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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy New Year!

In spite of last year's turbulence, I think CCRW ended the year on the highest of notes. Anyone who attended the Christmas/ Installation Luncheon, or even read the lovely write up in the Nevada Appeal (Thank You Sandy Markoe!) knows how much our club has accomplished, and the individuals who were responsible and deserving of the praise and awards received. I could not be



prouder of this club, even if it didn't mean conquering the Fresh Hell that was 2020. My hat is off to all the women who made this happen, with elan.

There will be no NvFRW Leadership Training this year, once again due to COVID restrictions. That being said, Nevada Federation President Janet Freixas has agreed to speak at our January Luncheon. As we solidify our plans for the year with some new committee chairs, the timing is perfect for her to explain the significance of what we accomplish under the umbrella of the National Federation of Republican Women. Nancy Dallas will be emailing every member soon with board approved Bylaw changes, and we will vote to approve them at the meeting so please keep an eye out on your inbox so we can finally put that business to bed.

The next legislative session begins in February. There are no dumb questions about how laws are passed, and none of us are born with this knowledge. We invited our new National Committeeman Jim DeGraffenreid to speak about the process, and the man is a wealth of information. As our party is still in the Minority in both houses, tactical finesse will be of

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CCRW JANUARY LUNCHEON TUESDAY, January 19, 2021 **CASINO FANDANGO**



11:00AM - 1:30pm \$25/PERSON—CASH/CHECK ACCEPTABLE

> **PROGRAM: Janet Freixas NvFRW President**

RSVP MANDATORY BY FRIDAY, JANUARY 15 WE ARE LIMITED TO 50 RESERVATIONS

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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Newsletter Deadlines

January 25 (for February) February 22 (for March) March 29 (for April)

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SPECIAL RECOGNITION

ANGELA LOGIURATO

It is not often this club honors a specific member in a special manner. We have done so in the past when warranted, and tonight we simply need to do that again.



Angela LoGiurato joined the CCRW in 2008 and has been actively involved ever since.

- When the club was looking for someone to run for the "thankless", but burdensome, position of President, Angela stepped forward (with Christine Brandon) to serve as Co-President for one year (2017) and then ran for and was elected President for the following two years (2018-19).
- She worked the annual Pancake Breakfast for several years and when the previous chairs found it was time to retire, she stepped forward. She chaired the event the past two times it was held.
- She chaired this installation event today.
- In 2017 Angela was a major force in creating the honoring of our veterans at our November luncheon. This has since become a very special, anticipated and largely attended event.
- She applied for and was accepted as a participant in the "Silver State Excellence in Public Service" program in Washington, DC, a program created to train young women to become informative in Republican issues and values. Man, was she excited and enthusiastic when she returned from that!!
- She has served on the Executive Board as CCRW 2nd VP and 1st VP. She performed the assigned duties well, bringing us informed and interesting speakers as 1st VP and worked tirelessly to increase our membership as 2nd VP.

Angela, I apologize if I have missed a few accomplishments in your commendable CCRW history of participation, but I am so very proud to pre sent you with a certificate commemorating this special honor and a relatively small token of our appreciation for all you have done for the CCRW and the Republican party.







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President's message cont. the essence and nobody understands this, and the players, like DeGraffenreid.

Our new, and the first woman Mayor of Carson City, is our own Lori Bagwell. I know I've said this before but my heart almost exploded with joy when she was elected. As a Supervisor, she primed our beautiful city for one which she will run with mastery. She will be our speaker in March, and I could not be prouder to be a registered voter in Carson City, and to represent CCRW at her swearing in on Monday, January 4th.

Warmest Regards,

Sherese Settelmeyer, CCRW PRESIDENT

CARING FOR AMERICA

Carolee Berglan, Chair 841-1732



Thanks to a wonderful group of caring, thoughtful and generous members of CCRW, 2020 was a year of "Giving and smile making". Thank you for ALL you did in a year of "uncertainty". Bless You!!

The Northern Nevada Dream Center, located at 3579 Hwy. 50 E., #211 is right here in Carson City. They provide meals, a food pantry, clothing and much more to those that need help in our community. YOU donated \$789.00 to them in 2020. **Thank You!** CCRW members also filled 26 Dream Food Bags for them.

Paws Up For Veterans, a Fallon based organization, trains dogs to become Service Dogs. A Veteran in need of a Service Dog, gets one for free because of what the Veteran did for all of us. YOU donated \$885.00 to this worthy cause. **Thank You** from Ann, Bob and their special four-footed friends.

CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) helps abused or neglected children here in Carson City. They received fewer things than normal, in 2020, but it wasn't a normal year. They did receive 35 "Therapy Critters" and eight suitcases/duffels/backpacks. Thank you for the smiles you bring to the children.

Advocates To End Domestic Violence received many "gently used" items throughout the year and our "tradition" of filling a "Wish List" this year was AWESOME! YOU donated NEW, UNWRAPPED gifts to 14 children, eight females and one male. There were even extra items donated. YOU also donated \$105.00 to help Advocates as needed, to "make the season bright". Bless you SO much!

"Thanks Be" goes out to everyone who supported our "causes" in 2020. CCRW men and women are responsive to the needs of our community by volunteering your time, material donations or monetary gifting. YOU are

I'd like to close with this quotable from J. Robert Moskin: "There is always a time for gratitude and new beginnings".

MEMBERSHIP

Membership Chair & 2nd VP Joann Mathis

Our December meeting was very successful and thanks to Casino Fandango for the manner in which they set up the room. The 50 person limit was handled well.



I was extremely surprised to be voted Woman of the Year! I was oblivious until I heard Nancy say "Round Lake, Illinois!" Nancy did a wonderful job of introducing me. Thank You! My friend sitting next to me just turned around and grinned. I want to thank all of you for your support. The challenge now is to retain and grow our current membership and keep our members involved in this political climate. The \$100 check from the CCRW was donated to The Dream Center.

I have been calling members who have not attended the last two meetings and many of them are homebound with husbands who have compromised health conditions. Every member I have talked to plans on being back at meetings after the COVID crisis is over.

Our club continues to grow and I want to thank everyone of you for seeking out new members at our luncheons and sitting and visiting with them. I encourage everyone to stay active in the club. Our country is in rough times and we must support our President and Republican Party. Reminders have been mailed out to renew memberships for 2021 and we are getting a positive response.

Your thought for the day: True terror is to wake up one morning and discover that your high school class is running the country!

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CCRW 2020 WOMAN OF THE YEAR JOANN MATHIS

For a woman who has lived in more places than I could possibly remember even it were myself doing the moving, we are fortunate she finally settled in our little city and immediately became an active member of the CCRW. She joined our club in 2018 with the goal of encouraging more women throughout the community to join us. She has done an amazing job, with our increasing membership rolls as proof of her meeting her goal.



A few details about her life:

- She is a retired RN and mother of three sons. Her first husband and father of her children died at a young age. She managed as a single Mom and RN until five years later she married a man named Hal.
- They built a home on 2-1/2 acres of wooded land in rural Trinity Center in northern California. When Hal became ill they moved to Carson City in order to be closer to family. Hal passed away 2-1/2 years ago.
- She and Hal did a whole lot of traveling England, Ireland, Scotland; Antarctica; Scandinavia; Zimbabwe, Argentina; Mexico; Canada; New Zealand; and all 50 of the United States, including a camper trip to Alaska.
- I noted she lived in many areas. A sampling, though I may miss a few spots: Round Lake, in the Chicago area; Libertyville, Illinois; Fergus Falls MN; Santa Cruz; and eventually, Trinity Center and on to Carson City.
- Of her three sons, one lives with his family in Pleasant Valley, one lives with his family in Knoxville, TN, and the third lives in Tampa, FL. She also has a brother in Smith Valley.
- Prior to joining the CCRW she was a member of the Redding Republican Women in CA.

As a member of the CCRW she immediately found herself on the Membership Committee, and is now CCRW 2^{nd} Vice President and Membership Chairman. What a perfect fit. Her ever cheerful personality, permanent smile, never ending energy and enthusiasm are infectious - and our roster of new members that has been growing by leaps and bounds attest to her dedication to her goal of encouraging new membership within our community.

A quote from our honoree: "It's my goal to make each new member feel welcome the minute they walk through the door to their first meeting."

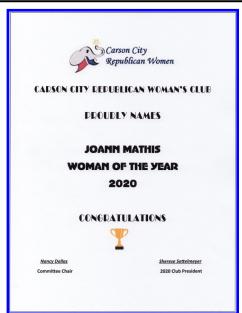
She also happens to be quite the organizer, with a bit of a flair for putting on our special membership events. And if you look closely, you will probably see her (dressed in the appropriate attire) at one the patriotic rallies at the capital, Governor's Mansion, or anywhere one is being held. She can also be found working at the Carson City Republican headquarters.

As one member aptly noted on her nomination form "she comes on like gangbusters."

It is my great pleasure to present to you the 2020 Woman of the Year Award winner Joann Mathis – our own Ms. Red, White and Blue, flag waving, through and through Republican activist.











CCRW DECEMBER LUNCHEON—CASINO FANDANGO INSTALLATION OF 2021 OFFICERS HONORING WOMAN OF THE YEAR









INSTALLATION OFFICER - CCRW PAST PRESIDENT MARY BURGOON



TREASURER PAT WENTWORTH



SECRETARY SANDY CASHION



2ND VICE PRESIDENT JOANN MATHIS



1ST VICE PRESSIDENT PATTY JOHNSON



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WOMAN OF THE YEAR-J. MATHIS



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!!



SPECIAL RECOGNITION—A. LOGIURATO



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Nevada Trivia

What famous nineteenth-century inventor/architect was raised in Carson City, Nevada?

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MAMIE EISENHOWER LITERACY PROGRAM Sandy Markoe, Chair

As noted in the last newsletter, the Mamie Eisenhower Literacy Program has been a project that CCRW has been involved in for many years. This year's books purchased by the Carson City Library will have the following nameplates placed in them remembering and honoring the following great Republican women:

- Signing Their Lives Away, The Fame and Misfortune of the Men who Signedthe Declaration of Independence will be in memory of **Sylvia DiVita**;
- The Runaway Bunny will honor President Sherese Settelmeyer;
- Remembering the Ladies will honor 1st Vice President Patty Johnson;
- Founding Mothers, Remembering the Ladies will be in memory of Abilgail Adams;
- Camilla Can Vote: Celebrating the Centennial of Women's Rights to Vote will be in memory of Susan B. Anthony

The National Federation of Republican Women will be notified of our contribution and our staunch support of educating the public along with remembering and honoring our Carson City Republican Women's Club.

CARING FOR OUR MEMBERS

Dianna Webb, Chr.



- Jerys Nunes—
 Thank you for being our Social Media Chair
- Suzie Weissman—Get Well
- Lee Elliott—Get Well
- Alan Glover family-Sympathy upon his passing
- Mardu Lydick—Thinking of you
- **Kelly Brandon—**Thinking of you



S. Settelmeyer, A. LoGiurato, Jesse and John Vettell

OUR CHRISTMAS INSTALLATION LUNCHEON

This year's CCRW Installation/Woman of the Year festivities could not be dampened by any virus. Though limited to 50 attendees and having to forego our usual evening dinner, this special event was wonderful and full of the holiday spirit. The Fandango put out a delicious buffet and worked with Chairman Angela LoGiurato and her committee through all the ups and downs of trying to arrange such an event under this year's ever present trying circumstances. John and Jesse Vettel put together a beautiful Christmas musical video and helped us enjoy a happy sing-a-long of traditional carols. Congratulations to our Woman of the Year Joann Mathis and Special Honoree Angela LoGiurato, and those who helped with the silent auction and donated to our club sponsored charities. It was indeed a special time!























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Regular Member(\$40)Associate Members(\$20)*	Student Members(\$15)
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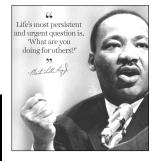
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CCRW Satellite Meetings

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

Jan. 1	New Year's Day
Jan. 6	CCRW BOD meeting @ Glen Eagles 4:00pm
Jan. 18	Martin Luther King Day
Jan. 19	CCRW Luncheon @ Casino Fandango
Feb. 2	Groundhog Day
Feb. 3	CCRW BOD meeting @ Glen Eagles 4:00pm
Feb. 14	Valentines Day
Feb 15	Presidents' Day
Feb. 16	CCRW luncheon @ Casino Fandango
Feb. 17	Ash Wednesday
Feb. 22	Washington's Birthday
March 4	CCRW BOD meeting @ Glen Eagles
March 14	Daylight Savings Time begins
March 16	CCRW Luncheon @ Glen Eagles
March 17	St. Patrick's Day
March 20	Spring begins
March 27	Passover begins
March 28	Palm Sunday

Trivia Answer

George Washington Gale Ferris, Jr., inventor of the Ferris Wheel, lived at 311 West Third Street in Carson City (now called the Ferris House) during his boyhood years. Legend says he was inspired to create his wheel after recalling the waterwheels on the Carson River that were used to crush ore from Virginia City.





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WHERE: Casino Fandango
WHEN: 6:30pm—Social time
7:00pm—Meeting

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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