



# WRCMBH October 2024 Newsletter

Women's Republican Club Mantoloking-Bay Head

Here for the Barrier Island

September 2024

We held our first evening meeting and it was a successful fun event. We thank those who attended and especially those who sponsored the event. It was the perfect setting for meeting and greeting each other, our elected officials and our candidates.



October

**WRCMBH** Oct 17<sup>th</sup>, Thursday, noon to 2:30 luncheon at the Lobster Shanty. (Invitation to follow) Put this date on your calendar. We will have many local, county and State candidates, more Trump swag and commentary from Dan Cirucci, a Save NJ columnist and widely honored public relations professional. I think you will really enjoy his humorous commentary.

## Additional Events

**OCGOP Phone Banks:** Be part of the GOTV (Get Out the Vote) push right from your home with a user-friendly App that allows you to use your own phone or laptop.

For more information, email OCGOP Executive Director and Commissioner Candidate, Jennifer Bacchione at [jenn@oceancountygop.com](mailto:jenn@oceancountygop.com).

I just got off a zoom call with Curtis Bashaw, candidate for US Senate. At that time there were 962 hours left until the polls closed. Let's get the

## 2024 MEMBERSHIP and CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Email:** [wrcmbh@gmail.com](mailto:wrcmbh@gmail.com), **Facebook:** [Women's Republican Club Mantoloking-Bay Head](#). All interested registered Republicans are welcome and invited to join. The dues are \$25 a year for Members (women) and \$15 a year for Associate Members (men). Mail your contact information and check payable to "WRCMBH" to: WRCMBH, PO Box 57, Bay Head, NJ 08742.

**October 17, 2024**, 12 to 2:30pm; Lobster Shanty, Candidates GOTV and commentary from Dan Cirucci.

**December 5, 2024**, 12 to 2:30pm; Holiday Luncheon, Bay Head Yacht Club

Phone Bank app and adopt Curtis's Plus 1 concept. All Republicans need to go to the polls with a plus 1. Work on getting votes and have voters bring a plus 1 over to our side and to the polls. What a great concept.

October 6: **OCFRW Legislative Committee's** "Fighting for School Funding and Parental Rights" Rally. 1:00pm at 33 Washington Street, Toms River. Legislators, educators, and other experts will be speaking on this very important matter.

**October 7, Israel – one year later:** Sharon and I attended a JNF "Stand with Israel" luncheon with Michael Oren, former Israeli Ambassador to US. Our take away is that Israel will need additional help now that Iran is stepping in and Biden's "Don't" Doctrine is not an effective deterrent against genocidal regimes hellbent on the destruction of Israel – and the United States. Remember, this is the regime that paints "Death to America" on its missiles.

Tell anyone who may not like Trump's personality- they don't have to like him as a friend or have coffee with him- they need to know he's going to do the job!

October 8: **Bay Head GOP** annual Meeting. 7pm at the Bay Head Firehouse. Open to all who want to meet and greet the candidates, hear the latest election news and enjoy some light refreshments.

## No Nonsense News VOTING: A RIGHT, A PRIVILEGE, OR A RESPONSIBILITY?

Rights are given to all US citizens by the First Amendment.

A privilege is a benefit enjoyed by only those specifically granted it.

A responsibility is being answerable or accountable for something within one's power, control, or management.

Voting is a privilege and responsibility granted by those who fought for it through war, grassroots movements, or legislative battles. These struggles have kept the United States as an independent nation.

We have a responsibility to vote and honor those who have put their lives on the line to protect this privilege.

The most important issues to Republicans are economy, inflation and immigration. In contrast, Democrats consider Healthcare and abortion their leading issues.

Make sure everyone you know is registered to vote! Then VOTE! There are 3 ways to vote in the General Election

1. At your polling place on election day (6am to 8pm, Tuesday, November 5).
2. In-person early voting: From Saturday, October 26 to Sunday, November 3, 2024. Vote at any

of your county's designated in-person early voting sites. Check [VOTE.NJ.GOV](http://VOTE.NJ.GOV). Hours: Monday–Saturday, 10:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m. & Sunday, 10:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m. No appointment is necessary.

3. Vote By Mail: Apply for a mail-in ballot. Go to [VOTE.NJ.GOV](http://VOTE.NJ.GOV) or contact the County Clerk. VOTE and RETURN your ballot one of the following ways:
  - a. Secure Ballot Drop Box: Place your mail-in ballot in one of your county's secure ballot drop boxes by 8pm Tuesday, November 5. For locations see [VOTE.NJ.GOV](http://VOTE.NJ.GOV).
  - b. Board of Elections Office: Deliver your mail-in ballot in person to your county's Board of Elections Office by 8pm Tuesday, November 5.
  - c. Mail: MUST be postmarked on or before 8pm Tuesday, November 5 and received by the Board of Elections on or before Monday, November 11.

NOTE: Mail-in ballots CANNOT be returned to your early voting site or polling place. Ocean County Election Board is at 129 Hooper Ave, Toms River, NJ 08754-2006. Any questions? Call 800-452-5254

### Become a Poll Worker

Your community needs you!  
Earn \$300 on Election Day. Contact the Ocean County Election Board.

### General News

Please reach out and let us know about milestones or other important information we need to share. Our members are important and we are here for each other. Thank you to our diverse well-educated members who feed me with wonderful insights and news updates.

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