

Cumberland County Republican Women's Club



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CCRWC Meetings

We meet the 2nd Tuesday monthly at 6:15 p.m. at the Highland Country Club for dinner. The business meeting begins at 7 p.m. \$16 eating; \$3 for seating only. **RSVP for April 13th meeting by April 12th.** Call 425-4353 for reservations.

President's notes ...

Yes, healthcare's still a major topic on everyone's mind; however, it's time now to turn our attention to solutions for overcoming the mess Obamacare and other initiatives are creating for our country.

What's the best way to proceed?

Elect Republicans.

We're a political club whose purpose is to elect Republicans. That's what we do!

We can be very proud of member Jackie Warner and our associate members who also have primaries: Diane Wheatley, Brian Kent, Lou Huddleston and Judge John Tyson. (Wesley Meredith and Wade Fowler do not have primaries.) They've stepped forward to put action to words.

Judge Tyson's in a special category. His is a nonpartisan race, meaning he has four Democrat opponents for four slots on the November ballot. The best way to get him on the November ballot is for everyone to vote in the primary for only one candidate in the 12th Superior Court race: Vote ONLY for John Tyson — the only Republican in that race! And, tell your friends to do the same thing!

We meet later in April than our usual meeting date, so let me say now to all of you and your families: *Happy Easter and God bless you all.*

Suzanne

2010 Calendar

April 4	Easter Sunday
April 6	2 nd Congressional District Forum
	Army Day
April 13	CCRWC Meeting.
April 15	Income Tax Day
April 20	CCRWC Board Mtg.
April 22	Earth Day
May 1	7 th Congressional District Forum
May 4	NC Primary Election
May 6	National Day of Prayer
May 9	Mother's Day
May 11	CCRWC Meeting
May 18	CCRWC Board Mtg.
May 31	Memorial Day
June 8	CCRWC Meeting
June 14	Flag Day
June 15	CCRWC Board Mtg.
June 20	Father's Day
July 4	Independence Day
July 13	CCRWC Meeting
July 20	CCRWC Board Mtg.

Important web sites to visit

Visit our Web site to review our year in pictures and learn more about the CCRWC:

<http://www.cumberlandcountyrepublicanwomensclub.org/>

The National Federation of Republican Women:

<http://www.nfrw.org/index.html>

To enter the member page: the User name is *Federation*, and the Password is nfrw1938.

The North Carolina Federation of Republican Women:

<http://www.ncfederationofrepublicanwomen.org/>

No user name is required. The password is 1953ncfrw.

EARLY VOTING APRIL 15 – MAY 1

Remember you don't have to wait until May 4 to vote. Starting April 15, five locations will be open: the Board of Elections, Cliffdale Recreation Center, North Regional Library, Hope Mills Recreation Center and Spring Lake Library. The hours are jumbled, so check ahead. We will have BOE handouts at the April 13 meeting with all the information on them.

Vote early and volunteer for the candidate of your choice. We, as a club, cannot endorse anyone with a primary, however, individually; everyone's free to work for the candidate of their choice.



November 2, 2010
Repeal and Replace it Day!



Reminder: Womack Pediatric Project

We deliver stuffed animals to the Womack AH Chaplains for the Pediatric Ward. For health reasons, the toys must be new. Bring them to our April 13 meeting if you want to contribute.

Wounded Soldiers/Literacy Project

Heidi Steding is delivering magazines and books to the Wounded Soldiers Library at Ft. Bragg. Please bring your ready to recycle books and magazines to our April 13 meeting.



Hunting, fishing and sports magazines would be greatly appreciated.

The Fisher House

Many thanks to all of you for your donations. Club members donated almost \$200 last month. We'll soon be announcing our spring visit to the Fisher House.

YARD SALE SET FOR AUGUST 21

The date's set for August 21 for our yard sale!



We have a storage place and will soon be collecting items, so do your spring cleaning with us in mind and plan on donating it to the club!

BUNCO

April 22 at Tuesday Bogan's at 7 p.m.

Bring two \$10 bills and sweet or savory nibbles to share. Ten dollars goes into the evening's prize fund and the other into our club treasury.



This is a fun, fun game, a great way for members to get to know one another and a painless way to

raise funds for the club!

We'll have room for 16 people, so please RSVP early to Sue Dennis at 425-4353.

UP COMING LOCAL GOP EVENTS



Cumberland County GOP Executive Meeting

The Executive Committee of the CCGOP will meet on April 20, 2010, at 6:30pm at the Highland Country Club, **The guest speaker for the event will be John Hood of the John Locke Society.** Cost for the dinner is \$20.00 and \$5 for non-eating.

2nd District Forum

On April 6, 2010, the 2nd District Forum will be held with candidates Todd Gailas, Renee Ellmers and Frank Dietrich participating. It will be held at the North Regional Library on McArthur Road from 6-8pm. Refreshments will be served.

7th District Forum

On May 1, 2010, the 7th District Forum will be held at Cliffdale Library on Cliffdale Road from 3-6 p.m.

NCFRW Quarterly Meeting

The quarterly meeting of the NCFRW will be held on the 1st weekend in May in Charlotte.

Fayetteville Republican Women's Club

The FRWC will meet Thursday, April 8, 2010, at 11:30 at the Belmont House.

Cumberland County Men's Club

The CCMC will have a joint meeting with the CCGOP Executive Committee on April 20th at Highland Country Club.

April Happy Birthday Wishes



Dawn Corbett ~ 28th

Sue Dennis ~ 5th

Diane Wheatley ~ 12th



Dogwood Festival April 23-25

Volunteers will be needed to staff our table and help the County GOP. If you have some time to volunteer, please contact Suzanne.

APRIL 2010 GUEST SPEAKERS



Hal Jordan is a successful businessman, family man and political leader who is running for Congress to represent North Carolina's conservative values in the Halls of

Congress. IBM has employed Jordan, 50, for 27 years as a programmer, systems engineer, IT architect and software sales specialist. Jordan has received numerous technical and sales awards from IBM, including the company's highest recognition, the Gerstner Award for Client Excellence. Jordan is also well-known in political circles, having come within 30 votes of defeating Speaker of the North Carolina House Jim Black in 2006 in one of the most Democrat-leaning districts in the state.

Jordan holds a Bachelor of Arts in Government and Politics from the University of Maryland, graduating with Phi Kappa Phi Honors in 1982. Hal and Jeannine Jordan have been married for 27 years and have four children. The Jordans have resided in Mecklenburg County for the past 22 years and are active members

of Christ Covenant Church, where Hal serves as Chairman of Deacons and serves in Mercy Outreach. Jordan is also a former Fundraising Chairman of Boy Scout Troop 413, a position he held for five years

And



Harold Johnson has been proud to call North Carolina home since 1958. He graduated from Statesville Senior High School and earned his degree in Economics from Lenior Rhyne University. Harold is a proud Marine and served at Camp Lejeune where he was an expert rifleman and honorably discharged. He spent over three decades as an award-winning broadcast journalist on TV and radio for WSOC Channel 9 and WBT 1110 where he was tagged “The Big Guy.” Harold served as Channel 9’s Sports Anchor and Director, and was a 4-time EMMY winner as the Mid-South’s Sportscaster of the Year. He retired from WSOC in 2006.

Harold met his lovely wife, Linda, in Statesville and they were married for 44 years before losing her to cancer. Harold and Linda have three children and nine precious grandchildren.

Harold enjoys outdoor activities and gardening, and is a sports enthusiast for all of his grandchildren’s events. He is an avid reader and history buff. Harold is a Christian and his faith is deep-rooted.

March 2010 Meeting Photos



CCRWC associate members (L-R back row) Brian Kent, Wade Fowler and Judge John Tyson and (L-R front row) associate member Diane Wheatley and member Jackie Warner presented their two minute introductions



Mary Swick, Diane Ellis, Alex Warner and Jackie Warner listen to other CCRWC members and candidates practice their two minute speeches.



Members applaud the news that longtime attendees Robert and (his sister) Riki Nunnery have joined the CCRWC.



Paulette Munson and her daughter, Dawn Corbett.



Sue Nading tells us about her job as Precinct Development Chairman for our club and the CCGOP.



Suzanne with the infamous egg timer introduces Judge John Tyson for his two-minute speech.



Member Staci Chiomento takes a break from her Methodist University studies to visit with us.