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Granite Mountain Republican Women *"Shout Out"* Newsletter September 2022



A Message from GMRW President TeriAnn Neigel

Hard to believe that summer is nearly over, kids are back in school and before we know it the holidays will be upon us. The first of those holidays being Labor Day. Labor Day is an annual holiday to celebrate the economic and social contributions of workers to the strength, prosperity, and well-being of the country. In the United States, Labor Day is a federal holiday observed on the first Monday of September. I hope all of our members enjoy a wonderful commemoration of the day.

GMRW has held many candidate forums over the last several months and participated with our Region in a candidate forum

with the objective of educating members and allowing discussion with the candidates of the issues at hand. GMRW remained unbiased and without prejudice regarding any candidate. As a component of this policy, we are not allowed to donate directly to any candidate. With the conclusion of the primary races, the GMRW Board voted to donate to both the county and the state GOP in keeping with our objective of working for the election of Republican candidates. At the GMRW August meeting, it was my honor to present to YavGOP's Carie Hughes, a check in the amount of \$1000.00. An additional \$1000.00 has been sent to the AZGOP. The fundraising efforts of GMRW made these donations possible and we thank each of you who helped us in this endeavor.

The August meeting featured candidates for the Prescott Unified School District school board. As we have all heard many, many times 'the children are the future of our country.' CRT and SEL in it's many forms and in many disguises have infiltrated **OUR** schools. We can no longer turn a blind eye to what is occurring right under our noses. As one of the candidates pointed out to me in discussion, it is not the parents who get out and vote, it is the folks like you and me who have raised our children and are now in our "senior" years. Talk to your children, to your neighbors, your friends and acquaintances and help to impress upon them the need to vote in order to stop the nonsense that is being perpetrated upon the children of the quad cities. If you are able, attend board meetings and let your voice be heard. If not, voice your beliefs through your vote. If we are to affect the future, we must start with protecting our children.

The Fall meeting of the AzFRW is being held in Chandler, AZ September 15-17. We hope to see some of you there! It promises to be an informative, fun, and exciting time. Looking forward to bringing back information, good news regarding the November "Red Wave" prospects, and encouraging plans

for the election.

Psalm 127:3 “Children are a heritage from the Lord, offspring a reward from him.”

Proverbs 22:6 “Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it.”

Malachi 4:6 “He will turn the hearts of the parents to their children, and the hearts of the children to their parents, or else I will come and strike the land with total destruction.”



September - Fall is in the Air!

GMRW

**Lunch Meeting
September 15th**

at the Prescott Centennial Center
1989 Wineglass Drive
Prescott, AZ 86301

Directions: Follow AZ-89 turning toward the Airport on

Mac Curdy Drive.
Turn right onto Clubhouse Dr.
Bear right onto Wineglass Dr.

Networking will begin at 11 am

**Meal will be served between 11:20 am and 11:45 am,
Late arrivals may be unable to be served.**

Program begins at 12:00 Noon

Reservations OPEN September 3rd.
LOOK FOR A RESERVATION EMAIL AT 10 am
ON THAT DATE - be sure to check your spam folder.

Bring a Friend!

Lunch Menu:

"Salad Bar Delight" with
Chicken Caesar Salad,
Build Your Own Cobb Salad,
Anti Pasta Salad,
Fresh Fruit Salad,
Warm Rolls and Butter

\$25 per person



Programs
1st VP
Teri Grunewald

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September Speakers

Eli Crane and Grant Quezada



Eli Crane is a former Navy SEAL, businessman, husband, father, and native Arizonan. The week after 9/11, Eli joined the Navy.

He went on five war time deployments, three of them to Iraq with SEAL Team 3 and served our country for 13 years.

Eli and his wife Jen founded a small business out of their one-car garage. Together, they started Bottle Breacher, a successful company featured on Shark Tank. Bottle Breacher makes 100% of their products in the USA, while employing and giving back to veterans nationwide. But Eli's most important mission to date has been raising his two daughters, Makenzie and Kennedy. He is proud to be raising his family in Arizona and is ready to fight for their future.

As someone who has put his life on the line to protect and defend this country and our



Grant Quezada is a Prescott native who married his grade school sweetheart and together, they have two sons and a daughter.

Grant is a husband, father, entrepreneur, business owner, a veteran Ranger in the Army, and currently serves in the National Guard.

Grant has been a candidate for Prescott City Council and continues to support many conservative clubs, events, speaking engagements, and groups. He is one of the most positive influencers and contributors in the Prescott community. Grant has even been featured in Prescott Living on more than one occasion and recognized as a Man of Vision.

He has an inspirational and motivational message and continues to make a huge impact on our community.

Constitution, Eli understands that the greatest threat to our freedoms is no longer external – it's right here at home. Eli is an America First candidate endorsed by the National Border Patrol Council. Eli is pro-life, pro-second amendment, and has the courage to take a stand against cancel culture and the radical left.

Questions must be submitted to GMRW in advance

Click **HERE** to submit a question for the speaker



**Ways & Means
2nd VP
Gerry Rorrison**



Our biggest fundraiser of the year has passed and now we are moving ahead and are finalizing some upcoming fun ways to highlight local businesses - see what we have in store!

On-going, we will continue to have:

50/50 at each meeting

Gift Cards

Items donated from Prescott area vendors

Surprise items

Christmas is right around the corner! A great way to raise funds late in the year is to have a holiday shopping event. Members should Look forward to our Holiday Bazaar!

Members interested in a vendor table, please contact Gerry.

gerryorrison@gmail.com



**Membership
3rd VP
Pat Briody**



Welcome Members

***A Warm Welcome to all Republican women and men
that have joined GMRW!***

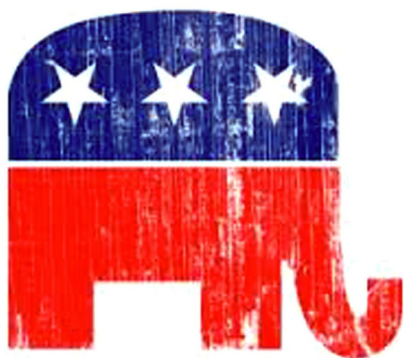
We gained 1 new Primary member and 1 new Associate member which now makes our membership numbers

78 Primary and 60 Associate members for a total of 138 members!

Our Membership Drive will begin October 1 for renewals as well as new members. Save the date of Sunday October 2 for a membership social event with more news forthcoming! Hopefully we can all invite someone new, so we can double our membership!

Once again, please feel free to bring a guest to our meetings. We plan to do this until we reach the capacity of the Centennial Center. Thank you!

CLICK to go online to renew or join



**Arizona GOP &
Yavapai County GOP
Corner**

SAVE THE DATE!!



**The Yavapai County Republican Committee
Invites You to the 2022 Lincoln Reagan Dinner
Friday, September 16, 2022 @ 5:30 pm
Doors open at 5:30 – The Program Begins at 6:00 PM**

Vibes Event Center, 6200 N AZ – 89



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FOR MORE INFO, CALL (928)776-4500 or visit www.yavgorp.org



**In keeping with our
Vision and Mission
statement
to "help elect Republican
candidates",
Granite Mountain
Republican Women
donated
\$1,000 to YavGOP and
\$1,000 to AzGOP
at their August 18th
meeting!**



Americanism Kristi MacDonald



Our Second Amendment Continued from July's Americanism report

Last month you recall I highlighted the recent 6-3 Supreme Court ruling, applying the 2nd amendment right of gun owners in New York to carry outside the home for self defense. As predicted the anti-gun proponents in congress quickly reacted and passed H.R 1808, an assault weapons ban with two Republicans voting for it. On August 1st, the bill was received in the Senate and is currently being deliberated in the judiciary committee.

I also mentioned that our revolving door justice system among other things need reform to keep criminals with guns off the streets. While many have bought into the simplistic idea that the availability of firearms is the cause of gun violence and specifically mass shootings, a number of experts have pointed out some uncomfortable truths being overlooked by the media and many legislators. Imagine that! First of all gun control

legislation has shown that law abiding Americans are not the problem, because the more gun control laws that have passed, the more mass shootings have occurred. 97.8% of mass shootings happen in “gun free zones,” as the perpetrators know that legally armed citizens won’t be there to stop them.

But secondly, what do mass shooters have in common? A number of experts have been pointing out a more uncomfortable truth, which is that mass shootings are far more likely the result of how we’ve been mistreating mental illness, depression and behavior problems. Even when mental health does enter the mass shooter discussion, the issue of fatherless boys or the over-prescribing of antidepressant drugs is rarely mentioned. In Warren Farrell’s book “The Boy Crisis” he has found that being ‘dad deprived’ is a leading factor in males’ increased mental illness, drug addiction and suicide. He links the mass shootings in 53 developed countries to boys and men who lacked a father figure and he specifically mentions 6 mass shootings that have occurred in the U.S in the 21st century. All six of those shootings (that have killed more than 10 people), have been done by boys who have been ‘dad deprived,’ from Sandy Hook in 2012 to the Uvalde Texas shooting in May of this year.

According to the census bureau, the number of single mothers raising their children has doubled in the past 50 years. As of 2020, twenty one percent (or about 15 million children) lived with their mother only, compared to eleven percent (or 7.6 million) in 1968.

In addition, in the two decades between 1988 and 2008 antidepressant use in the U.S rose by 400 percent and by 2010, eleven percent of the U.S population over the age of twelve were on some kind of antidepressant. One to three mass shootings per year was the norm until 2012 when there were seven. There has been a clear trend of an increased number of mass shootings since 2012. We just can’t ignore the rampant use of drugs known to directly cause violent behavior and the

rise of these shootings. Here are some known side effects of these brain altering antidepressant drugs: Insomnia, impulsivity, emotional detachment, violence, suicidal and homicidal ideation. Sometimes the drugs disrupt brain function so dramatically the perpetrator can't remember what they did, as was the case with a 16 year old high schooler in 2001, who was prescribed Effexor. On the first day of taking the increased dose, the boy woke up with a headache and decided to skip school and went back to sleep. Sometime later, he got up, took a rifle to his school and held 23 class mates hostage at gun point. He later claimed he had no recollection of anything that happened after he went back to bed that morning.

The risks are clear:

Since October of 2004, all antidepressants must include a black box warning that the drug can cause suicidal thoughts and behaviors, especially in those younger than 25. In summary, there are cultural, medical and behavioral factors that contribute to the complete picture of gun violence in our country. Our political leaders, the medical community, the media and we the people need to get serious about addressing these dangerous risks to stop this escalating cycle of gun violence. Passing more gun restrictions does nothing to keep guns out of the hands of criminals or those who are under the influence of brain altering drugs. We are facing a cultural and mental health crisis in this country that needs to be addressed sooner rather than later if we are to stop this vicious cycle of gun violence.

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By Joseph Mercola



Legislature Congressman Paul Gosar

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Gosar Sponsors Legislation Protecting Children from Genital Mutilation and Child Abuse Surgery

This week, I cosponsored H.R. 8731, the Protect Children's Innocence Act, legislation that would make it a felony to provide gender mutilation surgery to youths under the age of 18 years old. Misnamed by the Wokies on the Left as "gender-affirming care," this is really nothing more than child abuse. H.R. 8731 would outlaw more than a dozen medical procedures used to permanently mutilate young people, including puberty blockers, hormone therapy and surgeries performed for the purpose of changing a young person's gender that differs from their biological sex. The practice of genital mutilation, chemical castration and removing young females' breasts is disgusting and appalling and anyone performing these horrific procedures should go to jail.

Click the tab below to read a copy of this legislation

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Up Coming Events! Communications Chair Donna Buehring



September 15 - GMRW Lunch Meeting

September 15-17 - AzFRW Fall Meeting

September 17 - Constitution Day Event

October 1 - GMRW 2023 membership drive begins

October 2 - Special Membership Event

October 20 - GMRW Dinner Meeting

November 8 - General Election

November 17 - GMRW Lunch Meeting

The GMRW.org website has a new page with content meant for members only. If you are a member and wish to set up your profile password on that page, [please contact DJ Buehring with that request.](#)

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**Armed Forces/
Caring for
America
Pat Lorenzen**



**September's Caring for America
Featured Charity**

**GMRW Featured
CFA Charity**





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Support Groups



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(donation letter will be sent for tax purposes)

Chaplain's Corner

Jo Poulson - Chaplain





From Henry Ward Beecher:

The unthankful heart discovers no mercies; but the thankful heart will find, in every hour, some heavenly blessings.

Please contact GMRW if you or someone you know needs prayer or just a cheerful note.

Jo Poulson:

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NFRW & AzFRW
Pat Lorenzen
AzFRW
Region I Director



[**Book a room now**](#)

To RSVP by phone at 520-796-4900

Mention "AZ Federation of Republican Women"
Group Rate \$120 per night + taxes & fees
Hotel reservations are due by August 26th 2022

Call to Meeting
AzFRW Fall State Meeting
September 15th - 17th, 2022
Wild Horse Pass Hotel & Casino
5040 W. Wildhorse Pass Boulevard
Chandler, AZ 85226

[Click to Register Now](#)

Join us for a very special event taking place before the AzFRW
Fall Board of Directors State Meeting!

The AzFRW Region VI Clubs,
Ahwatukee, Chandler, Mesa & Tempe Republican Women,
Invite you to a Constitution Day tea on Thursday,
September 15th at 1:30 pm at the home of Jane Waypa in
Ahwatukee.

Wear your most patriotic attire, snack on tea sandwiches and
finger foods and meet Caesar Rodney, signer of the Declaration
of Independence portrayed by Cindy Biggs. Don't miss it!

Questions?
Mary Baumbach, 1st VP - Ahwatukee Republican Women
maryb85044@yahoo.com / 602-206-1189

[Tea Registration](#)



CONSTITUTION DAY

Tea time

Thursday
SEPT.15.22

1:30-3:30PM

Before the AzFRW
FALL MEETING



TICKETS

\$35

*Hosted by
AzFRW Region VI
at the home of*

JANE WAYPA

1207 E Granite View Dr
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*Meet Caesar Rodney,
Signer of the Declaration
of Independence portrayed
by Cindy Biggs.*

**WEAR YOUR MOST
PATRIOTIC ATTIRE**

The AzFRW Caring for America project at the Fall Meeting is Children's Cancer Network! Please see the flyer below. If you are planning to attend this meeting, please bring a children's craft item. If you can't attend, and wish to donate, please contact me at patricialorenzen@aol.com
Pat Lorenzen

Caring for America

FALL, 2022
STATE
BOARD OF
DIRECTORS
MEETING



CHILDRENS CANCER NETWORK

CHANDLER, ARIZONA

WE ARE COLLECTING
CRAFT PROJECTS FOR
CHILDREN RESTRICTED TO
BED WHILE THEY ARE
RECEIVING TREATMENT.

Volunteer Hour ONLINE Reporting



***Help GMRW collect volunteer hours for
Primary Members and Associate Members.***

Volunteer hours include:

Regular: all meetings, tours, luncheons, committees, conventions, etc.

Campaign: all political and campaigning meetings, forums, rallies, petitions, phone banks, voter registration, etc.

Precinct Hours: volunteer at YavGOP, attend precinct meetings door knock in your precinct, etc.

Remember to report your hours each month by clicking on the link located in the sign up reminder email sent monthly, going directly to our website www.gmrw.org

or by emailing DJ Buehring at gmrwcomms@protonmail.com

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Members & Guests



Members & Guests



Jan Smith



Centennial Staff



Call to order, prayer,
pledge



Guest Speakers



Michele Hamer,
PUSD candidate

Brooks Compton
PUSD Candidate
with Deb McCasland



TeriAnn presents
\$1000 donation to
YavGOP

Linda Conn & Andy
Nelson, PUSD
candidates



Carie Hughes,
YavGOP Vice Chair,
accepts GMRW
donation



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