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Message from the President



Vida Keller, President
September 2023 message



"It's been a tumultuous year, and now we find ourselves in fall. The leaves are turning, the weather is getting cooler, and I'm observing more people out and about. This signals a time of increased community involvement.

The legislative session concluded months ago, and we are still grappling with its affects as we prepare for another election next year. 2024 will be a pivotal year as we elect our next President of the United States.

Since the last presidential election, we have endured significant challenges, including rising inflation, interest rates, and a lack of security. Recent events at the Nevada State Republican Central Committee meeting in Winnemucca have now outlined the process for the next presidential caucus and state presidential primary. The Nevada Republican Party, representing 'We the People,' has decided not to participate in the state-run primary on February 6, 2024. Instead, it will uphold its tradition of a presidential caucus on February 8, 2024.

The Presidential Caucus will be held in your communities during the precinct meetings, just as we did in 2016. I urge you to become actively involved, engage your family and friends, and help make this the most extensive statewide caucus our state has ever witnessed. It's imperative that we cast our votes wisely, as we must send the right person to run in November to restore our country. Staying at home is not an option. Reach out to your local Republican Central Committee or contact us here at the Fernley Republican Women for more information.

As your president and friend in 2023, I cannot emphasize enough how powerful we can be if we work together to communicate and inform ourselves, our friends, family, and neighbors. If you're not already a member, please consider attending our meetings to see what we're all about. Bring a friend and join us."

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Fernley Republican Women Highlights and Training



June 2023 Meeting Highlights:

Guest Speaker Tom Hendricks, Lyon County School Board Trustee

Tom Hendrix was elected to the Lyon County School Board in November 2022 and seated January 23, 2023. Tom is an active member of the Lyon County Republican Central Committee and one of its delegates to the Nevada State Republican Central Committee, and an Associate Member of the Fernley Republican Women. Tom spoke to the membership about the challenges and recent changes to the public's ability to address agenda items during public comment. Public comment on agenda items was voted down by a majority vote at the June 27th meeting, thus eliminating the public voice on issues concerning their children and any policies of major concern.



Tom continues to report to the Fernley Republican Women's group on ongoing efforts by board members goal to silent parents and citizens in Lyon County. Out children's future depend on everyone listening and speaking out whenever rights are trampled! Thank you Tom for your service!

JULY 2023 ACTIVITIES

Every year, the FRW participate in celebrating our Nations Birthday by participating in a community wide parade held in Fernley Nevada.





Highlights cont'd.....

July Activities continued:



Patti Palmer and Candice McCarthy

The Fernley Republican Women show their patriotism by walking the parade route in the sweltering heat! Thank you Patti and Candace!



Mayor's Float

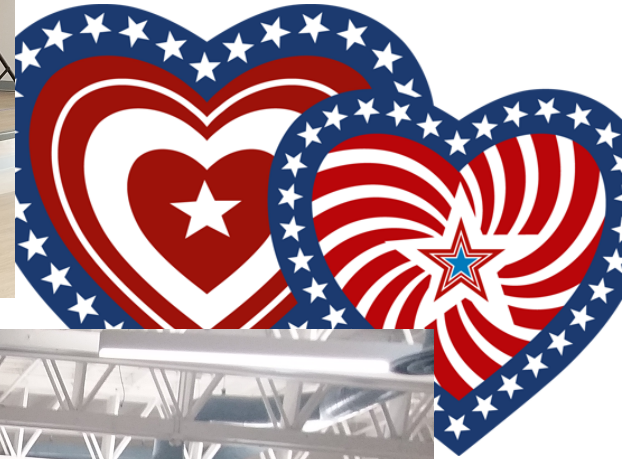
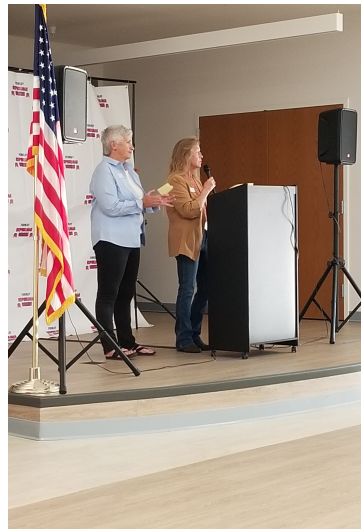
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Continued News:

July 18, 2023 FRW Membership Reception

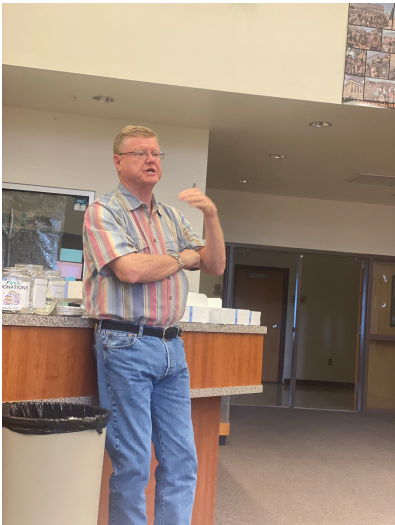


FRW celebrated new members at a reception in the Fernley Senior Center. 4 members were welcomed. *The Fernley Senior Center will be our meeting place beginning October, 2023.* See the calendar attached

Special Guest Speaker, Captain Amy Brown, Retired
Amy shared her life journey into the field of politics with our membership and how her husband Captain Sam Brown, Retired Army, decided to enter the race for U.S. Senate.



August 2023 Meeting News: Mark Amodei, US Representative, speaks to the membership





Fernley Republican Women Calendar of Events



Calendar of Events



May 9, 2023

FRW Executive Board Meeting Silver Springs, Community Center

May 16, 2023

FRW Meeting, Fernley High School Library
Speaker, Kathi McGathey, Operations Manager. Veterans Guest House

June 13, 2023

FRW Executive Board Meeting

June 20, 2023

FRW Meeting, Fernley High School Library
Speaker to be announced

July 4, 2023

Fourth of July Parade and Booth, Theme "Fernley Moving Forward"

July 18, 2023

FRW Membership Celebration and Dinner at the Fernley Senior Center, time to be announced

August 8, 2023

FRW Executive Board Meeting

August 15, 2023

FRW Meeting, Fernley High School Library
Speaker to be announced

September 12, 2023

FRW Board Meeting

September 19, 2023

FRW Meeting, Fernley Senior Center

October 10, 2023

FRW Executive Meeting

October 17, 2023

FRW Meeting, Fernley Senior Center

November 14, 2023

FRW Executive Meeting

November 21, 2023

FRW Meeting, Fernley Senior Center

December 12, 2023

FRW Executive Meeting

December 19, 2023

FRW Meeting, Fernley Senior Center

A note from the Editor:

If you don't know me, I am Susan Cottingham, a resident of the Yerington Community. My husband and I moved to the Yerington area back in 2017. Prior, we lived in Placerville, CA where we both retired. I worked for Superior Court for 24+ years and my husband was a Master Printer. We have 4 sons, and 9 grandchildren. After coming to Yerington, I got bored and decided to join the work force and soon was hired to run the Senior Center in Yerington. I am now retired again, spending time in my garden, teaching sewing and knitting on the side.

I joined the Fernley Republican Women group over a year ago and soon became involved with the newsletter. It is my pleasure to help whenever I can and I look forward to meeting all of you at one of the meetings. Please join us at the Fernley Republican Women's group, now meeting at the Fernley Senior Center. This is a great way to find out what is happening in our county and state!

Susan Cottingham



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Fernley Republican Women MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2023

*FRW invites you to become a member of our dynamic and active group.
We hold monthly meetings with interesting guest speakers, as well as special activities during the year.*



Name _____ Home Phone _____

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(An Associate Member is a woman who is a Regular Member of another Republican Women's Club or a spouse or any Republican male interested in the Fernley Republican Women. All Associate Members are non-voting members. If you are a member of another federated club, which one? _____)

The Fernley Republican Women will need a lot of help to keep our club running. Committees need people to help with our various fundraising events and other activities. Please review the following committees and volunteer your assistance.

Circle your choice(s):

Achievement	Campaign	Legislation	Scholarship
Americanism	Caring for America	Literacy	Ways and Means
Armed Forces/Homeland Security	Elections	Membership	Website/Facebook
Audit	Fourth of July	Newsletter	
Budget	Hospitality	Nominations	
Bylaws	Leadership	Publicity/Outreach	

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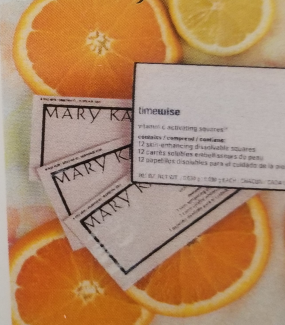
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