



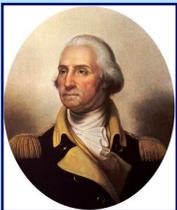
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I earnestly pray that the Omnipotent Being who has not deserted

the cause of America in the hour of its extremist hazard, will never yield so fair a heritage of freedom a prey to "Anarchy" or "Despotism."

– George Washington



You're invited to
**INCLINE VILLAGE~CRYSTAL BAY
REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB**

**NOVEMBER 15th
VICTORY LUNCHEON**

Meet us at the Chateau at 11:30 a.m.
955 Fairway Boulevard, Incline Village



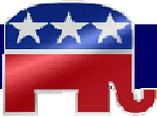
Back by popular demand!
Our speaker is
Noted Political Analyst ...
FRED LOKKEN

*Political Science Professor Lokken
will give us his analysis of the
2016 elections and what they
mean for the country*



Cost: \$25 with advance reservations, \$30 without

**RSVP to Shirley Appel at mrsradar@aol.com
or (cell) 818-266-4402
or (home) 775-831-1505
by November 11th**



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Woman Power — that is the secret sauce we have been applying in the battleground state of Nevada during these crucial last weeks of the Presidential campaign. IVCB Republican Women have been out in force — we are staffing a Trump-Heck Table at the Post Office; we

have been waving Trump, Heck, and ballot signs on the corner of Village and Tahoe Boulevard.

And a number of us became part of a massive Nevada Women's Strike Force to canvas door-to-door on October 22nd. We focused on undecided and independent voters, telling them the importance of supporting Donald Trump and Joe Heck if we want to restore America's place in the world, protect our freedoms and ensure economic prosperity. The response has been overwhelmingly positive. So don't believe the polls — believe what you see, feel, and keep up the effort.

I want to especially thank Joannellen Slocumb and Celine Nugent who have been the foundation of our Trump Table at the Village Center. I also want to thank Contessa Price, Sarah and Dave Norton, and Weesie Daniel who have been out sign waving despite windy, cold, rainy weather. I want to thank all of those who came out to canvas door to door in Reno and Sparks, including Shirley Appel. If I have failed to mention your name, please forgive me, but know that each of us appreciates your efforts and your energy in these final days.

Our October 11th luncheon was another sell-out event with nearly 60 of us attending. We heard a stirring presentation from Jason Guinasso about why it is important to vote NO on the recreational marijuana ballot initiative. We also received helpful information from Saul Rios of the NRA regarding why we should not support the ballot measure on gun background checks. And we had real-time updates from three Republican candidates — Greg McKay who is running for the Fire District, Judith Miller who is running for an IVGID Trustee position, and Carol Del Carlo who is running for the Higher Education Board of Regents.

On November 15th we will hold our Victory Luncheon at the Chateau. Back by popular demand is Professor Fred Lokken, noted political analyst, who will assess the election results and talk about what the political scene will look like in the years ahead.

We will also be holding our IVCBRW elections to fill two slots on the IVCBRW Board. Shirley Appel is completing her two year term as 2nd Vice Chair and membership director. Charlotte Curtis is completing her term as Secretary. Both ladies have done a stellar job. If you would like to be considered for either of these important jobs, please contact our nominating committee members: Charlotte Curtis, Joannellen Slocumb, or Shirley Appel, or call me at 775-833-2509.

Onward to victory in November!!

Linda L. Smith

- BREAKING NEWS - from the Federation of Republican Women

OCTOBER 28, 2016 – The American people don't want to elect a president who will potentially be under indictment while taking Oath of Office.

ALEXANDRIA, VA – The National Federation of Republican Women (NFRW) is not surprised that the U.S. Department of Justice has re-opened the investigation into Hillary Clinton, as Secretary of State.

Women across the United States have complained of the Clinton corruption that seems so pervasive in many aspects of her life and in her email fiasco, NFRW President Carrie Almond said.

"NFRW leaders have traveled 29,000 miles to 39 states and rallied with over 300,000 members and volunteers in support of the Trump-Pence Ticket on the 2016 'Destination: White House' tour. Countless numbers of Americans are fed up with the Clinton scandals," Almond said. "NFRW members can't believe anyone would vote for Hillary Clinton, yet moreover, they are excited about the Trump team's extremely positive message and platform issues! This news truly warrants a serious, thorough investigation, and I hope the results will help the American people regain some confidence in our justice system."



About our Speaker,
FRED LOKKEN

Fred Lokken is a noted political analyst known for his ability to clearly explain and to forecast the outcome of elections and political events. He is a government and elections expert, and is now considered one of the two leading experts on Nevada politics.



Professor Lokken often appears on Nevada Newsmakers, guest co-hosts "It's Not Just Politics" with Ed Pearce on KOLO Channel 8, and is a favorite contact for many of the Reno area's news outlets.

Professor Lokken is one who "calls it like it is" – one of the reasons he is a recognized political analyst. Fred believes that this political season has so far been entertaining – in a scary way – and that there is much to be considered that is unique. At the beginning of the year, he pointed out: "This is an unprecedented political year that has been difficult to analyze, let alone predict. Hopefully, things will start to get clearer, to make more sense once the supporters begin backing candidates . . . We're all looking to see what happens when the rubber hits the road."

Fred Lokken has 19 years of progressive administrative experience. He joined the faculty of Truckee Meadows Community College in 1991. Prior to TMCC, Fred was an assistant professor of political science at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse for nine years. During his tenure at TMCC, Fred has served in various administrative positions, most recently as dean of WebCollege. He stepped down from that role last July. Fred currently serves as a board member for the Instructional Technology Council in Washington DC, is chair of the Coalition of Affiliated Councils of the American Association of Community Colleges, and is a member of the Law-Related Education Committee of the Nevada Bar Association.

In September of 2015, Gov. Brian Sandoval appointed Fred Lokken to a higher education commission comprised of 15 western states and the Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas Islands. The Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education is one of four U.S. compacts of cooperating states and territories, organized to support colleges and universities.

Education

The University of British Columbia
ABD, Political Science, ABD, Political Science – 1985– 1991
Washington State University
MA, Political Science, MA, Political Science – 1977-1979
University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
Bachelor of Science (BS), Political Science, Bachelor of Science (BS), Political Science – 1973-1977

About
Truckee
Meadows
Community
College
(TMCC)



TMCC is a comprehensive community college located in Reno, Nevada, and is part of the Nevada System of Higher Education. TMCC is the fastest growing college in northern Nevada. The College serves more than 25,000 students each year in credit and non-credit programs at five educational sites and more than 20 community locations. TMCC is northern Nevada's jobs college, preparing qualified students for jobs in industries in Nevada; and offers academic and university transfer, occupational training, career enhancement workshops and just-for-fun classes. The fact that 95 percent of TMCC's students remain in Nevada after completing their studies helps build support for local communities. TMCC students, graduates, employees and infrastructure put more than \$678 million into the region's economy each year.



National Election Day – How It All Began



A uniform date for choosing presidential electors was instituted by the Congress in 1845.

The bill initially set the day for choosing presidential electors on “the first Tuesday in November,” in years divisible by four (1848, 1852 and so forth). But it was pointed out that in some years the period between the first Tuesday in November and the first Wednesday in December (when the electors are required to meet in their state capitals to vote) would be more than 34 days, in violation of the existing Electoral College law. So, the bill was reworded to move the date for choosing presidential electors to the Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

In 1845, the United States was largely an agrarian society. Farmers often needed a full day to travel by horse-drawn vehicles to the county seat to vote. Tuesday was established as Election Day because it did not interfere with the Biblical Sabbath or with market day, which was on Wednesday in many towns.

Election Day Now

Election Day in the United States is the day set by law for the general elections of public officials. It occurs on the Tuesday immediately after the first Monday in November. This does not mean the “first Tuesday” in a month because the first day of a month can be a Tuesday. The earliest possible date is November 2, and the latest possible date is November 8 (as it will be for the 2016 election).

For federal offices (President, Vice President, and United States Congress), Election Day occurs only in even-numbered years. Presidential elections are held every four years, in years divisible by four, in which electors for President and Vice President are chosen according to the method determined by each state. Elections to the United States House of Representatives and the United States Senate are held every two years.

All Representatives serve two-year terms and are up for election every two years, while Senators serve six-year terms, staggered so that one third of Senators are elected in any given general election. General elections in which presidential candidates are not on the ballot are referred to as midterm elections. Terms for those elected begin in January the following year; the President and Vice President are inaugurated (“sworn in”) on Inauguration Day, which is usually on January 20.

Early and Postal Voting

Congress has mandated a uniform date for presidential and congressional elections though early voting is nonetheless authorized in many states. Most states allow for early voting, allowing voters to cast ballots before the Election Day. Early voting periods vary from 4 to 50 days prior to Election Day. Unconditional early voting in person is allowed in 32 states and in Washington DC. Also, most states have some kind of absentee ballot system. Unconditional absentee voting by mail is allowed in 27 states and Washington DC, and with an excuse in another 21 states. Unconditional permanent absentee voting is allowed in 7 states and in Washington DC. In Oregon and Washington state all major elections are by postal voting, with ballot papers sent to voters several weeks before Election Day. In Oregon, all postal votes must be received by a set time on Election Day, as is common with absentee ballots in most states, except overseas military ballots which receive more time by federal law. Washington state requires postal votes be postmarked by Election Day.

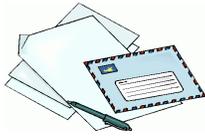
Source: Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia.



REMEMBER TO VOTE!

Early Voting for General Election is OCTOBER 22-NOVEMBER 4

General Election is NOVEMBER 8



October, 2016

Dear Renewing Members:

It is once again time to renew your membership with the Republican Women's Club. October is the time that we ask our members and associates to renew their membership for the new year, 2017.

On the next page of this newsletter is the application for renewal. Please fill it out and include your \$35 membership fee and send it to the Post Office Box listed at the bottom of the application.

It is with great anticipation that we are looking forward to Donald Trump becoming our next President. We are also looking forward to Joe Heck replacing Harry Reid in the Senate. These two positions are extremely important for Republicans in the years to come. The constitutional integrity of our Supreme Court is at stake and the economy of our country is seriously in decline.

By renewing at this time you will continue to be kept up to date on all the happenings coming up in the next year. We always have wonderful and informative speakers for our luncheon and dinner meetings.

I look forward to receiving your renewal and also look forward to seeing **YOU** in the coming year!

Thank you,

Shirley Appel,
Second Vice-President,

*To all our great Members,
Associates and Friends . . .*



October, 2016

Dr. Joe Heck for U.S. Senate
P.O. Box 753908
Las Vegas, Nevada 89136-3908



Dear Congressman Heck:

As activist Republican women, we have supported you as a Congressman and a U.S. Senate candidate. We have looked to you for leadership on the key political issues of our day. We are writing to you because the most important issue facing our country at this moment is who will lead America over the next eight years. We urge you to support Donald Trump as our next President.

While we understand your hesitation to support our Republican candidate because of things he has said in the past, it is important to recognize he is the people's choice and has demonstrated the leadership and policy positions worthy of your support. Furthermore, we fear that if his opponent is elected, it will be increasingly difficult to keep Republicans in office in Nevada, including the Senate seat you are seeking. The Democrats will stack the courts, control the election process, and inundate bureaucratic positions even more so than has occurred within the past 8 years. We do not want this to happen and believe you do not as well.

The sign of a mature mind is the ability to change your position when you have additional facts and information. We hope you will take our words and concerns to heart. As your supporters and admirers, please join us in working to elect Donald Trump as the next President of the United States.

The Officers and Committee leaders of Incline Village-Crystal Bay Republican Women's Club,

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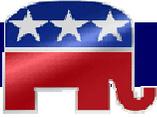
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Paige Harrison Adcock
Veterans Affairs

Louise Cooper
Raffle Co-Chair



Membership Application

New Member Renewing Membership

If you receive this application/renewal form via email, please print a copy and mail with your check to the address below.

NAME as it appears on VOTER REGISTRATION:

NAME as it appears on your NAMETAG: _____

SPOUSE'S NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS(es): _____

PHYSICAL ADDRESS: _____

Home Phone with Area Code: _____ Work Phone: _____

Fax Number: _____ Birthday: Month _____ Date _____

Email address (for roster and newsletter):

PLEASE PRINT

MEMBERSHIP STATUS, PLEASE CHECK ONE:

Active \$35 any woman registered as a Republican

Associate \$15, any woman with a full membership in another Republican women's group,

_____ OR any man registered as a Republican

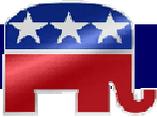
PRIMARY CLUB MEMBERSHIP

CHECK AREAS OF INTEREST:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Art or Graphic Art Work | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising | <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter at Meetings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Budget/Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bylaws | <input type="checkbox"/> Publicity | <input type="checkbox"/> Phone Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Campaign Work | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Relations | <input type="checkbox"/> Email |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Service | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Coordination | <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter |

MAIL APPLICATION AND CHECK to the following address:

Membership Chairman
IV/CB Republican Women
P. O. Box 3009, Incline Village, NV 89450
Always more information for you at our website: ivcbw.org



VETERAN'S DAY HISTORY

On November 11, 1918, in a railroad car owned by Marshal Ferdinand Foch somewhere in the Forest of

Compiègne, France, the Armistice to end World War I was signed. Once the news got out, celebrations began in Paris, London and New York City, where more than a million Americans jammed Broadway and danced in the streets, and hurled ticker tape out windows.

The Armistice became an annual observance on both sides of the Atlantic during the 1920s. Back then the Armistice was called "Remembrance Day" in England and Canada and the United States called it either Armistice Day or Victory Day. In 1921, the United States began honoring its war dead.

A shoe cobbler in Emporia, Kansas named Alvin J. King and Kansas Congressman Ed Rees introduced a bill to Congress to change the name of this observance from Armistice Day to Veterans Day. Mr. King never served in the military because he was too young to serve during WWI but had great respect for all military personnel. He joined and was active in a group called American War Dads. Both Mr. King and Mr. Rees' efforts were rewarded. On October 8, 1954 President Dwight Eisenhower signed a bill declaring that Armistice Day would thereafter be commemorated as Veterans Day.

Veterans Day celebrations and observances take place in the United States in many different ways. Some visit the Viet Nam Memorial; others visit the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. And in thousands of small towns across the country, many put flowers on the graves of lost loved ones and towns hold military balls, parades and religious services in honor of veterans.

Veterans Day was not always on November 11th. In 1968 legislation was passed to make Veterans Day the 4th Monday in October. However, many objected since this was not the date the Armistice was actually signed.

It was veteran groups that urged November 11th to be set aside as a tribute to all who served in the Armed Forces. This meant everyone who served in World War I, World War II and the Korean War. In 1971, President Richard Nixon signed a bill making Veterans Day a federal holiday on the second Monday in November. However, in 1978 Congress declared that Veterans Day would always be on November 11th, regardless of the day of the week it falls on.

"The willingness with which our young people are likely to serve in any war, no matter how justified, shall be directly proportional to how they perceive the Veterans of earlier wars were treated and appreciated by their nation." – George Washington

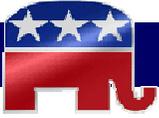


Corruption in America is not to be tolerated

We the people are the rightful masters of both the Congress and the courts, not to overthrow the Constitution, but to overthrow the men who pervert this great document.

... I see in the near future a crisis approaching that unnerves me and causes me to tremble for safety of my country; corporations have been enthroned, an era of corruption in High Places will follow, and the Money Power of the country will endeavor to prolong its reign by working upon the prejudices of the People, until the wealth is aggregated in a few hands, and the Republic destroyed.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN, letter to Col. William F. Elkins, November 21, 1864.



Dear IVCB RW members —

I am the Regents Chairperson for our club. Started more than 20 years ago, the NvFRW Regents program is the only ongoing fundraising project for our Federation. Regents make possible:

- ◆ Leadership and educational training for our members
- ◆ Special projects approved by NvFRW Board of Directors
- ◆ Outreach to our communities to increase Republican visibility
- ◆ Expanding our programs to increase membership and develop new clubs
- ◆ Building a special fellowship among women who share the passion for Regents

Your generous donation of \$100 a year ensures our efforts to elect more Republicans on all levels of government. You also receive a lovely pin to acknowledge your membership. Your family members are also invited to join and become Regent Friend. I would welcome your membership into this worthwhile group. Contact me for any questions and applications.

Lorri Waldman – 775-742-1652; email: memomL@aol.com

Incline Village-Crystal Bay Republican Women's Club 2016 Meeting Calendar

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>RSVP BY</u>
November 15	Election Analysis and Victory Luncheon	The Chateau	<i>November 11</i>
December 13	Annual Christmas Party and Officer's Installation	The Chateau	<i>December 9</i>

NOTE: Regular monthly meetings take place on the second Tuesday of each month at The Chateau, 995 Fairway Boulevard, Incline Village, Nevada. RSVPs are due the Friday before the event. The November meeting will take place on the third Tuesday due to Election Day on November 8th. June, July, and August will be evening events.

RSVP to Shirley Appel at mrsradar@aol.com or call (cell) 818-266-4402, (home) 775-831-1505. We appreciate your reserving by the deadline so we can ensure a place for you.

“We must reject the idea that every time a law's broken, society is guilty rather than the lawbreaker. It is time to restore the American precept that each individual is accountable for his actions.” – Ronald Reagan



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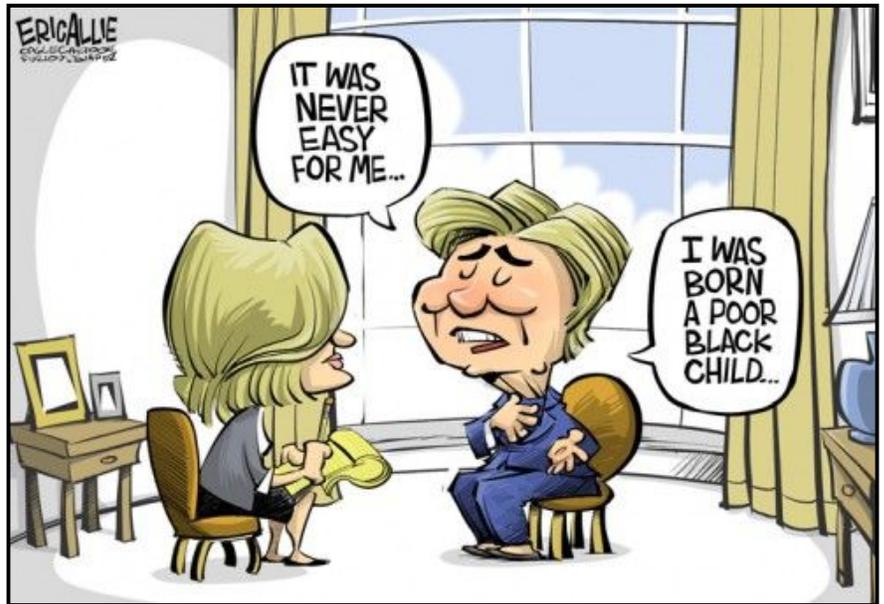
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Happy Birthday

Member November Birthdays



Charlotte Jones	?
Shirley Appel	03
Joan LeBlanc	03
Mary Reimer	12
Melanie Taylor	23
John Morris	10

Wishing you the treasure of happy yesterdays and the gift of bright tomorrows.



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