

Clear Creek



Reach for the Stars
President's Message for April

April is Here!



We had another great turnout and an awesome speaker for our March meeting. We learned a lot about the Crisis Pregnancy Center in Texas City and we had a wonderful response by our members in bringing "baby shower" supplies to support the center as this year's **Caring for America Project**.

As our state continues to navigate through uncharted waters, our work is needed more than ever to support our elected officials and candidates. Work is being done on so many fronts, from legislative issues and our need to call, email, and testify on important legislation; to getting signed up to become a voter registrar and work to register like minded citizens and preparing for upcoming events in our community. We're hosting a "Gun Safety" course on April 8th and a training to become a Deputy Voter Registrar on May 18th. You can find out information about all of these by visiting our website <https://www.clearcreekrw.org/>

Thank you once again to our committee chairs who have done an outstanding job.

God Bless You,

Roxann Lewis, CCRW President

"Continuous effort not strength or intelligence is the key to unlocking our potential."



Guest Speaker for April

Judge Patricia Grady



Patricia is a third generation Texan and lives on Galveston Island with her husband of 27 years, John Grady. Patricia obtained her B.A. and law degree from University of Houston Law Center. She studied British Literature in London, England, worked on Capitol Hill and studied international law in Mexico City.

Patricia is a Real Republican and her commitment to the GOP is real. She served as a Republican Precinct Chair for over 7 years and served as a board member and President of Sandpipers Republican Women. Patricia has also served as Delegate to the County or State Republican Convention in 2006, 2010 and 2012.

In 2011, Patricia left her law practice after 19 years and entered public service as a Legal Liaison for County Judge Mark Henry. Later, Patricia was unanimously appointed by the Galveston County Judiciary to serve as a Judge over juvenile criminal cases.



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2021 Officers

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Roxann Lewis
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1st V.P. Membership

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STANDING CHAIR- WOMEN

Campaign Activities

Kathie Nenninger

Legislative

Lillian Murphy

Awards

Loretta E. Roberts

Hospitality

Linda Duryea

Literacy/Caring for America

Pat Kampenga

Special Events

Kristen Day

Publicity

Debbie Chrissinger

Social Media

Christine Parizo

Parliamentarian

Carol Evans

Directory

Mary Kennedy

By-Laws

Loretta Roberts

Chaplain & Newsletter

Mary Blackwell



CCRW Monthly Meeting

doors open at 11:30 AM

La Brisa on the Creek

501 N. Wesley Dr., League City, Tx.

281-554-4000

Reservations are required please. If you are making reservations for someone else please provide their name(s) for our reservations list.

Contact Fay Picard 281-507-0928 or

You may RSVP & register by clicking on this link <http://www.clearcreekrw.org/event/>

Please reserve and select choice #1, #2, or #3 by 12:00 pm noon Wednesday before meeting. We are only able to order from this menu. If you have a food allergy, please contact call Fay (281-507-0928). Please note: cancellations are accepted up to 9:30 pm on the Tuesday before our meetings on Friday otherwise an invoice will be mailed for the full amount. Thank you for your understanding in this very important matter. We also want to thank all of you who continue to make reservations in a timely manner.

Menu

1. Fish tacos served with refried beans & rice \$15
2. Ground beef burrito, topped with chili con carne & cheese, refried beans and rice. \$15
3. As entry fee \$5 covers your choice of tea, coffee,

April 2021 Birthdays

Mary Kennedy	1	Madeleine Montes	6
Jack Roady	1	Jon Staley	10
Evelyn Timmons	1	Mary Horn	16
Bonnie Wilson	1	Candice Blaylock	22
Rebecca Smith	4		



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CCRW 2021 Calendar

April	2	Good Friday
April	2	CCRW Board Members meeting at 9:30 am in Judge Mark Henry's conference room.
April	2	CCRW Monthly Meeting 11:30a-1:00p at La Brisa Mexican Grille, League City. Guest Speaker will be Judge Patricia Grady to discuss election laws, Trump lawsuits and more.
April	4	
April	8	Basic Firearms Safety course 6:30 pm-8:30 pm at Galveston County Annex, North entrance.
May	7	CCRW Board Members meeting at 9:30 am in Judge Mark Henry's conference room.
May	7	CCRW Monthly Meeting 11:30a-1:00p at La Brisa Mexican Grille, League City. Guest Speaker Nick Adams.
May	13	Voter Deputy Registrar Training 6:30 pm-7:30 pm Galveston County Annex, North entrance.

MEETING CALENDAR FOR AREA REPUBLICAN WOMEN CLUBS

Bay Area Republican Women—4th Tuesday of the month 7:30am at Bay Oaks Country Club, Clear Lake
<https://barw.org/meetings/>

Texas Gulf Coast Republican Women—3rd Monday of the month 6:30p Friendswood Chamber of Commerce

Galveston Republican Women—3rd Wednesday of the month 11am— Tremont House, Galveston
<http://www.galvestonrepublicanwomen.com/>

San Jacinto Republican Women— 3rd Monday of the month—Peppers Restaurant, Pasadena
<http://sanjacintorepublicanwomen.com/index.php/about-us/>

West Pearland Republican Women—1st Thursday of the month 6pm—Spring Creek BBQ, Pearland
<http://wprw.org/>

Social Media



Get more information by ctrl + click below to join us at our Facebook page.
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/ClearCreekRepublicanWomenClub/>

We are happy to help promote other Republican Women's Clubs. Go ahead, post your even and wait for approval from our webmaster.

Invite your friends to "Like" our page. We need more Republicans like you. Check us for the monthly CCRW meeting date and time.

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Membership

Barbara Meeks, Membership Chair



Congratulations to the Membership Contest winners!

Linda Duryea brought in 6 brand new full members! 30 points earned Linda 1st place - a wine & cheese reception for 8 with County Judge Mark Henry.

Carole Medway brought in 5 new, full members! She won a lovely cuff bracelet from Kendra Scott for second place.

THANK YOU to everyone who brought new members to CCRW, we now have 92 full members and 40 Associate Members!

With YOUR Help we can continue to build and grow in significance.

Welcome new members (as of press time):



Melissa Baker

Elizabeth Pollock

Jared Bargas

Christy Smith

Sarah Briggs

Jon Staley

Laura Gappa

Cameron Tromba

Sharon Garsen

Betty Warren

Renee Locke

Tamara Williams

Beth Morris

Dee Womersley

April Legislative Report

Lillian Murphy, CCRW Legislative Chair

President Joe Biden has signed his \$1.9 trillion American Rescue Plan, commonly referred to as the COVID-19 relief bill, into law. Less than 10% of this bill's spending is dedicated to public health. The vast majority will go to special interest payoffs and other wasteful spending.

Fortunately, the misguided proposal to increase the minimum wage to \$15 per hour, which would have killed 1.4 million jobs, was dropped from the bill.

The next disaster, HR1, if signed into law, will destroy our election process for the foreseeable future. Let your Senators and Representatives know your concerns. This one must be stopped!

On a happier note (for me anyway) a bipartisan group of senators has reintroduced the Sunshine Protection Act, which would extend daylight saving time to year-round, rather than keep it at eight months. Not a major issue, I would just love to see this happen.

Governor Abbott issued Executive Order GA34 lifting the mask mandate in Texas and declaring all businesses of any type may open to 100% capacity. Businesses may still limit capacity or implement additional safety protocols at their own discretion. You get to decide which businesses to support.

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Clear Creek Republican Women General Meeting March 5, 2021 at LaBrisa Mexican Grill

Call to order: By President Roxann Lewis 12:03

Invocation: was given by Mary Blackwell

Pledges: were led by Congressman Randy Weber

Welcome and Introductions: President Roxann Lewis introduced elected officials and candidates. She also recognized guests and new members.

Membership Report: membership chair Barbara Meeks reported 84 full members and 36 associates.

Approval of Minutes: Roxann Lewis- minutes were approved as circulated in newsletter.

Treasurers Report: Fay Picard stated our total balance from Texan Bank and Wells Fargo was \$12,911.06

Campaign Activities Report: Kathie Nenninger reported the opportunities with TFRW for workshops on managing a campaign, running for office or general campaign activities will be given in different locations and registration begins in April.

Legislative: Lillian Murphy, chair, reported many concerns about COVID-19 bill including 1 billion for racial justice for farmers, 10 million for preserving Native American language and 750 million for global health. She then suggested all review the link on the CCRW website and voice your opinion to your representatives.

Events: Kristen Day, chair, reported that the February event had light attendance but another will be held in April. She is also working on a night or weekend workshop on Voter Registration to deputize members.

Announcement: Roxann Lewis announced the Historian vacancy.

Speaker: Mary Kennedy introduced Christy Anne Dickson director of the Texas City Pregnancy and Parenting Support Center. She described the work that they are doing and how the pandemic has increased the need. She stated her biggest need is for software to help teach clients. Many donations were brought to the luncheon to help support the center and many pledges were received as well.

Hospitality: Linda Duryea presented the door prize.

Adjourn: 1:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Martha Bosworth, CCRW Recording Secretary

Chaplain's Message by Mary O. Blackwell

As the celebration of Easter approaches we can find hope in the promises of God.

1 Peter 1:3 (ESV)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. According to His great mercy, He has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead...

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Brag Board



**Scott Pressler was in
League City!**



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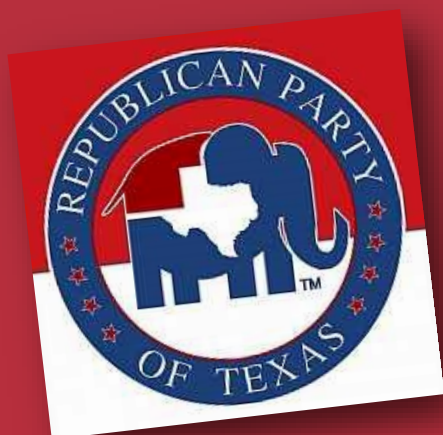
Greater Houston Council of Federated Republican Women
The NUTS n' BOLTS SEMINAR and RECOGNITION OF CLUB PRESIDENTS



Roxann Lewis (C) was recognized as new president. TFRW President Glynis Chester (R) and Sophia Mafrige (L)



Our very own CCRW two past presidents Lillian Murphy, Loretta Roberts and current president Roxann Lewis



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Membership Chair

2021 Membership Applications are available at each meeting or save time and paper and fill one out on our website ; www.clearcreekrw.org. We need a form filled out by every Member and Associate Member, even if your information remains the same. The club must stay in compliant with the Texas Ethics Commission. We appreciate your understanding.

You may click on the following link to complete your membership application on our website: <http://www.clearcreekrw.org/become-a-member/>



Clear Creek Republican Women PAC
Galveston County, Texas
2021 Membership Application

Name _____ Spouse Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____ Home? ___ Cell? ___

Email _____

Occupation _____ Birthday (Month/Day) _____

Full Member \$30.00 _____ New Member _____ Renewal _____

Associate Member \$15.00 _____ (Member of another RW Club or a Male)

Are you a registered Republican? Yes ___ No ___

Member of another RW Club? ___ Yes ___ No ___ If yes, name of Club _____

How did you hear about CCRW? Website ___ Facebook ___ Newspaper (which one) _____

Friend (Name) _____ Other _____

I would like to help with the following (Please check all that interest you)

Audits ___ Awards ___ By-Laws ___ Campaign Activities ___ CCRW Directory ___ Hospitality ___ Legislative ___
 Newsletter ___ Literacy ___ Caring For America ___ Parliamentarian ___ Fundraising ___ Social Media ___

Hobbies/Areas of Interest/Comments _____

I'll save the Club money and take an electronic directory _____

Please mail membership application and check to:
CCRW PAC, P.O. Box 2171, League City, TX 77574

Date Paid _____ Check# _____ Cash _____ Amt. Paid _____

Dues and Donations are not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal income tax purposes
Corporate Contributions Are Not Permitted

CCRW Name Badge Order



Badge Size 3" x 1-1/2" white with magnet back • Color CCRW logo
 Your info printed Black --or --Blue (circle choice, black is default)

\$15 delivered to CCRW meeting • **\$17** Delivered (Includes sales tax)

Name: _____

Line #2: this could be last name

Line #3 _____

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