



Moore Republican Women NEWS

August 2018

Barbara Jackson, Mark Brody...and More!

Justice Barbara Jackson received her undergraduate and law degrees from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, where she was a Thomas J. Watson National Merit Scholar, and served on the staff of the Law Review and as President of Phi Delta Phi in law school.



Justice Barbara Jackson

In May 2014, she was awarded a Master of Laws in Judicial Studies from Duke University School of Law.

In November 2010, Jackson was elected to serve on the Supreme Court of North Carolina, 20 years after beginning her career there as a law clerk for (then Associate) Justice Burley B. Mitchell, Jr. Previously, she served as Associate Judge on the North Carolina Court of Appeals for six years. Prior to taking office, she practiced law for fourteen years, including serving as General Counsel to Commissioner Cherie Berry in the North Carolina Department of Labor. She also worked in Governor James G. Martin's office, for an advocacy agency for persons with disabilities, and in private practice concentrating in the area of land use and local government law prior to returning to public service at the Labor Department Commission.

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Brody is a current House Member in North Carolina for District 55, serving his third consecutive term. He ranked two out of 120 House Members for "Conservative Effectiveness" by Civitas Action.

He was appointed as the Co-Chair of the House Agriculture and Community College Committee by the Speaker of the House. In 2017, he was elected Vice Chairman of the newly established NC Legislative Freedom Caucus.

As a member of the US Navy Reserve, he served from 1985-1993, and was honored as Sailor of the Year for the "Mobile Inshore and Undersea Warfare" unit.



Representative Brody

Mark is a founding Board Member of the Union Day Charter School in Union County, which is of the most highly sought after charter schools within the state.

He holds a bachelor's degree in business management from Concordia University.

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August Brunch Info *Menu*

Monday, Aug. 6, 2018

10:00 a.m. Registration - 10:30 Brunch
Outlook Ballroom, Pinehurst CC Clubhouse
Valet Parking available.
Cost is \$20 inclusive, payable to Pinehurst LLC.

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED!

We cannot accommodate walk-ins.

Reserve by noon July 31, 2018

No cancellations after July 31, 2018

If not cancelled by this date, you will be charged for lunch.

The Brunch Menu for August is the sinfully delicious, extravagant brunch buffet that is the hallmark of the Pinehurst Country Club.

Reserve via **Website:** www.mrwnc.org
you will receive an immediate confirmation.

Email: mooregopwomen@gmail.com.

Phone: Lisa Sheridan, Luncheon Chair, 910-400-5520

All chairs and board members must RSVP.

Do Not Be Fooled - President's Message

We are all anticipating with great excitement the confirmation of Brett Kavanaugh, President Trump's pick for the Supreme Court. Winning! Winning! Winning! Thank you Mr. Trump.

But are you aware of the shenanigans happening in the state of North Carolina Judicial Election? It is a scandal we want to make sure everyone knows about.

Barbara Jackson is running as an incumbent for the North Carolina Supreme Court. This is a crucial vote because in 2016, we lost one of our seats on the Supreme Court, tipping it to the Liberal Democrats for the first time in many years. The Democrats see their chance.

Due to recent changes made by the Republican legislature to the rules of judicial candidate filing, judicial primary elections have been eliminated. The new law enables a candidate to change party affiliation right up to the filing date.

The big issue for your attention: CHRIS ANGLIN, A 32 YEAR OLD RALEIGH ATTORNEY, WAS ABLE TO CHANGE HIS VOTER REGISTRATION FROM DEMOCRAT TO REPUBLICAN A MONTH AGO. HE IS NOW RUNNING AS A "CONSTITUTIONAL REPUBLICAN" CHALLENGING BOTH BARBARA JACKSON AND ANITA EARLS, a registered Democrat. Neither Anglin nor Earls have any judicial experience.

Earls has been an advocate for far left groups for 30 years. How fair and just can her decisions be based on that? Will she still advocate or will she adhere to the law?

US Supreme Court Nominee Applauded

Jody Rushton, president of the National Federation of Republican Women (NFRW), issued the following statement in support of President Donald J. Trump's nominee for the U.S. Supreme Court.

"Republican women across the nation are roundly cheering President Trump for selecting another eminently-qualified and distinguished jurist to fill the impending vacancy on the U.S. Supreme Court. The NFRW wholeheartedly supports Judge Brett Kavanaugh, and we are confident he will protect and preserve our constitutional liberties. We stand ready to put the full force of our grassroots network behind Judge Kavanaugh, and we urge the U.S. Senate to move swiftly to confirm him ahead of the court's next term in October."

The sad part is Anita Earls is heavily funded by leftists groups outside of North Carolina.

Because Chris Anglin can represent himself as a Republican, he can solicit funding from unsuspecting voters. THIS IS A DEMOCRAT PLOT TO STEAL THIS ELECTION! Chris Anglin will take votes away from Barbara Jackson tipping the election to Anita Earls. What a well planned strategy.



Pauline Bruno

Don't be fooled. This is CHICANERY at its worst.

We cannot afford to lose another conservative voice on the Supreme Court. Be careful when you vote in November.

Pauline

Barbara Jackson cont.

In May 2015, Chief Justice Mark Martin appointed Jackson as one of five co-chairs of a new North Carolina Commission on the Administration of Law and Justice.

She was charged with focusing on the area of technology and the courts. In 2014, Jackson authored the article "To Follow or Not To Follow: The Brave New World of Social Media," published in the ABA Judge's Journal.

Jackson is a member of the Appellate Judges Conference of the ABA, and serves as State Chair for North Carolina. She is a past member of the Board of Governors and Section Chair of the North Carolina Bar Association, and remains active in other sections and committees.

Jackson also previously served as a member of the Board of Directors of the Wake County Bar Association. Currently, she serves on the North Carolina Courts Commission and is a past member of the Dispute Resolution Commission.

MRW Donates to Jackson Committee

Peggy Smetana reports contributions from MRW members and associates to the Re-Elect Jackson Committee. Thirty members and associates contributed a total of \$695.

Ways and Means

By Miriam Chu

Jewelry sales were \$27; Spring raffle sales were \$155. Patricia Murray won \$72 from Split the Pot.

Thanks to all who participated to help raise funds for MRW.

Membership Update

By Mariann Benway

Welcome to new members Justine Rafique-Bhatti and Bernadette York.

If you did not pick up your 2018 directory in June, please do so at the August Brunch or have a friend pick it up for you.

Box Tops for Education

By Kimberly Lindenberger

Please continue to support The Academy of Moore County by donating Box Tops for Education. This is a joint project between MRW and Republican Men's Club.

Box Tops for Education 10 cent coupons are located on the following products: Betty Crocker items, Finish dishwasher pods, General Mills cereal, Hefty trash bags, Kleenex tissues, Land O Lakes butter, Lysol household cleaners, Motts apple sauce, Nature Valley granola bars, Progresso soups, Reynolds parchment paper, and Ziploc storage bags.



Kimberly Lindenberger

When you sign in at the monthly luncheon, please look for a poster and jar at the membership table. You can put your Box Tops in there. Thank you.

CHECK IT OUT! The GOP has really knocked it out of the park with their absolutely brilliant new political ad — just in time for the midterm elections. <https://youtu.be/eFRHX6glTSM>

From My Perspective

By Dalton Clodfelter



Dalton Clodfelter

I grieve with the students at Parkland, a tragedy becoming all too familiar across America today.

Unfortunately, David Hogg, a Parkland student, and anti-gun activist has become the “face” of this tragedy. And the liberal media has jumped on his bandwagon - supporting his tirades with countless articles and appearances on news/talk shows. The media has given David Hogg a voice to support its own liberal narrative.

Hogg is not my voice or that of hundreds of other young people who aren't given a media platform. And, he is certainly not the voice of my generation.

I am a proud member of the NRA; a young Christian Conservative who supports our constitution and isn't afraid of the mob mentality that is the liberal culture on many high school campuses today. I'm David Hogg's worst nightmare.

Hogg has been praised by the left as a virtuous advocate for peace. He has now written a book titled “Never Again” assuming if you are pro-gun then you must be pro-killing children.

Here Mr. Hogg are the facts. Stats from Data.cityofchicago.org show that in 2017 over 600 people were killed by illegal use of a firearm even though Chicago is famous for strict gun laws.

Washington D.C. was also known for its climbing homicide rate and strict gun ban policy enacted in 1976, with the annual homicide rate rising from 188 to 364. Of course, after getting rid of the gun ban, there was a noticeable decrease in homicides.

According to the University of Chicago's gun crime stats, from 1977 to 1999 the right to carry laws drastically decreased the frequency and devastation of the mass public shootings and where shootings did occur they were in areas of the state that still did not permit concealed handguns.

Hogg's book will be nothing more than another attack on our 2nd amendment. Sadly, he is the epitome of today's social justice warrior the liberal media loves and promotes. Unfortunately, his 15 minutes will not soon be up.

Member Spotlight

Meet Eileen Malan

Eileen Malan, a MRW member and realtor with Re/Max of the Pines, was recently recognized for her achievements during the annual Mid Carolina Regional Association of Realtors luncheon at the Carolina Hotel

Eileen received the Realtor Emeritus Award. This status is awarded to individuals with 40 or more cumulative years of membership in the National Association of Realtors with valuable and lasting contributions to the real estate profession to our community. Kudos to Eileen!



Eileen Malan

MRW Members Meet Lara Trump



Meeting recently at the Country Club of Landfall in Wilmington, NC were Pauline Bruno (L-R) Lara Trump, Kay Wildt and Miriam Chu.



Miriam Chu and (L-R) Mark Christopher, Jesse Stubbs, Becky Cameron, Maureen Krueger, Dr. Jason Jerry, Mary Silverman and George Reynolds.



Karri Brauman with "Movie Night" donations for our deployed troops.



Barbara Riley, Dee Park, Justine Rafique-Bhakti, Steve Adams.



Kay Wildt (L-R) Pauline Bruno, Ralph Redmond, Diane Authement, Harriet Bradley.



Leslie Frusco and Pauline Bruno

Today's News - The Best, The Worst, The True, The Fake

(Editor's Note: Read a good article? Send it to judieluse@gmail.com).

By Judie Luse

Facebook banning conservative content

The Daily Caller

Four of the world's biggest tech platforms have working partnerships with a left-wing nonprofit that has a track record of inaccuracies and routinely labels conservative organizations as "hate groups."

Facebook, Amazon, Google and Twitter all work with or consult the Southern Poverty Law Center (SPLC) in policing their platforms for "hate speech" or "hate groups," a Daily Caller News Foundation investigation found.

<http://dailycaller.com/2018/06/06/splc-partner-google-facebook-amazon/>



Voter ID decision could go on the 2018 ballot

News and Observer

Voters may be asked this November if the state constitution should require identification from people who cast ballots at polling places.

Republicans in the state House recently proposed placing the question of voter ID on the ballot in November two years after federal courts struck down the requirement, which was part of a broader law on voter restrictions.

House Speaker Tim Moore is the lead sponsor of the bill. Republicans have enough votes to put the question on the ballot without Democrats help.

<http://www.newsobserver.com/news/politics-government/article212728524.html>

Top state leaders fined for illegal campaign contributions from drug company

News and Observer

Legislative leaders, Gov. Roy Cooper and Attorney General Josh Stein were among 37 candidates that were fined because they accepted illegal campaign contributions from the pharmaceutical company Pfizer's political action committee.

<https://www.newsobserver.com/news/politics-government/article214843715.html>

Duke will change its SAT and ACT requirements. The move aims to help low-income applicants.

Duke University announced recently that it will no longer require the SAT essay or ACT writing scores for students applying for admissions. The change will begin with next year's incoming class.

<https://www.newsobserver.com/news/local/article214832945.html>



Please bring a teddy bear for our police and sheriff's offices to our August Brunch. When a call is made for a domestic issue, these teddy bears are brought along to calm and render support for the children. We have been told that this is very reassuring and does a great deal to allay fears of children.

Our second donation is for our deployed troops. We are asking everyone to bring in jerky - beef, turkey, and various others available in all sizes and flavors. The troops love these. They are easy to carry, have long shelf lives and are packed with protein making them very filling. They come in individual sticks or in bags.



Moore County GOP STRONG at Carthage July 4th Parade

Editor's Note; Speak Up is YOUR space to speak up about an issue you feel touches our members or our community. MRW reserves the right to accept/reject/edit all material submitted. 250 word maximum.

SPEAK UP!

Millennials Position Clarified By Bekah Bibb

Recently, there has been an influx of articles claiming the GOP has failed to gain the support of millennials. Let's face it, millennials have a bad rap for often siding with socialism.

However, I believe that the GOP does not have a "young people problem." In fact, I would argue that the GOP has the best platform for gaining and retaining millennials. There several qualities millennials have that the GOP can connect to and use to its benefit.

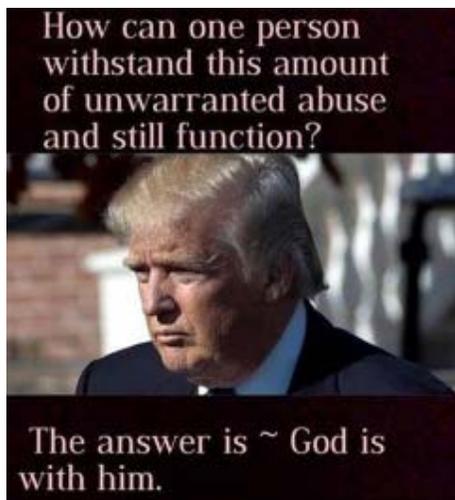


Bekah Bibb

First, older millennials (born 1987-1993) felt the immediate impact of the 2008 recession. Because of this, this group is focused on the economy and cares about local and national economic stability. Over 55% of all millennials want to start a business. We must value these millennial entrepreneurs as they bring energy to the economy and political landscape.

Secondly, millennials hate bureaucracy in business and in politics. This is why President Trump's "drain the swamp" attitude resonates with them. Millennials believe that the current political structures are not designed for optimal innovation. They also are not afraid of the establishment and are in favor of new leaders and ideas.

One of the best qualities of millennials is that they want to work with purpose. They want to be a part of a mission that has deep meaning for them. This quality connects to issues like immigration, abortion, term limits, national security, and more.



For millennials who think they favor a progressive agenda, we must connect Republican policies to their passion. Asking questions and finding out core beliefs is key. Topics like peace through strength, lower taxes, and less regulation coheres well to their concerns. Remember, millennials are entrepreneurs, they favor new ideas, and desire to work with purpose. By using these qualities to your advantage, you will be surprised what issues you agree on.

Whether we like it or not, millennials are our future. It is our responsibility to bridge the gap the media creates between Republicans and millennials.

A Liberal in the Palace?

By Judie Luse

Recently Donald Trump and wife Melania visited the UK to be met with disrespect and protests from our so-called "friends" across the pond. The Brits, normally known for being decorous, were anything but and as an American who supports our president I am outraged. I am not alone.

As usual the UK media however covered up a big story- the beliefs of their newest royal, a cable TV actress named Meghan Markle. This woman is quite an act along with her family who put the Sopranos to shame.

View the links below for the full impact of her liberal beliefs, especially her anger toward Donald Trump. It must have killed her to not be able to participate in the protests.

But perhaps this self styled feminist has given up her liberal views along with family, career, country, religion, heritage - all to catch a man and a Prince at that. So, as she waltzes into her new life, often three paces behind her husband, let's hope she doesn't stumble and fall over the irony.

<https://www.thedailybeast.com/the-day-meghan-markle-may-have-to-be-polite-to-donald-trump>

<https://www.dailystar.co.uk/news/latest-news/716019/meghan-markle-prince-harry-donald-trump-royal-uk-visit-queen-meeting-windsor-castle>

MRW Member Issues Heartfelt Plea to President Trump

(Editor's Note: Below is a letter from Meg Lindenberger to President Trump asking him to provide leadership for cancer treatment, especially for metastatic cancer where approvals for clinical trials get stuck at FDA. President Trump responded with signing a "Right to Try Act" for terminally ill patients such as Meg's sister Lily in New Jersey who needs access to clinical trials for Stage 4 terminal breast cancer. Our thoughts and prayers are with Meg and her sister.)

Dear President Trump,

I am a staunch Trump supporter and I follow you on Twitter daily. You tweeted: "Today, my Administration is launching the most sweeping action in history to lower the price of prescription drugs for the American People." That is a good start, but you need to do more for your supporters!

You need to reach out to the American people by tweeting that you will NOT DECREASE but INCREASE NIH, NCI & FDA funding for cancer research on modern cancer therapy such as immunotherapy & new molecular therapy. Your support base is angry that much of biomedical research (\$30 billion of taxpayer funding) is wasteful and inefficient, according a National Institutes of Health's monthly newsletter.

I do not think this is Fake News: The Washington Free Beacon has uncovered millions of dollars worth of questionable research funded by the NIH. One project has received over \$3.5 million to determine why lesbians are obese and gay men are not. Gay men have a greater desire for toned muscles than straight men. \$12 billion per year is being blown by NIH on shrimps on treadmills, monkeys on crack, and other such nonsense.



Our condolences, thoughts and prayers are with the families of the following who recently passed away.

The Honorable Judge Steve Bibey and Dianne Dupree's mother, on the passing of their mother **Nancy Bibey**.

Condolences to **Merry de Satnick**, a former MRW member, on the loss of her husband, **Dr. Steve de Satnick**.

At the same time, Duke University Cancer Institute can benefit from NIH, NCI and FDA money to save lives by funding Modern Cancer Therapy such as Immunotherapy & New Molecular Therapy. I had very aggressive breast cancer and I am very grateful to Duke for their great cancer research and cancer care that has kept me alive.

President Trump, please do not abandon your base of Trump supporters when it comes to increasing dollars for Modern Cancer Therapy research & speeding up Clinical Trials. Your supporters are like me - average income hard working, good hearted, patriotic Americans who need President Trump to speak up for them by increasing NIH, NCI and FDA funding for Cancer research & clinical trials at Duke Cancer Institute, etc.

Take care and God Bless.
Meg Lindenberger

Additional August Speaker

Also speaking at our August Brunch is Herbert Brian Lane, a 21 year law enforcement veteran in North Carolina currently with the NC Highway Patrol and assigned to the Lt Governor's Security Detail.

Every year in May, a group of law enforcement officers from NC start an amazing journey to Washington DC on bicycles. The journey begins in Raleigh, arrives in Chesapeake where they join other officers from across the nation to participate in the Law Enforcement United (LEU) Bicycle Ride from Chesapeake, VA to Washington, D.C. as part of the National Peace Memorial Week services.

This journey has two purposes: first to honor all the fallen officers and second to raise money to send the children of those fallen officers to a special summer camp. All donations raised benefit Concerns of Police Survivors (C.O.P.S.) Kids Camp. What makes this camp so special is that grief counselors are available for the kids and spouses.

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TEACHERS TAKE NOTE: Here's an example of what teacher's might experience in this age of, "All participants receive a trophy."

<https://www.youtube.com/embed/Zh3Yz3PiXZw>