Speakers for March 5 general meeting

Shay Stautz is a candidate for Congress, District 2. He was born and reared in Tucson, and began his college career at the University of Arizona. After his sophomore year he went to Washington, D.C., where he worked as an intern for Representative Mo Udall and then Senator Robert Kasten (who had attended UA). He became interested in government, and earned a BA in Government and a Master’s in National Security Studies from Georgetown University, working his way through college. He eventually returned to Tucson, working as a lobbyist for the University of Arizona, spending time in Washington, D.C., from 2006 to 2017. He then moved to Arizona State University, where he continued as a lobbyist.

He has been married to his wife, Shae (yes, you read that right) since 2008, and they have two rescue dachshunds. He is one of seven Republican candidates running for the nomination.

Joe Boogaart is running for Pima County Supervisor in District 3 (against Democratic incumbent Sharon Bronson). He successfully spearheaded the 2018 campaign against Proposition 463, a $400 million Bond Issue in Tucson. With his success in this endeavor, he believes he can best Supervisor Bronson.

April 2 meeting features two more candidates

Mark Workman is running for State Senate in LD2. A retired Air Force aircraft mechanic, he is currently the aircraft maintenance supervisor at Davis-Monthan AFB. He has a BS in Aeronautics from Embry Riddle and an MBA from the University of Phoenix. He is unopposed, and will run against Democrat Rosanna Gabaldon in November.

James Schmidt is running for US Congress in District 2. Born in Kansas, and with degrees in business, he is currently a rancher in Patagonia, He is a retired businessman, but is coming out of retirement to support our wonderful President Trump. He is one of seven Republican candidates for the nomination.

Candidates Galore!!

You can now pay dues (or donate) on our website: www.repclubgvs.org.

Our Club’s fiscal year coincides with the calendar year, so it’s time to pay your 2020 DUES!! You can also DONATE to RCGV/S, to help us pay for our GOP HQ. This is the most critical election of our lifetimes, so please do all you can!

Dues are $25 per year for a household for newsletters delivered by email, and $35 for newsletters delivered by US mail (printing and postage). You can pay by credit card on our website (www.RepClubGVS.org) or by sending a check to our post office box (see address on this page). You can also pay by credit card at the March 5 meeting - see Kay Kohler.
The President’s Message:

Over the past few weeks, we have learned that we are at risk of being exposed to a health hazard called the coronavirus. There is no question that we should be concerned. The biggest problem with coronavirus is that people can have it and not know it for a couple of weeks. So, it could easily spin out of control. We also don’t know if it’s a seasonal virus or if it will be an ongoing risk throughout the spring, summer, and fall.

The trump administration took immediate steps to combat the coronavirus. Travel restrictions were quickly imposed. The few people stricken with coronavirus were placed in quarantine. The president was criticized by democrats for the travel restrictions, calling them racist policies. Just think where we would be right now if president trump had not imposed these policies.

Democrats and leftist bureaucrats have done with the coronavirus what they do with everything, politicized it. The New York Times even suggested that it be renamed the Trumpvirus. They are embellishing the problem to wreck the economy in their latest effort to take down president Donald Trump. A few days ago, the CDC made a statement that created panic in the stock markets. It was followed up the next day with similar comments from the FDA, creating even more carnage in the markets. There is no bottom to what these people won’t do to take down the president!

It is understandable that the stock market has been adversely effected by the coronavirus. It has been very disruptive to supply chains throughout the world. However, the deliberately created panic created by Washington D.C. bureaucrats is inexcusable. The Federal Reserve had the opportunity to drop interest rates to stabilize the markets and refused. This is the same Federal Reserve that printed money for eight years to falsely prop up the markets for Barack Hussein Obama.

Coronavirus is serious and we do need to take proper precautions. We also need to take our opposition seriously. They are formidable and there is nothing they won’t do to regain power. Take nothing for granted. Let’s all get involved. Let’s give President Trump a resounding victory in November, supported by republican majorities in the house and senate!

Jim Stone,
President

Office Furniture/Chairs Wanted

If you have folding chairs you could lend us, we would be delighted! We need a whole lot to accommodate our Brown Bag Luncheon guests, so if you have one - or a dozen - we would love to use them. We will return them to you when we close in November, and you can pick them up if you need them in the meantime. We are also looking for desks and desk chairs, bookcases, or other office-type furniture.

Do you have an idea for a volunteer project?

We want Republicans to be visible to the community in this critical election year, and are seeking ideas for projects. One for which we need volunteers is voter registration. This involves going to The Attic (the store for the Animal League on Duval Mine Road) Monday through Saturday, from 10:00 to 2:00, and registering voters or just answering questions. You will meet a lot of nice people, and help to keep people aware of us. We are looking for 6-12 volunteers for this. Please contact Peggy Bengtson 503-351-3058 or Kay Kohler 520-904-9103 for more information or to sign up.
Early March (watch for announcement)

Republican Headquarters
Green Valley Village, Suite 60 (next to the Barber Shop). Hours 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday through Saturday.

Thursday, March 5, 9:00 AM
Republican Club Green Valley/Sahuarita and Patriot Alliance
301 W. Camino Casa Verde
Speakers Joe Boogaart, candidate for Pima County Supervisor District 3 (against Sharon Bronson), and Shay Stautz, candidate for Congress in District 2.

Saturday, March 28, 12 noon - 6 PM
Fiesta Sahuarita at Anamax Park
We Have a booth, and will be making our presence known. Join us!

Thursday, April 2, 9:00 AM
Republican Club Green Valley/Sahuarita and Patriot Alliance
301 W. Camino Casa Verde
Speakers Mark Workman, Candidate for LD2 State Senate, and James Schmidt, candidate for Congress in District 2.

Thursday, May 7, 9:00 AM
Republican Club Green Valley/Sahuarita and Patriot Alliance

Fiesta Sahuarita March 28

Each year the town of Sahuarita holds a festival at Anamax Park. This year it is on March 28, from noon to 6:00 PM. Admission is free, and there are shuttle buses from outlying parking to the park. RCGV/S will share a booth with Legislative District 2 (that’s us), and we will be registering voters, handing out lollipops and water, and generally making the presence of Republicans known. The festival offers rides, food and live music, as well as booths from many local groups. We invite you to stop by our booth and say hi!

“No matter how worthy the cause, it is robbery, theft, and injustice to confiscate the property of one person and give it to another to whom it does not belong.”

Economist Walter E. Williams, author of Up From the Projects

Headquarters is Coming Back!!!

Opening in March 9, Suite 60 in Green Valley Village
(next to the Barber Shop, behind Ace Hardware)

Hours: 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM Monday through Saturday

Weekly Brown Bag Lunches, with interesting speakers, will begin Thursday, March 19, from 12:00 to 1:00 PM. Come visit us, sit down for a cup of coffee or a bottle of water, and stay connected to the Conservative cause. Bring a friend, get your neighbors registered to vote, and let’s keep Arizona red and America free!

Volunteer

● Staff the front desk ● Work on get-out-the-vote projects

Donate (or Loan)

● Office furniture: ● Desks ● Desk chairs ● Folding chairs
  ● Bookshelves ● Room-dividers (partitions)

Don’t sit on the sidelines, participate! The outcome of this election is critical.

To donate: Jim Stone 520-336-8495 jvstone@cox.net
To volunteer for office staff: Jack Howard 520-307-7583 jackehoward@yahoo.com
To volunteer for other projects: Kay Kohler 520-904-9103 xstorkad@cox.net

GO TRUMP!!!!

KEEP AMERICA GREAT!!
NEW BOARD MEMBER!

The Board has unanimously appointed YALE WISHNICK to fill an open position. Yale is a long-time member of the Club, and has a fascinating background. He has a Ph. D. in Organizational Leadership from the University of San Francisco, as well as two Masters degrees. He spent 45 years as an organizer all over the country, initially for such progressive groups as the National Education Association and other far-left organizations.

In a dramatic about-face he went through a remarkable transformation, and now applies his organizing skills and knowledge to halt the deterioration of our Constitutional Republic. He works closely with various conservative and liberty-minded groups to defend our Republic from foreign and domestic threats.

His transformation from a hard-core leftist to a political, economic and social conservative is described in his book From a Culture of Dependency to a Culture of Success: Focusing on What’s Right About America and the American People.

Yale is committed to keeping America free and unencumbered by Socialism, and has spoken to the group on several occasions about how to accomplish this goal. He is a superb addition to our Board. Welcome!

LUNCHEON RECAP

Our Lincoln-Reagan Luncheon on February 8 was a rip-roaring success! More than 170 people packed into the Desert Diamond Casino Banquet Rooms and heard two fascinating speakers, had a chance to win fabulous raffle prizes, and feasted on delicious cuisine prepared by the casino’s chef. The speakers were very well-received: Art del Cueto of the National Border Patrol Council gave an enlightening presentation on the state of the border (he is very engaging), and Dr. Larry Schweikart reminisced about our wonderful 40th president, Ronald Reagan, with anecdotes many had not heard before (and photos to accompany them). Don Woolley prepared a photo-montage of President Trump which played during the luncheon, and Peggy Bengtson and Ann Bracco masterminded the enchanting arrangement of the raffle gifts. Patti Woolley was major-domo of the entire event, and it came off without a hitch. Thanks to all who worked to make it such a success, and to those who participated and supported the effort - and, for the rest of you, don’t miss it next year!!

HEADQUARTERS NEEDS YOU!

We will be moving in on March 6, and plan to open on Monday, March 9 through election day in November. Weekly Brown Bag Lunches, with interesting and informative speakers, will begin Thursday, March 19 from noon to 1:00 PM. Come visit us, sit down for a cup of coffee or a chat and stay connected to the Conservative cause. There ARE other Republicans in our area, we’re just sorta quiet. Bring a friend, get your neighbors registered to vote, and let’s keep Arizona red and America free! To volunteer to work at HQ, contact Jack Howard at 520-307-7583; to volunteer for various projects, contact Peggy Bengtson at 503-351-3058.

As always, we are collecting non-perishable FOOD or PAPER PRODUCTS for the Food Bank and the Women’s Shelter at our meetings. Thank you!

MISSION STATEMENT

- To educate, inspire, and encourage participation in the political process by volunteering our time and resources to elect Republican candidates.
- To promote Republican ideals of peace through strength, prosperity through individual responsibility, and liberty through limited government.

PLAN AHEAD

MONTHLY REPUBLICAN CLUB MEETINGS

FIRST THURSDAY of every month at Friends In Deed at 9:00 AM (except June, July and August).

QUAIL CREEK REPUBLICAN CLUB (OPEN TO THE PUBLIC)

THIRD FRIDAY of every month at the Kino Center at Quail Creek (near the Quail Creek Grill).

EXCELLENT SPEAKERS.

LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 2 (LD2), FOR PRECINCT COMMITTEEEMEN BUT OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

THIRD SATURDAY of every month in the Continental Mall Conference Room (upstairs in room 203) at 9:00 AM.