

MANDEVILLE REPUBLICAN WOMEN



Linda Begue

December 2021
President's Message

Happy Holidays!

I'm looking forward to having happy holidays:
A very thankful Thanksgiving; God Bless America.

I'm thankful I am a citizen of the United States of America and pray for His continued blessing.

God Bless our families and friends.

Help us find a season of togetherness even though forces are trying to drive us apart.

I hope to see MRW members at the Christmas Social which will enable me to wish all a Merry Christmas in person.

Please plan to attend and bring an interested friend. Our membership has many new members and we can become better acquainted celebrating the Christmas season together.

Many are working hard preparing for the Christmas Social. Please attend and enjoy the fruits of their labor.

See you on December 2 at Beau Chene. What a wonderful way to begin the Christmas Season!

***Biden Grinch--Beware
the MRW Elves will be there!***

***We'll guard the doors to Beau Chene--
only Elves allowed in!***



Please Join Us !

*Mandeville Republican Women
Christmas Membership Social*

*Thursday, Dec. 2, 2021
2:00 PM 'til 4:00 PM
Beau Chene Country Club*

\$25 each

Great Raffle & Auction Items

RSVP by 11/23/21

*Mail to Linda Esquerre
320 Caddo Dr., Madisonville 70447*

<i>Suggested Donation:</i>	<i>Need info?</i>
<i>An unwrapped Children's Book</i>	<i>Judy Hermann</i>
<i>Any Age through Teens.</i>	<i>985-845-2657</i>

**Please MAIL \$25 checks for the Social to Linda
Esquerre at the above address.**

**Also, mail or bring \$45 check for 2022 membership
dues.**

January MRW Meeting

Elbert Lee Guillory



Elbert Lee Guillory recently completed a decade long stint in the Louisiana Legislature, where as State Senator he worked closely with the Jindal administration to create landmark school choice legislation for underprivileged students in Louisiana.

Guillory's The Southern Initiative is his effort to break the Democrat chokehold on the Black vote by supporting and publicizing major conservative Black candidates across the South. It is time for change. It is time for true conservatives who put the people they represent *first*, to be elected.

<https://www.elbertguillorysamerica.org/>



The next MRW meeting will be January 6th.
Social time begins at 11:00 a.m. with the
meeting/lunch beginning at 11:30 a.m.



Reservation Deadline is December 30.

Contact Linda Esquerre at renlin92@bellsouth.net or 504-782-2920

Members \$27.00; Non-Members \$30.00

Mandeville Republican Women

Beau Chene Country Club

November 4, 2021

Linda Begue, President, called to order the regular meeting of the Mandeville Republican Women at 11:30 AM.

Val Montgomery gave the invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Our guest speaker was Lane Carson, former secretary of LA Department of Veterans Affairs. Secretary Carson shared with us several ways to support of veterans and led us in a memorial for Louisiana's sons and daughters killed in combat over the last 20 years.

Dollars to Vent was again a success with many participating.

Report of Officers

Recording Secretary - Minutes from our October meeting were accepted

1st VP - December is our Christmas membership social. Guest speaker for January 2022 will be former state senator, Elbert Lee Guillory.

2nd VP - 78 active and 12 associate members.

Treasurer - Financial report was accepted and filed for audit

Corresponding Secretary - A thank you note was sent to our October guest speakers.

Report of Committees

Dictionary Project - was a success, Lyon Elementary was again the beneficiary

Political Education - Go vote!

Public Schools - Nov. 23, CRT meeting sponsored by the LaGOP hosted by RPEC

Christmas Social - December 2, 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM at Beau Chene Country Club. Now accepting donations for the raffle fundraiser. Bring an unwrapped new children's or teenager's book. Books will again be donated to Christmas St. Tammany.

New Business

After Secretary Carson's compelling presentation, Linda Begue asked for a motion from the floor to allow MRW to purchase a brick to benefit Southeast Louisiana Veterans Cemetery. The bricks are \$150 and will line the cemetery's pathways. Val Montgomery made the motion. There being no objection, the MRW brick will be purchased.

1st VP Anne Pablovich has resigned from the board due to new responsibilities at work. Linda Begue is accepting nominations for the position.

Announcements

Go vote November 13

RPWST Festival of Trees on Saturday November 20

Trivia

Mary Jenks and Lynn Pablovich

50/50

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 PM

Respectfully submitted by Michelle Pichon.



**Mandeville Republican Women
In Memoriam**



CLAUDETTE LONG

**Longtime
MRW Members
Who Are Greatly Missed**



THELMA KERN



DIANNE RAMSEY



MANDEVILLE REPUBLICAN WOMEN



Membership Report

by Lynn Pablovich

This is the last Membership article for 2021. We finished the year with 78 Active members and 12 Associate members. We had 20 NEW members this year.

~~~Now for the most important part of my message.~~~

As you know we do not have a regular meeting in December but instead we have a MEMBERSHIP SOCIAL. I WILL BE COLLECTING YOUR 2022 DUES AT THE SOCIAL.

PLEASE BRING A CHECK MADE OUT TO MRW FOR \$45. I WILL HAVE A DATA SHEET WITH ME SO YOU CAN CHECK YOUR INFO AND MAKE CHANGES IF NECESSARY.

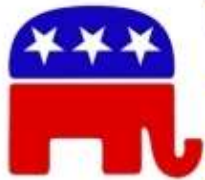
ONLY NEW, JOINING MEMBERS WILL NEED TO FILL OUT AN APPLICATION; RENEWING MEMBERS ONLY NEED TO VERIFY CONTACT INFO.

Looking forward to seeing you at the Membership Social.

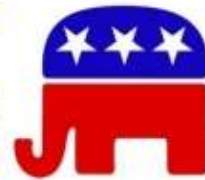
Have a wonderful Thanksgiving!!!

Do you have any guest speakers or subjects you would like to see at the monthly meetings?

If so, LET ME KNOW and I will pass it along.



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**St. Tammany Public School Education
Committee Report**
by Sharon Bostwick

St. Tammany School Board meetings are all open to the public. The meetings are also live-streamed at <https://www.youtube.com/stppschoools>. Recordings of the meetings are made available for viewing immediately after the live stream ends, at <https://go.boarddocs.com/la/stpsb/Board.nsf/Public>. At the latter site you can also view and/or print the meeting agenda.

Board Meeting Dates:

December 9, 2021 - 7:00 pm
January 20, 2022 - 7:00 pm
February 10, 2022 - 7:00 pm
March 17, 2022 - 7:00 pm
April 14, 2022 - 7:00 pm
(Slidell)
May 12, 2022 - 7:00 pm
June 9, 2022 - 7:00 pm

**Committee As A Whole Meeting
Dates:**

December 2, 2021 - 6:00 pm
January 13, 2022 - 6:00 pm
February 3, 2022 - 6:00 pm
March 10, 2022 - 6:00 pm
April 7, 2022 - 6:00 pm
May 12, 2022 - 6:00 pm
June 2, 2022 - 6:00 pm

All meetings are held at the St. Tammany Parish School Board C. J. Schoen Administrative Complex (321 N. Theard St., Covington, LA) unless otherwise noted. Three (3) regular School Board meetings shall be held at the Robert C. Brooks, Jr. Educational Complex (2544 Sgt. Alfred Drive, Slidell, LA) each year. The Board also meets in Special Session as needed during the course of the year.

Dates and times are subject to change
Frank J. Jabbia, Superintendent

For more information, please contact the [Superintendent's Office](#).

READING MAKES A COUNTRY GREAT

By Mary Jenks, MRW Literary Chairman – Dictionary Project

On November 1st I delivered dictionaries on behalf of MRW to all third-graders at Lyon Elementary School, just as we have done for many years. Due to COVID, I was unable to personally hand them out to the students, but the school's principal and custodian accepted the dictionaries from me.

The Principal, Rebecca Birkett, met me outside the school, and custodian Tyrone Martin took them from my car for me. He has been the school's custodian for twenty-seven years!

The students usually are very excited to receive their dictionaries and I'm sure this year's class will also put them to good use.



Louisiana Dept. of Education Website

Voice Our Views Now on Social Studies Standards in the Schools.

DRAFT OF THE COURSE STANDARDS –

[09.23.2021 - DRAFT Louisiana Social Studies Standards](#)

PUBLIC COMMENT –

[Public Comment - Louisiana Social Studies Standards Draft 2021](#)

It is encouraged that we as Citizens, Parents, Teachers, Professionals, and Students use this opportunity to voice our opinions on Course Content in Course Standards in the Schools. THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY for BESE, Course Standards Committees, Superintendent, and Dept. of Education Personnel to HEAR OUR VOICE and give us your two cents. So, let's let them hear it from you!

Doing our Homework: Alabama has a top rating from Thomas B. Fordham Institute <https://fordhaminstitute.org/>

See how our State of Louisiana Rates, check top states and see if we can gather why we are rated low. [The State of State Standards for Civics and U.S. History in 2021 | The Thomas B. Fordham Institute](#)

Check out Alabama, the top state here and tap it as a good resource for suggestions what WE should do. [20210623-state-state-standards-civics-and-us-history-20210.pdf \(fordhaminstitute.org\)](#)

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TAKE A STANCE.
DO YOUR CIVIC DUTY.**

**Contact the people you pay to represent you and tell them what
you think of the job they're doing,
the good and the bad.**

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**On the following page is our MRW Membership Application.
Notice that the dues as of January 2020 are \$45 a year, not \$35.**

MANDEVILLE REPUBLICAN WOMEN MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

MRW is a member of the Louisiana Federation of Rep Women and the National Federation of Rep Women

***You must be a registered Republican to join.**

Please Print

Are you a registered Republican? _____ Are you already a member of another LFRW/NFRW Club? _____

Date of Application _____

NAME _____ SPOUSE'S NAME _____

HOME ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE + AREA CODE _____ FAX _____

CELL _____ E-MAIL _____ + _____

Do you want to be contacted mainly by phone or the e-mail above? _____

The newsletter is e-mailed to you each month.

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT _____ WORK PHONE _____

INTERESTS & HOBBIES _____

Date Paid: _____ New _____ Renewal _____

TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP:

____ ACTIVE (\$45 Jan - Dec) OR (\$30 Sept - Dec): Full member with membership in state & national federation included

____ ASSOCIATE MEMBER (\$15) Associate members are members of another LFRW/NFRW club or a Republican man.

METHOD OF PAYMENT: Check# _____ Check Amount: _____ CASH: _____

____ PLEASE CHECK IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN SERVING ON AN AD-HOC COMMITTEE:

ARMED SERVICES _____ CAMPAIGN _____ COMMUNITY SERVICE _____ HOSPITALITY _____

LITERACY _____ PHONE _____ POLITICAL EDUCATION _____ PUBLICITY _____ SPECIAL EVENTS _____

WAYS & MEANS _____ ADD YOUR IDEAS _____

SPECIAL TALENTS/SKILLS (i.e., marketing, typing, public speaking, writing, photography, creative arts, computer skills, etc.) _____

MAIL APPLICATION & CHECK PAYABLE TO:

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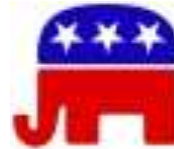


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