

RWOP Newsletter Editor: Joan Lesko, RWOP VP Communications, contact@rwop.info

Tuesday, October 11th RWOP Member Luncheon



Prescott Resort & Conference Center
1500 E. Highway 69, Prescott, AZ

THIS LUNCHEON is SOLD OUT

11:00 am - 1:00 pm
DOORS OPEN AT 10:00am

THE MEETING STARTS PROMPTLY AT 11:00AM. TRY TO ARRIVE EARLY TO ALLOW FOR PARKING AND CHECK-IN

For RWOP Members and Associate Members
(Open to guests if seats are still available)

LUNCHEON MENU

Brisket w/demi infused BBQ sauce, Mashed potatoes, Vinaigrette coleslaw
OR

Waldorf chicken salad (no nuts) OR Vegetarian Cobb salad

Halloween Dessert

NO SUBSTITUTIONS THE DAY OF THE EVENT

\$30 per person - Contact Elsie Tyree at 928-778-0235 or tyree200@msn.com
Reservations on a first come first served basis!

A reservation made is a reservation paid...thank you!

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1st VP Programs - Judy Blake

REFER TO THE RWOP WEBSITE FOR A CANDIDATE / SPEAKER BIOS

Special Guest Speakers



George Khalaf - [Bio](#)
President of Data Orbital



Tyler Bowyer - [Bio](#)
COO of Turning Point Action

Republican Primary Winners



Mark Finchem
Arizona Secretary of State
[Bio](#) [Website](#)



Blake Masters
U.S. Senate
[Bio](#) [Website](#)



Kimberly Yee
Arizona State Treasurer
[Bio](#) [Website](#)

President's Message – Sherrie Hanna



As we say "goodbye" to the month of September and welcome October, many are thinking of the first of the holidays that will be soon descending upon us. Halloween will open the door and before you know it, Christmas will be upon us! Besides recognizing October as the month for Halloween, it has also become synonymous as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.



For nearly four decades now, our country has recognized October as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. It is a time annually devoted to educating everyone about breast cancer and the importance of early detection and timely, high-quality care. Studies show that 1 in 8 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime - that's one person every 12 minutes in the United States. The two greatest risk factors of breast cancer are being female and getting older. However, men are also known to be diagnosed with breast cancer. In 2021, it is estimated that 43,600 women and 530 men in the United States will die from breast cancer. It is important that individuals know their family history of breast cancer, get screened. Know what is "normal" so if something doesn't look or feel right, your health care advisor can be notified. Being conscious of living a healthy lifestyle is within all our control and may lower your risk of breast cancer. And last, take action. There are many ways you can join the fight against breast cancer. Many upcoming fundraising events will be taking place around our community where you can participate and donate to in the fight against breast cancer. Please take advantage of them and be a part of making this October a time of action, both for yourself and others.

I want to thank my entire Executive Board: Judy Blake, Sue Davis, Heather Densmore, Joan Lesko, Jill Martin, Linda Nichols, Sue Tatar and Elsie Tyree for filling in for me at last month's luncheon. The opportunity for me to travel to Washington, DC to testify and lend my support for the Downwinder Bills that are currently before the US Congress was something I have been devoted to for many years and am very passionate about. I have heard from many members how informative and successful the luncheon was. I was able to watch the school board candidates along with our State candidates on video. The quality of the video was very clear, and I want to thank Jill Martin and her husband, Steve, for setting up and recording the event for us. I have heard from several of our members that were not able to attend our luncheon that they viewed the forum on our website, and they appreciated us having it available for them. There have been 300 views of the video so far on our RWOP website!



I cannot stress how important it is for our Republican PUSD candidates to gain the majority on the PUSD Governing Board. RWOP has openly participated in this election process, and I feel we have made a difference in educating our members and the public on the current issues facing our PUSD board. We have also brought attention to the Republican candidates seeking positions on the PUSD board which has been greatly appreciated by our members and the public. There will continue to be other opportunities before the November 8th election date for us to continue to support and hear our Republican PUSD candidates speak out on the issues, so let's all continue to show up at those events and support them! Go to our website at www.rwop.info to view the video of the PUSD school board candidates, Ken Bennett and Eli Crane.

The Yavapai County Republican Golden Ticket	
Federal	
U.S. Senate	Rick Warren
U.S. House District 2	Ed Case
AZ Statewide	
Governor	Kari Lake
Secretary of State	Mark Finchem
Attorney General	Alan Harnisch
Treasurer	Kimberly Yee
Superintendent of Public Instruction	Tara Horne
Corporation Commission	Nick Myers
Corporation Commission	Kevin Thompson
State Mine Inspector	Paul Marsh
County	
Judge of the Peace: Bagdad/Hamlet	Donna Dowling
Constable: Bagdad/Hamlet	Mike Harris
Judge of the Peace: Mayer	Mark Richardson
Constable: Mayer	Doreen Dean
Judge of the Peace: Prescott	Mitch Padilla
Constable: Prescott	Ron Williams
Clerk of the Superior Court	Debra McQuitty
Judge of the Superior Court - DIV 1	Michelle McQuitty
Judge of the Superior Court - DIV 2	John Wagner
Judge of the Superior Court - DIV 3	Tina Arroyo
Judge of the Superior Court - DIV 4	Cate Hancock
Judge of the Superior Court - DIV 5	Anna Young
Arizona Legislature LD 1	
Small House - 2 seats open:	Kris Bennett
	Sandra Bilo
	Quang Nguyen
Arizona Legislature LD 30	
Small House - 2 year 2 seats open:	Wickburg Area Only
	Sandra Bennett
	Leo Blasiucci
	John Gibello
School Governing Boards	
Prescott #1 (2 year, 1 seat open):	Linda Conn
Prescott #1 (4 year, 2 seats open):	Brenda Compton
	Michelle Hanner
	Andy Jensen
	Steve Gargiolo
Humboldt Unified #22 (4 year, 2 seats open):	Liyana Mason
	Brianne Walcott
	Timothy Muzio
	Rita DelBello
	Leslie Gieseler
	Sharonne Smith
	Marla Hillman
	Cyril Thomas
Special Districts:	
Central Yavapai Hospital District (3 seats open):	Matthew Cordas
	Lauren Newington
	Robert Scharlach
	Seamus Walsh

We cannot forget about our Republican State candidates. RWOP continues to do whatever we can to support them by showcasing them at our luncheons and allowing them to advertise their events to our members so our members will have the opportunity to meet our candidates "one on one" to support them. I want to thank all our RWOP members who are PC's working with our Yavapai County Republican Party going "door to door", making phone calls, passing out the **Golden Ticket** with all our Republican candidates listed to pass out to the public.

Vote YES Propositions

Prop 128: "Fixing Unconstitutional Ballot Initiatives"

A "yes" votes out-of-state special interest groups that spend millions to put their radical ideas on our Arizona ballot. If we do not vote "yes", this means that "broken" measures remain as AZ statutes with no simple mechanisms to fix them. Prop.128 allows the AZ Legislature to amend, fix, or repeal these illegal ballot measures impacted by court rulings.

Prop 129: "Limit Initiatives to a Single Subject"

A "yes" vote requires that future propositions on our Arizona ballot address one subject and one subject only. This prevents out-of-state special interests from shoving multiple unrelated provisions into a ballot prop. that have little, or nothing, to do with the subject of the Prop. Will prevent confusing voters and stop combining favored and unfavored language in the same bill so that voters have to make a "Sophie's Choice" when they vote for a proposition.

Prop 130: "Empower AZ Legislature on Property Tax Exemptions"

A "yes" vote supports allowing the AZ Legislature to enact specific and common sense property tax exemptions, including amounts and qualifications (including property tax exemptions for widows and widowers; those with total and permanent disabilities; disabled veterans; and property used for trade, business, or agriculture).

Prop 131: "Lieutenant Governor on Joint Party Ticket"

A "yes" vote supports creating the position of Lieutenant Governor, who would be elected on a joint party ticket with the Governor, and who would succeed the Governor in case of a vacancy. This protects the will of the people.

Prop 132: "60% Majority on Ballot Measures that Raise Taxes"

A "yes" vote will require 60% of AZ voters to pass ballot measures to approve new, higher AZ taxes. It prevents a simple majority of 51% of voters to raise taxes for every AZ taxpayer. Would mirror 60% requirement of AZ Legislature to raise taxes.

Prop 309: "Voter ID Act"

A "yes" supports Arizonans who are lawfully registered U.S. citizens gaining access to a free voter I.D. in order to vote in AZ elections. This includes an I.D. for mail-in votes. Polls show that 3 of 4 Arizonans support an ID to vote.

Vote NO Propositions

Prop 209: "Predatory Debt Collection Protection Act"

The misleading-titled initiative, which is funded almost exclusively by California Unions, will limit the ability of Arizona residents to obtain credit and dramatically increase our interest rates. This is an attempt by California special interests to force an anti-taxpayer agenda onto Arizonans. At a time of skyrocketing inflation and gas prices the last thing our state needs is to make the purchase of necessities such as appliances, vehicles and medical care even more expensive. Vote NO!

Prop 308: "Tuition Amnesty for Illegals"

Vote "No" on taxpayer subsidized post-secondary tuition for illegals. U.S. citizens must pay the full cost of tuition in Arizona. Undocumented persons should not be given a reduced tuition rate; it is not fair to persons who are in Arizona legally nor the AZ Taxpayers. Vote NO!

Prop 310: "Tax Hike for Fire Districts"

Vote "No" on a tax hike. Vote "No" on additional Fire Districts funding. AZ City Fire Departments are already funded by city taxes. Rural Fire Districts are already funded by local property taxes. Vote for no additional Arizona taxes on hard-working Arizona taxpayers; Arizonans are taxed enough already. Vote NO!

Prop 211: "Voter's Right to Know Act"

Don't let the title fool you! This Act requires private organizations to disclose donor's names to the government if they spend more than a certain amount in any given election. This violates the Constitutional right to privacy and association. This is silencing and harassing private citizens, organizations, and non-profits for exercising their First Amendment Rights. It is designed to target citizens that the drafters do not like, yet it exempts big tech, corporate media, and labor unions. They can acquire the names of private citizens who contribute to campaigns, causes, and candidates, so that they can be doxed, harassed, and canceled. Vote NO!

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I carry the **Golden Ticket** with me and have passed them out at church, to my neighbors and even gave it to my waitress who overheard a group of us talking about the election and wanted to know who to vote for. I want to thank the RWOP members that signed up for the "Side Kick" telephone training. We will be calling voters in Yavapai County encouraging them to vote for Republican PUSD school board and State candidates.

It is imperative that we keep our beautiful State of Arizona RED!!

Last weekend, I and several of your RWOP Board and members attended the AzFRW Fall State Meeting at Wild Horse Pass Hotel & Casino in Chandler, Az. What an awesome event it was! Our AzFRW State leadership always puts on a great state meeting with very informative speakers and great camaraderie. It is also a opportunity to network with like-minded Republican women and meet at a beautiful venue. Several of our RWOP Singers performed during the event and made us proud!! There were several breakout sessions where the attendees were educated on a number of issues important to our Republican Party and election integrity. If you have never attended an AzFRW State Meeting, you should consider attending a future meeting. As I mentioned, the meetings are very informative, inspiring and it will make you proud to be a part of RWOP and AzFRW! GO to our website to view the RWOP SINGERS!



AzFRW Fall Meeting

September 15-17, 2022
Gila River Resorts & Casino



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www.rwop.info/videos

Our October luncheon will be here before you know it. Each month, please don't wait to make your reservation as our luncheons sellout fast! THANK YOU, MEMBERS, for making this happen and continuing to support our raffle basket ticket sales and upcoming fundraisers. Your support keeps our club prosperous, and your attendance ensures everyone has an enjoyable time! I look forward to another great program and luncheon on October 11th!

Sherrie Hanna, President

Caring for America – Nancy Grigas



OCTOBER ORGANIZATION of the MONTH

Sharlot Hall Museum
AN ARIZONA HISTORY ADVENTURE



<https://www.sharlothallmuseum.org/>

Chaplain – Marla Bassler

Welcome October

Offer your heart, mind and soul to the Lord

Confess all your mistakes and sins.

Praise God that

Today He will provide and protect you
and your loved ones.

Outpouring of His love and grace claim it
with thanksgiving

Blessings will overflow through you so
you can be a blessing to others too

Every day be grateful that God works in you to

Restore and renew your life for His glory. Amen.



Republican Women of Prescott
*Holiday Bazaar
&
Bake Shoppe*

DECEMBER 13TH 10AM-2PM
During the RWOP Monthly Meeting

To donate your delicious edible treats or rent a vendor table.
Contact Sue Davis at oneavia@yahoo.com or call/text 352-262-5890.

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REPUBLICAN WOMEN OF PRESCOTT
ANNUAL
Chili Cook-off

Tuesday Oct. 25th 1-4 pm
Lazy G Brewhouse
220 W. Leroux St.
Prescott, AZ

TREAT YOUR TASTE BUDS TO SOME OF THE BEST CHILI IN AZ

THE EVENT INCLUDES:
Chili samples from all contestants &
participation in the people's choice awards.

\$20
Per Person

Contact Sue Davis for tickets.
Call/text (352) 262-5890 or email oneavia@yahoo.com

"Did you Know...?" - Secretary, Linda Nichols

LEADERSHIP VOLUNTEERS

Lead to a More Abundant Life!

"Did You Know": Leadership and Volunteering Lead to a More Abundant Life!

Recently, the Nominating Committee selected the 2023 Slate of RWOP Executive Committee Officers who will be voted into office at our October 11th luncheon by our RWOP Active Members. The 2023 officers will be installed December 13, 2022. Their official positions run from January 1st to December 31st of 2023.

As our club's leadership team, they will be planning, setting direction and accomplishing the many goals that our amazing organization requires. And they will be very busy!

The 2023 Slate positions are: Sherrie Hanna, President – Judy Blake, 1st VP of Programs – Michele Hamer, 2nd VP of Ways and Means – Heather Densmore, 3rd VP of Membership – Joan Lesko, 4th VP of Communications, Jill Martin – 5th VP of Education – Sue Tatar, Treasurer – Cynthia McSwain, Secretary.



RWOP is often seeking out leaders to fill open positions on the Board of Directors either as Executive Committee elected members, an appointed Chair of a Standing or Special Committee or an appointed position like Chaplain, Parliamentarian or Historian/Photographer. To get started and noticed, first decide where your skills, passions and involvement make the most sense, ask to be on different teams, i.e., Way & Means (fundraising), Membership, Merchandise or Outreach are four great choices. Or offer your help at events where we sell merchandise like the Home Show, the Fair or the Christmas Bazaar.

Volunteering can do the following; however, it is not limited to just this list:

- Provide you with a sense of purpose as you learn new valuable skills and contribute to worthwhile causes.
- Create a sense of connection to RWOP and the community.
- Give you the opportunity to interact with others, use your skills, meet new friends and build lasting relationships.
- Sharpen your own social, communications and technical skills as you gain knowledge by helping and getting help from others.
- Improve your self-esteem as you develop your ideas and accomplish your goals.
- Show you where your skills are a perfect fit or where you can reach beyond your current skill set to develop new ones.
- Bring more fun into your life as you attend more events, help others with their events and mingle with friends.
- Get you out of your comfort zone as you stretch beyond your norms and push your limits.

To get to know your club, get involved! You won't regret it! To make an initial connection, see Heather Densmore for the current needs and opportunities.

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3rd VP Membership - Heather Densmore



2023 Membership Campaign Kickoff

October 1, 2022, is the official launch of our 2023 Campaign:

All RWOP members must renew their membership each year. You will need to fill out a new application for the 2023 year, so we can make sure all your information is current and correct in our

database. You may renew your membership online at <https://www.rwop.info/join-now.html> or you may renew your membership at the October Lunch Meeting.

Renewing or starting a membership in October 2022 really gives you fourteen months of membership through to December 31, 2023. Please encourage your friends and family to become members of the "Largest Republican Women's Club in the Nation".

High Achievers

At the September meeting we recognized the members who referred the newest members to us. They were:

1ST Place Debra McVey with 13 new members joining us

2nd Place KK Weiler with 11 new members joining us

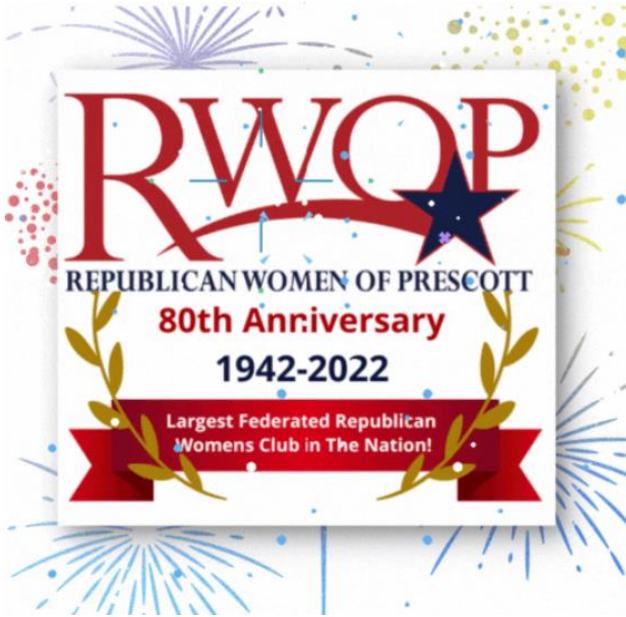
3rd Place Jill Martin with 8 new members joining us

Congratulations Ladies! They received gift certificates to the RWOP Mall in varying amounts.

Have you ever wondered where all our members reside? At the close of our membership on August 31st our members resided in the following areas:

City	# of Members	%
Prescott	773	73.2%
Prescott Valley	165	15.6%
Chino Valley	44	4.2%
Dewey Humboldt	34	3.2%
Outside of YC	19	1.8%
Other Cities Inside YC	19	1.8%
Out of State	3	0.2%
Total	1057	

4th VP Communications – Joan Lesko



RWOP is Celebrating its 80th Anniversary!

You are cordially invited to attend our Celebration Party to be held on:

Sunday, October 23, 2022

Time: 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

At The Prescott Resort, in the Eagle's Nest Lounge

1500 State Route 69, Prescott, AZ

Active Members and Associate Members, plus 1 guest are invited.

Casual Cocktail Attire.

Complimentary cake, cookies, coffee, iced tea, and water will be served.

Open Cash Bar.

RSVP Required, to Elsie Tyree by October 16.

928-778-0235 or tyree200@msn.com



Select <https://www.rwop.info/standing-meetings.html> for the **RWOP Luncheon Schedule** on the RWOP website.



Full Board Website Directory - You can view the photos, bios, and job descriptions of the RWOP Full Board on the Officers & Committees page of the website:

<https://www.rwop.info/officers--committees.html>

The executive board felt it would be helpful to show you the faces behind the names of the volunteers for our organization. We have included the job description of each committee chair so that you can see what each job entails, and we hope it will serve as a guide if you are interested in volunteering and don't know where you fit in.

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5th VP Education - Jill Martin



ESSENTIAL ELECTION EVENT!!

Featuring Gina Swoboda
Executive Director of Voter Reference Foundation



This is a critical meeting for all RWOP members, Elected Officials, and community members! Gina knows these subjects better than anyone in the State of Arizona!

Gina will talk about:

2022 Ballot Initiatives / Election Integrity in Arizona / 2023 Election Integrity Bills



October 19th from 11:00-1:00

MAKE YOUR RESERVATION TODAY!

<https://www.rwop.info/special-events.html>



RWOP 101 is BACK!

Learn the Inner Workings of RWOP
in this 2-hour Class!

*“Linda Nichols teaches this informative and
inspirational class”*

October 18, 2022, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Yavapai College Campus-Sheldon and Hwy 89. Directions will be emailed to those attending

Sign up Today!

This is the last class offered for 2022. All members are encouraged to attend!
To sign up, email Linda Nichols lknichols360@yahoo.com

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Legislature Chair - Cathy Messinger

This November Arizonans will decide on 10 ballot measures. Four of these measures are necessary and critical to make common sense election integrity reforms and protect Arizonans from the influence of out-of-state special interests that put bad policy on our ballots.



Vote YES on Propositions 128, 129, 132 and 309.

On the other hand, Propositions 209, 211, 308 and 310 include tax hikes, programs for government to exacerbate the invasion at our border and increase inflation. **Vote NO** on these propositions.

Prop 128 (vote yes) allows legislature to amend ballot measures that the Arizona or US Supreme Court determine contain unconstitutional or illegal language. Out-of-state special interests flood Arizona with millions of dollars to knowingly put unconstitutional measures on our ballots. Prop 128 ensures we aren't stuck with broken laws.

Prop 129 (vote yes) requires ballot initiatives to pertain to a single subject, the same requirement for bills passed in the legislature to protect our ballots against radical, sprawling initiatives imported from other states

Prop 132 (vote yes) requires any new tax or tax increase on the ballot to receive at least 60% of the vote to pass. Currently, a tax increase at the legislature requires support from a 2/3 majority to be enacted. This Prop protects taxpayers from a small majority raising taxes on the rest, crushing our economy.

Prop 309 (vote yes) creates universal Voter ID requirements ensuring no matter when or how we vote ID is required.

Nick Myers and Kevin Thompson are running for Corporation Commission. It is very important they are voted in because it means we will have the conservative majority. They will fight to eliminate mandates and subsidies. These two areas have the single largest impact on driving up our rates. They will fight to keep Green New Deals and California style energy policies out of Arizona.

*****Did you know that over 200 thousand Republicans voted in the 2022 Primaries as opposed to 125 thousand in the 2018 Primaries***

Outreach Ambassador – Linda Bray

Thanks to all for donating your used eyeglasses!



I passed along a total of 330 pairs of eyeglasses to the Lion's Club of Prescott and from there they will be taken down to Phoenix for cleaning and repurposing. Your efforts will benefit the sight many people need.

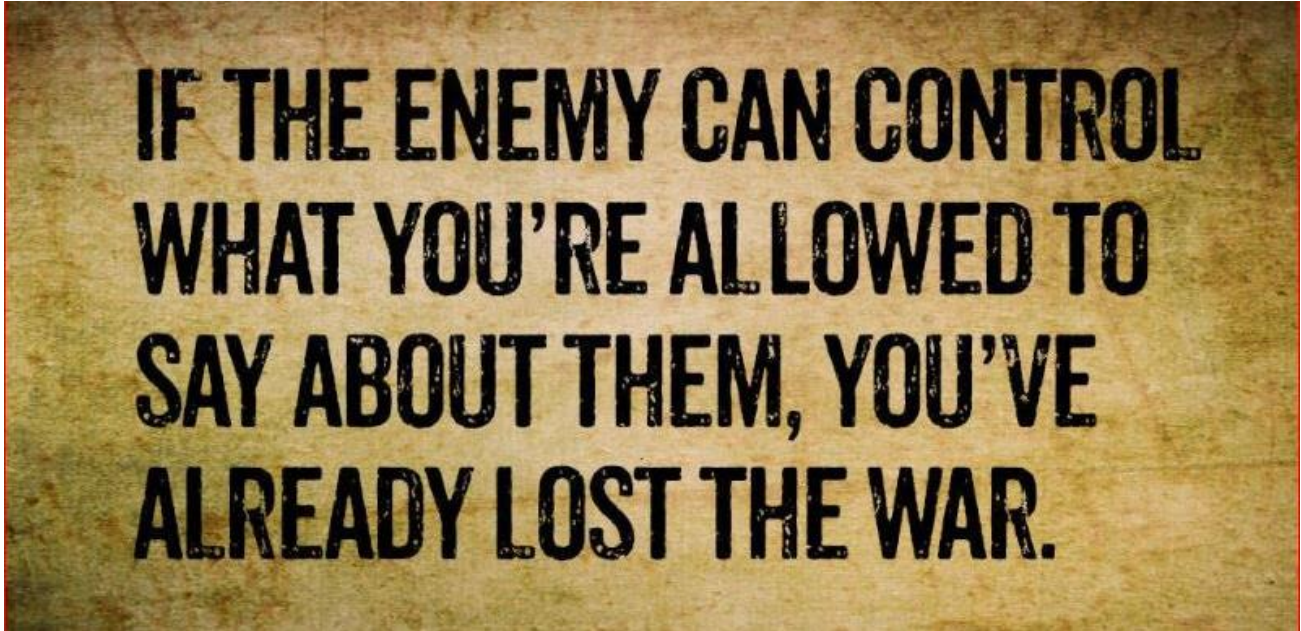
Thank you ❤️

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Americanism - Susan Cohen

We must all embrace the 1st Amendment to the Bill of Rights.

This quote by Sebastian Gorka applies to all enemies, foreign *and* domestic. Continue to speak up about what is right and good about the United States, and let our enemies go pound sand.



RWOP Photographer – Judie Vullo

To view the photos on our website: <https://www.rwop.info/photos-2022.html>

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2022 RWOP Executive Board

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