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HAPPY
New Year

2015

Navajo Canyon RWF January Luncheon Meeting

Date: January 13, 2015

Time: 11 a.m., check-in at 10:30 a.m.

Place: Brigantine Restaurant, 9350 Fuerte Dr., La Mesa

Reservations: Please call Glenda Boerner (619.284.9958)

or click on ncrwf99@gmail.com to send an e-mail.

Please make sure you put RSVP in the reference line.

Cost: \$20 at the door. If paying by check, please have it ready and payable to NCRWF.

Program: Speaker John Coleman was the co-founder of the weather channel and the face of KUSI weather broadcasting for the past 20 years. A national personality in television news and weather for 61 years, John is an outspoken critic of global warming, calling it the “greatest scam in history.”



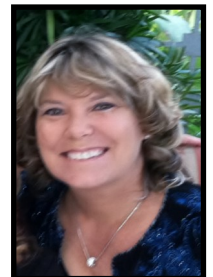
Expecting Large Crowd — Mandatory RSVP!

Please remember to park in the Brigantine's lower parking lot!

From the President—Marjie Siekerka

Happy New Year's Ladies!

The holidays are over and now it is time to make “someday” today and this year “someday”. If you have been thinking about getting involved ...it's time! It is up to us to make sure the candidates we helped become our representatives live up to their promises. They affect our lives whether they are local, state or federal. We need to be involved with the representatives offices, stay apprised on the issues and educate family and friends in a nice non-threatening way.



A good start is to come to a general meeting at the Brigantine or an evening meeting downtown. These meetings not only let you meet like-minded women, get educated on the issues, they also let you ask questions to our speakers if you would like! We have legislation reports from State Senator Joel Anderson's office and U.S. Representative Duncan Hunter's office. This past year we had speakers on: the Free Market, Constitutional conservatism, common sense American Immigration Reform, Citizen's Alliance for Property Rights, Benghazi, Syria and “Experiencing Islam”, the Arab-Israeli conflict, etc. Speaking to us we also had talk-radio hosts, candidates, local Republican leaders and the list goes on and on!

Navajo Canyon is starting this year with John Coleman speaking on “Global Warming!” This should be a very interesting meeting! In January we also go through the Navajo Canyon by-laws which gives everyone an idea on what we are all about. Our downtown meeting for January is the third Thursday of the month, Jan. 15th.

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7	NCRWF Board Meeting, 10am, Pat Boerner's Home
10	SDCFRW Leadership Training Workshops 7:30am - 12:30pm location All Souls Church, Point Loma
12	SD County Republican Party Monthly Meeting Kona Kai Resort, Shelter Island, 6:30 pm. www.sandiegorepublicans.org
12	SDCFRW Monthly Meeting at the Bahia, 10:00am, RSVP kanthofer1@yahoo.com
13	NCRWF General Meeting 11:00am Registration 10:30am @ Brigantine, La Mesa Speaker: John Coleman \$20 RSVP ncrwf99@gmail.com
15	Downtown Meeting, Athens Market, 6:00, \$15. Speakers: Scott Sherman and Chris Cates. RSVP dmsrsd@gmail.com
21	Voter Registration—New Citizens Ceremonies—SD Concourse—10am to noon
28	NCRWF Board Meeting, 10am, Location TBD

February

9	SDCFRW Monthly Meeting at the Bahia, 10:00am, RSVP kanthofer1@yahoo.com
10	NCRWF General Meeting 11:00am Registration 10:30am @ Brigantine, La Mesa Speaker: Dianne Jacob \$20 RSVP ncrwf99@gmail.com
19	Downtown Meeting, Athens Market, 6:00, \$15. Speakers: Scott Sherman and Chris Cates. RSVP dmsrsd@gmail.com
27- Mar 1	CA Republican Party Spring Convention in Sacramento. Any Republican can attend.

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VOLUNTEERS JOYFULLY RAISE THEIR HANDS!



Ladies, remember to turn in your Volunteer Hours at Monthly Meetings!

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This meeting occurs every other month and has two San Diego City Councilmen scheduled for January — Scott Sherman and Chris Cate. Please see article by Diane Randolph.

Looking forward to seeing you and starting off the new year with a great group of women!



Ways and Means

Sally Steele

I became a member of Navajo Canyon RWF 2 years ago, and I'm here to tell you that my experience has been excellent and surpassed expectations! This group consists of fun-loving, hard-working, passionate and caring women who are dedicated to making our community, state, and country a better place to live.

We have a diverse group of ladies who have spent countless hours through the years volunteering, attending meetings/luncheons, fund-raising activities....and developing relationships. I'm in awe of you Navajo Canyon women!

With that said, it is my pleasure to fill the role as 3rd VP Ways and Means and support this group to the best of my ability. Diane Randolph did an outstanding job in this position, and I will have big shoes to fill! I want to build on her successes and introduce some enhanced social activities for us to get to know each other better.

As the Board fills this year's calendar, we need your feedback on level of interest of suggested activities. We will provide you with a survey form via email and at our Luncheon Meeting on Jan 13. Your input is invaluable and I thank you in advance for helping shape the year!

NCRWF 2015 BOARD MEMBERS

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1st VP Programs—Cathie John

2nd VP Membership—Gloria Harpenau

3rd VP Chair, Ways and Means

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If you want to contact any Board Members, please email:
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MEMBERSHIP

Gloria Harpenau

Hello from Membership! I trust that you all had a wonderful Christmas and a great New Year's Eve. We are about on par with previous year's membership drive at this point of the year. We currently have 83 members including those Downtown renewals. But we do have a way to go to meet our objective of 138 members.

As a reminder if you renew by the February Meeting the regular membership fee is \$30. After that meeting the regular membership fee goes to \$35. For those that are Associates the fee is \$20. So please make out your check for your renewal NOW. I look forward to seeing you at the front desk on January 13th!

**MAKE A
DIFFERENCE**

*We are a committed, active Republican
Women's Club that is accessible,
professional, and engaging!*



**WE ROCKED! WE ROLLED!
AND WE HAD A GRAND TIME
TOGETHER AGAIN!!**



**OVER
\$3000 !**



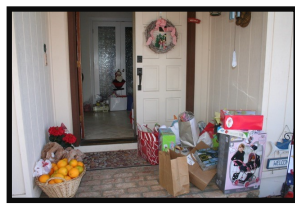
That's the amount Navajo Canyon RWF has donated towards the **Action Track Chair** during 2014! This amount was raised through personal donations from you and some proceeds from Bunco and Fashion Show ! You have a heart for our military, are generous, and we appreciate you! Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!



Navajo Fashion Show 2014



Bali Hai Restaurant—Fashions by Chico's



Holiday Party 2014

Thanks to Ginny Wisley for hosting....you are awesome!

To the board & members of NCRWF,

Rick & I so appreciated the card & monetary gift that you bestowed on us for Christmas. The gift went to purchase the Ox & Camel pieces for our new Nativity that we got during our trip to Ireland.

We really enjoy having you all at the house for the Christmas party & as long as you folks enjoy coming here, the door is open.

Thank you again & wishing you all wonderful blessings during 2015,
Rick & Ginny Wisley

New 2015 Board Members Sworn In by Judge Amador!





Downtown Republican Women

Invite you to

The Athens Market - Corner 1st & F

Thursday, January 15

6:00 to 7:30p



Speakers:

Scott Sherman

(City Councilman District 7)

Chris Cates

(City Councilman District 6)



RSVP by : January 13

dmc rsd@gmail.com

\$15 Hors d'oeuvres Buffet No Host Bar

DOWNTOWN REPUBLICAN WOMEN, SATELLITE CLUB

OF NAVAJO CANYON RWF,

MEETS THE THIRD THURSDAY OF THE MONTH

Programs

Cathie Johns

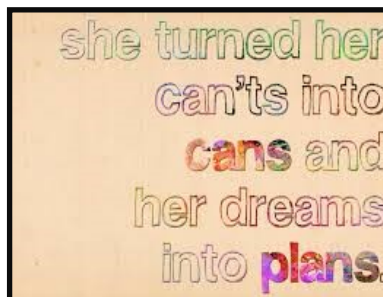
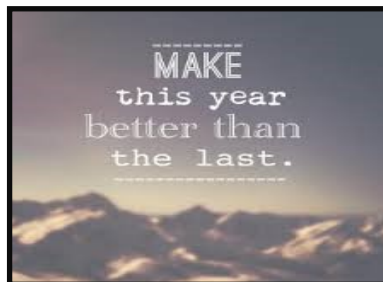
The holidays are over, and as we begin the new year, it would be wonderful to have your suggestions on topics and speakers for our monthly meetings. In 2016 we will be focusing on candidates, so this year we can be innovative, and concentrate on subjects in which you have an interest or people you would like to meet. Please do not hesitate to contact me at cathie_johns@hotmail.com, with your ideas.

The forecast for our speaker for January's meeting: entertaining, irreverent and controversial. A legend in the industry, John Coleman has a long history in television, and is known for doing it "his way" both in broadcasting and his retirement, notifying KUSI while on vacation that he would not be returning. He is an opponent of global warming, calling it "a threat to our economy and our civilization." We will miss his dancing to "I Feel Good", and of course, his infamous, "KUUUUUSI!"

February 10: San Diego County Supervisor, Dianne Jacob. In her sixth term, she concentrates on every problem that concerns her constituents, from keeping communities safe to making government more accountable to taxpayers.

Founder's Quote

"The people can never willfully betray their own interests: But they may possibly be betrayed by the representatives of the people; and the danger will be evidently greater where the whole legislative trust is lodged in the hands of one body of men, than where the concurrence of separate and dissimilar bodies is required in every public act." —James Madison, *Federalist No. 63*, 1788



Voter Registration Is the “ Key Focus “ of the Republican Party

**When You Skip Voting It's Not
Rebellion, It's SURRENDER**

**YOUR VOTE
YOUR VOICE**

January 21
Voter Registration
New Citizens Ceremony
San Diego Concourse
10am-noon



Why Youth Voting Matters

Voting is habit-forming: when young people learn the voting process and vote they are more likely to do so when they are older. If individuals have been motivated to get to the polls once, they are more likely to return. So, getting young people to vote early could be key to raising a new generation of voters.

What Affects Youth Voting

Contact! Young people who are contacted by an organization or a campaign are more likely to vote. Additionally, those who discuss an election are more likely to vote in it.

Having information about how, when and where to vote can help young people be and feel prepared to vote as well as reduce any level of intimidation they may feel.

Chaplain's Words of Inspiration — Ginny Wisley



January: a new year, a new start; resolutions to make & keep (for longer than a week or two?). Now is the time to correct past errors; find new friends in different places; maintain & enhance old friendships.

Some of you that know me well know that a special source of crazy but spiritually based inspirations come from a wonderful, wacky woman named Suzy Toronto. I live by her “Life is all about how you handle plan B” mantra.

In one of her books, she described what I consider the perfect description of January & it's time of renewal for our individual lives, our Club's life, our communities, our country & our world:

*...This is the year & now is the moment.
Rekindle your passion, & multiply your talents.
Embrace your inner wackiness, & redefine your world.
Stand up for something worth fighting for,
& confront the dragons of the world...
Especially if they scare you.
Make a difference in someone's life,
& in the process, you'll change your own.
Don't wait for "a better time." It's your life & your story. ***

Happy New Year – may it be filled with many of God's blessings!

Ginny Wisley

(p.s.: as I mentioned at the meeting, feel free to contact me with any “Chaplain-y” type needs: prayers, a listening ear, etc., that is part of this job)

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“POPCORN” POLITICS



Construction will officially get underway Tuesday, Jan 6 on the first 29-mile segment of the \$68-billion California bullet train project.

Governor Jerry Brown issued pardons to 105 people who committed crimes in California, including 11 who were convicted of mostly drug or theft offenses in San Diego County, the governor’s office announced Wednesday.

Lines formed Friday at state Department of Motor Vehicles offices around San Diego County, the first day that undocumented immigrants can apply for drivers licenses. With the beginning of the new year, California became the 10th state to offer such licenses to people who cannot establish legal U.S. residency.

California birth certificates will now have a third option after mother and father — parent. The third option allow same-sex couples identify themselves with the gender-neutral option of parent. California’s laws already allow for more than two parents.

Another law will allow for transgender person to die as they lived. Coroners will now be required to list the preferred gender rather than the anatomical sex on death certificates.

People who have been arrested no longer have to worry about their mug shots being held hostage by shady websites. California made it illegal for websites to charge people money to have their embarrassing photos removed.

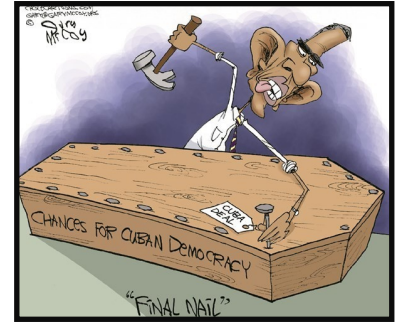
Most of the people who were arrested were never charged with a crime. Web sites could face up to \$1,000 fine for each violation.

Health insurance companies will no longer be allowed to require a waiting period before issuing insurance to new employees of small businesses. Historically, insurance companies require a waiting period to weed out people who have been denied insurance because of pre-existing conditions.

Under the Affordable Care Act, insurers can no longer deny people insurance based on pre-existing health conditions so the financial reason for a waiting period is obsolete. Employers, however, can still impose a waiting period for new hires.

As 2014 comes to an end, so may the downward trend of gas prices. A new gas tax is about to take effect at the start of the New Year and it could add a significant amount at the pump.

“California has second highest gasoline tax in the nation now, before this new tax kicks in,” said Richard Rider of San Diego Tax Fighters. “We’ll be No. 1 easily when new tax kicks in.” Beginning Jan. 1, what some call a ‘hidden tax’ will take effect. The new tax could increase the price per gallon by 75 cents, some estimate.



THE 114TH CONGRESS,
**CONTROLLED BY
REPUBLICANS,**
IS NOW IN SESSION.

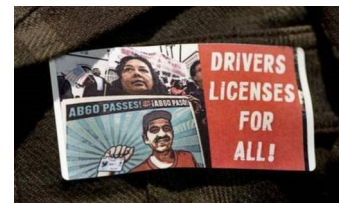


California's New Laws for 2015: How Are You Affected?

California lawmakers [passed over 900 new laws](#) that will go into effect in 2015.

Here's a look at the ones that'll bring some of the biggest changes:

[Immigrants' Driver's Licenses](#) (AB 60) -- The DMV must issue driver's licenses to undocumented immigrants who meet every other qualification, like passing driving tests. About 1.4 million people without U.S. citizenship are expected to apply in the first three years.



['Yes Means Yes'](#) (SB 967) -- To receive state funding, colleges must only consider sex consensual if both parties actively agree to it and are not drunk or passed out, throwing out the old refrain of "no means no" and replacing it with "yes means yes." California becomes the first state in the nation to use this rubric for sexual consent.

[Plastic Bag Ban](#) (SB 270) -- Grocery stores across California must follow the lead of cities like Los Angeles and stop bagging items in single-use plastic bags and allowing them to charge 10¢ for paper bags, the first statewide plastic bag ban in the nation.



[Groundwater Management](#) (SB 1168, 1739, 1319) - A sweeping set of groundwater regulations that requires local water agencies to manage how much water is drawn from wells, making California the last Western state to end "pump-as-you-please" rules during a severe drought. [Audrie's Law](#) (SB 838) -- Teenagers convicted of sexually assaulting someone who is unconscious or can't give consent will face stiffer punishments, including mandatory sexual-offender treatment. The bill is named for Audrie Pott, a teenager who killed herself after photos surfaced of her sexual assault.

[Selfie Revenge Porn Rights](#) (SB 1255) -- Expanding a law that makes it a misdemeanor to distribute a naked picture of someone, often in an act of revenge, even if the photo was originally taken by the naked person.

- [Sex Abuse Rights](#) (SB 926) -- Children who claim they're victims of a sex crime have until their 40th birthday to file charges, up from their 28th birthday. (Applies only to crimes committed on or after January 1, 2015.)

[Mandatory Sick Leave](#) (AB 1522) -- Starting July 1, anyone who works for 30 days is eligible to accrue sick pay under this law, known as the "Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act." About 6.5 million workers are estimated to be affected by the law.



[Massage Parlor Oversight](#) (AB 1147) -- Local governments get greater oversight of massage parlors, which have been used as a front for sex trafficking.

[Gun Owner Welfare Check](#) (SB 505) -- Requires law enforcement agencies to encourage their officers to consult with gun ownership records when conducting welfare checks -- something agents didn't do before Isla Vista shooter Elliott Rodger killed six people in May.

[Undocumented immigrants](#) or students who overstayed their visas will have access to the same loan opportunities as other students at the Cal State University and University of California systems.

How to Contact Your Elected Representatives:

- Pres Barack Obama The White House, 1600 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D.C. 20500 202-456-1414
- U.S. Sen. Barbara Boxer (D), 600 B. St., Ste. 2240, San Diego 92101.....619-239-5719
- U.S. Sen. Dianne Feinstein (D), 750 B. St., Ste. 1030, San Diego 92101.....619-231-9712
- Rep. Darrell Issa (R-49) 1800 Thibodo Rd., Vista 92081.....760-599-5000
- Rep. Duncan D. Hunter (R-50), 1870 Cordell St., Ste. 206, El Cajon 92020.....619-448-5201
- Rep. Juan Vargas (D-51), 333 H St., Ste. 2030, Chula Vista, 91910.....619-409-7690
- Rep. Scott Peters (D-52) 4715 Viewridge Ave., Ste. #150, San Diego, 92123.....858-715-1369
- Rep. Susan Davis (D-53), 4305 University Ave., Ste. 515, San Diego 92105.....619-280-5355
- Gov. Jerry Brown, State Capitol Bldg., Sacramento 95814.....916-445-2841
- Sen. Joel Anderson (R-36), 500 Fesler St., #201, El Cajon 92020... ..619-596-3136
- Sen. Marty Block (D-39), 2445 Fifth Ave., Ste. 200, San Diego 92101.....619-645-3133
(District-40), Vacant
- Assemblymember Brian Jones, (R-71), 10152 Mission Gorge Rd., Santee 92071....619-441-2322
- Assemblymember Marie Waldron (R-75), 350 W. 5th Ave., Ste. 110, Escondido 92025....760-480-7570
- Assemblymember Rocky Chavez (R-76), 1920 Palomar Point Way, Ste. # 106, Carlsbad, 92008 ...760-929-7998
- Assemblymember Toni Atkins (D-78), 2445 5th Ave., Ste #401, San Diego 92101...619-645-3090
- Assemblymember Dr. Shirley Nash Weber (D-79), Not available at this time.
- Assemblymember Ben Hueso (D-80), 303 H St., Ste. 200, Chula Vista, 91910 ...619-409-7979
- City of San Diego, 202 C. St., San Diego, 92101: Mayor 's office.....619-236-6330
- Councilman Kevin Faulconer (R-2).....619-236-6622 Councilwoman Scott Sherman (R-7).....619-236-6677
- City Attorney Jan Goldsmith, 1200 3rd Avenue, 16th Fl, SD 92101.....619-236-6220
- District Attorney Bonnie Dumanis, 330 W. Broadway, San Diego 92101.....619-531-4114
- Sheriff William D. Gore, 9621 Ridgehaven Ct., SD 92123.....619-974-2222
- San Diego County Supervisors, County Admin. Ctr., 1600 Pacific Hwy, SD 92101:
- Supvr Gregory Cox (R-1).....619-531-5511 Supvr Ron Roberts (R-4).....619-531-5544 Supvr Dianne Jacob (R-2).....619-531-5522
- Supvr Bill Horn (R-5).....619-531-5555 Supvr Dave Roberts (D-3)...619-531-5533
- San Diego Republican Headquarters: 16935 West Bernardo Drive #208, San Diego, CA 92127...858-450-4600
- Republican National Committee: 1-800-445-5768, ask for the comment line.
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- U.S. Senate: www.senate.gov California Senate: www.sen.ca.gov
- U.S. Congress www.house.gov California Assembly: www.assembly.ca.gov
- Power Project: www.powerproject.com
- San Diego Republican Headquarters: www.sandiegorepublicans.org

Federation Websites

Please do not forget to access these websites as you will find a lot of very good information.

WWW.NFRW.ORG

Username: First and Last name

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WWW.CFRW.ORG

You must email request a password

WWW.SDCFRW.COM

Username: First and Last name

Password: elephant

If you have not established your account with NFRW or CFRW, click on the link above and go to the Member Center. Click on "Request Password," fill out the required information, and click "Send Message." If your membership is current, you should receive an e-mail within a few minutes allowing you to change your password to one of your choosing.

Don't forget our website:

Navajo Canyon RWF:

WWW.NAVAJOCANYONRWF.ORG

January 1, 1776 - During the American Revolution, George Washington unveiled the Grand Union Flag, the first national flag in America.

January 1, 1863 - The Emancipation Proclamation by President Abraham Lincoln freed the slaves in the states rebelling against the Union.

January 4, 1790 - President George Washington delivered the first State of the Union address.

January 10, 1776 - Common Sense, a fifty page pamphlet by Thomas Paine, was published. It sold over 500,000 copies in America and Europe, influencing, among others, the authors of the Declaration of Independence.

January 20, 1981 - Ronald Reagan became president of the United States at the age of 69, the oldest president to take office.

January 23, 1907 - Charles Curtis of Kansas became the first person of Native American ancestry to serve in the U.S Senate.

January 24, 1848 - The California gold rush began with the accidental discovery of the precious metal near Coloma during construction of a Sutter's sawmill. An announcement by President Polk later in the year caused a national sensation and resulted in a flood of "Forty-niners" seeking wealth.

For complete list of historical dates go to: <http://www.historyplace.com/specials/calendar/january>

Americanism


Republican Women Federated
2015 Membership Application

Regular (\$35) ___ Associate (\$20) ___ *\$5 discount before Feb. Mtg.

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Husband's Name _____

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Email: _____

Birth Month and Day _____

The e-mail address will be used for internal communications and the newsletter *ONLY*.

Please tell us how you found out about our club:

Yes, I currently have 2 hours extra a month to contribute to the club.

The following are my areas of interest:

I Certify that I am a registered Republican. I shall support and work to elect Republican candidates for office and encourage loyalty to the principles and policies of the Republican Party.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please make check payable to NCRWF and mail with completed application to:

Gloria Harpenau
654 La Cresta Boulevard
El Cajon, CA 92021

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