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SCARWF GENERAL MEETING & LUNCHEON

Featuring Special Guest Speaker

Lydie Denier

Author of *A Voice for Ambassador Christopher Stevens*

She was his fiancé and longtime confidante and speaks about the unbelievable tragedy that occurred in Benghazi where he and three other Americans died in a terrorist attack on the U.S. Embassy. You may purchase her book and she will sign it for you.



ALERT!!!

Chairman and committee contact information can now be found by logging into the members only page on SCARWF.ORG.

If you are a member and do not have a password, you can request one on SCARWF.ORG

Also, please note that the SCARWF membership directory is now available online in the members only section of SCARWF.ORG.

ALSO HEAR FROM THE CANDIDATES!

Please join us for an opportunity to hear more Republican candidates in person who are running in the Primary Election on June 5th and have the opportunity to ask them questions.

- Travis Allen, running for Governor and endorsed by OCGOP
- Diane Harkey, running for the 49th Congressional District, 2018
- Bill Brough, Incumbent running for reelection to California's 73rd State Assembly
- Claude Parrish, running for OC Assessor
- Lisa Sparks, running for OC Board of Education



Wednesday ♦ MAY 9, 2018

TALEGA GOLF CLUB

990 Avenida Talega, San Clemente (949) 369 - 6226

TIME

Social 9:30AM Business 10:30AM

COST

\$28.00 Checks made out to SCARWF (Preferred) or Exact Change Only

\$30.00 If paying with Credit Card

RESERVATIONS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE—If a cancellation is necessary, please contact Connie Velkamp **NO LATER than 5pm on the Thursday before the meeting**

Your cooperation is deeply appreciated!

NEW!

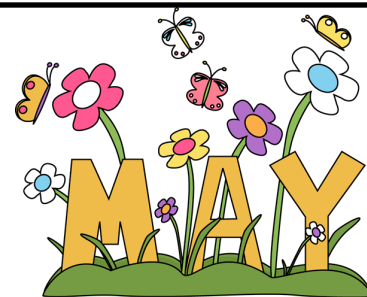
We open our doors at 9:30am for coffee and chat and great vendors for your shopping pleasure!

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President's Message May, 2018



San Clemente Republican Women have a lot to look forward to in the merry month of May!

After holding a very successful Fundraiser Fashion Show in April that will enable us to give great Scholarships in June to graduating high school seniors we now move on to participating in precinct walks help elect Republicans in the June Primary!

The OCGOP Campaign Headquarters in San Clemente at the Outlet Mall has its kick-off Party on Saturday, April 28. And SCARWF Members will continue to promote Voter Registration in San Clemente on Del Mar Street the first Sunday of each month and at the Mission Viejo Mall the second Saturday of the month!

SCARWF will continue to inform our electorate at our Wednesday, May 9th General Meeting when Candidate for Governor, Travis Allen comes to speak to us as well as Claude Parrish, who is running to be re-elected as County Accessor and Lisa Sparks, whose running for County Board of Education District 5. But that is not all SCARWF members! We will have a double header at our May 9th Meeting as we have a special guest Speaker Lydie Denier, who is the author of the book entitled A Voice for Ambassador Christopher Stevens. Ms. Denier was his fiancé and longtime confidante and speaks about the unbelievable tragedy that occurred in Benghazi where he and three other Americans died in a terrorist attack on the U.S. Embassy. You may purchase her book and she will sign it for you.

So, as you can see this should be a meeting not to miss! And did I say vendors? Well, we will also have some great choices for you to do some shopping since we open our doors at 9:30AM this gives you plenty of time to have a cup of coffee, catch up with club friends and browse the vendors selections!

May continues to be chock full of great SCARWF activities with our Conservative Book Club meeting on the third Wednesday from 4 to 6PM at Panera Bread at the Outlet's and our Military Outreach Baby Shower at Camp Pendleton for twenty-five expectant Marine wives!

Wow, all I can say is we are a busy group of Republican's here in South Orange County!

Best regards,

Mollie Lazarus, President
San Clemente Area Republican Women Federated



MAY MENU



Bread Basket with Whipped Butter

Starter : Caesar Salad

Entrée: Your choice of either:

**Coconut & Onion Stuffed Chicken Breast
Finished with Apricot Lime Glaze**

Or **Vegetarian Lasagna**

Dessert: Chef's Choice

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REGISTER TO VOTE!

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Invocation

Our Father, we give you thanks and praise. We are blessed to be living in "The Land of the Free"...America! We pray you would exalt our nation to such a degree that even the most fanatical of our enemies would fear attacking our embassies and their personnel. Let our enemies begin to see the United States as an ensign of peace to the world, and realize that living in peace is preferable to living in fear and bondage. We will miss number 41, First Lady, gracious, Barbara Bush! Her unwavering faith in you, Lord, was an example for all. She often recited, Psalm 36:20 "Give thanks to the God of Heaven for His steadfast love endures forever" Dear Father, continue to bless President Trump and all government leaders with Your wisdom and protection. In Your Holy name we pray, Lord. Amen



Prepared by Nancy Imes, SCARWF Chaplain

DO YOU NEED A RIDE TO THE SCARWF GENERAL MEETING THIS MONTH?

If so, let your caller know when you confirm your reservation, and a SCARWF member will contact you to make arrangements.

WOULD YOU VOLUNTEER TO PROVIDE A RIDE TO A SCARWF MEMBER?

If so, call or email Crystal Albert-Bonham,
2nd VP, Membership





SCARWF Annual Luncheon & Fashion Show

Legislation



Julienne Chené, Legislation Report

California Primary Elections are June 5th! We Republicans are needed now to help Make California Great Again!

Please call the San Clemente Republican Party Offices at the Outlets and volunteer your time and talent to help get out the vote:

530-574-7390 to reach Elisa Nelson at the San Clemente Outlet Campaign Headquarters or 714-453-0900 to reach Alice Kim & Randall Avila at the Tustin OCGOP Headquarters or go to www.ocgop.org

They need precinct walkers to take door hangers to Republican and Declined to State homes, phone bank callers, people willing to put a sign on your front yard for Republican Candidates! We have four (4) weeks, let's get the vote out!!!

Join us for the May 9th SCARWF meeting and we'll have a list of the OC GOP endorsements for the Propositions and Candidates!

See you next week!

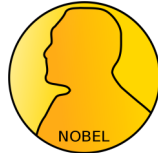
Julienne Chené, Legislative Chair

announce scraping North Korea's long-range missile program, which has posed a direct threat to the United States. U.S. National Security Adviser John Bolton reacted coolly to word that Kim would abandon his weapons if the United States pledged not to invade. Asked on CBS's "Face the Nation" whether the U.S. would make such a promise, Bolton said: "Well, we've heard this before. This is — the North Korean propaganda playbook is an infinitely rich resource. What we want to see from them is evidence that it's real and not just rhetoric." Kim's meeting with Moon was his second summit with a foreign leader since he took office in late 2011. In March, he traveled to Beijing and met with Chinese President Xi Jinping. While meeting with Xi, Kim suggested he prefers a step-by-step disarmament process in line with corresponding outside rewards, according to Chinese state media. U.S. officials want the North to take complete, verifiable and irreversible disarmament measures. China said Monday that its foreign minister, Wang Yi, will visit Pyongyang on Wednesday and Thursday.

China is North Korea's only major economic partner, but trade has declined by about 90 percent following Beijing's implementation of economic sanctions imposed over the North's nuclear and missile tests. Experts credit Trump's foreign policy moves for the dramatic shift. In January, Moon said Trump "deserves big credit for bringing about the inter-Korean talks. It could be a resulting work of the U.S.-led sanctions and pressure". It seems he's right — and it's time for the Nobel Peace Prize committee to recognize that fact.

Who deserves the Nobel Peace Prize more?

From the Horn News



A crowd of supporters at his campaign rally in Michigan this weekend reacted to President Donald Trump in a way no one expected — and it left Trump speechless for a moment while he soaked it all in. Speaking about the tough talk and harsh sanctions the White House had imposed on North Korea, Trump was telling the crowd how just months ago it was "very tough" but breakthroughs had been made. In response, the crowd began chanting "Nobel! Nobel! Nobel!"

For twenty seconds, a stunned Trump stood in silence before finally managing to say, "That's very nice, thank you. Nobel, huh? I just want to get the job done." The chant was in response to South Korean President Moon Jae-in calling on the Nobel Peace Prize selection committee to give the award to Trump for his work on denuclearizing the Korean peninsula and bringing a formal end to the 70-year-old Korean War. "President Trump should win the Nobel Peace Prize. What we need is only peace," Moon told a meeting of senior secretaries, according to a Korean officials.

During their historic meeting Friday at a Korean border village, North Korean dictator Kim Jong Un and Moon agreed to end hostile acts against each other along their tense border and agreed to achieve a nuclear-free Korean Peninsula. North Korea said that Western nuclear experts and journalists would be invited to watch them decommission their nuclear test sites, a major step towards establishing lasting peace on the Asian peninsula. South Korean officials also cited Kim as saying he would be willing to give up his nuclear programs if the United States commits to a formal end to the Korean War and a pledge not to attack the North. Kim had already suspended his nuclear and missile tests while offering to put his nukes up for negotiations. Under former President Barack Obama's administration, North Korea brought the world to the brink of nuclear war. Just a year later — thanks to Trump's "get tough, stay tough" posturing and the White House's pressure on China for support — the Koreans are officially ending the conflict and pledging to scrap their nuclear weapons. Critics point out that Obama was given a Nobel Peace Prize in 2009 — an award the committee later said they regretted.

The closing of the Punggy-ri test site, where all six of North Korea's atomic bomb tests occurred, could be an eye-catching disarmament step by Pyongyang. But there remains deep skepticism over whether Kim is truly willing to negotiate away the nukes that his country has built after decades of struggle. According to a summit accord, Kim and Moon agreed to achieve "a nuclear-free Korean Peninsula through complete denuclearization," rather than clearly stating "a nuclear-free North Korea." Pyongyang has long said the term "denuclearization of the Korean Peninsula" must include the United States pulling its 28,500 troops out of South Korea and removing its so-called "nuclear umbrella" security commitment to South Korea and Japan, but under Trump has dropped that demand. Kim could offer more disarmament concessions during his meeting with President Donald Trump, expected in May or June, but it's unclear what specific steps he would take. Some experts say Kim may

OCAGOP Grand Opening Party Saturday April 28, SC Outlets



Phoenix Club Candidate Forum April 5, 2018



SCARWF Member Bulletin Board

MAY - 2018

Member Spotlight - MAY

Sandi Halamandayis

SCARWF Programs by the Month

May to June 2018

- May 9 Birthday Month Seating for Lunch
Speaker- Lydie Denier, Re: A Voice for Ambassador
Christopher J Stevens & **Book Signing**
- May 17 De Luz Family Baby Shower
- June 13 Scholarship Winners Award Luncheon



Volunteer of the Month - MAY

Susan Campion

Please submit your entries to scarwf@gmail.com for inclusion in The Tide.

SCARWF May Birthdays!

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| <i>Trish Moore (5/2)</i> | <i>Celia Vanderpool (5/16)</i> |
| <i>Janet Zauneker (5/2)</i> | <i>Renee Bevington (5/17)</i> |
| <i>Karleen Marienthal (5/4)</i> | <i>Phyllis Nielsen (5/26)</i> |
| <i>Galina Connery (5/9)</i> | <i>Morlene Atkinson (5/27)</i> |
| <i>Pam Fetzer (5/15)</i> | <i>Linda Carty Ray (5/29)</i> |



CALL TO ACTION!

We Need Your Help!

Volunteer for Voter Registration Sign-ups!

- Mission Viejo Mall—May-12, June-16 and July-14
- Avenida Del Mar—May-6, June-3, and July-1

Contact Kathryn Crouch for more information

Fashion Show Report

Our April 11th Fashion Show Fundraiser Luncheon was a great success with outstanding fashions by Stein Mart modeled by our members and a very nice lunch with sparkling wine! Of course the special day was topped off by a great assortment of Silent Auction baskets and some very worthwhile Live Auction items. We made this a fun time for all with exciting raffle items too, so that everyone had a chance to go home with something nice! I want to thank the outstanding efforts of our Fashion Show Committee, who tirelessly meet many times to plan and organize the day and to put together the many items that went into each Silent and Live Auction Basket.

We want to thank again the many donations by individuals, local shops, restaurants and service providers that allows the fruits of our fundraiser to provide graduating high schools students with scholarships at our June meeting!

Mollie Lazarus, Galina Connery, Liane Pfister & Leonor Jensen

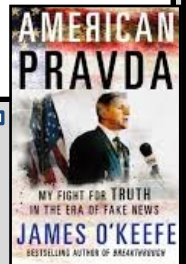


Conservative Book Club 2018

Meeting days: 3rd Wednesday each month **Time:** 4:00 – 6:00PM
Place: Panera Bread @ The Outlets at San Clemente

Join us for interesting reading and a lively discussion about a variety of topics of interest to Conservatives.

MAY BOOK
"American Pravda"
by James O'Keefe



BOOK REPORT

The members of the SCARWF Book Club met on April 18th to discuss BULLIES, by Ben Shapiro. For this member, there are so many things to learn in this book. Knowing that the progressive history of our country goes far back to President Wilson and the political philosophers of the 19th century is one. The tactics used by Wilson, FDR and our former recent President, Barak Obama, are many and so destructive to America and our Founders values. One of the basic distinctions that Shapiro draws is the belief the Left has regarding the meaning of American Patriotism. Progressives believe that patriotism is rooted in capitalistic self-interest and the exploitation of 3rd World peoples. They believe that dissent is the "highest form of Patriotism". Therefore, BULLYING, is their right. Shapiro discusses their bullying using: class, sex, secularism, environmental concerns, institution, and anti patriotic themes. Although written in 2013, the messaging and power of these insights ring true to what we've seen these last 5 years and what is happening today. Mentored by Andrew Breitbart, Ben Shapiro speaks to our need to stand up to the left bullies. We can't let this bullying have the impact of cowering Americans into inaction.

The members present rated this book mostly 4 out of 4 stars, with one member voting for 3 stars.

Our next book is AMERICAN PRAVDA by James O'Keefe. Once again, this book echoes the wisdom of Andrew Breitbart. What a wonderful impact his short-lived life has had for us Republicans!

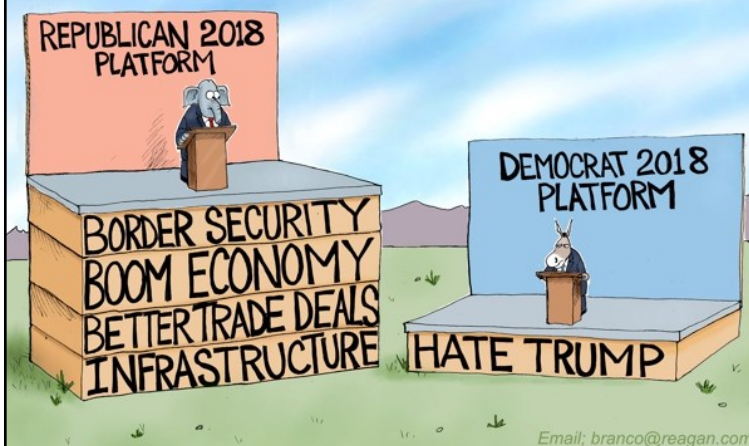
For the final book this year, we're planning to take on a book about Barbara Bush, REMEMBERING BARBARA BUSH by Doug Wead. We invite you to join us on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at the Panera Bread Restaurant, in the San Clemente Outlets. We meet for 2 hours, 4-6 p.m., and would love to have you share these discussions with us.

Susan Campion, Book Club Chair

Go to SCARWF.org for more information

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Cartoon of the Month



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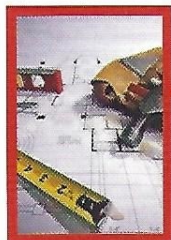
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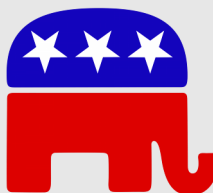


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2018 Meeting Schedule



General Meetings <i>(All Held at Talega Golf Club)</i>	Board Meetings
January 10	January 3 (<i>Mollie Lazarus</i>)
February 14	February 7 (<i>Connie Veldkamp</i>)
March 14	March 7 (<i>San Clemente Outlets</i>)
April 11	April 4 (<i>Jackie Cooper</i>)
May 9	May 3 (<i>Kristy Stramer</i>)
June 13	June 7 (<i>Outlets of SC Boardroom</i>)
September 12	September 6 (<i>Outlets of SC Boardroom</i>)
October 10	October 4 (<i>Kathryn Crouch</i>)
November 14	November 1 (<i>Outlets of SC Board Room</i>)
December 12	December 6 (<i>TBA</i>)

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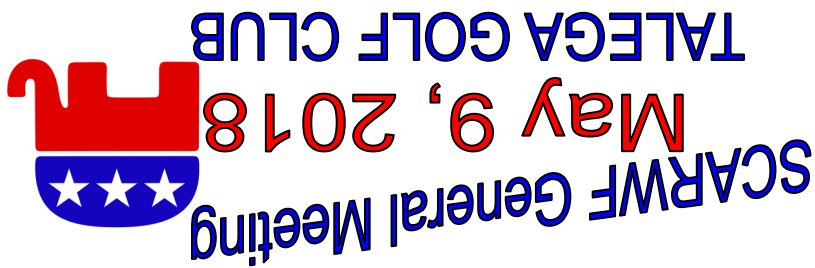
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