

TEMPE REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB



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Statement of purpose

- We endeavor to increase the effectiveness of women in the cause of good government through informed political awareness and participation by promoting a knowledgeable and informed electorate through political education and consciousness.
- We aspire to foster loyalty to the Republican Party and promote its ideals, objectives and values.
- We support and uphold our Constitution, our Sovereignty and our unalienable rights and work to insure they are all maintained in the political process.
- We promote Republican candidates, supporting and working for their election as the Party's nominees.

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Tempe Republican Women's Club

4th Monday of every month.

Next Regular Meeting: **August 22**

Pyle Adult Recreation Center

655 E. Southern

Tempe, Arizona

6:30 pm

ANNUAL DUES:

\$ 30 New members - \$ 15 Associate Members

All Registered Tempe, AZ Republicans

are welcome to join us at any time.

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President's Desk



Over the weekend I attended the AzFRW Summer Meeting at the beautiful Radisson Woodlands Hotel in Flagstaff. As usual, there were exceptional speakers,

interesting workshops, good food and great camaraderie with other members from Republican Women's clubs all over the state. At our Friday evening banquet, Congressman Paul Gosar spoke. He is serving his first term from Arizona's First Congressional District, and is focused on bringing jobs back to the American people. We were privileged to also hear Robert Graham, the author of "Job Killers: The American Dream in Reverse" His plan is to take back our cities from the unions. Our luncheon speaker was Terry Gilberg, talk show host on KFYI. She emphasized the importance of winning in 2012. I hope all of you will have the opportunity to attend an AzFRW meeting in the future. Thank you to all who brought canned goods for the food bank in Flagstaff. Our club had the honor of bringing the most canned goods! Our club was recognized for recruiting 10+ members since our last quarterly report! Good job, gals! A special thank you goes to Mary Lou Taylor, Michelle Helm, Darryl Jacobson-Barnes and Kay Fisher, who donated articles for the Buy or Bid Treasure Sale.

At our May 23rd meeting we welcomed new member, Kerry O'Neal Costanzo. Kerry and her husband, Andrew, are the owners of The Irish Gift House in Tempe. We're glad to have you join us, Kerry!

We will not have a regular meeting in June. Our summer membership luncheon is coming up soon. The date is Saturday, June 18 at 11:30 am at the Fiesta Inn. Cost is \$20. Dr. Rimma Finkel is our speaker and the topic is Obamacare. Thank you, Darryl, for making the arrangements at Fiesta Inn, and thank you, Laura Reisinger and Terri Chiarella for the beautiful place settings and patriotic decorations. I hope to see all of you at the luncheon!

Rae Lynn Chornenky, member of Cactus Wren RW, has been nominated for the office of President of NFRW. This is a great honor for Rae and for AzFRW. Voting will take place at the National Republican Convention in Kansas City, Missouri.

There will not be a regular meeting in July, however, we will have a **pot luck on Saturday, July 16** at the home of Susan Conti, 3905 S. Willow Dr. at 6:30 pm. Bring a dish to share. Our AzFRW President, Leona Johnston, will be speaking to us about AzFRW and NFRW. Note: previously we had scheduled the pot luck for Friday, July 15. Please call Susan at [480-820-5821](tel:480-820-5821) if you plan to attend. Due to members being out of town in August, there will not be a Bunco night. Laura Reisinger will host the Bunco night sometime in the fall. We will have our regular monthly meeting on Monday, August 22. Have a great summer, everyone, and I will look forward to seeing you on August 22!

Bunco Fundraiser Postponed until October/November

Due to the out of town members over the summer, we are postponing the Bunco Fundraiser until fall. It was originally scheduled for Friday, August 12. This fundraiser is for our projects Packages from Home and the Jeans for Veterans. A new date will be decided at our August meeting. Bunco is a fun dice game and no experience is necessary. We will play with 24 members so when the date is decided you will need to reserve your space. The fee will be \$15 per person, the Bunco winners receive their cash prizes, the remaining funds will be split between the two projects named above. We will serve a light dinner and then play. Ways

and Means Chair Laura Reisinger will host this event. Stay tuned.



God Bless America

Editor's Corner

As summer days find many of our members on vacation, be safe and enjoy some well needed R & R and for many escaping the hot AZ climate. Keep our troops in your thoughts and prayers.
Barbara Medal Newsletter editor

"Our cause is noble; it is the cause of mankind!"

George Washington (1779)

BOOK REVIEW



How The Left Was Won

By Richard Mgrdechian

An In-Depth Analysis of the Tools and Methodologies Used by Liberals to Undermine Society and Disrupt the Social Order. Combining a series of unique insights with an entirely new set of analytical techniques, **How the Left Was Won** systematically dismantles every element of modern-day liberalism ranging from the justifications behind all of its flawed social and political policies to the most basic assumptions regarding the ideology itself. In order to achieve this goal, the author first introduces a new framework which segments and isolates all liberal behaviors and beliefs into the most objective and discrete elements possible. He then goes on to provide numerous examples of how liberals relentlessly employ this simple set of tools and methodologies and then discusses the resulting effects they have on our society. Some of these strategies include: differences between people and how without them, liberalism would be dead in the water. **Bad Competition:** Why practically all liberal policies create success only through the impairment of others and exactly where this dynamic must necessarily lead. **Relevancy and Proportion** Why the vast majority of what liberals say has absolutely no meaning whatsoever and learn a simple way to prove it every time.

Implicit Assumptions: Explore the assumptions liberals use to shape public policy and see why the arguments supporting them are ultimately nothing more than a house of cards. **Group/individual:** How liberalism has distorted the differences between groups and individuals and why this continued distortion is the basis for all flawed social policies within the U. S. **The Perpetual Motion Machine:** Learn how the vast majority of liberal programs are based on the scientific impossibility of getting something for nothing. **A Swarm of Ants:** Find out the real reason liberalism continues to permeate more elements of our society and why there just may be no way of stopping it.

The following is an excerpt from "**How The Left Was Won**". All of liberalism is fueled by a singular strategy—a strategy which has been continually perfected and relentlessly executed over the past 40 years. **That strategy is to promote and exploit divisiveness.** Everything liberal politicians do is based on this simple principle. Tell the people that are given to hating the most, that they are the ones who are hated. Tell the people who expect the most, that they deserve *more*. Tell blacks to hate whites. Tell women to hate men. Tell the lazy to hate the motivated. Tell the poor that only conservatives are rich, and surely to hate them for it.

Class warfare, race baiting, name calling and man-hating—all with a singular goal: to get themselves in power by promoting and exploiting divisiveness. Of course, once this divisiveness turns into frenzy, these same people suddenly act as if they actually want to solve a problem that didn't even exist before they did everything they possibly could to create it. To liberals, every issue, every situation is an opportunity to divide. History, religion, gay marriage, the First and Second Amendment, the death of a soldier, a political

debate over global warming, Katrina which devastated New Orleans. Every tragedy exploited to divide. Every victory belittled to divide. Every incident, every word, every distorted statistic, every holiday—you name it, they will find some way to divide it. Unfortunately, it's not just the politicians who promote and exploit divisiveness; *it is the people as well*. Malcontents, jealous of anyone with any sort of success, come up with any way they can to attack those who are more successful. Willingness to work, planning ahead and Intelligence has nothing to do with it. What do these people view as the solution to this imaginary injustice? It is special rights, privileges and opportunities for themselves, to level the playing field, get something for nothing. Take from the rich, what they have, what they built, what they earned—whether it be money, property, liberty or opportunity—and find a way, some justification, some cause or some guise to redistribute it to the people who have done nothing to earn it and refuse to compete on merit. People who insist on taking more out of society what they never put in to it, people who care that *their* inclusion comes only at the expense of someone else's *exclusion*, aka affirmative action. The strategy is really simple, promote divisiveness and then exploit it for your own benefit.

Richard Mgrdechian holds a MBA degree from Columbia University. Over the past several years, he has grown increasingly concerned by what he sees happening within American society and has provided a unique analysis of the strategies used by liberals to undermine that society in his new book How The Left Was Won.

TRW Help with Phoenix Veteran's Day Parade

Did you know that the Phoenix Veterans Day Parade is the fourth largest in the nation? Tens of thousands watch this parade and hundreds enjoy showing their patriotism by participating. Due to the current economy some of the parade's largest donors have had to cut back and \$30,000 is needed. Our Tempe Women's Republican Club has agreed to donate \$100 to this cause. Anyone interested in donating may do so to the Veterans Medical Leadership Council Treasurer Neil Thex in care of Veterans Day Parade, CC Pollen and Associates 3627 E. Indian School Rd, Suite 209, Phoenix, AZ 85018. Your donation is, of course, tax deductible.

"Republics are created by the virtue, public spirit, and intelligence of the citizens. They fall, when the wise are banished from the public councils, because they dare to be honest, and the profligate are rewarded, because they flatter the people, in order to betray them."

Joseph Story, Commentaries on the Constitution, 1833

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WE CONTINUE WORKING WITH **PACKAGES FROM HOME** TO SEND MUCH NEEDED ARTICLES TO OUR TROOPS. LET US ALL SUPPORT OUR HEROS dates to be announced

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Don't forget we are collecting gently used jeans for the veterans, we have not yet reached our goal.

"Nothing so strongly impels a man to regard the interest of his constituents, as the certainty of returning to the general mass of the people from whence he was taken, where he must participate in their burdens." George Mason (A good argument for term limits)

Submissions for the newsletter deadline is by the 15th of the month and articles are welcome to be submitted by TRW members.