BAYOU LACOMBE REPUBLICAN WOMEN

AUGUST 2018

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

HELLO TO ALL OF OUR MEMBERS.

I TRUST YOU HAVE HAD A RELAXING AND ENJOYABLE SUMMER. IT IS TIME FOR US TO GET BACK TO BUSINESS FOR THE FALL.

THERE ARE ELECTIONS COMING UP IN OCTOBER TO FILL THE SECRETARY OF STATE POSITION, JUDGESHIPS, SCHOOL BOARD POSITIONS AND CONGRESSIONAL SEATS. WE WILL BE JOINING THE OTHER NORTHSHORE CLUBS, THE ST. TAMMANY AND WASHINGTON PARISH RPECS AND WASHINGTON PARISH REPUBLICAN WOMEN IN HOSTING A FALL FORUM. THIS WILL BE SUNDAY, OCT 7TH AT BEAU CHENE IN MANDEVILLE. THE RPECS AND CLUBS WILL BE FUNDING THIS FREE EVENT. ALL OF OUR MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND AND VOLUNTEER TO ASSIST WHERE NEEDED.

IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT WE ALL ATTEND THE CLUB'S MEETINGS TO SHOW OUR SUPPORT FOR OUR ORGANIZATION AND OUR DESIRE TO BE INFORMED VOTERS.

I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT OUR AUGUST 28TH MEETING!

MADELON NOHRA

Next Meeting: August 28,2018.

Location: THE VFW DAVIS MORAN POST 8290, 28000 MAIN STREET, LACOMBE. LA

Hostesses: Bakey Hoover & Laura Leonard

Speaker: To Be announced. Hoping to have a representative from the LAGOP.

Business: Upcoming Election information

Future Meetings: September 25, October 23, November27, December 11 The December Meeting will be our Christmas/Installation Luncheon at Janie Browns in Lacombe.

Now is the time to renew your membership for 2019.

Please continue reading for more important Club and Election Information.

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CLUB and FEDERATION INFORMATION:

We are continuing with our Community Service initiative to help our local Lacombe Food Bank. We will be collecting non-perishable food items each month to donate to the Food Bank of which Bakey Hoover is the coordinator. Thank you to those who brought food items to previous meetings.

The LFRW Fall Board Meeting will be held October 12-14, 2018. NFRW President Jody Rushton will be in attendance. Comedian Eric Golub will be speaking. Tentative Agenda: Friday, a small reception will be held after the Executive Committee Meeting. Saturday, two workshops will be scheduled, a Reception will be held at a home in Kenner. Sunday, election of the Nominating Committee for the 2019-2021 LFRW Executive Committee will be conducted at the mornings Business Session. A Sunday Morning Prayer Service will be held before the Business Meeting. More information will be given at a later date.

The NFRW Fall Board Meeting will be September 13-15, 2018 at The Westin Alexandria Hotel, 400 courthouse Square, Alexandria, VA. It will be a celebration of 80 years of the NFRW.

The Southern Republican Leadership Conference dates have been changed from October 12-13, 2018 to January 18-19, 2019. at the Pontchartrain Convention and Civic Center, 4545 Williams Blvd, Kenner, LA 70065. For more information go to info@srlc2018.com.

St. Tammany and Washington Parish Republican Women Clubs are making plans to hold a Forum on October 7, from 4:00-7:00 PM, to meet and hear from candidates for Secretary of State and LA State Representative. More information at a later time.

There will be a Champaign Kick-off Party for Lt, Governor Billy Nungesser on October 12 at the home of Brent and Denise Buford, 12194 Hwy 23, Belle Chasse, LA. For more information contact Janel Chiasson at janel@BillyNungesser.com. (Note: All information is forwarded on behalf of Republican candidates and is not considered an endorsement if more than one Republican is seeking that office.)

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POLITICAL INFORMATION:

Nov. 6, 2018 Open Primary/Congressional Election information:

- The deadline to register to vote in person or by mail is Oct. 9 (deadline advanced one day because of Columbus Day Holiday).
- The deadline to register to vote through the GeauxVote Online Registration System is Oct. 16.
- Early voting is Oct. 23-30 (except Sunday, Oct. 28) from 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- The deadline to request an absentee by mail ballot is Nov. 2 by 4:30 p.m. Voters can request an absentee by mail ballot online through our Voter Portal or in writing through your Registrar of Voters Office (other than military and overseas voters).
- The deadline for a registrar of voters to receive a voted mail ballot is Nov. 5 by 4:30 p.m. (other than military and overseas voters).

Dec. 8, 2018 Open General/Congressional Election information:

- The deadline to register to vote in person or by mail is Nov. 7.
- The deadline to register to vote through the GeauxVote Online Registration System is Nov. 17.
- Early voting is Nov. 24 through Dec. 1 (except Sunday, Nov. 25) from 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- The deadline to request an absentee by mail ballot is Dec. 4 by 4:30 p.m. Voters can request an absentee by mail ballot online through our Voter Portal or in writing through your Registrar of Voters Office (other than military and overseas voters).
- The deadline for a registrar of voters to receive a voted mail ballot is Dec. 7 by 4:30 p.m. (other than military and overseas voters).

The November election will include the election of Louisiana Secretary of State, US Representative 1st Congressional District, State Representative, District 90, School Board Members in all 15 School Board Districts, Associate Justice Supreme Court District 1, Mayors for Abita Springs, Pearl River, and Folsom, Chief of Police for Pearl River, Alderman for Abita Springs, Pearl River and Folsom,

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CLUB ACTIVITIES:

BLRW Executive Board Meeting, July 16 at Madelon's house. L-R: Recording Secretary Laura Leonard, 1st VP Bakey Hoover, President Madelon Nohra, 2nd VP Dale Neale, Chaplain Pat Johnson, Treasurer Patty Cooper. Absent: Corresponding Secretary Marsha Hall.

Pam Ferguson, RPWST President, BLRW President Madelon Nohra, Michelle Pichon, MRW President, Linda Begue, RPEC Chairman, Caroline Lewis, SWRC, Tiffany Parker, SWRC, President.
Republican Women meeting to plan Fall Forum in October to meet and hear from candidates for Secretary of State, Judgeship and La State Representative.

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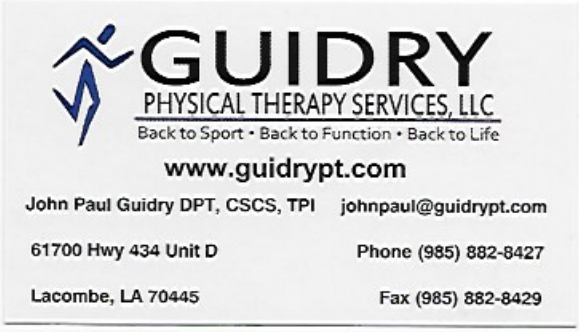
PLEASE SUPPORT THOSE WHO SUPPORT US!



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