

President's Message





It is the height of understatement to say that we are living in very-challenging times, not only challenging but unprecedented and unbelievable. Times that are frustrating and frightening. In a period of 5 short months, we have gone from a prosperous, safe, patriotic nation – one nation under God – to a divided, angry confused society suffering from inflated prices and fuel shortages. We now have technical vulnerability, and our very security is being threatened by world powers who see us as a weak nation led astray by a weak leader. Our democracy is threatened by socialism to be followed by communism.

Our citizens have been taught that it is possible to sit and do nothing and the government will take care of them. Workers can make more money from unemployment than from a job. Why bother to work? Businesses are failing as they cannot hire workers thereby threatening our economy. We have an administration, both statewide and nationally, that believe that if you have a problem – just throw money at it. American citizen or not. And that is OUR money. Our borders are open to criminals who are bringing drugs, prostitution into our country. The decline of this great nation is something we could not have foreseen in our wildest nightmares. As unbelievable as this is - it is our reality. Is this the world that we will leave the next generation?

Perhaps it is the next generation who wanted this – was it the thirty somethings who took to the streets and wanted change – wanted a democrat to lead this country. How do you like it so far? Perhaps it was the illegals who voted. Do you think? Perhaps a Democrat wasn't really elected at all – my preferred choice.

What are we doing about it besides shaking our head in disbelief? The only weapon we have at our disposal is our voices. Many united voices can cause a roar and perhaps turn the tide. We cannot sit by and watch in shock as our current unqualified government destroys all that is good about our country. Use your voice. Pick up your phone and call your representatives. They work FOR you. Educate yourself as to what is going on. Research the facts and turn your head and the heads of your friends and neighbors away from the mainstream media who we know continually lie to us. Many Americans are confused as to what is really happening. Tell them. Talk and talk loudly and intelligently about what is going on. Not so long ago – a country didn't believe what was happening around them. They stayed silent and said nothing – and many walked silently into railroad cars. SPEAK UP. Use your voice and let the world know that we are "mad as hell and we are not going to take it anymore." If we don't ...

May God Bless us all,

-Dale



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# **Action Alert**

## Stop the Packing of the Supreme Court!

These are senators that are wavering that will make a difference. The single most important thing you can do today is <u>call these senators</u> and tell them 'NOT' to pack the Supreme Court:

Brown (D-OH)	202-224-2315
Hassan (D-NH)	202-224-3324
Manchin (D-WV)	202-224-3954
Sinema (D-AZ	202-224-4521
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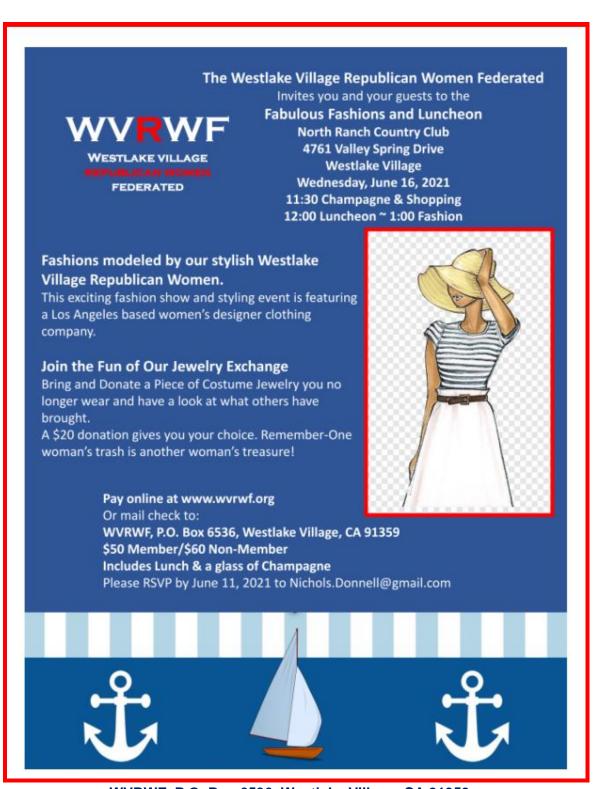
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Volunteers are appreciated by everyone!

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### SCHOOL CHOICE EVENT

#### #SaveOurSchools



From left to right; Speaker Jonathan Zachreson, Jeanne Llewellyn, Speaker Corey DeAngelis

#### By: Jeanne Llewellyn

On April 29th, we brought the experts to Los Robles Green on April 29th to take a deeper dive into the growing movement in California and across the nation to #SaveOurSchools and champion the cause for School Choice. From the liberal California Teacher's Association's refusal to open schools after COVID Lockdowns, to the constant introduction of extremist curriculum in lieu of academics, the results are in and we are failing our students and undermining California's future.

First, we heard from Jonathan Zachreson, Founder of 'Reopen California Schools', a Northern California parent who began an activist group on Facebook (by the same name) that has School Boards up and down California waking up to Parents demands.

Next, we heard from Michael Alexander, President of the California School Choice Foundation, who is spear-heading the 2022 voter initiative "The Education Freedom Act" which offers a clear choice for California parents and students in an innovative plan to fund the student, not the school.

Our keynote speaker, Corey DeAngelis, joined us from Washington DC. He is the National Director of Research, American Federation for Children; an Adjunct Scholar at the Cato Institute; a Senior Fellow of the Reason Foundation; and the Executive Director at the Educational Freedom Institute. Corey's research brings home the urgency of addressing the Education Crisis by examining non-academic outcomes such as criminal activity, character skills, mental health, and political participation.

Find Out the Latest Update and Stay Connected!

Reopen California Schools

http://www.reopencaliforniaschools.com/, https://www.facebook.com/groups/753221112080194,

California School Choice Foundation

https://www.californiaschoolchoice.org/, https://www.facebook.com/schoolchoice2022

Dale Thomas, President WVRWF with Michael Alexander, Founder and CEO CA School Choice Foundation

#### Corey DeAngelis

https://www.federationforchildren.org/about/, https://www.cato.org/people/corey-deangelis,Phttps://reason.com/people/corey-deangelis/, http://efinstitute.org/, Follow Corey on Twitter @DeAngelisCorey, and on Facebook on https://www.facebook.com/coreydeangelis.



### "WITHOUT TRUTH, THERE IS NO JUSTICE"

On the warm spring evening of May 25th Members enjoyed appetizers and cocktails in the beautiful Gardens of Los Robles Greens in Thousand Oaks. They had come to hear from our new Chief of Police of Thousand Oaks, Commander Jim Fryhoff and Dr. Ron Martinelli, well known forensic expert - and the evening did not disappoint.

Commander Fryhoff shared with us his background including many years with both the TO Sheriff's Office as well as working in Ojai. He and his family live in Simi Valley and we found we are truly blessed to have such a warm and delightful individual to run our Police Department. Commander Fryhoff addressed the many challenges that face our police force today both nationally and at home including the Defund the Police movement that has been so instrumental in the increase in the rate of crimes in major cities. We know we can all feel safe under the leadership of Commander Fryhoff.

**Dr. Ron Martinelli** is America's forensic criminologist with a career spanning 40 years. He has investigated cases from Travon Martin and George Floyd. He confirmed that we have been repeatedly lied to about the details of these cases by the mainstream media. He discussed the Marxist followings of the Black Lives Matter movement and their war on police and addressed the truth on many officer-involved shootings. Dr. Martinelli and his wife Linda, drove from their home in Texas bringing copies of his book "The Truth Behind the Black Lives Matter Movement and the War on Police". His lecture was very informative and directly addressed the frightening issues that we are facing today as we are continually lied to by the mainstream press.



Please check out our website for upcoming events and other important information at: www.wvrwf.org





### **COVID, FACT OR FICTION?**

On the evening of May 18<sup>th</sup>, several members gathered in at Jeanne Llewellyn's backyard to hear local scientist and WVRWF member Julia Bach, discuss the science of the COIVID-19 pandemic. Julia uses viruses as tools in her job and questioned the overreaction to COVID -more or less- from the beginning. Julia's presentation began with her COVID-19 "manifesto" which is a list of truths made more evident by the events made more evident by the events of the past year. Some highlights:

- 1. Science only gives you information. It cannot tell you what to do with it.
- 2. Our COVID data is highly flawed, although we did know right up front that most working-age or younger people were not at risk. If we learn anything from the data, we must put it into context and complete it to past events.
- 3. Stupidity is common and smart people do stupid things when afraid. This pandemic is an example of stupidity, mass hysteria, and peer pressure in action.
- 4. God decides how much time any of us have. We should have kept living normally instead of locking down. Locking down was always going to be a cure worse than the disease.

Julia then explained what the PCR assay used for the virus is (like a copier for DNA) and why it is a bad choice for pandemic testing (it can't tell the difference between inactive and active virus).

Since PCR detects inactive virus, many of the COVID "cases" are people with dormant (inactive) viruses in their respiratory tracts. The presence of dormant respiratory viruses has been observed in many scientific publications. The paper: <a href="https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1002/rmv.2241">https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1002/rmv.2241</a> that Julia recently published with Patrick Shaw Stewart, a UK scientist, suggest that the seasonality of viruses (i.e., having cold and flu season) is dependent upon temperature changes waking up the dormant viruses already constantly present in people's respiratory tracts. Nothing else can explain the speed at which outbreaks sometimes occur, such as what was seen recently in India, or in Julia's favorite paper, which details an outbreak of colds at an Antarctic research base after seventeen weeks of complete isolation (the ultimate lockdown). You can also help yourself from these viruses by keeping warm, like your grandmother always told you, as bodily chilling is likely to activate dormant viruses. We are entirely focused on stopping transmission of viruses, but that's impractical and the factor we have the least control over. We have more control over susceptibility and finding treatments.

Fortunately, we already have improved treatments and missions have some natural immunity. Also, there are some doctors trying to determine the biology of COVID as well as find even better treatments, and they are discovering COVID may be better than other respiratory illnesses at causing something called serotonin syndrome. That is when your blood vessels are injured (as some would be in the lungs during serious respiratory illness), platelets go into action to form a barrier, (i.e., Clot) at the site. Platelets carry around molecules that get dumped into the blood when activated. Once such molecule is serotonin. One doctor has theorized <a href="https://youtube/wetdq9vX">https://youtube/wetdq9vX</a> c that much of severe COVID is due to too much serotonin in the blood, which can cause fatal blood pressure issues and other problems. There are medications which can reverse this, and we hope they are all tested soon!

If anyone has questions to ask Julia, please feel free to email her at julialbach@gmail.com.

Thank you!

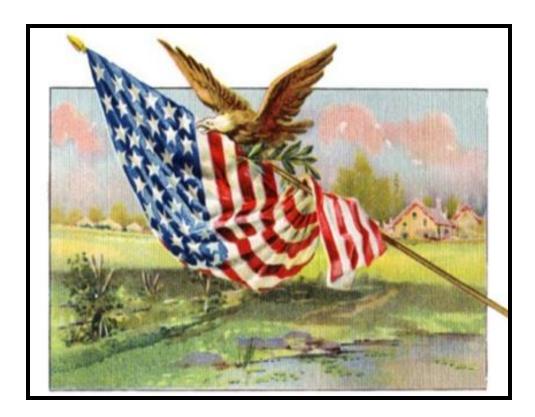
-Julia



# Give the Gift of Membership!

We are currently working to increase our membership with a deadline of June 24. The Federation of Republican Women in California is now neck in neck with the Texas Federation to be the largest group in the United States. Please work with us to achieve this honor by helping us to gather more new members - give your friends a gift of membership, refer folks you know to us and help them join this amazing group! Its only \$40 annually.

Membership applications can be found on our website at www.wvrwf.org





Rosalinda Hernandez VP of Membership





By: Rose Hernandez, VP Membership Karen Wetterlind, Co-VP Membership



June Birthdays	July Birthdays	Welcome New Members
Cynthia Bartholomay 6/1	Valerie D'Addona 7/2	Pam Bouer
Elaine Anthony 6/20	Lynn Morley 7/4	Sophia Hamilton
Sherry Love 6/24	Shelley Petrelli 7/7	Donna Jones
Pam Moran 6/24	Susan Stone 7/11	Marsha Snyder
Stacy Flaig 6/28	Susan Ash 7/16	
Donna Jones 6/29	Bonnie Hill 7/26	
	Cheryl Eppink 7/30	





I migrated from the East Coast to California in the 80's. Our family was fortunate to make Westlake Village our home. Shortly after relocating to Westlake, I became a local Real Estate Agent.

Because oil painting is my passion, I am also an active member to Westlake Village Art Guild and Allied Artist of Santa Monica Mountains and Seashore.

I also enjoy playing golf on the local courses.

Happy to be a part of the WVRWF group!

-Diane



# **California Legislature - Position Letter Portal**

Your voice is important - here is an easy way to be heard!

### Did you know...

You can easily submit your individual support or opposition to a bill directly to the committee where it is currently being reviewed.

We encourage you to use the link below, which connects you directly to the **California State Legislature POSITION LETTER PORTAL** website and to a page that allows you to send a comment OR attach a more formal position letter to the committee analysts. Once you set up your account (simply by providing your e-mail), all you have to do is enter the bill # and make your comment or attach a pre-written letter. CLICK HERE to go to the CA Legislature Position Letter Portal

You may notice that every bill we write about is linked to the California Legislative website. By clicking on the BILL #, you will be taken to the text of that bill for further reading. You can also send a message directly to the AUTHOR of a bill by clicking on the tab "Comments To Author" in the group of tabs just under the bill # and title.

It is also still important to contact your local elected state representative via e-mail, Zoom, or phone to express your opinion. <u>Click HERE</u> to find information on how to contact your local Assemblyperson or State Senator.

\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\* CFRW By-Laws prohibit using any RWF club/Federation identifiers when submitting a position.

1) Article V- Ethics- Section 6- The local club's name shall not be used by a member or an associate member when using any personal electronic communication.

Please use this tool to submit your own personal opinion. Do NOT attach your local club to your signature

### **WHAT YOU CAN DO**

- Research the legislation sent in the Capitol Updates by clicking on the Bill #, or research bills on your own.
- 2. Click HERE to access the California Legislature Position Letter Portal.
- 3. Create an account using your email. Log in if you have created an account in the past.
- Enter the Bill # and make your comment or attach a pre-written letter.
   For further info. on any of the bills mentioned in any CFRW Capitol Update, go to <a href="http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov">http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov</a> and simply enter the bill # or keywords where designated.

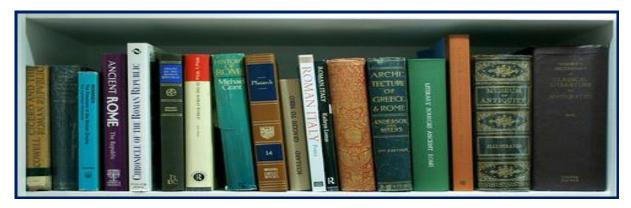
Questions? Please e-mail <a href="mailto:legislativeanalysts@cfrw.org">legislativeanalysts@cfrw.org</a>.

### JOIN OUR WVRWF BOOK CLUB...

### "AN ELEPHANT NEVER FORGETS!"

### By Julia Bach

www.ourownbookclub.com



Our new WVRWF book club, 'An Elephants Never Forgets', met in my backyard patio on a recent warm sunny late afternoon. All in attendance enjoyed light refreshments including wine, as we discussed our latest read, <u>The Power Couple</u> by, Alex Berenson. This thriller novel dynamics encompassed marriage, relationships, and family. The discussion was lively! Some of the group's questions centered on the effects related to child rearing and the success it has on the marriage - not only in the book - but also in any marriage, as well as motivations for marriage.

Mr. Berenson is also the author of many political thrillers such as the John Wells spy series and writes non-fiction as a (recovering) New York Times reporter.

We look forward to our next meeting on July 1st where we will discuss our next book,

The Unbroken Thread: Discovering the Wisdom of Tradition in an Age of Chaos by, Sohrab Ahmari.

For those of you that would like to join, please email me julialbach@gmail.com/ or call me (425) 337-1747.

Thank you!

-Julia



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## Latest Update on Newsome Recall....



## ...He's Still Really Worried!

### Lest We Forget - Why Recall? Let's Count the Ways ...

"When Newsom is removed, politicians in Washington D.C. and across the country will have to take note: voters aren't fond of political racketeering" (@KevinKileyCA).

- 1. How did he get elected in the first place after 14 straight years as San Francisco, Board of Supervisors or Mayor- you been to SFO lately? That didn't happen overnight.
- 2. CA State taxes are some of the highest in the country, yet we're constantly running on budget deficits.
- 3. Homelessness is officially a crisis (see #1 above) More \$\$ are spent per capita in SFO than anywhere yet the problem grows and is now in virtually every town in the State.
- 4. Self-Imposed Energy Crisis. Power shutdowns and rolling blackouts are a regular part of life and its biggest energy provider, PG&E, has warned shutdowns will be a fact of life for a decade.
- 5. Wildfire danger from decades of no forest management policy.
- 6. Water Shortages from refusing to build water storage as trillions of freshwater gallons flow out to sea every season.
- 7. Unemployment Fraud from bad management and corrupt State agencies lead to the largest Scandal in any State ever, costing California Taxpayers BILLIONS.
- 8. Fiscal Mismanagement of pension and other public debt has left the State fiscally unsound and vulnerable.
- 9. Infrastructure mismanagement trains to nowhere ring a bell?
- 10. Newsom's Tyrannical COVID Response has been a disaster for families and small businesses. From million mask purchases from the Chinese to color coded reopening mazes all when other States were leading the way out of draconian lockdown mandates.
- 11. Lousy Leaders impose rules against restaurant dining and school shutdowns while their own children attended private school and he dines with lobbyists at pricey restaurants and then lies about it.
- 12. Unconstitutional unilateral policy making by executive orders in the most egregious abuse of power ever displayed by a politician even among other Democrats

