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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings Members & Associates,

Congressman Mark Amodei was our guest speaker for August and as usual when he is with us, it was very well attended. Along with his witty humor that we all enjoy, he spoke to us on several topics: Russia, health care, social security and being informed, educated voters. Thank you Congressman Amodei for all that you do.

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Congressman Amodei for all that you do. Please note that the September meeting will be at the Carson Nugget for this month only. Due to a prior booking Fandango was unable to schedule us this month. Thank you Carson Nugget for always accommodating us. Sherriff Furlong shared some information with me on a new program that has been recently implemented within the Sheriff's department to help treat mental illness before it escalates. He offered to send a guest speaker to our September meeting to share this information. With this being such a big topic on the news, we thought this would be a timely presentation.

On September 6 & 7 all the state central committees will be meeting in Winnemucca for their fall board meeting and elections. Chairman Michael McDonald is running for his 4<sup>th</sup> term. Chairman McDonald has in the last 3 years done a remarkable job by turning Nevada into a financially independent year-round machine that has become one of the

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CCRW SEPTEMBER LUNCHEON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2019 CARSON CITY NUGGET



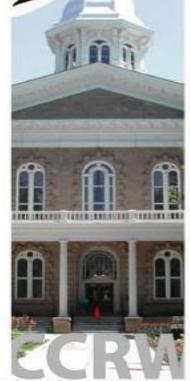
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> SPEAKER: BEKAH BOCK Carson Counseling Supportive Services

# **RSVP MANDATORY BY FRIDAY. SEPTEMBER 13**

You will be held responsible for payment if you do not cancel your reservation within 24 hours prior to the meeting.

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Angela LoGiurato

**CCRW** President

#### CARING FOR AMERICA Carolee Berglan, Chair 841-1732



Can it be September already? I see leaves falling from my trees! Please look for these special days in September: Sept. 2nd, Labor Day; Sept. 8th, Grandparents Day; Sept. 11th,

Patriots Day and Sept. 23rd, Autumn begins. Thanks to the generosity of our members, our "causes" are doing well.

Advocates To End Domestic Violence helps women and their children get back on track to living independently. They always need: women's and children's clothing, paper products, twin size bedding and household items. (dishes, pots and pans, etc.) Please help, if you can.

**CASA** (Court Appointed Special Advocate) helps neglected or abused children right here in Carson City. They need: NEW underwear and socks, all sizes, for both girls and boys. They also need roll-type suitcases/duffels or bigger backpacks and fleece throws. Your donations to this organization helps the children know that someone cares. Thank You!

**Paws Up For Veterans** provides Service Dogs for combat Veterans that live with Post Traumatic Stress Syndrome (PTSD), Traumatic Brain injury (TBI) and some mobility issues. The Veterans are charged nothing for the dog, because each Veteran stepped forward and swore to risk it all for America and for all of us, that we might live free. At our August luncheon, you donated \$80.00 to this worthy cause. Thank You!

<u>The Northern Nevada Dream Center</u> is located at 3579 Hwy. 50 E., #211 here in Carson City. Their phone is 775-443-4090. They need donations of non-perishable food items for their food pantry, household items and "gently used" clothing, all sizes and ages, M or W or C. Blankets, new or gently used, are also greatly appreciated. Please pick up a complete list of needs on our Caring For America table at every luncheon. At our August luncheon, you donated \$78.00 to their cause. Bless You!

"Thanks Be" for August goes out to ALL of you who donated monetarily and to these ladies go gave to our other causes: Janice Baldwin, Mary Burgoon, Kaye Keeton and Suzie Weissman. Thank You!

I'll close with a "Rural Pearl" by Kimberly Eraca: "Close your eyes to truly see, close your mouth to listen. Open your heart to let love in, open your soul to glisten."

#### Nevada Trivia

What was the name of the famed Washoe basket maker whose prized works are much sought after by collectors? (Answer Page 9)

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### AUGUST LUNCHEON SPEAKER: CONGRESSMAN MARK AMODEI





The featured speaker at the well-attended August luncheon was U.S. Congressman Mark Amodei. Also speaking were CCRW Campaign Chair Debbie Neddenreip and Carson City Central Committee Chair Paul Strasser. Members of the audience included three members of Congressman Amodei's staff.





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#### SYLVIA DIVITA CCRW President Angela LoGiurato

Our dear friend and member, Sylvia Divita, passed away on August 2, 2019. Sylvia had been a member of CCRW since

2016 and from the moment she joined, she hit the ground running. As Chair of the Scholarship Committee, she took her task to heart, ensuring that all aspects of the scholarship requirements were up to date and fair to all applicants. She attended BOD and luncheons on a regular basis, always ready with an update, recommendations and a friendly smile. Her willingness to complete her duties as Scholarship Chair and as an active member, even while suffering with some difficult personal conditions, proved she put her commitments first and herself second.

She was a remarkable lady, a true asset to the CCRW and will be dearly missed.



### SEPTEMBER SPEAKER

Our speaker for September is Bekah Bock, Carson Counseling and Supportive Services social worker, with the MOST (Mobile Outreach Safety Team) program. This is a program in conjunction with the CC Sheriff's Office and designed to be more preventative in helping the mentally ill before they got to jail rather than reactive once they were there.

The purpose of this program is to complete and maintain regular welfare checks on problematic or frequent users of mental health services; to promote medication compliance and wellness; and provide assessments that will encourage voluntary use of community resources to prevent future crises.

### **GETTING TO KNOW OUR NEW MEMBERS**

#### Name: Pat Wentworth **Current Position: Treasurer**

I joined CCRW last year. Retirement allowed me the time and energy to get involved in the club.

My goal as treasurer is to take care of all funds and bills in an exact, timely manner.

I am originally from a small coalmining town in West Virginia. Looking for a better life, my family moved to Southern California when I was in elementary school. My husband grew up at Lake Tahoe. We met in college and settled in Carson City soon after.

I have a degree from the University of California, Irvine in neurobiology and a Masters Degree in education. I taught high school/middle school math and science during my career.

My husband, Kirk, is a pharmacist and owned Medcare Pharmacy here in Carson City for years. He sold the pharmacy, which has been renamed Dahl's Pharmacy, and he now is a relief pharmacist for Raleys.

I have two grown daughters. Elizabeth (Lisa) recently married and lives in Fountain Valley in Southern California. She is a paralegal with a large law firm in Irvine. Victoria (Tori) lives in Oakland and owns an ice cream business specializing in vegan ice cream.

I have been a conservative my entire life. During my college years I was the lonely voice on the right.

> The inherent vice of capitalism is the unequal sharing of the blessings. The inherent blessing of socialism is the equal sharing of misery. -- Winston Churchill



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DUE TO EDITOR TRAVEL CONFLICT. SUBMITTAL DEADLINE FOR THE OCTOBER CCRW NEWSLETTER WILL **BE EARLY- SEPT. 18** 



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## **History of Nevada Presidential Preference Primary Elections and Caucuses**

By the Legislative Counsel Bureau's Legal Division Nevada has had varied experiences with presidential primary elections and caucuses over the years. The following provides a brief description of the selection of presidential candidates and electors since 1864, the year Nevada became a state.

Beginning in 1864, Nevada elected "presidential electors" through a direct vote of the people. With the exception of the Democratic Party in 1912, this practice continued through the presidential election of 1948.

The Democratic Party in Nevada, despite calling for the presidential primary election of 1912, never specified whether the vote of the people would be binding for the party delegation sent to the national convention. As it turned out, the vote so heavily favored one candidate that the issue never needed to be addressed. The Democratic Party's use of a presidential preference primary in 1912 placed Nevada among the first states to use this method of election.

Following the 1912 Primary Election, the Democratic Party returned to the practice used by other major political parties in the State and placed its slate of electors before the voters for approval or disapproval. This practice continued through the election of 1948. During the 1949 Legislative Session, the Legislature passed Assembly Bill 3 and Assembly Bill 4 (Chapters 38 and 14, Statutes of Nevada, respectively), which eliminated the practice of directly electing presidential electors and set forth a procedure for the selection of electors at each political party's State convention.

During the 1953 Legislative Session, the Legislature enacted Senate Bill 229 (Chapter 299, Statutes of Nevada), which provided for the holding of a presidential preference primary election every four years. After its passage, many concerns were raised regarding the timing of the election (proposed for the month of June), its costs, and the ability to secure a strong voter turnout for the election. Responding, the 1955 Legislature repealed the presidential primary provisions of S.B. 229 before the 1956 presidential election took place.

Following the passage of S.B. 229 in 1953 and its repeal in 1955, presidential electors continued to be nominated at each party's State convention. In 1973, however, the Legislature again passed legislation creating a presidential preference primary election. This measure, Assembly Bill 755 (Chapter 625, Statutes of Nevada), created a "closed" presidential primary election, whereby only registered Democrats could vote for Democratic candidates, and only registered Republicans for Republican candidates. Under A.B. 755, the date of the primary was set for the fourth Tuesday in May of each presidential election year. Presidential preference primary elections were subsequently held in 1976 and 1980 as governed by A.B. 755.

The provisions of A.B. 755, however, were repealed by the 1981 Legislature in Assembly Bill 138 (Chapter 744, Statutes of Nevada). Reasons cited for the repeal of the presidential primary law included the associated cost, a lack of interest by the public (low voter turnout), and the fact that presidential nominees had been determined by earlier primary elections in other states. Since that time (with the exception of the 1996 Republican presidential preference primary election), Nevada has used a closed caucus system—much like the process used for the presidential elections held between 1952 and 1972—for determining delegates at the Democratic and Republican presidential nomination conventions.

The Legislature again considered and passed legislation during the 1995 Legislative Session creating a presidential preference primary election. Assembly Bill 695 (Chapter 685, Statutes of Nevada) gave each major political party in Nevada the option to participate in a presidential preference primary election. Furthermore, the measure stipulated that the election be conducted by mail, with the election materials to resemble those distributed for absentee voting. The Republican Party chose to participate in the presidential preference primary election, which took place on March 26, 1996. The total cost of the election to the State of Nevada was \$555,483. The provisions of A.B. 695 expired by limitation on July 1 1997.

Finally, during the 1999 Legislative Session, the Legislature considered two measures that would have created a presidential preference primary election similar to the one conducted in 1996. Assembly Bill 505 and Senate Bill 548 both died for lack of action in the Assembly.

NOTICE FOR MEMBERS WHO WISH TO HAVE THE NEWSLET-TER USPS MAILED TO THEM, PLEASE NOTE THAT UPON RENEWAL OF A CURRENT SUBSCRIPTION OR THE BEGINNING OF A NEW SUBSCRIPTION THE RATE IS \$15/YEAR. THIS IS TO PROPERLY COVER THE MAILING, INK AND OTHER MATERIAL COSTS.

I contend that for a nation to try to tax itself into prosperity is like a man standing in a bucket and trying to lift himself up by the handle. --Winston Churchill

#### CAMPAIGN CHAIR REPORT Debbie Neddenriep, Chair <u>debnedd@charter.net</u>



Losing the legislature, statewide offices, and senate seat in the last mid-term

election inspired me to get more involved in supporting and promoting Republicans candidates. There are many conservatives in Carson City and across Nevada who also want to do all they can to get Republicans elected in their communities, at the legislature, in state offices and to congress and the senate in Washington, D.C. Elections are won in neighborhoods, precincts, and communities.

Therefore, I became the campaign committee chair and a great team of women have joined this committee to mobilize every woman to get republicans elected. This fits with the Nevada GOP goal to take our political battle to the streets and win Nevada back – one precinct at a time. The Carson City Women's club will be working with the Carson City Republican Central Committee and State GOP in this effort.

What is the strategy to meet this objective? Build a network of volunteers across our communities to get Republicans elected. This will include building a network of hostesses to open their homes for Republican meet and greet events; creating a database of volunteers to walk precincts and make phone calls, staffing Republican headquarters, registering voters, driving voters to polls, raising money. If every woman in our community engages in this effort by doing a small part, we can make a difference.

Over the next few months, we are going to ask every current and new member to fill out a card (included in this article) on how you might be able to help. When you come to the luncheon, you will be given this card when you pay. Please fill it out and turn it in. If you have a friend or neighbor who wants to get involved, direct them to myself or Janice Baldwin, our membership chair.

### CARING FOR OUR MEMBERS

If you know of someone who has been or is ill, has suffered a loss or could just use a little cheer, please give Dianna Webb a call or email so she can send them a card with a few rays of sunshine and good cheer. Her number is 775-883-5949 and email is: <u>dwebb47@sbcglobal.net</u>



#### FIRST DAY OF FALL-SEPTEMBER 23, 2019

Eirds have a feeling in the air, They are flying here and there, The leaves are of gold and yellow, Where all the emotions are mellow, Fall is the season to rejoice, Stay prepared by your choice, Fall is here again!



OPPORTUNITY DRAWING Marti Cockell, Chair

We continue with our 50-50 drawing. The lucky ticket holder will win 1/2 of the money collected from ticket sales. Many thanks to Alicia Eidel, our super ticket salesman!





## **TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP!** Janice Baldwin, Membership Chair

Pay your annual dues of \$30 In October, November or December and receive a JEWEL ON YOUR NAME BADGE:

- Red jewel for paying your dues by October, November or December
- White jewel for being on a committee
- Blue Jewel for bringing a friend to join the club

It is that time of year when we pay our dues of \$30 for our membership in the Carson City Republican Women's Club, Nevada Federation of Republican Women and the National Federation of Republican Women.

- Of the \$30 dues \$15 goes to CCRW, \$10 goes to NvFRW and \$5 goes to NFRW. A pretty good bang for your buck.
- Associate members pay \$15. Associate members are any man who chooses to support our Club and any woman 18+ who belongs to another Republican Women's Club. Students under 18 years of age may join for \$15 also. The whole \$15 of associate money stays with our Club.

One more learning curve! The NFRW budget year goes from October of one year to the October of the next year, with reporting every 3 months. Therefore, we encourage everyone to pay in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter, October, November or December. Help us be on time getting your renewal in this 1<sup>st</sup> quarter. New members can join all year long, so bring a friend any time to join the Club!

Attention all new members who have joined the club this past year! You are invited to a NEW MEMBER ORENTATION learn all the functions of the CCRW Club. Learn what the Executive Board and Board of Directors do. Learn about the various the committees.



NEW MEMBER ORENTATION WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 2, 2019 6:30PM GLEN EAGLE RESTERAUNT 3700 NORTH Carson Street Light Refreshments



A great big welcome to our newest members. So glad you have joined us and we are looking forward to getting know you!:

#### JOAN MATHEWS AND SUE MC CUNE



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#### **CCRW Satellite Meetings**

CCRW Satellite meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of each month at the home of Candy Baker, 938 Buzzy Ranch Rd., Carson City @ 7:00PM.

Discussions revolve around *The Study of the 5000 Year Leap*. It is open to all, including husbands & guests. Contact Janice for further information.

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# **Upcoming Events**

- Sept. 2 Labor Day
- Sept. 3 **CCRW BOD meeting @ Glen Eagles**
- **CCRW Luncheon meeting @ Carson Nugget** Sept. 17
- **Sept. 23** First day of Fall
- **Oct. 1 CCRW BOD Meeting @ Glen Eagles**
- **Oct. 14 Columbus Dav**
- **Oct. 15 CCRW Luncheon meeting @ Casino Fandango**
- **Oct. 26** Nevada Day/Pancake Breakfast
- **Oct. 31** Halloween
- Nov. 5 **CCRW BOD meeting @ Glen Eagles**
- Nov. 19 **CCRW Luncheon @ Casino Fandango**

### **Trivia Answer**

Dat-so-la-lee (Circa 1835-1925) would spend as much as a year working on a single basket. Her baskets are displayed in the Nevada State Museum and the Nevada Historical Society.

#### **CARING FOR OUR MEMBERS**

Dianna Webb, Chr.

### **THINKING OF YOU**

- Sympathy card to the family of recently deceased member Sylvia Divita.
- Sympathy card to Janet Heller & fami-• ly on the recent passing of her husband.
- Sympathy card to Dean & Lynn Heller • on the recent passing of his father.
- Get Well card to Gus Ehrelsman for recent surgery
- Get Well card to Susan Dunn for a recent injury.

#### CARSON CITY **REPUBLICAN PARTY** The CCRP meets the 4th

Thursday of each month. WHERE: Casino Fandango WHEN: 6:30pm—Social time 7:00pm-Meeting



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