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Welcoming New Members

A Special Annual New Member Brunch by Chef Donny!

Spike and Julie Williams hosted a delicious brunch, pool-side, at their lovely home on Sunday June 13th to honor new members who have joined WFRWC. New members in attendance were: Paula Bedner, Mary Ann Cannon, Helen Clark, Inge Gedo, Steve & Monique Hunt, Trina Jones and Doug and Debra Madrell. We recognize Helen Clark as she has a very special birthday on July 4, when she turns 80 years young! Congratulations.

Chef Donny, formerly of Chez Francois of Great Falls, worked his magic in the kitchen as he prepared and served up an

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New WFRWC Members enjoying conversation and camaraderie with the Board

The President's Box

Our club is made of many dedicated women, and is focused on the following goals:

- Ensuring a Republican wins every election, no matter how "small"
- Reaching out to our community and to all Republicans, and educating them on current and upcoming issues
- Networking with other Republican organizations to work for a stronger and more effective Party, both locally and nationally
- Supporting our troops at home and abroad
- Supporting our youth through scholarships and volunteer opportunities
- Increasing our membership and networking among members

Have a wonderful summer!

Dottie O'Rourke, President.

Second Vice President's Report

Our last three meetings have been a raving success! We've had standing-room only crowds and seen many new and familiar faces alike.

In April, our focus on immigration reform featured Prince William County Board of Supervisors Chairman Corey Stewart speaking on his Rule of Law proposal for Virginia. Our May meeting brought in many local faces and press coverage for Major General Richard Secord, USAF (Ret.) and his discussion of *Obama's Mid-East Policy (and What It's Doing to*

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Second VP's Report, continued

Our Country's Future!). We also awarded our Barbara Bush Scholarship to the outstanding son of Associate Member Sheila Stabile. June's meeting wrapped up the quarter with a terrific election year pep talk by RPV Chairman Pat Mullins. I'm sure all of our ladies can agree that we are motivated to act as best we can in the coming months to help our candidates succeed come election day. We look forward to more lively upcoming meetings and events to further educate the Republican ladies of Western Fairfax County.

Kara Reade, 2nd VP



Congratulations Spencer Stabile! and Best Wishes for your marketing and political science studies at Christopher Newport University

Welcoming New Members, continued

outstanding presentation of food which included poached eggs on English Muffins with Canadian bacon and a rich sauce, roasted potatoes, a sausage dish, a colorful array of fresh fruits and a tempting, not to be missed swirl of pastries. It was all wonderful.



Time seemed to fly by as WFRWC Board members greeted each new member, and enjoyed getting to know them, discovering more about their families, as well as noting their expression of interest in getting more Republican candidates elected to critical seats in local and state and national government, while becoming part of changing the political landscape in their communities and in Virginia. Discussions turned to how we are all vital to the growth of our club and to all our communities. No job is too small, and no job is too large as we plod along toward

finally replacing the regime presently in power in Washington and restoring a government with better emphasis on what Americans are saying they want for their lives. We are so pleased to hear of their enthusiasm and desire to work to make a difference. Some of these members have already started working within our club, and it is a great pleasure having their new talents and ideas as they become more involved with activities regarding our Republican candidates, and outreach within their neighborhoods. It is such a pleasure to welcome each and every member and we look forward to working together.

Many thanks to Julie and Spike Williams for allowing us to enjoy the lovely place provided for a memorable day, and to Chef Donny for the delicious food he prepared for us all to enjoy – and we did. It was a lovely setting, and we thank all who were there to enjoy the day! Welcome!

Ina Faye Nichols, Corresponding Secretary

Roanoke, the Star City, Shines on the 2010 VFRW Convention



The Western Fairfax Republican Women once again enjoyed their participation in the annual April celebration better known as the VFRW Convention.

Our club was represented by four delegates: President Dottie O'Rourke, 1st VP Julie Williams, By-Laws Chair Paula Bedner and Helen Clark plus our VFRW State Central Representative Anna Lee.

In addition to serving on two committees, your delegates

attended every session and staffed the sales table in the Wares Market for outstanding sales of our fabulous WFRWC Elephant Pin and the last of our great cookbooks. To cap our success, two members of our delegation won the 11 district door prizes!

The Hotel Roanoke and Conference Center, restored to its original splendor, provided a

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Family BBQ a Huge Success!

FCRC “No Ties Allowed” Family BBQ was a huge success!

“The event was a great success with a turnout of well over 200 attendees. A big thank you to Attorney General Ken Cuccinelli, RPV Chairman Pat Mullins, Congressman Frank Wolf, Patrick

Murray and Keith Fimian for attending the event and speaking to the guests.

But most important reason for the day was celebrating and recognizing our great volunteers here in Fairfax. Without our fantastic volunteers none of this

would work. We all really appreciate your hard work and the sacrifice you make to support our Party. Dottie O’Rourke received “The Honorable Robert E. Harris” FCRC MVP Award and Anna Lee received the FCRC Chairman “Crystal Elephant” Distinguished Service Award.

Congratulations to all of the volunteer award winners... your recognition and awards are well deserved. Thank you!

Anthony Bedell, Chairman FCRC

Honor Flight Update

Honor Flight is an organization created in 2005 when six small planes flew out of Ohio taking twelve World War II veterans on a visit to their memorial in Washington DC.

Having expanded, this amazing network now brings our WWII veterans to Washington on a regular basis at NO expense to them.

Many volunteers have had the opportunity and privilege to be a “Dulles Cheerleader.”

Yup, we stand at the gate and welcome these brave men and women to our nation’s Capitol, while thanking them for their service to our country. There are tears, hugs and humility demonstrated by this Greatest Generation.

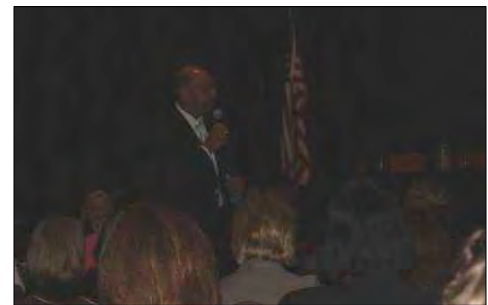
For more information you may contact www.Honorflight.org. If you would like to welcome a flight you will find the schedule by going to www.heroeswelcome.org. After you find the flight, send an e-mail to heroeswelcomeiad@yahoo.com stating that you would like to greet. Give the date of flight, your name and date of birth. This must be done 24 hours in advance; call Betty Ann Olson at 703-263-1062 if would like to carpool.

2010 RNC Women’s Summit

RNC Co-Chairman Jan Larimer held the 2nd Annual Women’s Summit on May 13th in Washington, DC.

Each year members of Congress are asked to nominate leaders in their Districts to attend. This year’s WFRWC nominees to attend were Dottie O’Rourke, and Julie Williams. I was honored to also attend for the 2nd consecutive year.

Women gathered from across the Nation for this very informative summit. Virginia’s Former First Lady Susan Allen was among the workshop facilitators. The focus of the Summit laying the groundwork for taking back the House of Representatives and Senate in 2010 and then the White House 2012.



RNC Chairman Michael Steele spoke on the importance of women as candidates and how instrumental they were in the 2009 elections in Virginia and New Jersey.

Anna Lee

Convention 2010, continued...

sumptuous setting (and great food too!) for a terrific line-up of speakers with the highlight at our Saturday evening banquet featuring Governor Bob McDonnell. Sunday's plenary session proved to be a true experience in parliamentary procedure with a challenged vote on the dues increase, which was defeated, and a officer nomination from the floor, who won the position. Fortunately, we had just had workshops the day before to review our rules!

Welcome to our new VFRW Executive Committee, President Faye Williamson, First Vice President Miki Miller, Second Vice President Valerie Hubbard, Recording Secretary Raquel Lyons and Corresponding Secretary Linda Bartlett.

Plan ahead for next year's convention by marking your calendars now for April 8-10, 2011. The site will be Richmond at the new Hilton-Short Pump Resort & Spa.

Dottie O'Rourke, President.

Day Labor Hiring Hall - Solution or Attraction?

A standing room only crowd filled Centre Ridge Elementary School's cafeteria on June 1 to hear details of a proposed day laborer hiring center in Centreville. Organized by Sully District Supervisor Michael Frey, the meeting featured a presentation by A. J. Dwoskin, an area developer who operates the Centreville and Centreville Square Shopping Centers near Rte 29. Dwoskin plans to donate an office trailer and place it on land he owns behind Centreville Shopping Center to serve as a relocation point to for the large number of men who congregate at the library, along roads and in the area shopping centers to solicit work and loiter. The trailer site is to be operated between 6 a.m. and noon by volunteers from the Centreville Immigration Forum (CIF) and will be, according to a CIF spokesman, funded by "grants," neither applied for nor identified as yet as to source or amount; they insist that "no tax dollars will be used." The CIF spokesperson went on to state that they will facilitate the employment of people, requiring that employers meet

all necessary legal standards but that they (CIF) will not check the legal status of any laborers.

The open discussion following the presentations was generally and strongly opposed to the facility. While many speakers merely vented their frustration over the failure of current immigration policy, some did use their time for specific comments on this particular project. The most pointed statements were from the owners of businesses close to the location who have serious concerns about security, intimidation of their customers and the impact of a threatened community boycott of their shopping centers. One merchant related his experience of having to hire security guards to protect his store after previously deported illegals returned to the area and targeted him and his family. The majority opinion expressed was that this facility will do little to correct the problem of men loitering, littering, harassing and urinating in public, particularly as it will be limited in hours of operation and will charge users a fee.

Delegate Tim Hugo (R-40th) discussed legislation he sponsored to enable localities to restrict roadside solicitations such as those by day laborers. Supervisor Frey countered that applying this law to the day laborer problem would be too expensive to enforce and would have to be applied to everyone, including scouts' car washes, lemonade stands, firemen collecting for Jerry's Kids, etc. The Sully Police Captain also spoke about the difficulty of enforcing the current vagrancy laws, station staffing (as low as eight officers per shift to cover 70 square miles) and the limitations of the Secure Communities Program to which Fairfax County now subscribes (his implication being that the federal checks on possible illegal status under this program are done not as a priority but as the federal system's workload permits).

The meeting lasted over two hours with many strongly stated opinions. Concern that the planned center will attract more laborers to the area rather

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Day Laborer Site, continued

than relieve the problem was a majority view. The CIF has promised to hold English classes but never mentioned the need to teach better behaviors, leaving many to feel that the group has unrealistic goals and

priorities. In closing the meeting, Supervisor Frey commented that he did not believe the planned center was a solution, but was an attempt to do something rather than doing nothing, and since this project would be on private

property and not be funded with public money, the decision to build and operate it was Mr. Dwoskin's. Supervisor Frey asked for continued community input on the issue.

Dottie O'Rourke, President.

Community Outreach 2010

This spring we chose to have a clothing drive for the Lupus Foundation's. The effort was led by Kara Reade and was a HUGE success! Not only did many of our members clean out their closets, but did a good deed. The drivers who picked up the items were impressed by the amount of bags we had collected. This charity was chosen because we have club members with family members who suffer from or who have died from Lupus. To learn more about Lupus and the Lupus Foundation please visit their website: www.lupus.org



The WFRWC takes the VFRW June Board Meeting by Storm!

On June 19th, Dottie O'Rourke, Heidi Salkeld, Julie Williams, Anna Lee and Lynn Falk (President of Clifton RWC), braved the bumper-to-bumper traffic on 95 South to attend the June VFRW board meeting in Richmond.

Not only did the WFRWC have four representatives (the most members in attendance for a club), the clubs in the 10th district had the most representation with over 11 people! And it doesn't stop there...

Congratulations to our very own past president, Heidi Salkeld, who has been asked to serve on the VFRW Board as Chairwoman of Finance. Her position on the standing committee of Finance gives her voting rights. Heidi has created a small sub-committee which will be assisting her with the VFRW campaign activities. She will be responsible for fundraising campaigns for the VFRW over the next two years.

And in case you didn't know, Anna Lee, long time member of the WFRWC, is the Republican Party of Virginia State Central Representative!

WFRWC members are truly shining!

Julie Williams

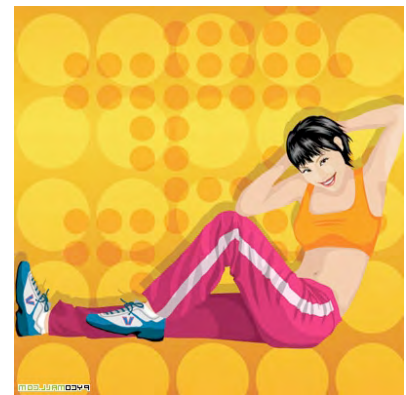
Strengthening Your Core

Training the body's center and building a strong foundation. The objective of core training is to improve muscle endurance. -The Mayo Clinic

Core exercises strengthen your core muscles, including abs, back and pelvis. Why bother with core exercises? Strong core muscles make it easier to do most physical activities.

You can do core exercises on a carpeted floor or mat. Breathe freely and deeply during each exercise. Focus on tightening your deepest abdominal muscle — the *transversus abdominis* — during each exercise. This is the muscle you feel contracting when you cough.

For a list of recommended core exercises visit the Mayo Clinics website at: www.mayoclinic.com/health/core-exercises



Rhinestone Elephant Pin

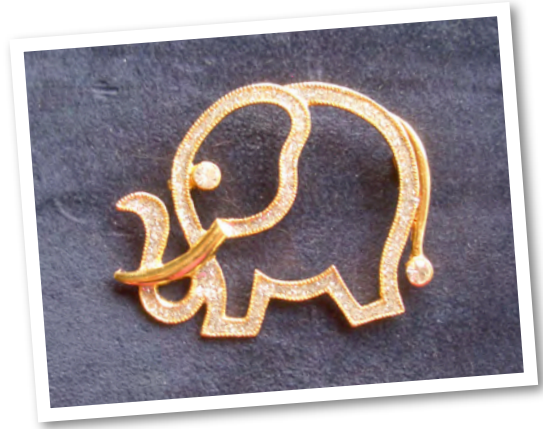
\$20 / Member • \$25 / Non Member

This elegant pin was designed by Sahar Hekmati of the Georgia Federation.

Sahar is originally from Afghanistan.

She was recently awarded a Commendation from the Governor of the State of Georgia for her outstanding efforts, promoting conservative values, and encouraging others to do the same.

For more information, go to www.wfrwc.org or the Order form below



This pin is 10 Karat Gold Overlay, with Rhinestones.

The appraised value is \$52

WFRWC 2010 Rhinestone Elephant Pin

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WFRWC is Representing in 2011!

The WFRWC is proud to announce that two club members have filed to run for public office in 2011! Marianne Horinko has announced she is running for Chairman of the Board of Supervisors in Fairfax County and associate member Spike Williams has announced he will run for Virginia State Senate.

Marianne is a former candidate for the 37th State Senate seat, and has worked tirelessly over the past year to raise money for other candidates, including Steve Hunt, Samantha Rucker, Pat Herrity and David Schmit. She was appointed by Bush 43 as Acting Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in 2003.

Spike is also a former candidate; he ran in 2007 for the Hunter Mill District Supervisor in Fairfax County. He has been involved in the FCRC, is the HMD Chairman, and has worked endlessly to rebuild that district. He is a former technology



Spike Williams & Marianne Horinko

executive and is a small business owner. Spike is extremely gracious in giving of his time, money, and in frequently opening his family's home to the club for events and meetings.

Steve Hunt won the primary in January for the 37th State Senate seat. Unfortunately, the seat is now held by Marsden; however, he will be running again next year. Steve is a former Naval flight officer and served on the Fairfax County School Board 2004-07, where he represented over 1.3 million people, supported over 165,000 children and fought for accountability in a \$2.2 billion budget.

Tim Hugo was elected in 2002 to the Virginia House of Delegates (with almost 70% of the vote) to represent his the fast-growing Centreville area. Currently, he serves the Virginia legislature as a member of the Transportation, Finance, Science and Technology, and Commerce and Labor committees, and chairs a Finance, Commerce and Labor Sub-Committee. Tim is now a member of the House Republican Leadership as the Majority Caucus Chairman and is running for re-election.

C a l e n d a r

July 15 No Club Meeting this Month

Aug 19 Club Meeting

Speaker: Mary Brett, "Election Law: How It Affects Grassroots Volunteers"
@ Sully Gov't Ctr; 6:30 p.m.

Sep 16 Club Meeting

Speaker: Margaret Hemenway
@ Sully Gov't Ctr; 6:30 p.m.

Sep 19 WFRWC 20th Anniversary Party

Oct 2 2010 Republican Round-Up w/Rep. Eric Cantor

Oct 16 VFRW Board Meeting @ Embassy Suites, Richmond

Oct 21 Club Meeting

Speaker: TBA
@ Sully Gov't Ctr; 6:30 p.m.

Nov 2 Election Day

Nov 18 Club Meeting

Speaker: Jim Lemunyon
@ Sully Gov't Ctr; 6:30 p.m.

The WFRWC is extremely proud of all our remarkable candidates for their dedication to conservative principles and their willingness to serve and give back to our community. And of course, for being valued members in the club! If you are planning on running for public office too, please let us know!

Please remember, the WFRWC By-Laws state that our "club cannot endorse any candidate until they are the chosen Republican nominee; however, individual club members can endorse, support and volunteer for candidates prior to a primary." I urge you to reach out to our candidates to volunteer and offer your assistance to show your support -- every little bit helps!

Heidi Salkeld

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