



# The STAR Republican News

## March 2024

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**Join us to hear from HSB Mayor Elsie Thurman**

**March 19, 2024 Meeting**

**12:30 pm Tuesday**

**Quail Point, 107 Twilight**

**Light lunch served at 12:30, meeting begins at 1:00**



Mayor Thurman will address city preparations for the Total Solar Eclipse on April 8th and provide details on plans to lessen its impact on residents.

She will also share information on the revamped LCRA water plan for our area and how the restrictions will impact our watering schedules and landscaping choices.

Don't miss these important updates and information impacting our community!

***Star welcomes the following new members:***

Annette Andrews  
Susan Bice  
Kim Chandler  
Pam Doherty  
Starr Frost

Sandi Gorski  
Lillian McRae  
Marie Morgan  
Kathleen Overholt  
Diana Riley

Monica Sivakumar  
Patsy Wiley  
Sharon Zacharias

## March Caring for America Project

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The Caring for America team is building on and expanding our collection for the Phoenix Center and are requesting donations of the following:

- baby wipes
- disinfectant wipes
- paper towels
- toilet paper
- copy machine paper
- hand soap
- fidget toys
- silly putty

We will also be accepting perishable food items for the Llano Food Pantry & The Cupboard. Watch for an upcoming email to request volunteers to assist with a community food drive in the coming weeks.

Bring your donations to the Star meeting on Tuesday, March 19th and let us know if you would like to help deliver items to the Phoenix Center and tour the facility at a later date or help with the food drive!

Thank You for being a valued Star Volunteer!

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### Membership News

Star Republican Women membership is currently 109, back to our “jumbo” status with TFRW. This allows us more delegates to attend the State Convention. We also have 13 associate members. Way to go to all who renewed their memberships and welcome to many brand new members which not total 30. We are thrilled to have everyone on board as we work to **Keep Texas Red!**

It's easy to join/renew. Click on the link "Contact/Membership" to print and complete your membership form and either mail it with a check to PO Box 8675, HSB 78657, OR bring it with you to our March meeting where we can take checks and/or credit card payments.

**Text or call Debbie Lambert, VP Membership, at 512.748.0814 with questions.**

### Star Tee Shirts for Sale



"Star Republican Women are the Life of the Party" tee shirts will be available for purchase/order for \$15 at the March meeting.

**LET'S KEEP TEXAS RED!**

## Sara Speaks



MARCH in 2024 feels like not just a flip of the calendar but an urgent suggestion for a country under challenge. But the real question we need to ask ourselves is, If we are to march, in which direction? Isaac Newton said, "I can calculate the motion of heavenly bodies, but not the madness of people." As we prepare to track and experience a total Eclipse, might that describe the masses expected in our area?

With the approaching November election, a country full of foreign military age men, a world full of

confusion, and a full solar eclipse in the heavens, it does make you take inventory. The path of the upcoming solar eclipse will cross seven US locations named Nineveh. These states are Texas, Missouri, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia and New York. It is an interesting coincidence that the Bur-Sagale solar eclipse did pass over the Assyrian capital city of Nineveh, in the middle of the reign of Jeroboam, 786 to 746 BC. In fact, when Jonah arrived in Nineveh he found a city ripe for repentance. We know from 2 Kings 14:25, Jonah lived and prophesied in that reign. The question seems to be, is America listening and will we repent?

Sara Boyd,  
President

The hospitality committee (Herd) is seeking volunteers who are willing to bring food for our March 19th meeting. Items needed include finger foods, sandwiches, fruit or cheese trays, salads and desserts (cookies, brownies, or individual small desserts). If you have questions, text or call Rue Wright at 830.995.5110.

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