



Message from the President by Maureen Zumwalt



Stand up for the Rule of Law

For many years we conservatives have watched as the Left has inexorably chipped away at one of our country's founding principles, the Rule of Law. We are outraged by more and more examples of a two-tiered legal system that treats citizens differently - if they are rich, if they are famous, or if they are Democrats. One such example took place here in North Carolina, to (Democrat) Beth Wood, our state auditor. On the principle that we need to speak up loudly when we see justice meted out differently, here's the letter I sent to The Pilot about the situation:

NC State Auditor Beth Wood should resign immediately

North Carolina State Auditor Beth Wood attended a Christmas party on December 8, 2022. At that party, she decided to drink alcohol. By her account, she consumed two glasses of wine. Afterwards, she took the keys to a state-owned vehicle and attempted to drive home. Instead, she wrecked into a parked car, with the state-owned vehicle coming to rest on the parked car.

Wood, as are all drivers, is bound by law to stay at the scene of that accident until law enforcement arrives. Wood decided to ignore that law and scurried away before law enforcement could interview her and measure her blood alcohol content. [Continue reading....](#)

URGENT: Action alerts that affect YOU!

The Biden administration continues its drive to take control of every part of our lives. We urge you to write and/or call about protecting elections - AND your household appliances:

1. Gas stoves (deadline to comment is Monday, April 3)
2. Clothes washers
3. ERIC (Electronic Registration Information Center), alleged to be a front for left-wing voter registration and data manipulation

Get full information and find out what to do

Elections matter

NC General Assembly overrides
Cooper's veto of firearms bill



In an important victory for the 2nd amendment, the General Assembly has successfully overridden Democratic Gov. Roy Cooper's veto of [Senate Bill 41](#), a firearms bill that has a provision repealing the state's pistol permit purchase process. [Read more...](#)

MRW Member News

April 5 luncheon reminders



As predicted, this event featuring guest speaker Gordon Chang has sold out. Reservations are closed.

Country Club of Whispering Pines
2 Clubhouse Boulevard
Whispering Pines, NC 28237

12:00 Noon

11:15 a.m. Registration opens

Cost: \$25.00 payable to "Country Club of Whispering Pines"

If you are attending, we are collecting **snacks for troops** who have been deployed. For example: Jerky (no pork), hard candy, water flavoring mixes, gum, cookie and snack packages, trail mix, nuts, protein bars, gummies, tuna and chicken in pouches.

Welcome to these new members & associates

Katie Kessler
Melissa Hintz
Elvie Luna
Jim Thyne
Tim Helms

Gary Thompson
Nancy Mendelson
Mary DeMartino
Rick Scott
Claire Berggren

March luncheon fundraising results



At the March luncheon, you continued to support MRW through purchases:

**** The amazing St. Patrick's Day basket raffle earned a whopping \$540 for MRW!** The winners were Miriam Chu and Agnes Puzak. This was the last hurrah for **Diane and Charles Authement**, who will be moving to Indiana. This couple, by themselves, have delivered thousands of dollars for MRW through their selfless and creative

donation of these baskets over several years. They received a standing ovation at the luncheon in thanks. God speed!

**** Ways and Means earned \$104** with sales of jewelry.

Scenes from the March luncheon



Our featured speakers were from Adult & Teen Challenge of Sandhills, a faith-centered recovery program for men struggling with life-controlling addiction. Larry Cadell, Chairman, said, "We don't rehabilitate men - we transform them through the Word of God." Russ Cambria, CEO, and Brian Decker, Assistant Program Director, talked about how the program saves lives and how it achieves a 78% success rate. For more information about this "best kept secret in Moore County," go [here](#).



Dr. Julie Baugher, a physician in the FirstHealth Concierge Program, discussed the benefits of concierge healthcare in today's medical environment, which requires doctors to have too many patients in their practices.

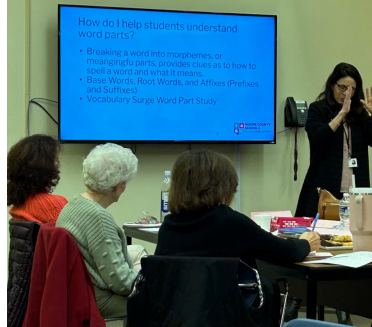


A table of our members wore "Cat in the Hat" headgear to support "Read Across America Day" and protest President Biden's actions to "cancel" Dr. Seuss because of "diversity."

You go, girls!

MRW in the community

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Reading volunteers

MRW members take training to become reading volunteers in Moore County schools. Pauline Bruno has personally recruited numerous new readers, so if you're interested in volunteering or taking the training, please [contact her](#).



Honoring amazing veterans

MRW Members celebrated the 100th birthday of WWII veteran Vivian Cunningham. We presented her with a beautiful Quilt of Honor.



Taking care of our environment

These MRW volunteers took time out of their days to "Adopt a Road" along Airport Road near Whispering Pines. Thanks for following through on our commitment to clean up trash and enhance our community!

Coming up soon!

Important NCFRW events



- April 18: Spring Legislative Day in Raleigh**
 Meet with NC legislators and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Catherine Truitt. See [agenda](#). Sign up to attend [here](#) (\$20 includes a box lunch).
- May 5-7, 2023 NCFRW Spring Board Meeting/Biennial Convention.** DoubleTree by Hilton South Charlotte Tyvola, 5624 Westpark Drive, Charlotte 28217. [Register to attend](#), and [book your hotel](#).

MRW events:

- **MRW Sock Hop:** July 29 (note date change)
- **Spanish class** taught by Laura Morgan: Tuesday, April 4, 1:00 p.m. GOP HQ. (see below)

Spanish classes start on Tuesday



Learn to speak Spanish! Our own **Laura Morgan** has volunteered to teach a series of classes. We've already had a number of interested people sign up - but it's not too late!

First class: April 4, 1:00 p.m. GOP HQ in Olmsted Village Shopping Center.

See you there!

Moore County Republican Men's Club luncheon



You're invited to attend the Moore County Republican Men's Club luncheon:

Wednesday, April 12
Country Club of Whispering Pines
12:00 noon

Registration starts at 11:30

Speaker: John Kane Jr, a Raleigh entrepreneur, who is running for NC GOP Chairman. He recently announced intentions to stir up the June North Carolina Republican Party convention June 8-11 in Greensboro. [Read more.](#)

Register [here](#).

Supporting alternative educational institutions

MRW supports educational opportunities of all types that are available in our area. Here's a fun(d)raising event for Moore County Homeschool that might interest you:

Moore County Homeschool

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Night

Whispering Pines Country Club

May 12, 2023 5p-11p

Tickets \$75 ea

Dinner & Photo Included

All NC Homeschool Students

9th-12th grade welcome



Scan to purchase tickets

mchomeschoolprom@gmail.com



Good article on "climate change"



Struggle to refute arguments lauding climate change policy? Here's a great article in *The American Thinker* that points out a few BENEFITS of global warming:

"Have you heard that over the past 30 years there has been a 14

percent increase in the Earth's green vegetation? Deserts are getting smaller and forests are getting lusher. That gain even has a name: "Earth Greening." Not surprisingly, 70 percent of it stems from the increased carbon dioxide in the atmosphere! Zaichun Zhu, one of the scientists who measured the greening, says it's equivalent to adding a new continent of green vegetation twice the size of the mainland United States...." [Read the whole article.](#)

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