



# AzFRW

## WINTER BULLETIN

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### Message from President Mary Williams

It's hard to believe that 2015 is already here and we are hosting the NFRW national biennial convention in September! Obviously, this is a big push for our state as well as sister states Nevada and New Mexico. We will talk more about both the conventions (NFRW and AzFRW) at our meetings in February and May. The May meeting is where we will elect our Delegates-at-Large and our Alternates-at-Large for the NFRW Convention. In May, the Nominating Committee will also conduct their interviews to determine their recommendations for our officers next term. Please see the website if you would like

an application to apply. Deadline is April 15, 2015.

In Tucson, those with Gaslight reservations will head out for an evening of AzFRW fun at the old-time melodrama and we will begin our meetings in earnest on Friday concluding with our luncheon on Saturday. Dinner will be on your own Friday evening followed by Bling Bingo...or you may order dinner while trying to win sparkly prizes.

We are aware that we had a few hiccups with rooms at this hotel in Tucson last time. Be advised that this is being closely monitored (and actually inspected) by Helms Briscoe, our booking entity. We will also not be using the far rear meeting room this time so should be clustered around the restaurant and front banquet rooms.

I personally want to welcome all our new Club presidents on board. We are here to help you and hopefully by the time this goes out, I will have managed to speak with each of you on the phone.

We could not go to press this month without extending sincere congratulations to our newly elected Republican state officials! I also want to thank outgoing Governor Jan Brewer for her years of dedication and service to the State of Arizona. She has truly exemplified an involved Republican Woman and led the way for all of us.

As always, THANK you for all you do across Arizona!

### Convention News from Co-Chairs Margo Treece and Mary Baumbach

Are you ready for 2015? It is an exciting year for us as we prepare to showcase Arizona to Republican Women who will be attending the NFRW Biennial Convention from across the United States. It will still be a little warm in September, but the hotel is beautiful and our shopping is second to none. Not to

mention the gorgeous sites to see.

We will all have an opportunity to participate in what is expected to be the most exciting NFRW Convention in a decade. If you are in a position to help financially, we need you! If you are in a position to volunteer, we need you! If you are in

a position to attend so we have an awesome Arizona presence, we need you! We have a little over eight months to show off our wonderful State and the talented women of the AzFRW! Get ready to dazzle our guests!

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#### Special dates to note:

- AzFRW early registration discount ends **Jan 24th**. Must be postmarked by Jan 24th or earlier.
- Hotel rooms block expires on **January 27th**. Hotel information has been on website since mid Dec.
- Gaslight reservations end when we are sold out...first come, first served! See you there!

## AzFRW Adds New Region IX

We ended 2014 at a super 1853 members! At our Fall State Meeting in October, the Board unanimously voted to rearrange our Regions. Accordingly, our new Regions are as follows:

**Reg I.....**Director Sara Rosevear

Clubs: Rio Colorado RW and Yuma Co RW

**Reg II.....**Director JoAnn Evans

Clubs: Grande Valley RW, Pima County RW, RW of Pinal Co., Oro Valley RW and Tucson RW

**Reg III....**Director Mary Morse

Clubs: Graham Co. RW, Thunder Mtn RW and Huachuca Area RW

**Reg IV....**Director LaJuana Gillette

Clubs: Colorado River RW, Lake Havasu RW and London Bridge RW

**Reg V....**Director Pam Calhoun

Club: RW of Prescott

**Reg VI....**Director Kathy Jacobs

Clubs: Ahwatukee RW, Chandler RW, Mesa RW Tempe RW, Gilbert RW (*not in good standing*)

**Reg VII....**Director Jan Hermsmeyer

Clubs: Arrowhead RW & Central RW of Phoenix

**Reg VIII...**Director Lori Urban

Clubs: Lincoln RW, Palo Verde RW and Paradise RW

**Reg IX....**Director Joan Harris

Clubs: Flagstaff RW and Verde Valley RW

Additionally, it looks like we have two new clubs pending:

RW of White Mountains  
RW of San Tan Valley

We're going to the Gaslight Theater! As of the publication of this newsletter there are only 9 seats left! Reservation form available at AzFRW.com.

## Winter Meeting Loraine Pellegrino, 1st Vice President



Happy New Year friends!

Knowing that both our State and Nation have Republican majorities in the House and Senate, and that Republican leaders are occupying every statewide office in Arizona, is certainly reason for real optimism in 2015 and beyond. We have a great opportunity to bring sound fiscal and conservative principles to the front and win more Americans to our cause.

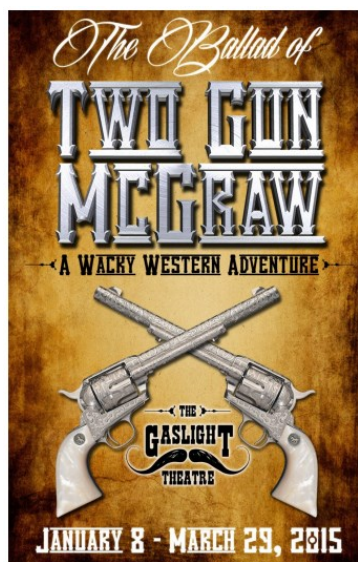
Political life is always exciting! In addition to the 2016 Presidential Preference and General Elections, the 2015 AzFRW and NFRW Biennial Conventions will be here before we know it! Every AzFRW member should be saving the date and getting involved in the planning as we are the hosts of this event. One more reason not to miss any State meetings!

Join us in wonderful Tucson in February for our Winter Meeting. The AzFRW is honored to welcome distinguished guests **Cindy McCain and Rep. Martha McSally**. **Kim Owens**, Executive Director of *Dodie Londen Excellence in Public Service Series Program* will present a "Women In Leadership" workshop. In addition, "Free Market Warrior" **Loren Spivack** will present a workshop on capitalism, socialism, and freedom! Mr. Spivack is a popular author, economist, political activist, and highly sought after speaker on economics and small government. As you can see, this meeting will be both fun and educational - time well spent together.

Cultivating informed and persuasive Republican Women will always be our goal. It is our contribution and a truly formative weapon towards electing Republicans in our county, state, and country!

Yours in Freedom and Liberty,

*Loraine Pellegrino*



**AzFRW**  
**GASLIGHT THEATER**  
**RESERVATION FORM**  
THURSDAY, FEB 26, 2015  
DOORS OPEN AT 6:15PM,  
SHOW STARTS AT 7PM



Tucson's Gaslight Theater, 7010 East Broadway

Official AzFRW FUN Event!!

Registration closes when we SELL out our block  
or by no later than Friday, Feb 6th  
(We must prepay for our group by Feb 12th)



*The NFRW  
Board of Directors  
Spring Meeting will be held  
in Washington D.C. from  
March 19-21, 2015 at the  
Crystal Gateway Marriott.  
NFRW Legislative Day at the  
U.S. Capitol will be  
Wednesday, March 19th.  
There is an optional tour  
of Monticello on  
Wednesday, March 18th.  
Additional details to  
follow as soon as NFRW  
releases details.  
Visit the NFRW website  
at [www.nfrw.org](http://www.nfrw.org).*

## Membership Report

**Joan Lang, 2nd Vice President**



Happy and prosperous 2015 to all of our 1800 plus members! Last year was a good year for AzFRW. We have the honor of having the largest club in the nation here in Arizona as well as having the best members in the nation! Thank you for all of your hard work.

As we get started with this new year, I hope your clubs will continue with your successes of last year. I have enjoyed visiting with you and hope to get to more of our clubs this year. Membership is an all encompassing umbrella that your Membership Chairman carries. Membership is not just about numbers, although that is a very important part of it, but membership also includes every aspect of how your club operates. Not only how

you recruit new members, but how you retain your existing ones. Your Membership chair knows your members better than most of the other officers in your club because she has a bit more contact with them.

Have you asked some new ladies to be on your board or committees? Don't keep recycling members between various jobs, as that just makes your club stale. Every year you need to bring on new members who will bring new ideas to your club functions. Try not to take 'no' as the final answer from a possible new volunteer; ask in such a way that she can say yes. Offer choice, flexibility and meaningful involvement. Be sure to check in with your new members and make sure that the office or committee they are working on is a good fit. The last thing you want is for the required tasks not to get done because the volunteer does not have

an interest. If it turns out that it isn't a good match, then find another place for that person. Do not let her walk away!

Always try to say 'yes' when a new member has an idea that will help propel your club forward. Do not be afraid of new ideas, new people or new directions. Let your committed members know when your club is looking for additional help and ask them to spread the word among their friends. Good people generally hang around together, so this recruiting tool usually works well. If each of your existing members recruited just one new member, what effect would that have on your roster? You do the math!

Lastly, have fun. If you are not having a good time pursuing your clubs goals, who is going to want to belong to your club in the first place?

## Ways & Means Report

**Yoli Bounds, 3rd Vice President**



**We thank AzFRW Member  
Governor Janice K. Brewer for her  
service to Arizona!**



**CONGRATULATIONS ANGELS!** You have made 2014 the most successful year ever. My deepest appreciation for your support of the Angel Club.

Thank you for wearing your necklaces proudly, representing your unity as Repub-

lican Women of Arizona.

I am pleased to announce the 2015 Angel jewelry: matching earrings for your necklace! You will receive three pairs of earrings, one pair each of silver, copper and turquoise. These earrings are available in your choice of pierced or clips. Purchase all three pairs for \$120 and also gain membership in our 2015 Angel Club. Matching bracelets are also available to complete your set. Thank you again for your

participation, Arizona Republican Women are GEMS!



**Matching Angel Earrings are  
now available for 2015!**





# AzFRW 2015 WINTER MEETING REGISTRATION FORM

Friday & Saturday, FEB 27-28, 2015

Radisson Suites Tucson

Please note the registration dates & fees!



6555 East Speedway Blvd  
Tucson 85710

Arizona Federation of Republican Women  
Hotel rooms block expires Jan 27th!

Room rate is \$99 nite, single or double;  
\$109 triple, all plus any applicable taxes

Room rate includes full American Breakfast  
520-721-7100

<b>Meeting Registration Fees:</b>	
Early Bird! <i>Register by Jan 24th</i>	\$25
Registration Jan 25-Feb 14th	\$35
Postmarked <u>Feb 15th</u> or later	\$50
<b>Friday Luncheon Entrées:</b>	
Lemon Caper Chicken Breast	\$25
Pan Seared Orange Roughy	\$25
Vegetarian Pasta	\$25
<b>Saturday Luncheon Entrées:</b>	
Sliced Grilled Flank Steak	\$25
Sole Florentine, White Wine Sauce	\$25
Vegetarian Portobello Mushroom	\$25
Extra Breakfast Coupons	\$10
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$</b>

Please make checks to: **AzFRW**

To pay AzFRW Registration by credit card,  
please see bottom of page.

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Club:

☒ Please check and complete all applicable items below:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Check if this your first time to attend an AzFRW State Meeting	
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Guest name (if any):	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pls submit a separate form for each guest but may remit with one CK	

Please mail this completed form with your remittance to:

**Kathy Dolge, Arrangements Chair, 3607 Camino Bella Rosa, Sierra Vista, AZ 85650**

Questions or special needs? Contact Kathy at 602-510-8986 or Arrangements@azfrw.com

☐ To pay by credit card, please check this box and call AzFRW Treasurer Susan Marcell 602-268-6211 to give her your card information for processing. Mail this completed form to Arrangements Chair Kathy Dolge so she has your information and menu choices.

A reservation made is a reservation paid. All AzFRW members must remit the registration fee to attend.

## Our 2014 AzFRW Angels Hold a Special Place in Our Hearts! Thank You!

Baumbach, Mary	Ahwatukee RW	Lang, Joan	Palo Verde RW
Bounds, Yoli	RW of Prescott	Lee, Diane	Paradise RW
Buzzello, Regina	Central RW of Phoenix	Lutes, Pat (2)	Lincoln RW
Calhoon, Pam	RW of Prescott	Marcell, Susan	Central RW of Phoenix
Chornenky, Rae (2)	Central RW of Phoenix	McCorkle, Carolyn	Mesa
Cohen, Susan	RW of Prescott	McMullen, Barb	Paradise RW
Cottle, Nancy	Mesa RW	Morales, Theresa	Palo Verde RW
Desmangles, Kirsten	Show Low	Morrison, Anna	Arrowhead RW
Dolge, Kathy	Thunder Mountain	Morse, Mary	Graham County RW
Donahue, Sue	Lake Havasu RW	Parker, Joan	Paradise RW
Dyer, Anthea	Paradise RW	Parker, Patt	RW of Prescott
Evans, JoAnn	RW of Pinal County	Pellegrino, Loraine	Ahwatukee RW
Giebelhaus, Terry	Ahwatukee RW	Pryor, Nancy	Palo Verde RW
Giese, Sharon	Mesa RW	Rodriguez, Anita	Palo Verde RW
Gomez, Linda	Paradise RW	Scharenbroich, Carmel	Arrowhead RW
Gray, Sherry	Palo Verde RW	Schultz, Susan Kay	Paradise RW
Gunn Harsha, Nancy	Pima Co RW	Smith, Debbie	Ahwatukee RW
Hagan, Joanna	Lincoln RW	Stock, Edith	Palo Verde RW
Harris, Joan	Flagstaff	Thomas, Noreen	London Bridge RW
Hermesmeyer, Jan	Arrowhead RW	Treece, Margo	Ahwatukee RW
Himes, Debra	Ahwatukee RW	Urban, Lori	Paradise RW
Hunter, Christy	RW of Prescott	Uribe, Constance	Colorado River RW
Johnston, Leona	Paradise RW	Ward, Rep. Dr. Kelli	London Bridge RW
Kaufman, Pat	Lincoln	Williams, Mary	RW of Prescott
Lamerson, Nettie	RW of Prescott		

### 2015 Angels

Brugger, Kathy      NFRW President

## Thanks to All of Our \$100 Club Members!

Clubs listed below have completed their four year pledge of contributing a total of \$400 to AzFRW to help with NFRW Convention expenses. Clubs not shown are still working on completing their pledges. All who complete their pledges will be listed in the NFRW Convention Program as sponsors

Ahwatukee	London Bridge	RW of Prescott
Arrowhead	Mesa	Rio Colorado
Chandler	Oro Valley	Thunder Mountain
Grande Valley	Palo Verde	Verde Valley
Huachuca Area	Paradise	Yuma
Lake Havasu		

## AzFRW Website Update

AzFRW's website has been updated with a fresh new look for 2015. Club pages have been streamlined and no longer hold outdated old newsletters. If your club is consistent about sending in their newsletter each month, a private club page can be set up. Clubs with websites have a direct link to their own sites. We hope to present a website workshop in Tucson to show how simple and cost effective it is build and maintain your own websites.

AzFRW Members Only page is now obscured for privacy and there are two ways to access:

Go to the "About" page on the website and look for the AzFRW logo on the lower part of the page which will open the Members Only page for you. (The adjacent NFRW logo will also lead you to the NFRW site) or you may direct access to the page by going to:

**[www.azfrw.com/members-only.html](http://www.azfrw.com/members-only.html)**

Please bookmark this location on your computers for future reference. Check out our unofficial hosting website for the 2015 event

**[www.Arizona2015.com](http://www.Arizona2015.com)**

NFRW will post their own information sometime later this year and we will add links at that time. In the meantime, we're working hard to raise funds!



## Treasurer's Two Cents

**Susan Marcell, Treasurer**



As of this writing, it appears that the Club Treasurers haven't been given their user names and passwords yet so they will not be able to access the new data base. I've also been checking the system and have not able to get in with the user name and password I was given at my training session in Dallas. I'm still planning on doing a Go-to-Meeting type training session once the new system is up, so I will keep checking

and keep you informed.

In the meantime, I suggest you keep an excel file of your membership since I'm sure that you will simply be copying and pasting it into the new system with a few small quirks dealing with duplicate members and members without emails. Remember, if a member does not have or does not want to report their phone or email, do not put "NONE" or some other word, simply leave blank. Also, do not put middle initials or titles such as Dr. or Honorable, etc. We have to remove

those when we set up the lists for the Constant Contact mailing lists and it can get to be cumbersome.

You will still need to send in your voucher with your check and the number of members you are reporting by the 15th. If you wish to include a copy of your excel that's fine. If you need another copy of the voucher or a template for the membership excel file, email me at [LSMarcell2@gmail.com](mailto:LSMarcell2@gmail.com).

Thanks and I will be in contact to let you know when we will do some kind of training.

## Secretary's Corner

**Carmel Scharenbroich, Secretary**



I am busy working on our 2015 AzFRW Directories which will be distributed to all members of the Board at our February meeting. If you have changes to your email or other contact info, please remember to let me know so the directory changes may be made.

## Convention News from Co-Chairs Margo Treece and Mary Baumbach

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Special thanks to the fundraising team! Courtesy of Carol Ackerman, we have developed a lovely package to present to sponsors and Chair Yvonne Cahill working with Lincoln member Alison Mary with Congressman David Schweikert's office has primed the pump with contributions coming in from Congressman Schweikert, Congressman Franks and Congressman Gosar. More to follow but these are confirmed as of press deadline. THANK you all!

All the best,

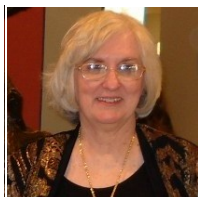
Margo Treece and Mary Baumbach

Co- Chairs, 2015 NFRW Biennial Convention

**Dodie Londen Liaison Report****Dianna Soe Myint**

Gretchen Martinez, Class of 2014, was just appointed to the position of Director of Legislative Affairs for Gov. Doug Ducey. Jill Norgaard, Brenda Barton, and Dr. Kelli Ward, all Dodie Londen grads, will be taking their oath of office to the Arizona Legislature!

We are pleased that Kim Owens, Executive Director of *Dodie Londen Excellence in Public Service Series Program* will present a "Women In Leadership" workshop at our Winter Meeting (February 27-28) in Tucson! Be sure to attend if you can! Additionally, Kim would LOVE to be invited to speak to any club – anywhere in the state- that would like her to come and explain the program and help with some recruiting! Kim's contact info: [kim.owens@cox.net](mailto:kim.owens@cox.net)

**2015 Teacher of the Year****Nancy Kay Arnold, Literacy**

The Literacy Committee is seeking nominations for the 2015 AzFRW Teacher of the Year Award. This award will be presented at the State Convention on September 10th. Nominations will be considered for AZFRW members currently teaching. Applications, posted on the AzFRW website, must be submitted before May 1st. In addition to the application which is available by clicking [here](#), a complete resume should also be sent to Literacy Committee chairperson, Nancy Kay Arnold **before MAY 1st**.

Applications may be submitted via email at: [nancykayarnold@gmail.com](mailto:nancykayarnold@gmail.com). Or through the postal service:

Nancy Kay Arnold, 5012 E. Presidio Rd., Scottsdale, AZ 85254

This is a wonderful way to honor a very special teacher in your club, so please send a nomination to the committee!

**Scholarship Report****Pat Lutes, Scholarship**

The Arizona Federation created their own proprietary scholarship in 1988 as a way to assist young Republican women with their higher educational pursuits and as a way promote education while recognizing Arizona's outstanding young Republican women graduating from Arizona high schools. The AzFRW Laura Bush Scholarship is funded by the generous donations of our member clubs. Donations also earn AZ achievement award points. The criteria for the application and an application can be found on the AzFRW

web page.

The Scholarship Committee welcomes **Lori Oien** as the newest member of the 2014- 2015 Scholarship Committee. Lori serves as our new TARS Liaison and will assist the Committee in evaluating applications and in awarding the 2015 AzFRW Dodie Londen TARS Memorial Scholarship. Lori will be posting a **new** application for this scholarship on the AzFRW Web page. The deadline for this Scholarship is May 1<sup>st</sup>. The **AzFRW Dodie Londen TARS Memorial Scholarship** is funded directly from donations from our member clubs and funded each year by the AzFRW Executive Committee's "approved operating budget" approved by our members.

Clubs and Members are also encouraged, to honor deceased members, family or friends as an "additional way" in lieu of floral bouquets to help fund the AzFRW Laura Bush scholarship program for 2015. **Memorial gifts** will be recognized in the AzFRW Bulletin Newsletter and in the biennial Convention Program Guide. A current AzFRW Scholarship Memorial Donation Form can be downloaded from the AzFRW Web Page.

**NFRW President**

Kathy Brugger has assigned the NFRW Regions and their Region Directors. Arizona is in NFRW Region 5 along with Texas, Oklahoma, Indiana and Michigan. Not confirmed yet but we are hoping our Region Event will be the Southern Leadership Conference that the Oklahoma Federation is actually hosting in May. Details to follow.

*Wisdom from our founders... "My reading of history convinces me that most bad government results from too much government".*



*Thomas Jefferson*



## ***"Around the State....news from our Clubs"***

### **Region I Report**

**Sara Rosevear, Region Director**



Yuma County RW:  
The club donated treats and water to Amberly's Place, an organization that helps women and children who are in domestic violence situations.

Rio Colorado submitted photo was inadvertently lost. It will be added when we post the online version, along with the other missing articles.

### **Region II Report**

**Jo Ann Evans, Region Director**

The Region II meeting workshop is scheduled for January 30, 2015 at the La Palomia Urgent Care from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at 4001 E. Sunrise Drive. The speaker is Deborrah Miller who will provide tips on how to run for office.



Pima County RW installation of new officers by Region II Director Jo Ann Evans at our annual Silver Tea. Photo by David Blevins.



Pima County RW: Cheri Cross-Bushnell receives the Ruth Gaddis Jeffries award from past recipient Mary Preble. Photo by David Blevins.



Pima County RW: From left to right: Janice Westra, Janice Hacking and JoAnn Evans.



Pima County RW: Left to right, Ann Kellison, newly elected Representative Chris Ackerley, and Region II Director Jo Ann Evans at our Silver Tea. Photo by David Blevins.



## Region III Report

**Mary Morse, Region Director**



Huachuca Area RW: October 2014, guest speaker Jonathan Paton with Joanne Daley, 1st Vice President and Judy Langer, President.

Huachuca Area RW: 2014 Board.



Huachuca Area RW: November 2014, we had quite a few veterans in the house!

## Region IV Report

**LaJuana Gillette, Region Director**

Report not available at press time and will be posted online.

**Region V Report****Pam Calhoon, Region Director**

Report not available at press time and will be added online.

**Region VI Report****Kathy Jacobs, Region Director**

Another year has gone by in a flash. This last year was full of campaigning for our favorite candidate; there were some wins and some losses. Now is the time to come together to educate and promote Republican ideals and values. My region continues to reach out and grow their clubs. We are having a Region VI event on February 7, 2015. We will be meeting at Mi Amigo's in Mesa for Training, a great lunch and fellowship. If you would like to attend, please let me know.



Ahwatukee Republican Women celebrated their Christmas party with LD18 Senator elect Jeff Dial and House of Representatives – LD18 Jill Norgaard, President Debbie Smith and AZFRW 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Loraine Pellegrino.



The Chandler Republican Women Christmas party was a huge success and resulted in a record number of new sign ups and renewals for the night. A table was set up at the door offering party attendees sign up forms and information as they entered the party.



The 2015 Chandler Republican Women board was sworn in by AZFRW 1<sup>st</sup> VP Lorraine Pellegrino. From left to right: Natalie Germaine, Marsha Atkin, Jill Slavin, Krysta Price, Laurie Ray and newly installed president Lisa Askey.



Ahwatukee RW with Congressman Matt Salmon at our Chili Cook off member appreciation dinner in November 2014.

Ahwatukee Republican Women members and friends donated \$1,500 in checks and gift cards representative Charlie Ellis of Operation Enduring Gratitude Foundation. OEGF is a charity which focuses on repairing the homes and lives of local veterans. (Pictured are Kathy Diekelman – Caring for America Chair, Charlie Ellis – OEGF, Debbie Smith – President Ahwatukee RW).





## Region VI Report (cont'd)

**Kathy Jacobs, Region Director**

### Tempe Republican Women

Tempe Republican Women is off to a great start for the new year!

At our board meeting, we approved a membership referral contest – the winner of which will win a \$100 VISA gift card! Each new member referred is an entry into the contest, which we hope will stimulate incentive to bring new people in.

We have an exciting line up of speakers planned for the year, stay tuned to [TempeRW.org](http://TempeRW.org) for announcements as we get closer to the meetings.

We also found an excellent deal on flyers and have implemented a plan to start door to door events every month, hoping to introduce ourselves to Republican women of Tempe. This, coupled with our tabling adventures around Tempe with LD 26 Republicans, is our main focus to gain more attention for our organization and to, hopefully, attract new members. There are thousands of people to talk to, but we are ready and excited to tackle this project.

We have a lot of work and a lot of fun ahead for us all. We are looking forward to the experience.

PS, want to help us on our journey? You can do so today by going to our social media pages and liking/following us!

[www.Facebook.com/TempeRepublicanWomen](http://www.Facebook.com/TempeRepublicanWomen)

[www.Twitter.com/TempeRepublican](http://www.Twitter.com/TempeRepublican)

<http://instagram.com/TempeRW>

## Region VII Report

**Jan Hermesmeyer, Region Director**



Arrowhead RW welcome 2014 State Candidates, Treasurer Elect Jeff DeWit, Senator and ARW member Judy Burges, State Representatives David Livingston and Phil Lovas.



Arrowhead RW installs its 2015 officers.



Arrowhead RW Membership Drive - Explore ARW, Contest Winners, Jan Boydston, Judi Bourd, Jana DeWit.



Speaker, Lisa Atkins, AZ Military Affairs Commission, with ARW 1st Vice President Jan Martinson.



## Region VIII Report

**Lori Urban, Region Director**



Ladies of Paradise Valley RW get photo bombed.



Secretary of State Michele Reagan and former Governor Jane Hull.



Left to Right, Paradise Valley RW's new board: 2<sup>nd</sup> VP Membership, Ashley Fritz; Recording Secretary, Carol Zraket; Treasurer, Rosalie Barley; 3<sup>rd</sup> VP Ways and Means, Shirley Cordasco; Corresponding Secretary, Joan Parker; 1<sup>st</sup> VP Programs, Leona Johnston; President, Lori Urban.



AzFRW ladies at the 2015 Arizona inauguration.



Palo Verde RW presents \$5,000 to Fish-er House in order to help build their Southern AZ campus outside of Tucson.



At the January inauguration, our new Secretary of State, Michele Reagan!



Governor Ducey, Angela Ducey and their family at the inauguration. Photo by Palo Verde RW Pachyderm Bruce Linker.

## Region IX Report

Joan Harris, Region Director



Verde Valley RW: Christmas party, presenting gift to President Tally Huntoon. From left to right, Pat Lowell, Andrea Kadar, Laurie Hazime, Sandie Butler, Erna Sesek, Chris Lutz, Tally Huntoon, Jeannine Hudson, Marilyn Wells, Carol Gandolfo, and Duckhee Pierson. Second row, not in view, Carol Lucas and Shar Mullen.



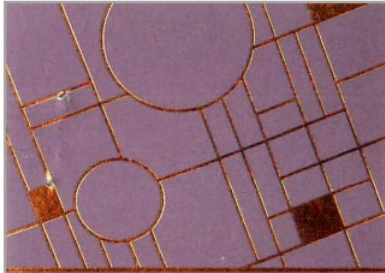
Verde Valley RW: Our Christmas party decorations.



Flagstaff RW: Our 2015 officers, newly installed by our beloved AzFRW President. L-R: Janie Cook, Secretary; Laura Vineyard, 1st VP Programs; Katy Smith, President; Mary Williams, AzFRW President and Installing officer; Judy Sall, 2nd VP Membership; Joyce Chriscoe, 3rd VP Ways & Means; Trudy Wieber, Treasurer.



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