



NEWSLETTER
Montgomery County Republican Women
 Clarksville, Tennessee
 March 5, 2013 Tuesday



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TODAY'S LUNCHEON
TUESDAY, MARCH 5



SPEAKER
Kay Drew

Kay will discuss the local economic climate.
 Kay is serving as Chairman of the Clarksville-Montgomery County Industrial Board as well as a Board Member of the Clarksville Economic Council.
 She is Head of Clarksville Academy.

LADIES DAY ON THE HILL

Our legislative day will be **Monday, April 1**. The theme for Ladies Day on the Hill, and our theme for the entire year, is "Keeping Tennessee Red." If you are interested in attending:

PLEASE NOTE:
Ladies Day on the Hill,
deadline to send in is March 12.
\$35 to MCRW.

One check sent in from our club!



We must reject the idea that every time a law's broken, society is guilty rather than the lawbreaker. It is time to restore the American precept that each individual is accountable for his actions.
—Ronald Reagan

MCRW COOKBOOKS

You can enter recipes online by using the following information:

www.typensave.com
User name: MCRWClub
Password: celery402



MCRW Cookbooks

Here are a few tips to keep in mind when submitting the recipes:

1. List ingredients in order of use and make sure all ingredients are accounted for in the paragraph of directions.
2. Type out full words for all measurements: *Cup, teaspoon, Tablespoon, package, etc.* Include all container sizes, e.g., 2 (8-oz.) cans.
3. Use ingredient names in the directions, e.g., use "Combine flour and sugar" rather than statements such as "Combine the first two ingredients."
4. Include temperatures and all cooking, chilling, baking, or freezing times.
5. MOST IMPORTANT: Please review and make sure all ingredients and directions are included so your recipe will be complete.
6. Finally, please include your name how you would like it to appear with your recipe in the cookbook.

You can turn your written recipes in to
Sue Ellen Yates or
 Email to **bobsueellen@bellsouth.net**



MONTGOMERY COUNTY REPUBLICANS—

INFO TO KNOW

Sen. Mark Green

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Rep. Curtis Johnson

State phone: 615-741-4341
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Rep. Marsha Blackburn

Clarksville Office: 1850 Memorial Dr. Clarksville
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SD-185 Washington, DC 20510
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Sen. Lamar Alexander

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MONTGOMERY COUNTY GOP

Upcoming events:

**Executive meeting Tuesday, March 26
6:00 pm at Shoney's.**

**Lincoln Dinner
Friday, June 21
at Wilma Rudolph Pavilion.**
The ticket price will be **\$60.00.**
There will be a live band!

RE-ELECTION BREAKFAST

Re-elect Congresswoman Marsha Blackburn
Breakfast at the Clarksville County Club
Monday, March 11, 2013 8:00—9:00 am
Business Attire.

\$100.00 per couple \$500.00 per host couple
RSVP to dawn@votemarsha.com
615-944-4961

Checks payable to:
Blackburn For Congress
P.O. Box 3750, Brentwood, TN 37024
or on line at www.Votemarsha.com



YOUNG REPUBLICANS

The Montgomery County Young GOP will be meeting
March 12 from 6:00—8:00 pm at the new Catfish House.

We will be volunteering at the **Manna Café's** mobile cafe on the **March 19 from 5:30-8:30 pm at the Vacation Motor Hotel** parking lot on New Providence Blvd.

We will be hosting a fundraiser on the **March 21 at Buffalo Wild Wings from 5:00—9:00 pm.**

The Montgomery County Young GOP will be meeting
April 9 from 6:00—8:00 pm at the new Catfish House.

We will be hosting a **Community Picnic** event at the **Dotsonville Community Center on March 13 from 12:00 noon—2:00 pm.**

JUST A REMINDER: The sessions and committee meetings stream live from the Tennessee General Assembly website www.capitol.tn.gov. Our Legislation Chairman, Bobbie Patray, President of Tennessee Eagle Forum keeps us informed through www.tneagleforum.org.

If you do not already receive her automatic emails, please go to the website and register to do so. Follow issues on our [TFRW Facebook page](#) as well.

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**TENNESSEE
STATE
NEWS**
by Carol Duffin

Tennessee Legislature:

State Senator Jim Tracy's (R-Shelbyville) **Bill to curb abuse of purchases made through Electronic Benefit Transaction (EBT) cards** used by recipients of the Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program sailed through the Senate Health and Welfare Committee today. Senate Bill 244 prohibits use of a welfare recipient's EBT card in liquor stores, adult cabarets and casinos or gambling facilities.

"Guns in Trunks" sponsored by Lt. Gov. Ron Ramsey, that will allow Tennesseans the right to carry their weapons in their vehicles anywhere they want -- including school and workplace parking lots—passed the Senate last week.

The Wine in Grocery Store Bill passed the Senate State and Local Committee. The bill would allow wine sales in grocery stores if approved in local referendums. The House could vote as early as next week.

The School Start Date Bill, which would allow TN public schools to start school no earlier than the 4th Monday in August, was filed by Senator Steve Southerland and Representative Dale Carr. Proponents of the bill say a longer summer will generate millions in economic activity, reduce utility costs in schools, create jobs and give high school students and school employees the opportunity to earn extra income.



**FROM THE NATIONAL
FEDERATION
REPUBLICAN WOMEN**

Reduce Government Waste:

The federal government wastes billions of taxpayer dollars every year, including:

- Free Cell Phones: This program cost \$2.2 billion in 2013 alone.
- ObamaCare Promotion: The federal government spent \$51.6 million last year promoting ObamaCare and paying public relations firms.
- IRS TV Studio: The IRS has a full-service TV production studio which costs \$4 million annually to operate.
- Vacation Getaways: The 183 Conferences paid for by federal agencies over the last several years cost taxpayers more per attendee than the infamous October 2010 GSA conference in Las Vegas, NV.
- Property Maintenance: The federal government spent \$1.7 billion in 2010 to maintain property that is not in use or underutilized.
- EPA Grants to Foreign Countries: The EPA has given more than \$100 million in grants to foreign countries over the last ten years.
- Pay to Play Video Games: The National Science Foundation spent \$1.2 million paying seniors to play "World of Warcraft" to study the impact it had on their brain.
- Smoke Up! The Department of Veterans Affairs spent \$47,000 on a cigarette smoking machine that holds up to 40 cigarettes at a time.



APPOINTED OFFICERS 2013

Awards	Pat Allen
Bylaws	Marita Beck
Cap Alert	Carol Duffin
Campaign Hours	Hanna Christy
Caring for America	Janine Webster
Chaplain	Teresa Tuttle
Education/Literacy	Suzanne Hogan
Historian	Pamela Johnson
Homeland Security	Sammye Boehms
Iris Fund	
Legislation-State	Carol Duffin
Legislation-National	Carol Rice
Parliamentarian	Opal Kennedy
Reservations	Marie Tillman
Women In Business	Marie Tillman
Newsletter Editor	Cassandra Sloop
Kroger Card Fundraiser	Sue Dortch
Voter Registrations Campaigns	Maxine Nance
Hospitality and Membership Drive	Jeri Padia



OUR CLUB OBJECTIVES

- To promote and inform public through political education and activity.
- To increase the effectiveness of women in the cause of good government.
- To facilitate cooperation among the National and State Federation.
- To foster loyalty to the Republican Party and promote its principles and candidates in all elections, including non-partisan elections.
- To support the objectives and policies of the Republican National and Tennessee Executive Committees and to work for the election of Republican Party nominees.
- To attain Diamond Award in 2011-2012.

CLUB MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS

- Montgomery County Republican Party
www.montgomerycogop.com
- Tennessee Federation of Republican Women
www/TNFRW.org
- Tennessee Republican Party
www.tngop.org
- National Federation of Republican Women
www.NFRW.org

LUNCHEON MEETINGS AND RESERVATIONS

Reservations for the Montgomery County Republican Women luncheon on First Tuesdays should now be made through:

Marie Tillman at tillmanlm@charter.net.

We meet regularly for lunch at 11:30 am at the Clarksville Country Club. The deadline for making your reservation is by **Wednesday, prior to the meeting.**

If you know someone who does not have email and they wish to telephone the reservation to Marie, they can contact her at **931-358-2277**. Remember that the cost of the lunch is **\$18.00** and that **"a reservation made is a reservation paid"**. Deadline for canceling reservations is Sunday evening prior to the luncheon by contacting **Marie Tillman, at 931-358-2277.**

2013 Luncheon Calendar

April 2	September 3
May 7	October 1
June 4	November 5
July 2	December 3
August 6	

HAVE YOU PAID YOUR DUES FOR 2013?

DUES are due NOW. If you have already paid, **Thank YOU.** Just **\$20** per year! If not paid, please do so ASAP and mail to **Cheryl Chapin, 2150 Post Road, Clarksville, TN 37043.** Men may join as **Associate Members** for **\$10** per year and their dues are also due now. Make all checks payable to **MCRW.** You may also pay your dues at the Luncheon meeting.

We have **106 paid members** as of February 28, 2013. In order to retain our 1st place in membership in the TNFRW, **we need everyone to pay their dues and recruit new members to exceed the 180.**

THE KROGER CARD FUND RAISER

Purchase a Kroger card which is "preloaded" with \$5 when you receive it, then you load the card with additional money, via credit card, check or cash at Kroger's at checkout or courtesy counter. The card is assigned the number for our club and we receive money when you shop!

If you would like to purchase a card, please see **Sue Dortch** who is in charge of the **KROGER CARD PROJECT.**