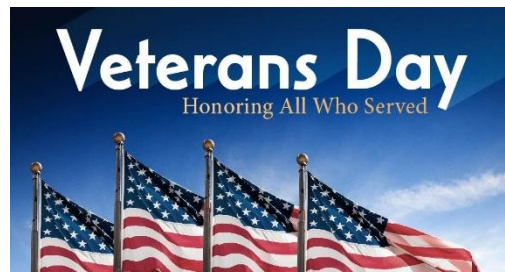
Also, here is the link for anyone who would like to sign up for newsletter updates:

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House of Representatives home for the summer but always working!!!

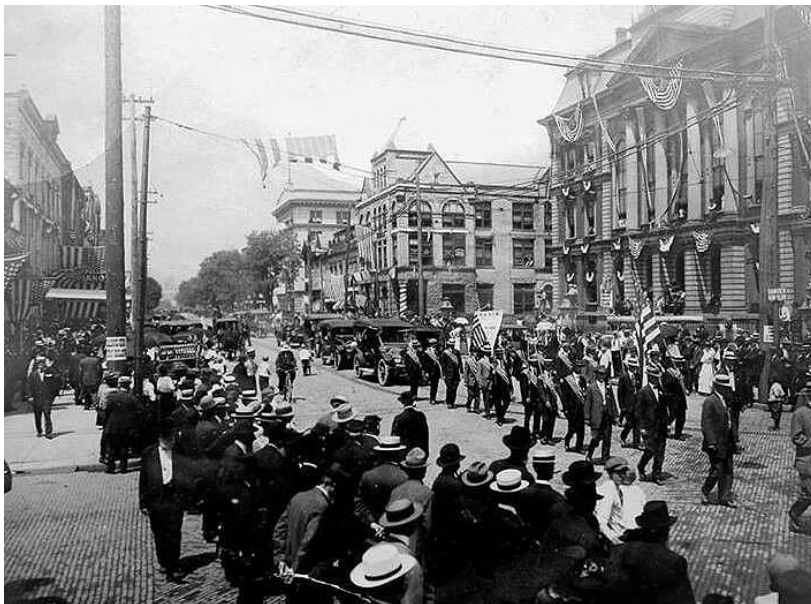
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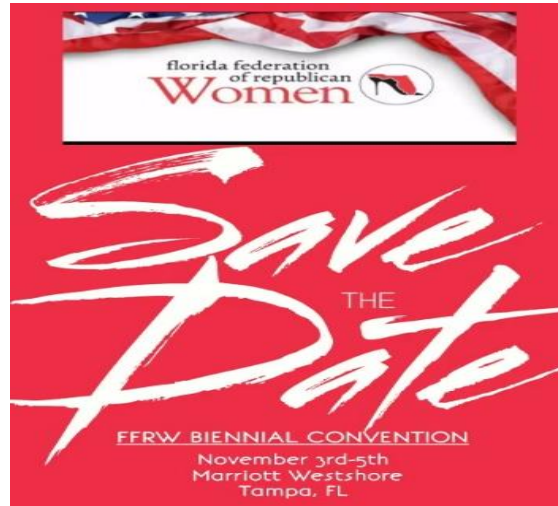


History of Veterans Day

World War I – known at the time as “The Great War” – officially ended when the Treaty of Versailles was signed on June 28, 1919, in the Palace of Versailles outside the town of Versailles, France. However, fighting ceased seven months earlier when an armistice, or temporary cessation of hostilities, between the Allied nations and Germany went into effect on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month. For that reason, November 11, 1918, is generally regarded as the end of “the war to end all wars.”

Veterans Day continues to be observed on November 11, regardless of what day of the week on which it falls. The restoration of the observance of Veteran’s Day to November 11 not only preserves the historical significance of the date but helps focus attention on the important purpose of Veterans Day: A celebration to honor America’s veterans for their patriotism, love of country, and willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good.





THE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FOR FFRW STATES THE FOLLOWING: HOW ARE YOU HONORING YOUR COMMITMENT TO FFRW???? AND/OR HOLDING FFRW ACCOUNTABLE WITH THEIR OATH??

FFRW ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

The Florida Federation of Republican Women strive to strengthen the powerful network of conservative women that swell our ranks. The FFRW is committed to advancing the participation of Republican Women in all areas of the political system. We are dedicated to encouraging and empowering women of all ages and backgrounds, supporting the Republican Party, and working tirelessly to influence the crucial issues that face our communities, state, and nation. We are 52% of voters today and we advocate for those issues important to families and businesses. We run our Republican Headquarter offices, we hold voter registration drives and candidate forums, and we walk door-to-door, make thousands of phone calls and pitch-in wherever needed.

Florida Federation of Republican Women (FFRW) clubs can be found in the large cities and smallest communities throughout this great state. However, if you have searched the "[Find a Club](#)" section and are unable to locate a club near you, you are welcome to join FFRW as an Associate Member!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR MEMBERS

Susan Bornmann September 9th
Barb Zakszewski September 13th
Bryon Nelson September 14th
Joan Allsup September 27th
Bob White September 28th

CALENDAR DATES -

OCTOBER 9TH COLUMBUS DAY/ INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY

OCTOBER 28TH HALLOWEEN IN THE PARK

OCTOBER 31ST HALLOWEEN

NOVEMBER 5TH DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

NOVEMBER 11TH VETERANS DAY ---- CELEBRATE YOUR VETERANS



David Smith

Colonel, USMC (Ret)

State Representative, House District 38

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COLLECTING BOOKS FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE YOUTH INCARCERATION READING PROGRAM PLEASE BRING ANY GENTLY USED/NEW BOOKS TO MEETING OR DROP OFF TO CHARLOTTE WHITE. Any age reading appropriate – easier ones needed for first time learners as well.

NORWF CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 2023

DATE

GENERAL MEETINGS

January 19 TH	MEMBERSHIP: GET TO KNOW YOUR FELLOW MEMBERS
February 16 th	Nick Adams, Motivational Speaker
March 16 th	Erin Huntley, OCREC Chair
April 20 th	Jerome Miller, Deputy Police Chief, Human Trafficking
May 18 th	Mary Flynn, Award Winning Author
June 15 th	No Meeting
July 20 th	No Meeting
August 17 th	Doug Bankson
September 21 st	Barb Price- President of Lake County Woman’s Club– updates FFRW
October 19 th	TBD
November 16 th	Vennia Francois
December 21 st	Christmas Party

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Sponsor A Wreath

NAGVRW - Wreaths Across America

Join the yearlong mission to remember, honor and teach! Your sponsorship supports the organization’s programs and ensures a veteran’s wreath is placed in honor of an American hero this December.



The proper role of government is to provide for the people only those critical functions that cannot be performed by individuals or private organizations and the best government is that which governs least.

The most effective, responsible government is the government closest to the people.

I BELIEVE the strength of our nation is based on the individual and that each person's ability, dignity, freedom, and responsibility must be honored.

I BELIEVE that free enterprise and encouragement of individual initiative and incentive have given this nation an economic system second to none.

I BELIEVE in equal rights, equal justice, and equal opportunity for all, regardless of race, creed, age, sex, national origin, or disability.

I BELIEVE Americans must retain the principles that have made us strong while developing new and innovative ideas to meet the challenges of changing times.

I BELIEVE Americans value and should preserve our national strength and pride while working to extend peace, freedom, and human rights throughout the world.

FINALLY, I BELIEVE that the Republican Party is the best vehicle for translating these ideals into positive and successful principles of government.

WHAT LOYALTY OATH DID YOU SIGN ON YOUR APPLICATION?????????????

If the Republican Party of Florida May 2023 RPOF Loyalty Oath passes this means that President Trump will not be on the March Ballot. Contact the RPOF chair, vice chair, Operative and your local Orange GOP Chair, Committeeman and Committeewoman to Revoke Florida's loyalty pledge. This is unconstitutional as this Loyalty Oath does not represent the voters of Florida.

NORWF Desserts Volunteers 2023

Month	Volunteer (s)	Contact Number
August	Judi Risser	407-920-7518
September	Marty Harrison	407-493-0471
October	Louise Fortunato	407-310-8912
November	Loretta Forlaw	407-579-5971
December	Susan Bornmann	321-299-3100

NORWF Drawing Basket Volunteers 2023

Month	Volunteer (s)	Contact Number
August		
September		
October	Marty Harrison	407-493-0471
November	Joni Keams and Charlotte White	
December	Katie Hope	352-910-3257

NORTHWEST ORANGE REPUBLICAN WOMEN, FEDERATED, INC
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

MEMBERSHIP TYPE: [] New Member [] Annual Renewal (Place an * next to new/updated information)

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Spouse's Name _____
Street Address _____ Precinct # _____
City _____ State _____ Zip+4 _____
Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____
Birthday (month + day) _____ How did you hear about our organization? _____

MEMBERSHIP LEVELS: Active Membership \$45.00/year Associate Membership \$30.00 per/year
Women who are associate members must be an active member in another Federated club. List the FFRW Club of your Active Membership
Male Associate Membership—\$30.00/year
Young Republicans/Student Associate Membership—\$5.00/year

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS: Includes one year of active or associate membership
Platinum Eagle \$251 + Gold Eagle \$200 - \$250 Silver Eagle \$100 - \$199 Bronze Eagle \$50 - \$99

Membership includes free monthly newsletters via email. Additional \$10/year for hard copy.

I AM INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES (please check all that apply)

STANDING COMMITTEES: [] Bylaws [] Campaign Activities [] Community Relations [] Finance
(Ways & Means) [] Membership [] Legislative/CAP/Resolutions [] Programs

SPECIAL COMMITTEES: [] Achievement Awards [] Adopt-A-Soldier [] Americanism [] Caring for America
[] Armed Services & Veterans [] Historian/Press Book [] M.E.L.P. [] Newsletter [] Public Relations
[] Scholarships [] Sunshine [] Telephone [] Chaplain [] Newsletter/Website [] Parliamentarian

AMOUNT PAID:\$ _____ Check # _____ Cash _____ CC _____

Signature on this application certifies that I am a Registered Republican. By signing this application, I also agree to abide by the By-laws and Standing Rules of NORWF, to include supporting Republicans only in partisan and non- partisan races.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

PLEASE RETURN APPLICATION & PAYMENT TO: NORWF, P.O. BOX 56, APOPKA, FL 32704-0056
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NORWF