



Lakewood Republican Women
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January 2016



Lakewood Republican Women’s Member Brunch

Join us Saturday, January 16th

Featuring Pierce County Executive candidates, Pierce County candidates and other candidates running for Federal, State and local offices.

11:30am Social/Noon Program and Brunch

Tacoma Country and Golf Club
 13204 Country Club Drive
 Lakewood, WA 98498

Please RSVP by January 13th to Karen McDowell at 253.853.5849 or lkmcowell@comcast.net

Cost is \$25 by January 13th and \$30 after January 13th and at the door

Reminder: No Jeans or Shorts

UPCOMING EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES

January

- 8th LRW Board Meeting: Oakbrook 10am
- 9th Central Committee Meeting Elks Puyallup 8:30am check-in
- 16th LRW Lunch w/ PC Candidates 11:00am Social/11:30 Lunch & Program
- 26th Caucus Training Broadway Joes 5pm Dinner/6pm Program
- 28th Presidential Debate Broadway Joes 5pm

February

- 5th Book Club: Steilacoom Center 11am
- 12th WFRW Day at the Capitol 11am to 2pm
- 13th PCO Training Summit Library 9am
- 20th District Caucus’s TBA

March

- 4th Book Club: Steilacoom Center 11am
- 11th LRW Board Meeting: Oakbrook 10am
- 17th LRW Membership Brunch: TCGC 10:30am
- 24th SSRRC Dinner Program: GAC 6pm



2016 Membership Dues
Please renew your membership dues today.

\$30 Members,
 \$20 Associate Members

Make your check payable to LRW and it mail to:

LRW P. O. Box 39462
Lakewood, WA 98496-3462

From our President



A very Happy New Year! 2016 will be a milestone year if we can take the White House. The fight for candidacy is exciting and it will be interesting to see which candidate will prevail. Local King TV continues to attend some of the GOP debates that keeps us in the spotlight thanks to Connie Coleman-Lacadie.

2015 was busy year for us and our members with re-election for Marie Barth, Penney Coffey, and Annie Fitzsimmons.

We continue to be the largest Federated Womens Club in the state and again received the NFRW Diamond Award and the WFRW Caring for America entry at the NFRW Convention. Our newsletter, website and Facebook is great thanks to Lisa Ikeda. Judy Lawrence and her Literacy committee presented 750 constitutions to Clover Park 5th graders. Enough funds were raised so that we were able to add money to our Betty Jo Neils Scholarship Fund so we can continue to award a scholarship to a Republican woman.

Our 2015 Spring Bridge Luncheon and our Margaritaville raised funds for our service and political projects. We honored our local and state women at our Republican Women Rock function.

We expect a busy year with district caucuses and conventions on the county, state and national level. To become a delegate to the National Convention begins at the local caucuses.

Join us January 16th, we are inviting local candidates particularly those running for County Executive. Come and meet them and ask why we should support them. Pay your dues before January 16th, you'll be entered in a drawing.

LRW will celebrate their 45th anniversary this year. National author JA Jance has agreed to be our speaker at our Spring Bridge/Bunco Luncheon Program on April 30th, which our annual fundraiser will benefit Fisher House at JBLM. Our club is blessed with an active and dedicated board of Republican women. We are always looking for help on our committees so let me know if you would like to help. So you can see this will be a busy year for us. Renew your membership now and invite a Republican friend to join. Add your spouse as an associate. We want to see you at our brunch, lunch and dinner programs so please come and join us.

Sally Taylor, LRW President



Save the Dates: Saturday, February 20th, for Republican District Caucuses. Locations of each legislative district's caucus will be published in February newsletter. Also Saturday, April 9th Pierce County Republican Party Convention, State Convention will be held May 20th, 21st & 22nd in Pasco, WA.

PCRP Christmas Party



GOP Presidential Debate

Viewing Party

Join us Thursday, January 14th and 28th
at Broadway Joes
at the Great American Casino
Please arrive about 5pm for dinner,
order dinner off the menu.
Please RSVP to Connie by email at
cjlacadie@aol.com or call 253.906.1346
so we can let them know how many will
be attending so they have available staff
to support our group.

Caucus Training hosted by SSRRC



Caucus Training will take place Tuesday, January 26th 5pm-8pm at Broadway Joes at the Great American Casino and is open to everyone.
Please RSVP to Connie Coleman-Lacadie by email at cjlacadie@aol.com or call 253.906.1346, please let her know if you plan to arrive early and order dinner off the menu at 5 pm or will only attend the Training which will start at 6pm. This will help us know how many will be attending so they have available staff to support our group.

WFRW Day at the Capitol

Friday, February 12th
11am to 2pm.

The cost is \$4.50 without lunch
and \$18.50 with lunch.

All payments are to be paid
prior to January 25th to guarantee
Thurston County's
January 29th deadline.
Carpooling is available.

(leaving Lakewood at 9am, arrive
back to Lakewood 4pm)

Please contact Trish Otterholt
trish.otterholt@yahoo.com

253-973-2533 cell

(you can also text her)
to RSVP.

Please include your
lunch choice in your
message.



Fisher House at JBLM "Providing comfort, care and compassion beyond the call of duty." Their current top 3 needs are: 1. Postage Stamps 2. Snacks (such as trail mix, dried fruit, crackers, etc.) (individual serving sizes) 3. Juices (individual serving sizes) www.fisherhouse-jblm.org
To donate, please contact Fisher House 253-964-9283



County Wide PCO and Caucus training

Saturday, February 13th
9am to 12:45pm

This is the last chance to get vital training on caucus procedures before our February 20th Caucus.
Summit Library 5107 112th St E. Tacoma, WA 98446
We will begin at 9am, please arrive 5 minutes early to check in. We must be out of the facility by 12:45pm as there is another group using the room at 1pm
Materials & refreshments will be provided.
Open to all PCO's Pierce County Republican Party
Please RSVP to Lisa Ikeda 253-219-1881 or reply to this email, as this room only holds 45 people maximum.
Hosted by Kerry Hooks and Lisa Ikeda

**Please renew your 2016
Lakewood Republican
Women member dues today.**

Book Club No meeting in January.
The Book Club will resume Friday,
February 5th at 11am at the Steilacoom
Community Center.
Our Book Club selections can be found
at the local public library.

~ Marlene Bostic

**Pierce County Republican Party Lincoln Day Dinner
3.12.16**

Save the Date Lincoln Day Dinner 6pm - 9pm at the La Quinta Inn



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Thank you!

Lakewood Republican Women Membership Application/Address Update

Name _____ Husband _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____
 Zip _____ Home _____ Cell _____
 Email Address _____ Moved? _____

\$30.00 member dues _____ **\$20.00 associate dues** _____

Please check how you would like to receive our monthly newsletter? Email: _____ Mail: _____

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