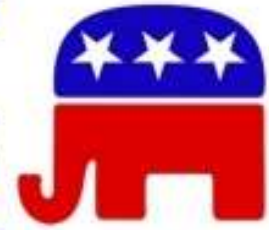


MANDEVILLE REPUBLICAN WOMEN



Linda Begue

President's Message
October 2023

TIME FOR NEW LEADERSHIP

We are making changes in leadership of the Louisiana State government this November. Let's make changes in the leadership of the Louisiana Republican Party!

RECENT ACTIONS OF THE LAGOP ARE APPALLING!

The most recent upsetting action of the LAGOP is their endorsement of a candidate facing criminal charges. John Raymond, seeking the House District 104 seat in St. Tammany, faces child cruelty charges.* The Parish Republican Party, the St. Tammany RPEC, wisely made no endorsement in that race even though Louis Gurvich, chairman of the LAGOP tried to influence my vote as an RPEC member by sending a text message asking me to vote to endorse John Raymond! I assume I was not the only member to receive such a text message. Why is it the state Republican party thinks it knows better than those who are up close to the issue? Why is it the State Republican Party did not follow suit? Yes, all citizens are considered innocent until proven guilty by a court of law. Therefore

The LAGOP should have stayed out of that election!

This action on top of the LAGOP endorsing Jeff Landry for Governor long before we even knew who the candidates would be has damaged the Republican Party in Louisiana. (This is not a stand against Jeff Landry, just the action of the LAGOP) There are 3 viable candidates from St. Tammany Parish who were never given a chance to earn the LAGOP endorsement.

We are already hearing from people wanting to change party affiliation. Too many of us have worked long and hard to grow the Republican Party in Louisiana to have it destroyed by its own leadership!

WE WANT A NEW LAGOP

**The Times-Picayune, September 13, 2023*

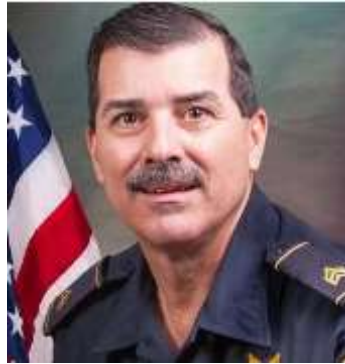
Next MRW Meeting

October 5, 2023

Our October meeting will feature a forum for the candidates for St. Tammany Parish Sheriff.



Randy Smith



John Gurda



Tommy Williams

Also, MRW member Dee Betz will share information about Free NOLA, a group that has been fighting sex trafficking in Orleans, Jefferson, and St. Tammany Parishes.

**The next MRW meeting will be Thursday, October 5th
at Beau Chene Country Club.**

**Social time begins at 11:00 a.m. with the meeting/lunch
beginning at 11:30 a.m.**



Reservation Deadline is September 27th -FIRM

**Contact Linda Esquerre (*not Lynn Pablovich*)
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NEW LUNCHEON PRICE: \$31.00

OCTOBER MENU:

Chateau Salad

Tarragon Roasted Chicken



Minutes of September 7th Meeting

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

Suzanne Crow gave the invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Candidate Forum - House of Representatives District 89 - Each candidate was present and had two minutes to introduce themselves. Introductions were followed by a round of prepared questions. Each candidate chose two questions. The program concluded with the candidates' closing comments.

Report of Officers

Recording Secretary - Minutes from our August meeting were accepted by acclamation

1st VP - Programs: October - Sheriff's Candidate Forum

2nd VP - 77 active and 33 associate members. MRW Business Cards were shared with members

Treasurer - Not in attendance

Corresponding Secretary - Not in attendance

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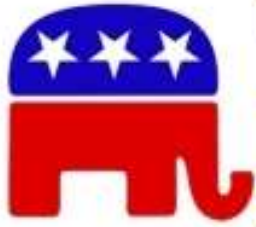
Meeting adjourned at 1:30 PM

Respectfully submitted by Michelle Pichon

I would like to thank The Mandeville Republican Women's Club for their time and effort with addressing over 3,000 postcards for my Re-Election Campaign for St. Tammany Parish Clerk of Court.

Thank you for all you do and for who you are. I am so grateful for your service and your hard work!

Melissa R. Henry



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Upcoming Elections

PAR Guide to the 2023 Constitutional Amendments

The 2023 Guide covers the potential impact of eight constitutional amendments the public will consider on the **Oct. 14** and **Nov. 18** ballots. This nonpartisan, educational review helps you understand the issues and the proposed changes so you can develop your own positions on each proposition.

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FALL FORUM, AUGUST 20, 2023



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**Photos from
September 2023 MRW Meeting**





Membership Report

by Lynn Pablovich

We have 77 Active members and 33 Associate members as of September 15, 2023. We have 30 new members for 2023 of which 15 are Actives and 15 are Associates. Please welcome our newest members listed below.

The 2023 Directories are distributed all meetings. If you have not renewed for 2023, you can mail a check (\$30 dues) to:

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Mandeville, LA 70470-8831.

If you are renewing and your info is the same, I do not need another application from you. However, if there are changes, please print the attached application and mail with your check.

We want you to get involved and make this club a satisfying part of your life. Please look through this newsletter to find areas you are interested in: school board, publicity, hospitality, campaigns, fundraising, etc. I know our president, Linda Begue, would love to talk to you about committees. You may even have a new idea. Let us know

New Active Members:

Cristina Donovan

Jane A Neubauer

Shirleen Carter



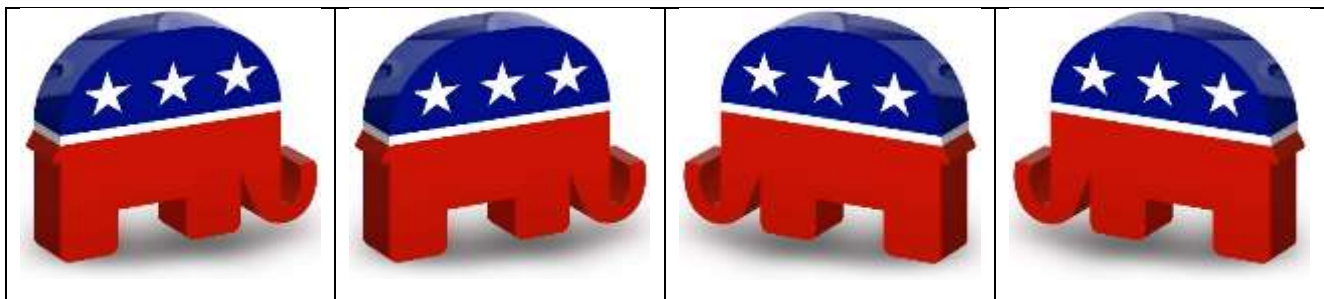
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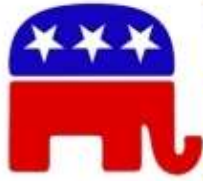
MRW's own Chairwoman for Fundraising, **Barbara Doyle**, is pleased to announce her acquisition and new ownership of *Sophisticated Woman* magazine as of August 4, 2023.

Doyle, also the owner of the *Pelican Pages Northshore* and Managing Partner of *Slidell Savings Magazines*, brings more than 33 years of experience and for a period of time was an integral part of the *Sophisticated Woman* team.

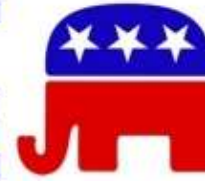
She is looking forward to reinforcing the magazine's outstanding reputation and continuing to offer the superior publication the Northshore and surrounding area has grown to love and cherish.

Congratulations, Barbara!





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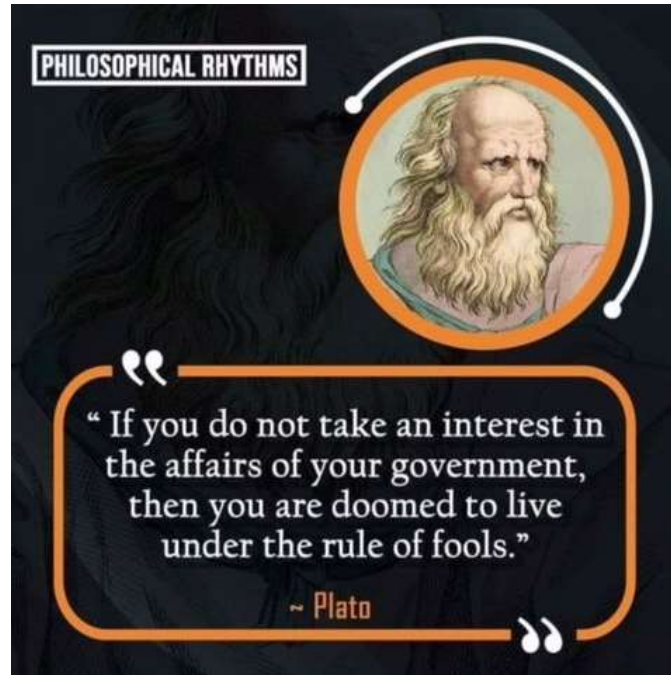
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**Bring the completed form to the next MRW meeting or
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