

March 2018 Newsletter



Greetings Friends & Fellow Patriots, March,2018

It's March already © We wish everyone robust health & God's favor and blessings during this difficult flu season.

Thank you also for inviting your friends and family to each meeting.

At last Friday's general meeting we gave a warm welcome to our two newest members **Sara Adamo of North Tustin**, and **Loveda Prescott of Lake Forest**. This brings our combined 2018 membership total up to 147—which includes 6 new regular members and 1 new associate member.

Thank you again Faithful 2017 Members for sending in your renewals this year. We now have 140 members (regular and associates combined) who haverenewed. For the remaining 32 (2017 regular and associate members), you have until April 1st to send in your renewalto keep your membership current...and then we go to print with our new 2018 Membership Roster! If you haven't done so already, please send in your renewal form and \$30 check ASAP to Gretchen Whisler. (We are reaching out to those 32 individually, as well.)

Our 'Member Grass Roots Army' will be needed for many tasks in the upcoming months toward June & November of this year. First and foremost, you can spread word of the Republican values we hold so dear with friends & neighbors. In the upcoming months as we approach the Primary election in June, many of you will volunteer to do precinct walking, mailings and phone calling for candidates in strategic races where our OCGOP President Fred Whitaker asks and leads us. We enjoyed an informative candidate forum on Friday with the two Republican candidates who are running for CA Attorney General, Todd Spitzer and Tony Rackauckas ...as well as Dave Harrington who is running for Orange County Sherriff. We will continue to invite candidates, so you know who they are and the values they hold, to help provide you with certainty when you go to the polls and cast your vote.

We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming March 23^d general meeting. Also, our next **HHP** (**Happy Hour Politics**) meeting will be held on March 15th (3rd **Thursday evening** from 6-7:30 pm at Mimi's in Tustin). Our goal is to reach out to **Working & Regular** members and garner more NEW MEMBERS who are unable to attend our daytime meetings. Come join us!!

Please continue to consider getting more involved with us. Each of us has unique abilities, interests, passions and talents that will contribute to achieving our mission and goals. We look forward to helping you feel more a part of, be connected, and have more fun serving your community & country. **WE NEED EACH ONE of YOU!!**

Please Email or call so we can match you up to volunteer for something you enjoy doing.

THANK YOU for inviting your friends and family to attend

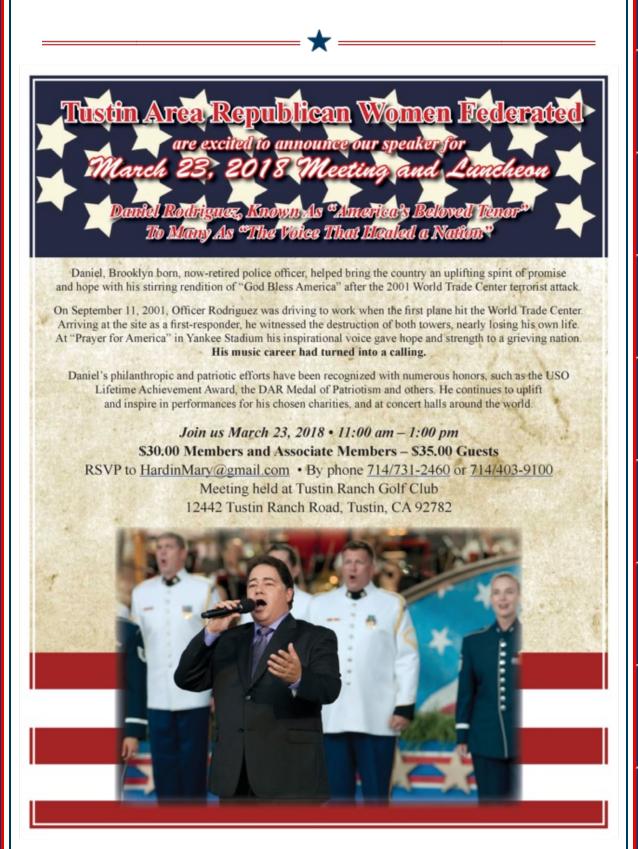
both our General & HHP Meetings.

Keep ENGAGED, EDUCATED, ENCOURAGED, and EMPOWERED to achieve success in 2018

Your TARWF Membership Team,

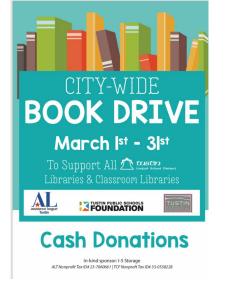
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The Tustin Community Foundation, Assistance League of Tustin and the Tustin Public Schools Foundation are running a Book Drive this March to collect and distribute quality children's books to libraries in the Tustin Unified School District. The Tustin Ranch Golf Club has generously offered to be a "Book Drop Off" location for us because this is a lofty goal as there are 28 school libraries.

TARWF will have a donation bin at our meeting on March 23rd. Cash donations are accepted or see website for book suggestions. Tustin Community Foundation





Mark your Calendar

Future TARWF luncheon dates:

Friday April 27, 2018 (RSVP by Monday April 23rd)

<u>Friday May 25, 2018</u> (RSVP by Monday May 21st)

No Meetings during the summer

EVERY TIME YOU
SEE STORIES ABOUT
MILLIONS OF AMERICANS
RECEIVING RAISES
AND BONUSES
DUE TO THE
TRUMP TAX CUT
REMEMBER THIS:





Today's Bible Lesson..LOL

In today's world with President Trump getting hit daily I decided a little Bible Lesson might be appropriate.

Remember what Jesus said: 'Goats on the left, sheep on the right' (Matthew 25:33).

Jesus also told Peter that if he wanted to catch fish do it from the right side of the boat He did and filled the boat with fish.

John 21:6 (NIV) ... He said, "Throw your net on the right side of the boat and you will find some." When they did, they were unable to haul the net in because of the large number of fish."

Origin of Left & Right... I have often wondered why it is that Conservatives are called the "right" and Liberals are called the "left".

By chance I stumbled upon this verse in the Bible: Ecclesiastes 10:2 (NIV) - "The heart of the wise inclines to the right, but the heart of the fool to the left."

Thus sayeth the Lord. Amen

It surely can't get any simpler than that.

Spelling Lesson: The last four letters in American....... I Can The last four letters in Republican...... I Can The last four letters in Democrats....... Rats

End of lesson! ... Test to follow on November 6, 2018.

Remember, November 2018 is to be set aside as rodent removal month.





FEBRUARY CHAIRMAN'S BRIEFING

Orange County Republicans are ready and united! This month has been very productive for our party as we charge forward to the June primary and November general election.

Our team is in daily communication and coordination with our partners on the national, state and local levels.

The Yorba Linda Republican field office is up and running as a collaborative effort with the California Republican Party to protect Congressional District 39 and flip Senate District 29. Soon we will have a Republican field office in every targeted Congressional District where we will see united Republican efforts until November.

In fact, this past weekend we trained over 100 Republican volunteers through the Republican Leadership Initiative training in the Yorba Linda field office and Tustin headquarters. The training was taught and coordinated by the Republican National Committee and California Republican Party. Due to the unprecedented response we will be announcing a third training in a few weeks.

Our Central Committee met twice this month. On the 19th we heard from Senate Republican Leader Pat Bates who shared the pathway to ending the Democrats' failed super majority in the Senate. We also heard from our State College Republican Chairman - Ariana Rowlands, and candidate for Attorney General Eric Early. We also endorsed in three non-partisan seats. On the 26th we had a special session on endorsements for certain partisans seats. It was a packed house on both occasions as we endorsed strong Orange County Republicans on the federal, state and local levels.

At those meetings, I was proud to announce that at our 19th Annual Flag Day Salute we will honor Representative Ed Royce with the Thomas A. Fuentes Award for his legacy of leadership in Orange County. We will also welcome Turning Point USA founder Charlie Kirk as one of our featured speakers.

I was also proud to share another accomplishment - to date we have raised over \$175,000 for our 19th Annual Flag Day Salute. Never have we secured such an investment for our annual event so early, and we're not done yet.

That is Republican energy and support you can take to the bank, literally.

While we are moving forward with full force to the midterms, the Democrats ran into trouble this weekend at their disastrous state convention. California Democrats are so divided they could not agree on an endorsement in the Governor's race or the targeted open Orange County congressional seats. In fact, they couldn't even agree on endorsing Senator Feinstein for a sixth term.

I want to thank every single person who since January 1 has stepped up and been ready for the 2018 fight. Your energy, enthusiasm and support will lead us to victory in June and November.

Sincerely,

Hon. Fred Whitaker Chairman, Republican Party of Orange County



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