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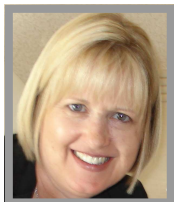
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Newsletter Deadline:

Please submit contributions via email before the last Friday of each month.
ARWomen@aol.com

Thank You!



President's Message

Happy New Year and welcome to 2014!

I look forward to hearing from the candidates and believe we will see some exciting races this year both at the local and federal levels.

I have been a part of Ahwatukee Republican Women for over six years and am so proud of the growth and friendship we have established under the leadership of Loraine Pellegrino and Mary Baumbach our past Presidents. I am excited for the opportunity to carry on their goals and dreams for ARW.

My husband, Brian, and I have been in the Ahwatukee area since 2001 and love the community, people and warm environment. I have two children, Chad – ASU graduate, and Danielle – MCC and ASU next fall and a Weimaraner – Tucker who thinks he is human.

This club is yours and I look forward to bringing my energy and love of Christian and conservative values to our meetings. We need to continue to grow and support our candidates and I know that with your help we can do it. It will also be important for our continued growth, that we increase our membership especially with our associate members.

This year you will hear from many of the candidates running for office. We need to help them by coaching, mentoring and supporting their campaigns. We also need to hold them accountable to represent us and our values. Everyone understands that sometimes you have to compromise to get things done, but those rare times calls for transparency and communication explaining the problem, solutions and outcomes to their constituents'.

The greatest day in your life and mine is when we take total responsibility for our attitudes. That's the day we truly grow up. ~ John C. Maxwell

Respectfully yours,
Debbie Smith
President

ARW General Meeting

Tuesday, Jan 28 ~ Speaker TBA Soon!
Clarion Hotel
5121 E. La Puente Ave. PHX 85044
6:30p - Social Networking
7:00 pm - Call to Order



2014 Event Calendar



Sat. Jan. 11
Maricopa
County GOP
Statutory
Meeting

Elected Precinct Committeemen
Registration: 7:30a – 9:00a
Meeting: 9:00a
Church for the Nations
6225 N. Central Avenue
PHX 85012

Sat. Jan. 25
AZGOP
Meeting



Elected State Committeemen
Grace Community Church
1200 E Southern Ave Tempe
PHX 85012



Tue. Jan 28
ARW General
Meeting

6:30p - Networking
7:00 pm - Meeting
Clarion Hotel
5121 E. La Puente Ave. PHX
85044

AzFRW
Winter
Meeting



Friday & Saturday,
Feb. 7 & 8, 2014
London Bridge Resort,
Lake Havasu, AZ
Visit: www.azfrw.com
for more details.



Next meeting:
Wednesday,
January 9

Effective immediately:
LD 18 meetings will be
held at the **Clarion Hotel**,
5121 E La Puente Ave,
PHX 85044
Sign-in and mingle
time: 6:30 pm Call to order:
7:00 pm

Treasure's Report December 2013



Beginning Balance 12/01/2013	3,156.55
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
Dues	
Associate	135.00
Member	425.00
Total Dues	560.00
Fundraising	
Jewelry	35.00
Wine Glasses	60.00
Total Fundraising	95.00
Newsletter Advertising	
12 Months \$50	20.00
3 Months \$25	25.00
Total Newsletter Adver	45.00
Total Income	700.00
Expense	
Bank Fees	
Bank Fees	12.00
Total Bank Fees	12.00
Operations	
Postage, Mailing &	48.69
Total Operations	48.69
Special Events Exp	
Christmas Party	87.98
Total Special Events E	87.98
Total Expense	148.67
Net Ordinary Income	551.33
Net Income	551.33
Ending Balance 12/31/2013	3,707.88
Plus Petty Cash	20.00
Total Cash On Hand 12/31/2013	3,727.88

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Sharon Anich 1/3
Danielle Smith 1/25
Margaret Strachan
1/10



WELCOME TO ARW!

Members: Carol Jacobson,
Kori Treece

Associates: Tim Sharer, Fred Treece,
Tyler Treece

THANK YOU FOR RENEWING FOR 2014!

Members: Marilyn Astroth, Leigh Ann Baumbach, Mary Baumbach, Melanie Beauchamp, Judy Berg, Cindy Casaus, Kathy Diekelman, Terry Giebelhaus, Kris Morrissey, Mary Pellegrino, Loraine Pellegrino, Larissa Pixler, Sheree Sepulveda, Suzanne Sharer, Margo Treece, Ruth Unks

Associates: Louis Astroth, Curtis Baumbach, Mark Giebelhaus, Tom Morrissey, David Noble, Ed Pellegrino, Moses Sanchez



Member's Are Treasures

Happy New Year Ahwatukee Republican Women and Friends!

I wanted to take time to applaud your efforts to improving your political knowledge by being a valued member of ARW. Now we hope you will consider inviting a friend to join us. Let's start the New Year off with a bang by making our January 2014 General Meeting a big membership event.

This is an important election year so let's do our part in educating Ahwatukee voters.

For eight years we have been actively engaged in the political process. Our success lies in recruiting committed citizens like you, who are willing to devote the time and effort necessary to make a difference. Remember you are truly a treasure!

We hope you and a friend will join us the fourth Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the Clarion Hotel. We look forward to seeing you and meeting your friends.

Mary Baumbach

ARW End VP Membership

HAPPY★NEW★YEAR

Caring for Community

ARW Christmas Charity: Child Crisis Center of Phoenix

ARW donated over \$600, plus toys and toiletries to the Child Crisis Center in December. Thank you once again to our ARW family for your ongoing generosity as we help *Care for our Community and America!*

The CCC is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, therefore monetary donations to the Center are tax deductible. Receipts will be available from our Treasurer at the January meeting.



From Left: Kathy Diekelman, Caring for Community Chair and Jill Norgaard, 3rd VP deliver ARW donations to Child Chris Center

“Never forget that everything Hitler did in Germany was legal”

~ Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.



The Arizona Federation of Republican Women
AzFRW Winter Meeting
Friday & Saturday,
February 7th & 8th
London Bridge Resort, Lake Havasu, AZ
Information and registration forms
available soon at www.azfrw.com

Help Wanted! Ahwatukee Republican Women Committees 2014

Please consider volunteering to serve ARW in 2014!

The following appointed positions remain open.

ARW needs your help to have another successful year! Email: ARWomen@aol.com

Achievement Awards(This committee makes sure we qualify for AzFRW & NFRW awards. This includes collecting and tracking volunteer hours.) ~ **Campaign Activities** (Campaign Committee is vital to our club to provide information about Republican candidates.)~ **Chaplain** ~ **Historian/Photographer** ~ **Phone Tree** (This committee is responsible for phoning the members who do not have email to remind them of meetings and events.

ARW is a welcoming club for anyone who wishes to be more involved!



Keep the Star-Spangled Banner Waving in 2014



Did you know that New Year's Day is considered one of the holidays on which the American flag should be flown?

Of course, on any and every day of the year, from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31, weather permitting, our nation's flag can be proudly displayed, but, for a handy reference as we begin 2014, the following is a listing of holidays, patriotic observances, and other specially designated days on which it is particularly appropriate to fly the Stars and Stripes.

New Year's Day	Korean War Veterans Armistice Day - July 27
Martin Luther King Day - 3 rd Mon. in Jan.	Labor Day
Lincoln's Birthday - Feb. 12	V-J Day - Sept. 2
Washington's Birthday - Feb. 22	Patriot Day - Sept. 11 (half-staff)
President's Day - 3 rd Mon. in Feb.	Constitution Day - Sept. 17
Easter Sunday	Gold Star Mothers/Family Remembrance Day
National Day of Prayer - 1 st Thur. in May	last Sun. in Sept.
V-E Day - May 8	Columbus Day - 2 nd Mon. in Oct.
Mother's Day - May 11 this year	Navy Day - Oct. 27
Armed Forces Day - 3 rd Sat. in May	Veterans Day - Nov. 11
Memorial Day (half-staff until noon)	Thanksgiving Day
Flag Day - June 14	Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day - Dec. 7
Father's Day - June 15 this year	(half-staff)
Independence Day - July 4	Christmas Day

Other days to fly the flag include Inauguration Day (Jan. 20 of the years in which this occurs); election days; statehood anniversaries, such as Feb. 14 in Arizona; state holidays; and "other days as may be proclaimed by the President of the United States".

The flag should always be displayed in a respectful manner, in accordance with the protocols of the official U.S. Flag Code. Numerous websites, such as www.vfw.org, www.americanflag.org, www.usflag.org, and www.publications.usa.gov, offer more information about our American flag, its history, the U.S. Flag Code, and the proper display and care of our country's honored national emblem.

Priscilla Poese, Americanism

Ahwatukee Republican Women Leadership Directory 2014



Executive Board

President: Debbie Smith

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Committees:

Americanism: Priscilla Poese

Armed Services (Support our Troops):

Sheree Sepulveda

Achievement Awards: OPEN

Budget:

Cindy Casaus/ Debbie Smith/ Marilyn Astroth & Laura Phipps

Bylaws Review: Terry Giebelhaus / OPEN/ OPEN

Campaign Activities: OPEN

Caring for America: Kathy Diekelman

Chaplain: OPEN

Education & Literacy:

Carol Wyatt & Lori Nelson- DeNapoli

Fundraising: Assisting 3rd VP: OPEN

Historian/Photographer: OPEN

Hospitality: Mary Baumbach , Mary Pellegrino

Legislative Jill Norgaard

Marjorie Miner Scholarship: Marjorie Miner / Lucille Fraas / Laura Phipps

Membership: Assisting 2 VP: Tirza Smalley

Parliamentarian: Marjorie Miner

Phone Tree: OPEN

Programs & Special Events: Assisting 1st VP: OPEN

Public Relations : Loraine Pellegrino

Sunshine : Carol Hageman & Kathleen Tubbs

Women's Health Issues: OPEN



Additional Information: Contact Pres. Smith or email ARWomen@aol.com

Ahwatukee Republican Women was chartered in January 2005 and is affiliated with the Arizona Federation of Republican Women (AzFRW), and the National Federation of Republican Women (NFRW).

Members come together as a collective force to advance the influence of women through political access and participation. We strengthen the Republican Party by recruiting, training and electing candidates, advocating the Party's philosophy and initiatives, and empower women of all ages, ethnicities and backgrounds in the political process.

In addition to political education and participation, our platform includes community service, and literacy.

-- Mission Statement --

To educate, inspire and encourage participation in the political process by volunteering our time and resources to elect Republican candidates and promote Republican ideals of peace through strength, prosperity through individual responsibility and liberty through limited government.

JILL NORGAARD 2014

Jill Norgaard
Candidate

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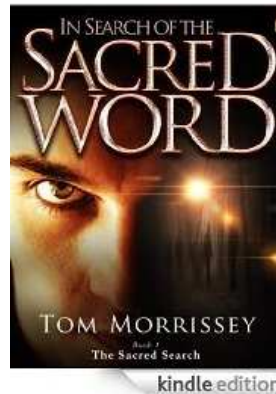
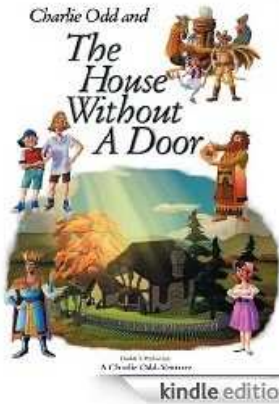
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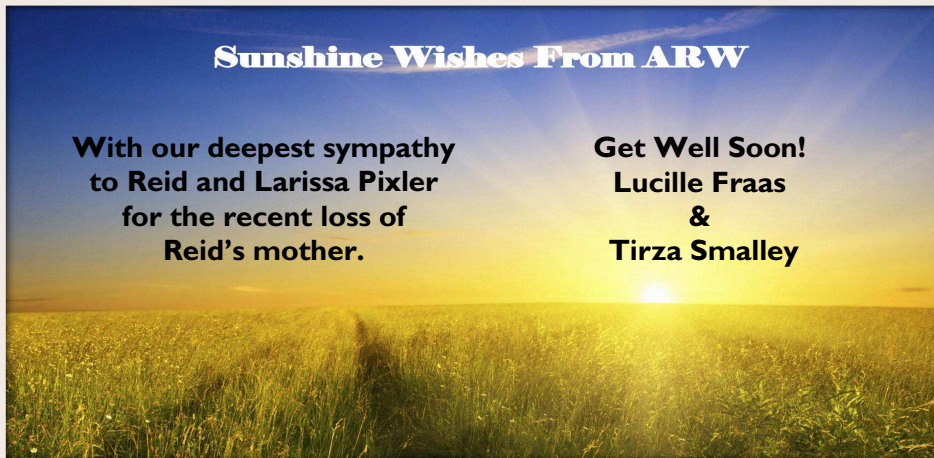
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Sunshine Wishes From ARW

With our deepest sympathy to Reid and Larissa Pixler for the recent loss of Reid's mother.

Get Well Soon!
Lucille Fraas
&
Tirza Smalley



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Membership Application 2014

Date: _____

New Renewal

Dues are by Calendar Year, January 1st to December 31st

Name: _____ Birth Date (Month/Day): _____

Spouse: _____ Birth Date (Month/Day): _____

Address: _____

City & State: _____ Zip: _____ - _____

Last four digits necessary for National mailings

Occupation: _____

(Required by law for a Political Action Committee) If not employed, list: Homemaker, retired, private tutor, volunteer.

Elected Official or Candidate (position)? _____

Home Ph: _____ Work Ph: _____ Cell Ph: _____

E-Mail: _____

(Please print e-mail and notify us with changes. This is our preferred means of communication.)

Precinct # _____

(On Voter Registration Form)

Are you a registered Republican? Yes No

How did you hear about ARW? _____

COMMITTEES / INTERESTS: Please indicate any Committees that you may have interest in participating on and someone will be in touch with you with more information.

- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising | <input type="checkbox"/> Campaign Activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach / Service |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality | <input type="checkbox"/> Hotline / Telephone / E-mail | <input type="checkbox"/> Leadership |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> Publicity / Media | <input type="checkbox"/> I can help where needed |

I DO I DO NOT wish to be listed in a Roster available to ARW members only.

ANNUAL DUES: ARW Membership dues cover the calendar period from January 1st to December 31st

- \$25.00 - Active Member
- \$15.00 - Associate Member (Women with active membership in another Federated RW club, Republican men and spouses)
- \$10.00 - Junior Member (Young Women between the ages of 13 - 18)

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____ Check # _____ Cash _____

Please make checks* payable to "ARW" or Ahwatukee Republican Women.

* All bank charges for checks returned for insufficient funds and all stop payment charges shall be paid by the party issuing the original check.

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