



Message from the President by Maureen Krueger



For years, “woke” liberal policies have infiltrated all levels and branches of government. We have seen the devastating effect of these policies on policing, prosecution and punishment all across the United States. People's concerns about public safety are seemingly ignored by liberal politicians even as violent crime increases.

North Carolina's top democrats, Governor Roy Cooper and Attorney General Josh Stein, embrace liberal policies. They have released 3,500 convicts from the North Carolina Department of Corrections under the guise of Covid safety. Stein, North Carolina's top prosecutor, suggests that judges should “reimagine public safety...with wellness task forces,” reduce/waive court fines, eliminate cash bail, and shrink the criminal code. If you wondered if the “woke” madness has seeped into North Carolina, wonder no more. It is here.

Not only does MRW reject this “woke” political agenda which undermines public safety, we actively support the men and women of law enforcement. For the ninth year, MRW participated in National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day on January 9. As MRW President, and a member of Moore County Law Enforcement Association, I was overwhelmed with the outpouring of love and support for our law enforcement officers. Our members donated delicious snacks and treats which were delivered to 16 law enforcement agencies.

What else have we done in January alone?

- We helped sponsor An Evening of Motown, a fundraiser to counter the liberal movement to register Democrats in North Carolina, modeled on what Stacy Abrams, the failed candidate for governor, did in Georgia. (See article below)
- We organized a caravan to Raleigh for the March for Life, an important protest against the killing of unborn babies.
- We've been heavily involved in organizing precinct meetings that are so important for our upcoming elections. See the next article for more details on these.

I'm proud to say that Moore Republican Women not only recognizes and talks about the dangers progressive policies pose in our society - we DO something to mitigate those dangers. You should be proud to be part of our Club, too - and you're invited to participate in ALL our events, activities, protests, etc.

God bless you, and keep doing what you do to make a difference!

Maureen

Precinct meetings in February

While the general election is not until November, February ushers



in the important business side of politics with local precinct meetings. These meetings are scheduled for the first two weekends of February, and they are a precursor to the county convention, district convention, and state convention. Find your precinct and meeting date [here](#).

Perhaps more important, your precinct chairperson is a voting member of the Moore County GOP Executive Committee, which is authorized to conduct an endorsement vote in some elections, such as the Board of Education, when there are multiple registered Republicans running for the same seat.

We encourage everyone to participate in your precinct meetings and let your precinct leadership know that you support proven conservative candidates and principals. If you're interested in being a delegate, just let your precinct chair know. You will not need to show up at the meeting.

MRW Luncheon on Feb 2



Reservations are CLOSED for the luncheon.

The Lighthouse at Little River

12:00 p.m. Noon

Registration opens 11:15 a.m.

500 Little River Farm Boulevard

Carthage, NC 28327

(just 4 miles north of Pinehurst No. 6 on 15/501)

Guest speakers:

Ted Budd, U.S. Senate; Pat McCrory, U.S. Senate; NC Supreme Court Judges; District Court Judges and more.

Don't forget to bring snacks for [Military Missions in Action](#) and baby/mommy items for [LifeCare Pregnancy Center](#).

Money raised for Frederick Douglass Foundation of NC



An Evening of Motown @ The Neon Rooster

On January 25, MRW hosted an Evening of Motown, starring Gabriel Bello, a multi-talented musician who has topped the Billboard Smooth Jazz charts. Close to 100 people enjoyed fantastic music and camaraderie.

The event was a fundraiser for Black Conservative Voices and the Frederick Douglass Foundation of North Carolina. It will go toward counteracting [Stacy Abram's strategic push into NC](#). If you'd like to donate to the Foundation, visit the group's website [here](#).



Upcoming events

Feb. 5-6/ 12-13: Moore County Republican Party 2022 Precinct Meetings

Moore County GOP Headquarters, Olmsted Village, Pinehurst

[Find your meeting](#)

Thursday, February 17: Men's Republican Club Luncheon

Introducing NC judicial candidates

12:00 Noon

The Lighthouse at Little River in Carthage

Reserve your seat [here](#).

February 25-27 - NCFRW Winter Board Meeting, Atlantic Beach, NC

Speakers include Clare Lopez, Hal Weatherman and others. Great opportunity to network with other Republican women from across North Carolina, learn and have fun! Go [here](#) for more information and to sign up.

March 18: Dr. Ben Carson at Sandhills Community College

Ben Carson, a former presidential candidate (2016) and Donald Trump's Secretary of Housing and Urban Development (2017-21), will speak and participate in a panel discussion on March 18 in conjunction with the James E. Holshouser Jr. Lectures, a series that made its debut in 2020. The panel will focus on the future of medicine, and will include Sandhills Community College President John Dempsey, and FirstHealth of the Carolinas chief executive Mickey Foster. Online sponsorship opportunities and ticket sales are expected to begin soon.

May 15: Reagan Dinner. Speaker TBA - but save the date!

A message from Peggy Smetana

MRW's retiring Treasurer, Peggy Smetana, thanks those who have helped with check-in during the past four years: Carole Alfieri and Dorinda McNamara at the beginning, Chris Biebrich and Jane Waldemar, Tricia Tidwell, Christine Corcoran, Deb Spelman, Donna Hardeman, Tracye Reiland, Sally Bolton, Marge Swierz and Annie Thomasson.

Says Peggy: "I apologize if I have not mentioned someone who helped. I could not have done it without you. God bless our new treasurer, Christina McCall. She has fresh ideas that will improve effectiveness and efficiency."

And a message from MRW to Peggy: Thank YOU for all your years as our Treasurer. Last year the NCFRW named you "Gold Star Treasurer," one of few in North Carolina, and for good reason: You have kept our Club on track financially and legally through the challenges of the pandemic and of major growth in membership. We appreciate your honesty, integrity, thoroughness and insight!

MRW Book Club on March 10

The MRW Book Club has decided it will meet every other month. The next meeting is on Thursday, March 10 at 4:00 p.m. in the GOP



Headquarters in the Olmsted Village Shopping Center.

The Book: "[Red Handed, How American Elites Get Rich Helping China Win.](#)" by Peter Schweizer.

Everyone is invited for lively discussion and fun with like-minded people!

News from Sandhills Young Republicans



1/25 6pm	An Evening of Motown	Aberdeen, NC
1/27 7pm	Monthly Strategy Meeting	Pinehurst, NC
2/5 4pm	Day of Action & Game Night	Raleigh, NC
2/25 7pm	Sandhills YRs Elections Meeting (Elections Only)	Pinehurst, NC
2/26 10am	Blood Drive	Carthage, NC
3/18 7pm	The Critical Role of Education with Dr. Ben Carson	Pinehurst, NC

For more details checkout our Facebook Page

Complete the Mission

February 5th, 2022
11am-2pm

Phone Bank to Defend Veterans Healthcare

The Department of Veterans Affairs is limiting access to the VA MISSION Act's community care options.

Help fight for better healthcare for our Veterans because they deserve better!

Please contact Scott Hagan to help
(910) 850-8382



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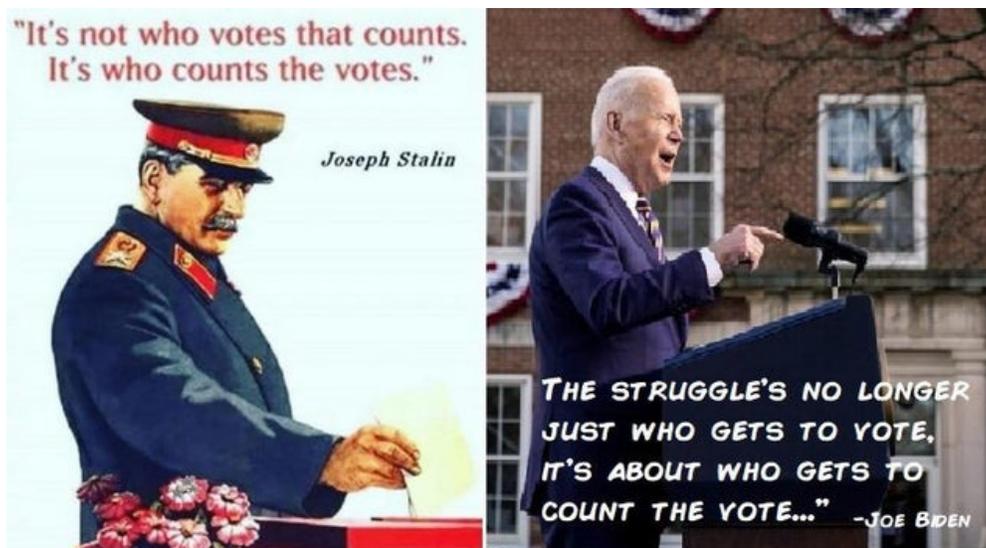
Yay! 😄 #BareShelvesBiden

hey look, they're all out of mean tweets



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