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NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2020

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DECEMBER 2020

- Monthly Meeting (11:15 a.m.) MeMaw's Bar B-Q 4916 S Babcock, Palm Bay
 Holiday Open House at Russes 4-6 pm
 - JANUARY 2021 Monthly Meeting (5:30 p.m.)

MeMaw's Bar B-Q 4916 S Babcock, Palm Bay

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FEDERATED REPUBLICAN WOMEN IN ACTION

MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING

NO AUDIO OR VIDEO RECORDING BY ANY DEVICE IS PERMITTED AT THIS MEETING WITHOUT THE PERMISSION OF THE PRESIDENT OR HER REPRESENTATIVE.

> Friday, December 4, 2020

TIME: 11:15 AM Check In/Social

11:30 AM Program Begins

LOCATION: MeMaw's Bar B-Q

```4916 Babcock St., Palm Bay

# PROGRAM



PALM BAY CHIEF OF POLICE

Nelson Moya

Please RSVP to <u>FRWABrevard@gmail.com</u> if you can attend so we can save you a seat. We will seat with social distancing.



### **December BIRTHDAYS**

- 3 Dale Young
- 5 Christina Ridgley
- 12 Matt Russ
- 19 Susan Lutian



#### **UPCOMING BREVARD COUNTY EVENTS**



--December 2: Brevard Federated Republican Women meeting, the Space Coast Convention Center in Cocoa, 11 am.

--December 3: Heritage Isle Republican Club meeting, Viera, 10 a.m.

--December 4: Federated Republican Women in Action meeting, MeMaw's BBQ, Palm Bay, 11:15 am. --December 7: Republican Liberty Caucus of Central East Florida Christmas Party, Frogbones Double Tapp Grille, Melbourne, 7 pm.

--December 9: BREC meeting, the Space Coast Convention Center in Cocoa, 7 pm.

--December 14: Space Coast Patriots meeting, Merritt Island Library, 6 pm.

--December 15: North Brevard Republican Club meeting, American Police Hall of Fame, Titusville, 7 pm.

--December 17: Republican Women's Network of South Brevard meeting, Eau Gallie Yacht Club, Indian Harbor Beach, 11:30 am.

--December 17: Space Coast Young Republicans meeting, Frog Bones Double Tapp Grill, Melbourne, 6 pm.

--December 19: Space Coast Republican Club meeting, Red Lobster, Merritt Island, 11:30 am.

--December 21: New Millennium Conservative Club meeting, Suntree-Viera Library, 6:30 pm.

The Ronald Reagan Club will not meet in December

# What the Fox?

#### By: Rick Tessmer (maybe) November 16, 2020

If you regularly watch Fox News and have been noticing something feels "*off*" with their election coverage, you're not wrong. Around a year ago, conservative political wonks turned off Fox News for good. The reason why has to do with events that unfolded in 2019. What did these conservative news junkies see that the rest of us missed? And, why does it matter now?

## **Event Number One: The Passing of the Torch**

Rupert Murdoch was the media titan who built and developed Fox News into America's conservative news juggernaut. Murdoch had six children. Of the six, his two sons <u>Lachlan and James</u> were in contention to take over Fox News even though both of them had openly repudiated Rupert's conservative politics. In 2019, Lachlan officially took over the reigns of Fox News. James, the more liberal of the two, opted to invest a large portion of his multi-billion dollar inheritance in liberal media ventures. Once Lachlan took charge, his goal was to move Fox News left. His moves were no surprise to insiders considering his public ties to climate change activism, donating to the Clinton Foundation, and proudly taking responsibility for pushing Bill O'Reilley off the network. It's worth noting that Fox Business is a separate entity from Fox News, even though both <u>channels are owned by a new, scaled-back Fox Network</u>.

## **Event Number Two: Fox News Hires the Hater**

In March 2019, Fox News made a shocking move by hiring former DNC Committee Chief, Donna Brazile. Brazile was famously fired from the DNC and CNN for leaking debate questions to Hillary Clinton prior to a 2016 Presidential Debate against Donald Trump. Another WTF hire was the failed VP Candidate, Paul Ryan. Ryan was named to the Fox News Board of Directors in March, 2019. The well-known "*never Trumper*" routinely stonewalled President Trump's agenda as the Speaker of the House.

**Event Number Three:** *"Shut-Up, Or Else…"*Just a month ago, <u>Newt Gingrich's</u> <u>mic was cut</u> when he had the audacity to utter the name George Soros in an interview on Harris Faulkner's Fox News show, Overtime Outnumbered. During the interview the conversation moved into a discussion on political funding. Gingrich was presenting indisputable facts about Soros's well-known financial backing of many extremely leftleaning political organizations. The mic cut surprised both Faulkner and Gingrich which led to a long, awkward, pregnant silence on air. Was Gingrich's censorship a signal to other conservative voices?

Fast forward to this past week, <u>Judge Jeanine Pirro</u>, the host of Justice W/Jeanine on Fox News since 2011 announced the topic of her weekly show. The topic: Election Fraud. However, she was fired/suspended before her segment aired. Was Pirro's firing meant to <u>send a message to other popular Fox News hosts?</u>

Just days after Pirro's firing and Biden's bogus campaign victory speech, Laura Ingram the host of the Ingram Angle stunned Republicans. On her show, she took it upon herself to offer President Trump <u>advice on how to act graciously</u> upon his pending election concession. It was uncharacteristic of Ingram to take this defeatist position considering she consistently supported President Trump throughout his first term. As a former clerk to Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas, Ingram knows the law and knows the election is far from officially decided.

Next, Tucker Carlson. With the highest ratings of any cable news show in the days leading up to November 3rd, where is he now that the blatant election fraud is being exposed? Strangely quiet given Carlson's fierce commitment to our Republic. Then, there's Hannity. If anyone deserves to be called a Trump fan-boy, it's Sean Hannity. Even he is noticeably restrained in his election coverage. Hannity knows full-well President Trump won in a landslide on Nov. 3rd, and remains the winner even after the Dem's election fxxkery. Why isn't Hannity crying foul? Then there's Chris Wallace. His performance as a debate moderator drew such harsh criticism from both political sides, his professional reputation may not ever recover.

**Here IS what's going on at Fox News**With just 73% of the votes counted in Arizona around midnight on November 3rd, Fox News made a stunning call, falsely awarding the win of the battleground state to Joe Biden. Now that we know the true nature of Fox News, have seen blatant election fraud, and seen a pattern of silence from the top talent on the channel; is it so far-fetched to think Fox News is playing a role in all of this? There is no question the 2020 election is rampant with fraud and it continues. Proof is mounting, whistleblowers are coming forward, even Supreme Court injunctions have been issued. All of this will be investigated and litigated through the courts. Rudy Giuliani and the rest of the Trump legal team have vowed to fight. And, for good reason. The law is on Trump's side. Recall this past summer when President Trump repeatedly warned America about mail-in voting and election fraud? Everything that's happening now was anticipated by the Trump team, well in advance. Nothing so far has been a surprise to The President and his team.

Now that the fraud has been executed, it relies on two key factors to actually succeed. Play number one is *"lawfare"*. The election fraud is designed to stir up chaos, forcing the election to be decided by the courts, rather than at the ballot box. How the Dems are weaponizing the law to manage the election outcome is called lawfare. The Dems are great at this. Remember Hillary's numerous provable felonies when she mishandled top secret information on her personal server? The head of the FBI, Comey, called it a *"matter"* not a *"crime"*. A crime can be legally prosecuted, a matter cannot. See what they did there? Effective lawfare. Hillary walked.

The second key play is the "*information war*". This is where Fox News is playing a key role. Here's the breakdown: Fox News delivered blatantly fake news by calling AZ a win for Biden. They delivered the lie early. So early in fact, Fox News dominated the news cycle and grabbed control of the election narrative going forward. Fox News is attempting to position President Trump as the loser who is fighting a losing battle against fake election fraud in the courts, because he can't take the L. Having Fox News deliver this news is part of the plan in order to give the lie credibility. To add extra credence to the hoax, the management at Fox News has succeeded in manipulating their top talent to support the fake narrative. The left is counting on the average Trump supporter to believe the lie since it comes from the trusted, "*conservative*" Fox News and its top personalities. The rationale goes like this: If Fox News is reporting Trump

lost AZ, it must be true. Why would Fox lie about the Republican candidate to their Republican audience?

Do not underestimate the power and effectiveness of the "*information war*". It's meant to demoralize Trump supporters, weak-kneed Republican politicians, law enforcement, the military, foreign leaders etc. The left does not want an energized, organized opposition fighting for America's election integrity. What we're seeing now isn't the Dem's kill-shot, they're trying to soften the target. The mainstream media knows it can make any claims about who won the election without consequences, especially since it's a coordinated attack. They need Trump supporters to give up and concede in order to win.

For the people who want a free and fair election, internalize this: the media doesn't decide elections. Trump won in a landslide. The Dems cheated to try to win. Every legal vote will be counted so states can legally certify official results. All the criminal participants from local election officials to the head(s) of the fraud operation will be prosecuted. None of this will happen quickly, but it will happen. Trump and his team are in full control of this fight. As he came off his well-deserved round of golf over the weekend, his only quote was, "*We're gonna win. Wait.*" The only outstanding question is, are you going to give the opposition what they want? Are you going to get weak, loose hope, and abandon our duly elected President?

## Where to go from here?

It's critical for us all to combat the *"information war"*. This means staying informed with real, accurate news and sharing it with our friends, families, and neighbors. It's not easy because social media platforms and the coordinated mainstream media have created an information firewall. However, with a little persistence, sharing with our networks by using word-of-mouth neutralizes the firewall. By texting, emailing, and conversing we are creating our own media network that offers more information that is being hidden from everyone. So, the question becomes where to find real news to share since Fox News has proven to be a turd in a tuxedo.

It's time to switch to alternative news sources. To make the jump, it takes some temporary "*getting used-to*". Be prepared for things like: lower production quality, occasional technical glitches, and watching on other devices — unless you put in a little work to figure out how to connect your phone or internet to your TV. It may take downloading a new app, or visiting a new site. These minor short-term inconveniences are worth it to get real, honest news.

To get started, here are my three 24/7 news channel picks to replace Fox News (linked) **OANN: One America News Network**.

24/7 news channel. Scrappy and accurate. OANN is building serious cred with reporters in the official White House Press Pool and former military intelligence. On-air talent can be dry, but they consistently deliver the goods.

General Information: <u>www.oann.com</u>

Watch on Cable or Satellite TV: <u>where to watch guide</u>

Youtube: <u>Archived and livestream</u>

Streaming Services: Apple TV, Roku or Amazon's Fire TV OANN Programming Schedule: <u>www.oann.com/schedule</u> **NewsMax TV**• 24/7 news. Positioned to be the next conservative media giant. Recently came out strong in support of election integrity by refusing to air Biden's bogus victory speech. NewsMax checks the facts. Delivers a wide range of programming.

General Information: www.newsmaxtv.com

Watch on Cable and Satellite: DirecTV Ch. 349, Dish Network Ch. 216, Comcast Xfinity Ch. 1115.

<u>Full list of carriers and channels.</u> Note channels differ depending on state and carrier. S<u>tate-specific channel guide</u>

Livestream: <u>newsmaxtv.com</u>, Roku, Pluto TV (app on google and Apple app stores) channel 236, XUMO, and DistroTV

Youtube: Livestream and archived

## AVN: America's Voice News-

24/7 news. Strong Programming Lineup. AVN is on the move. Heavy investment in new programs and upping overall production quality. Reliable and accurate. Lots of insider, breaking news embedded in several programs e.g. <u>National Pulse</u>, <u>Bannon's</u> <u>Warrooom</u> etc. The live-chat feature on the AVN YouTube Channel is worth a try.

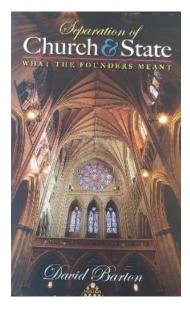
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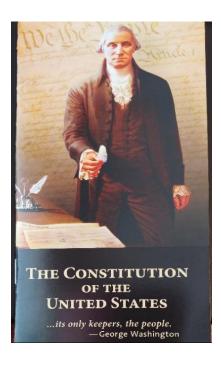
Henry P. McIntosh IV <u>ripmcintosh@msn.com</u> "The evil, that one endures patiently because it seems inevitable, becomes unbearable the moment its elimination becomes conceivable." Alexis De Tocqueville



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The Constitution of the United States with Index, and The Declaration of Independence. \$1 donation

#### Federated Republican Women in Action,

is chartered under the National Federated Republican Women's club. We are a group of women dedicated to the education and promotion of Republican ideas and ideals. As Republicans we believe in and support limited government, less taxes, free enterprise systems, sound fiscal management, personal responsibility, LIFE, the 2nd amendment, and the rights of all individuals as long as they respect the rights of others. We further the principles of the Republican Party and are dedicated to supporting our military, Veterans, Armed Forces and Republican officials.

Membership in a Federated Republican Women's Club makes our voices stronger on issues important to women; helps to develop effective leaders and volunteers for campaigns and issue advocacy; becoming a wellinformed voter; hear powerful speakers and elected officials; enjoy the camaraderie of like-minded women who share similar political views. If you would like to visit us or become a member, please contact us via FRWABrevard@gmail.com Meeting are the

first Friday of the month. An application for membership is attached.

### **Brevard County Republican Club Meetings**



#### **Brevard Republican Executive Committee**

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. of month social 6:30 mtg. at 7:00 p.m. Viera High School Auditorium, 6103 Stadium Parkway, MLB 478 N Babcock, Suite 601,MLB (Bus. Office) Chairman, Rick Lacey (321) 254-0073 brevardchairman@gmail.com www.brevardrepublians.org

#### **Brevard Federated Republican Women**

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Wed. of month at 11:00 a.m. Space Coast Convention Center 103 Tucker Lane, Cocoa President: Beth Young (321) 727-1212 <u>Bethanddale3@hotmail.com</u> www.brevardfederatedrepublicanwomen.org

#### Federated Republican Women in Action

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month at 11:15 a.m. (meets 6:00 P.M. Jan. April, July and October) Meemaw's BBQ 4916 Babcock St., N.E., Palm Bay President: Margaret Goolsby (321) 446-2679 frwabrevard@gmail.com

#### Heritage Isle Republican Club

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs. at 12:30 P.M. One Senior Place President: Barbara Gorin (321) 482-4658 bgorin@gmail.com

#### North Brevard Republican Club

Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues At 7:00 P.M. LaCita Country Club 777 Country Club Dr., Titusville President: Barbara Fine (321) 501-2402) <u>NorthBrevardRepublican@gmail.com</u> <u>www.northbrevardrepublicans.com</u>

# Republican Liberty Caucus of Central East Florida

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Mon.-Social at 6:00 p.m. Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Frog Bones 404 S. Harbor City Blvd., MLB Chairman: Bob White rwhite345@hotmail.com

#### **Republican Club of Brevard**

Chairman: Kevin McKeown (321) 773-3003 USMA77K@aol.com

# Republican Women's Network of South Brevard

Meet 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday at 11:00 a.m. Eau Gallie Yacht Club President: Teresa Fleenor <u>tfleenor@cfl.rr.com</u> <u>www.rwnsb.org</u>

\*No meeting in July

#### Ronald Reagan Club

Meets 4<sup>th</sup> Mon. at 7:00 Frog Bones 404 S. Harbor City Blvd., MLB President: Dale Young (321) 223-5924 Bethanddale3@hotmail.com

# Space Coast Republican Club (Next meeting 2/8/2020)

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday at 11:00 a.m. Merritt Island Red Lobster on 520 President: Sue Hinnant (321) 544-8376 suehinnant290@yahoo.com

#### Space Coast Young Republicans

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 6:30 p.m. 478 North Babcock St., #601, MLB President: Eric Hoppenbrouwer (321) 961-4668 eric.hoppenbrouwer@outlook.com https://www.facebook.com/SpaceCoastYR/

#### **Trump Club of Brevard**

Contact Susan Hodgers for meeting date President: Susan Hodgers <u>https://www.facebook.com/Brevard-County-</u> <u>Trump-Club-1976984849037046</u>

# FEDERATED REPUBLICAN WOMEN IN ACTION

Member: Florida Federation of Republican Women & National Federation of Republican Women

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