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## FEBRUARY 25TH - GENERAL MEETING ELEGANT AFFAIR

182 W Ramsey, Banning  
10:00 AM \* \$15.00

### PROGRAM

A trainer will be bringing a guide dog to demonstrate the various things these dogs are capable of doing with training provided by this organization, as well as to answer questions you may have. It should be a very interesting and informative meeting. Guests are welcome as always. Ask a friend or neighbor to attend and enjoy a wonderful program.

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## *President's Message*



I certainly hope that you all got the boost I felt after hearing our January speaker Dr. Barbara Stone! She gave us great insight as to how political events are likely to develop in the coming months – including her take on the next congressional elections. She reminded us of our core Republican values as she sprinkled in much energy and humor. We always appreciate Dr. Stone.

The election of Michael Steele as Chairman of the RNC brings a new vitality to the party. On Fox News, Mr. Steele called the GOP the party of “peace and promise – opportunity and empowerment.” Let’s all wish him a great term of leadership for our party as we work to rebuild the status and reputation that the Republican Party has enjoyed in the past.

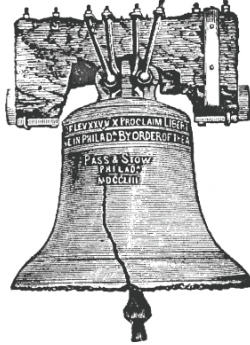
Thank you to all of our club’s great officers and chairpersons who are continuing into 2009. You are doing a fine job! Your attendance at monthly board meetings is very important to the functioning of our club, so I hope to see each of you on February 18 at 10:00 a.m. You need to call me if you must be excused. Thanks!!

## CALL WASHINGTON AND URGE REPUBLICANS NOT TO DRINK THE KOOL-AID

OPPOSITION RESEARCH/NATIONAL ISSUES ————— SHEILA BRYAN

Did you ever go to a restaurant and find a menu with so many delicious things on it – it was almost impossible to make up your mind? That is the dilemma for an Opposition Research Chairman. Choosing which issue to work against in an abundance of choices. Today, let us skip past the closing of Guantanamo, with no plan for where the terrorists will be confined. Past the outrageous appointment of cabinet posts to Socialists and lawbreakers, and other Clinton personnel. Past the soaring cult of Obama worship, the impossible universal health care promises, including ridding the world of nuclear weapons with personal persuasion, and the brain washing of the American voters into believing all of it.

Democrats dearly want Republicans to back them up in their guesswork on how to jumpstart the economy. When their plans fail, they need to pass the buck and call their failure BIPARTISAN. The Dems are in control, and they are scared to death. So for now let's focus on that issue, because BI-partisan means giving up on Republican ideals of tax reform and drinking the Democrat Kool-Aid. Obama will make a show of listening to Republican tax cutting ideas, and then maneuver the huge stimulus—spending billions of dollars from a Senate agreement to spend the second half of the \$700 BILLION T.A.R.P. fund. TARP stands for “Troubled Asset Relief Program”. A TARP is what the Republicans ought to throw over Barney Frank, and haul him out of the House.



Barney was chairman of the House Financial Services Committee who ruled that banks should be more “compassionate” on the welfare type of loans. The banks conformed and found themselves in the huge financial mess we are now witnessing. Don't worry, Barney says, the goals and conditions would be met and that should be reassuring. None other than Timothy Geithner, tax cheat

and Obama nominee for Secretary of the Treasury, further reassures congress that “the country needs a forceful course to meet the economic crisis.” If approved, Timothy Geithner will be able to audit your IRS tax bill. Do you think he is taking names?

Strong Republicans have criticized how the Bush administration spent the first half of the bailout fund and seem in no mood to approve of it now, even with the conditions. Of the 166 opponents, 156 were Republicans. We have a job to do. We must re-enforce these Republicans in their stalwart opposition to this monumental expenditure of taxpayer money. We HAVE had an effect in some areas with our grassroots calling. President Bush has at last commuted the sentences of the border patrol agents, Ramos and Campeon who were unfairly imprisoned for 2 ½ years, with a sentence of 10 to 12 years. I cannot imagine why it took so long, so many petitions and letters were sent

begging for this outcome. BUT IT FINALLY DID! Grass root protests WORK!

Call our Republican representatives all over California, stand behind them and give them the strength to deny Democrats cover for their mistakes. The Republican party must rise again, stronger than ever. Compromise with Democrats NEVER WORKS!



## VOLUNTEER IN POLITICS

### CFRW President, Kathleen Brugger

The National Federation of Republican Women will be holding their biennial convention September 10-13, 2009 in Orlando, Florida. At the convention, the States reporting the most volunteer hours will be recognized. It is my hope that California will be the winning state, so I need your help.

Make sure that you are filling out the volunteer hour form each month. These hours should be for the period July 1, 2007 – June 30, 2009.

In 2006/2007, 42% of California's eligible clubs reported for a total of 596,964 hours. If we increase our reporting to 75%, I know we can exceed 1 million hours. I would be thrilled to report those million plus hours to National when I attend the convention.

I thank you in advance for taking the time to participate in the NFRW Campaign Volunteer Award.

#### NOTICE FROM BONNIE DEVINE – CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Please call me at 951 961-0317 if you become aware of a member that becomes ill, becomes incapacitated or of one's passing.

#### NOTICE FROM BOBBIE SUE TIMBOE

Please bring donations for our troops. We package these items and mail them overseas.

The blue collection box is on a table at each meeting. We need the following items:

Lotion, soap, cookies, gum, nuts, M&M's, Q-tips, socks, games, dice, razors, tissues, pencils, pens, flashlights, disposable cameras, laundry soap, shave cream(non-aerosol), writing tablets, Goldbond powder, prepackaged snacks, hard candy, sunflower seeds, toothpaste, toothbrushes  
dental floss, bandaids, baby wipes, eye drops, phone cards, playing cards, dried fruit, nail kits  
chap stick, sunscreen, Neosporin. Cash donations always welcome to pay for mailing.

**DICTIONARY PROJECT NEEDS FUNDS!**  
**PLEASE SUPPORT THIS WORTHY PROJECT!**  
**EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS.**



#### SCRIP .....Nancy Hohn

Did you know that you can use Stater's scrip to purchase more than groceries? Use scrip for gift cards, magazines, bath & beauty supplies, flowers, etc. It is very convenient to use scrip and our club benefits from it. Please call me to order & arrange for delivery at 769-2792.

LOOKING AHEAD TO OUR MARCH MEETING – JEWELRY SALE  
 BRING ITEMS TO FEBRUARY MEETING THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE.  
 A YARD SALE IS BEING PLANNED FOR APRIL – NO CLOTHES NEEDED



## WINDFALL TAX ON RETIREMENT INCOME

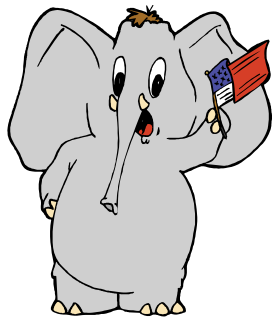
Adding a tax to your retirement is simply another way of saying to the American people, you're so darn stupid that we're going to keep doing this until we drain every cent from you. That's what the Speaker of the House is saying.

Read below—

### Nancy Pelosi wants a Windfall Tax on Retirement Income.

In other words, tax what you have made by investing toward your retirement. This woman is a nut case! You aren't going to believe this.

Madame speaker Nancy Pelosi wants to put a Windfall Tax on all stock market profits (including Retirement fund, 401k and Mutual Funds). Alas, it is true – all to help the 12 million illegal immigrants



and other unemployed minorities!

This woman is frightening. She quotes—“We need to work toward the goal of equalizing income in our country and at the same time limiting the amount the rich can invest.”

(Didn't Marx say something like this?)

When asked how these new tax dollars would be spent, she replied:

“We need to raise the standard of living of our poor, unemployed and minorities. For example, we have an estimated 12 million illegal immigrants in our country who need our help along with millions of unemployed minorities. Stock market windfall profits could go a long way to guarantee these people the standard of living they want to

have as Americans”.

READ that quote again and again and let it sink in. Lower your retirement, give it to others who have not worked as you have for it and who have no apparent desire to become LEGAL citizens.

When do we say NO? When do we write to our congressmen and women and tell them NO?

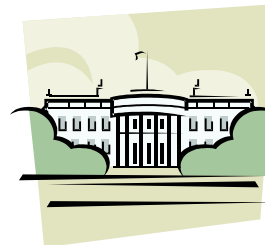
NOW WOULD BE A VERY GOOD IDEA!

## THIS IS HOW ITS DONE IN DC—spin

Judy Wallman, a professional genealogy researcher here in southern California, was doing some personal work on her own family tree. She discovered that a great great uncle of Harry Reid (Democratic Senator from Nevada) was hanged for horse stealing and train robbery in Montana in 1889. Both Judy

and Harry Reid share this common ancestor Remus Reid.

The only know photograph of Remus shows him standing on the gallows in Montana territory.



On the back of the picture, Judy obtained during her research is this inscription: ‘Remus Reid, horse thief, sent to Montana Territorial Prison 1885, escaped 1887, robbed the Montana Flyer six times.

Story Continued...

Caught by Pinkerton detectives, convicted and hanged in 1889.

So Judy recently e-mailed Senator Harry Reid for information about their mutual relative.

Believe it or not, Harry Reid's staff sent back the following biographical sketch for Uncle Remus:

'Remus Reid was a famous

cowboy in the Montana Territory. His business empire grew to include acquisition of valuable assets and intimate dealings with the Montana railroad. Beginning in 1883, he devoted several years of his life to government service, finally taking leave to resume his dealings with the railroad. In 1887, he was a key player in a vital investigation run by

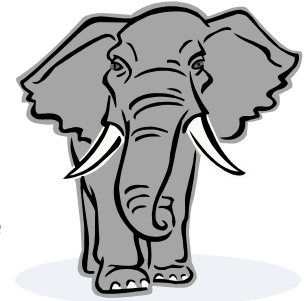
the renowned Pinkerton Detective Agency. In 1889, Remus passed away during an important civic function held in his honor when the platform upon which he was standing, collapsed'.

That's real SPIN!

THAT is how it's done in DC folks!

### *\*Membership\* – Ann Oliver*

I want to thank all of you who have paid their 2009 membership dues in the San Geronio Pass Republican Women Federated Club. We have about 2/3 of those who paid last year. (108) Unfortunately, we have lost a few members to severe illness and even death. The rest seem to be dribbling in slowly. I will soon be publishing the directory for 2009 and if you want to make sure you are in the directory, your dues need to be paid. If you are not sure, just give me a call at 769-5955 and I'll check for you.



It is important that we continue to grow our organization and be ready for the elections in 2010.

Ask your friends to join with us and invite them to the meetings on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month. You can even make it an afternoon outing by dropping by the Fox Theatre for their matinee special on Wednesday after the meeting for just \$2.50. (Hopefully there will be something worth watching.)

We also need the assistance of a treasurer. It isn't a difficult job as all the forms and information are on the computer and all you have to do is fill in the blanks. If you are interested, please give me a call as I have recruited my husband to help in the interim and I'm not too sure how long he will want to do it.

In case you don't know what the dues are, they are \$25 Regular Member and \$10 for an Associate. Associate members are anybody who is a Regular member of another club or a male who is interested in "Republican Women" or a student. Mail your check to SGPRWF at P.O. Box 779, Beaumont CA 92223. If you need more information call Ann Oliver at 769-5955.

**NFRW Gold Award**

SGPRWF February 2009  
 c/o Ann Oliver,  
 1878 Fairway Oaks  
 Banning, CA 92220



www.sgprwf.org

***Dates to Remember—Please Mark in your Calendars!!***

<b><i>Date</i></b>	<b><i>Event</i></b>
<b>February 18</b>	SGPRWF BOARD MEETING @ Glendas home 10 a.m.
<b>February 25</b>	SGPRWF GENERAL MEETING @ ELEGANT AFFAIR \$15 10 a.m.
<b>March 9</b>	Riverside County RWF – Holiday Inn Express
	<b>STATE</b>
<b>May 3-5</b>	CFRW 34th Advocacy Workshop and Spring 2009 Board of Director's Meeting. Hyatt Regency at Capitol Park, Sacramento
	<b>Southern Division</b>
<b>February 4</b>	Pomona Valley Mining Company Restaurant
<b>April 1</b>	Pomona Valley Mining Company Restaurant
<b>June 3</b>	Pomona Valley Mining Company Restaurant
<b>September 2</b>	Pomona Valley Mining Company Restaurant
	<b>NFRW</b>
<b>Sept 9 - 14</b>	Wednesday - Monday 35th NFRW Biennial Convention, Caribe Royale Hotel, Orlando FL
<b>Oct 16-18</b>	CFRW Biennial Convention – Marriott Ontario Airport Hotel