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#### **OCGSRW EVENTS CALENDAR**

March 5<sup>th</sup> – Super Tuesday! Don't forget to vote!

March 10<sup>th</sup> - Daylight Savings time begins. Get ready to lose that hour of sleep you gained last fall!

March 12<sup>th</sup> – Board Meeting from 9:30 am – 11:00 am at Phoebe Wise's home Нарру

**March 17<sup>th</sup>** – Happy St. Patrick's Day!

March 20th - 10:30am - 1:00pm OCGSRW luncheon meeting, Marbella Country Club, 30800 Golf Club Drive, SJC. Enjoy delicious food, great friendships, and amazing speakers. Please make reservations via text to Pam Looney with your full name and names of any guests (total number attending) at 949-300-2425 by March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Remember to check in early, because we begin promptly at 11:00am

10:30am - Check in/chat with friends

11:00am - Meeting begins/club business

11:30am - Lunch is served

12:00pm - Guest Speaker: Cheryl Frink, local election integrity activist

March 29<sup>th</sup> – Happy Easter!



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# **NEXT LUNCHEON MEETING: MARCH 20th**

We are Excited to Welcome Back Election Integrity Activist **Cheryl Frink as our Featured Speaker!** 

Highlights from the Documentary by David Clements

#### "Let My People Go"



Patrick's Day!

Cheryl is a 31-year resident of Laguna Niguel. She is a professional interior designer by trade who has been deeply concerned with the state of our elections and the outlandish laws being forced upon us.

She has been working for the past four years to unravel the problems in our elections. Along the way,

these discoveries have led to meeting a network of like-minded patriots who are in this fight to expose the lies and corruption of our 'elected' officials.

Cheryl adamantly maintains that we are a country that believes in freedom and a limited government with power ordained solely at the direction of We, The People. The tyranny of a monarchy was thrown off by our forefathers. Cheryl believes we must restore this precious gift that is the United States of America to ourselves and to all future generations. She is an active member in many election integrity groups including The New State of California, CPOC, CRA and is devoted to the restoration of fair elections and the Constitution given to us by our founding fathers.

Cheryl will be providing information about our election systems. She has found that the promise of free elections has steadily eroded. Cheryl will present highlights from the documentary Let My People Go. a must see! You will learn the truth about the current systems in use and gain a critical understanding of how our Orange County elections have been impacted and undermined by 'selected,' not elected, leaders. Don't let another election rob you of your Constitutional rights for fair elections! Learn about new election discoveries made in Orange County and what you can do to protect our vote.



#### **Next Luncheon Meeting**

Date: Wednesday, March 20th, 2024 Time: Check in 10:30am | Meeting Starts at 11:00am Price: \$38/per person for Reservations

#### **Reservations:**

Please make reservations via text to Pam Looney with your full name and names of any guests (total number attending) at 949-300-2425 by 3/15/24 San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675

Location:

Marbella Country Club 30800 Golf Club Drive

# Orange County Golden State Republican Women

### **President's Message**

Join us as we stand up, fight back and win!

We the people have an opportunity to right the sinking ship we've been on for the past three years.

The November election is going to be one of the most momentous events in this country's history. The candidates we elect to office must be tough, fearless and honest. It is why this year we must be proactive rather than reactive when it comes to the issues, we are all facing.

I am calling out all members of the new Golden State Republican Women's club to participate in ways we can together make a difference in reversing some extremely critical decisions that have put our communities, the state and our nation in the disastrous condition we are in.

Election integrity is a must, and I would like to see more members become engaged in the efforts currently in play that will help get precinct elections back in Orange County. We will identify groups for you to engage with as we need everyone's help to change the direction we're going. In March our guest speaker, Cheryl Frink, will provide excerpts from the movie *Let My People Go* which will show you the need to be pro-active in this effort. Our right to vote is the most valuable and strongest tool we as Americans have in our arsenal and what makes America the greatest nation.

In addition, our school-aged children need help. I encourage each and every one of you to sign the petition going around that will keep the rights of children with the parents and not the school system. As parents and grandparents, we have seen the failure of the public schools and the sinking standards. There has been a decline in the teaching profession and what appears to be a designed "dumbing down" of America's education system. We need to support parents and students by keeping up with the information coming out of school board meetings and finding candidates to run for school boards.

Also, the landscape of California is changing quickly. Whatever the design for our future, it is important that we all stay focused on the issues and decisions that will affect us for the rest of our lives. We are at a real crossroads in this state, and I encourage you to make yourselves aware of the issues facing your community and become engaged in the decision-making process. Watch or attend council meetings, understand the issues, be informed and participate through voicing your opinions to local leaders, state leaders as well as write letters to the editor or letters to lawmakers. They need to know that the government is serving us and not the other way around.

We must not be deterred by the political and economic storm that we find ourselves in. We must focus on protecting our communities and protect our ability to have a voice in its future. We must ask more questions of local and state leaders. Don't let a few make the decisions that will negatively alter our way of life for future generations without our involvement. After all, our communities are the foundation of America.

Let's get involved and take part in open discussions about issues. Understand the issues and base decisions on facts and not emotions.

Again, we need to be a proactive group and not reactive. Remember what President Ronald Reagan said:

"Man is not free unless government is limited. There's a clear cause and effect here that is as neat and predictable as a law of physics. As government expands, liberty contracts."

God bless America!

Linda Koelling, President OCGSRW





Everyone enjoyed hearing the important presentations from both Alexander Haberbush, President of the LexRex Institute and Natalie Carpenter, who spoke about the initiative to protect our children at our February meeting.



Pictured left to right: Pam Looney, Linda Koelling OCGSRW President, Alexander Haberbush, Galina Connery and Michelle Morgan, candidates for Republican Central Committee District 74.



Retired Naval Commander Aaron Washington and Michelle Morgan, candidates for Central Committee in District 74



Congratulations to past President Leslie Sciocchetti who has accepted the position of District Manager for Golden State Republican Women Region 8. We look forward to supporting her in unifying the GSRW clubs in Region 8 and focusing on our shared goals.

Register to Vote/Absentee Ballots/Election Questions: Orange County Registrar of Voters, 1300 South Grand Ave., Building C Santa Ana, CA 92705 - Telephone: (714) 567-7600 | Website: www.ocvote.com

Voter registration forms are also available at our General Meetings, at most U.S. Post Offices, at Public Libraries and the Orange County Republican Headquarters. Voter registration closes fifteen days prior to any election.

#### **Deed and Truth**

by Linda Kidwiler

Almalinda is our most recent House2Home recipient. (House2Home is a division of Deed and Truth). The loss of an important person in her life sent her on a path of depression and addiction. Here is her story in her own words:

"God used Hope Gardens to bring light back into my life. I was able to reunify with my children and maintain sobriety. I have almost 4 years sober and I have allowed God into my life. We are truly blessed and thankful. I found myself and am continuing to better myself and my family. I now work at Hope Gardens as a Program Coordinator. I love working here and being able to give back to the community that helped me. I now have secured permanent housing and am so grateful to everyone who has supported me. I plan to continue working and going to school to further my career, but most of all, to take in the moment of having a place me and my children can call HOME. Thank you all so very much. The house is beautiful and we LOVE our new HOME!"

A special thanks to the H2H team at All Nations Church for providing many of the household items and the volunteers to make this a reality for Almalinda. Thanks to all who donated furniture and furnishings that have now been repurposed and are proudly on display at Almalinda's brand new digs. And thanks to all of you who support Deed & Truth financially.

If you have any next-to-new furniture, please reach out! Monetary donations also appreciated: www.deedandtruth.org. Item donations please contact Lynne @ 949-697-4549.



Rooms furnished with donated items from House 2 Home, a division of Deed and Truth.



## How Will the Supreme Court Rule on Attempts to Remove Trump from the Ballot?

#### By Joan Garnett

If I were a betting person, I would bet that President Trump will win this battle, remaining on all ballots in all states. On February 8th, when the validity of Trump being on the ballot was presented to the Supreme Court, the response from some of the justices seemed to indicate that they reject these attempts for ballot removal due to the President not being accused of insurrection, which many of the ballot removal cases have touted. Justice Elena Kagan specifically questioned "why a single state should decide who gets to be president of the United States."

Both conservative and liberal justices questioned during arguments whether Trump can be disqualified from being president again because of his efforts to undo his loss in the 2020 election to Democrat Joe Biden, ending with the socalled 'insurrection' at the capitol on January 6th. Trump's attorneys contend the Jan. 6 riot wasn't an insurrection, and even if it was, Trump did not go to the Capitol or join the rioters.

According to the ruling from the Colorado Supreme Court, which landed the case in the Supreme Court, Trump violated Section 3 of the 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment of the Constitution. It reads: "No Person shall be a Senator or Representative in Congress, or elector of President and Vice President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any State, who, having previously taken an oath, as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as an ember of any State legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof. But Congress may by a vote of two thirds of each House, remove such disability."

The argument Trump's lawyers are making is this part of the Constitution wasn't meant to apply to the president, but specifically mentions electors, senators and representatives. They also contend that the oath the president takes doesn't contain the word "support." The Constitution requires presidents to say they will "preserve, protect and defend" the Constitution.

The justices could act quickly, possibly by Super Tuesday on March 5, when Colorado, Maine and 13 other states will hold primaries.

I have confidence that the Supreme Court will rule in favor of Trump, that he was not involved in insurrection and did not violate the Constitution. Hopefully, the justices will have the courage to rule on this to make it difficult at any time in the future for any state to remove a presidential candidate from any state ballot where the candidate has otherwise qualified per the state's requirements.



Congratulations to Linda Jantzen, Leslie Sciocchetti's Mom, for winning the Garden Basket at the February meeting!



# Support the OC GOP Vote Protection Team Efforts! Be a Poll Observer or Ballot Count Observer

We all know that our elections have been targeted by those that have no other objective than to win by any means...even if that means cheating. In order to combat election irregularities and fraud, please volunteer to be either a poll observer at a vote center or ballot count/adjudication observer at the Registrar of Voters. We even need people to observe the drop boxes, and there are 122 of them in Orange County! If you are interested in helping our election processes to be as fraud-free as possible, please call or email Karen Sewell, OC GOP Election Integrity Officer at 714-927-6743 or electionintegrityoc@gmail.com

# What...Another Newsom Recall? Yes!

By Joan Garnett

I worked on the last Newsom Recall and was so disappointed when it didn't yank power from this totalitarian, worthless California governor. However, there is hope!

The latest recall effort, the fifth for Newsom, is being led by Rescue California, seeking to capitalize on the governor's failures in all aspects...huge budget deficit (\$73 billion), yawning borders, growing homelessness, rampant crime, smash and grab robberies...the list continues.

Anne Dunsmore, who is the director of the latest recall effort, stated "Over 400 Californians of every political persuasion and from all walks of life, have joined together to serve as official proponents of this Recall."

If you worked on the last recall, you may remember how important the completion of the petition was. This time, much of the effort will be made by mail (details still coming in).

Signatures equal to 12 percent of the turnout in the last election for governor are required for the recall petitions, which has been estimated to be around 1.38 million signatures needed, but organizers are saying they're shooting for 1.6 million to be prepared for the secretary of state to reject some, like last time.

It must be done quickly – by sometime in May – to qualify the recall for the November 2024 ballot. If that isn't possible, then the process will continue until the necessary signature threshold is met to call a special election.

This could work to stymie Newsom's presidential run, since funds will be needed to thwart the recall effort, and he's not the most popular guy right now. When asked recently how he felt about the recall, he arrogantly responded, "Well, I take it seriously, same dark forces that went after me last time, went after the state, went after the values of the state, same folks that want to roll back most of the progress of the last half century, voting rights, civil rights, LGBTQ rights and women's rights..." The recall effort employed 'dark forces'? Really Guv? I think you're confused and need some re-training on who the dark forces are!

Let's kick this man out of office for good!

For more info, visit www.rescuecalifornia.org

# <u>Will France Make it a Crime to</u> <u>Criticize Medical Treatment...and</u> <u>Will the U.S. Follow?</u>

By Joan Garnett

Under the radar, a controversial proposed bill in France that seeks to outlaw criticism of medical interventions such as mRNA vaccines has passed in the National Assembly. It/s more likely that it was pushed through by the likes of the Macron dynasty.

On February 15<sup>th</sup>, FranceInfo reported that the French Assembly passed Bill 2157, "Aimed at strengthening the fight against sectarian abuses and improving support for victims," on February 14 in an 182-137 vote.

Article 4 of the bill is considered the most controversial (and referred to as Article Pfizer by its opponents).

It states: "Provocation to abandon or abstain from following therapeutic or prophylactic medical treatment is punishable by one year's imprisonment and a fine of 15,000 euros [\$16,216], when this abandonment or abstention is presented as beneficial for the health of the persons ... [but may result in] serious consequences for their physical or psychological health...

"...When the provocation provided for in the first two paragraphs has been followed by effects, the penalties are increased to three years of imprisonment and a fine of 45,000 euros [\$48,647].

"When these offenses are committed through the written or audiovisual press, the specific provisions of the laws which govern these matters are applicable with regard to the determination of the persons responsible."

So, basically, you criticize a recommended medical treatment, and if found guilty of this as stated above, you get prison and a large fine. Totalitarianism at its best! Detractors rightly criticize the bill as an abuse of free speech.

You tell your teenager that you do not want them to get a vaccine that your research has indicated could be harmful, going against what was preached to you and your teen in the doctor's office. You publish this reaction, so more people read it and perhaps make the same decision, desiring to inform others about the dangers you've uncovered and voila...jail and fine.

Children's Health Defense senior director of science and research, Brian Hooker, Ph.D., was critical of the bill, as most level-headed, freedom loving people are:

"This new legislation flies in the face of any type of free speech. It is also very dangerous as it prevents any type of alternative viewpoint on therapeutics or prophylactics.

"We know historically that pandemic countermeasures were essentially bad medicine for the individual and at the population level. Any measure hastily foisted on the public in France could lead to even more sickness and death."

We can only hope that this type of assault on free speech, and the right to make informed medical decisions, does not catch fire across the EU and then extend itself to the U.S.

The French Senate will vote on the bill next. That vote has not yet been scheduled.





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