

## March letter



**Yuma County Republican Party  
HQ - 255 W 24<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite #1**

### **PCs and all Republicans,**

We had a good meeting on February 28<sup>th</sup> with next meeting coming on March 28<sup>th</sup>, 6 pm at the Food Bank. In March, we are looking to have Representatives Dunn and Carbone give us an update on budget and bills from the legislature. Our first Young Republican committee is scheduled for March 8 at 5 pm at Yuma GOP HQ. Voter Registration committee is scheduled for March 23, 6 pm at GOP HQ's. Other committees are scheduling their first meeting and we will update you when we have them. Find more information at [YumaGOP.com/calendar](http://YumaGOP.com/calendar).

On March 6<sup>th</sup> we had our first conference call with our State leaders and other Arizona Republican local Chairmen.

Items covered:

Nick Ivory is the Chief of Staff.

If you hear about any Dems misspeaking send the information to [research@AzGOP.com](mailto:research@AzGOP.com) where they are compiling information that can be used in campaign.

Our first Statutory meeting will be in May.

There have been somewhere around 20,000 requests on line to become PCs State party will work through the requests

Sidekick is currently turned off. Will see when it is reactivated.

We, Republicans, are having a problem with other Republicans censoring a legislator because they won't initiate a bill or vote to do something that violates the Az Constitution. Something we need to stop. Remember Reagan's 11<sup>th</sup> commandment.

At our Last meeting in February, we passed out lists of Republicans by Precinct for the Precinct Captains to use. First item we want to take on is to reach out to any voter listed as inactive. PCs should call those Republicans. Inactive means they haven't voted in the last two elections. Implore them that we need them to start voting again in our election process as we need every Republican to vote.

Our new Website YUMAGOP.COM went live on Monday 3/6/2023. It provides a wealth of information, training, meeting minutes, Local and State By-laws, and all the forms for Proxy's, PC applications, along with much more. Tanya has done an amazing job coordinating it, finishing the design, and compiling items for it. It will be a great resource for us as we have all documents, proxies, and forms housed there. There are many other resources, training videos, and other sources of information for you. We have tried to put everything we could possibly think of that you may need to help us win in November 2024. Please take a look at it and let us

know if there is anything else you can think of for us to house here or any other suggestions please let us know. New Website will still be YUMAGOP.COM.

Lincoln Day Dinner is on March 16 at 6 pm at Britain Farms. Most of our State elected will be present along with our guest speaker, Congressman Juan Ciscomani. We still have 1 or 2 tables available and tickets are available at YumaGOP.com.

We know we are not immune in Yuma to the “woke” agenda in our schools and people trying to indoctrinate young minds vs teaching them the academics they need to be successful. We are reminded by two current examples:

This past week we learned about gay marriage demonstration ceremonies supposedly put on at Antelope High School for all the students. This was done without knowledge or consent of parents. When parents started to raise objections after learning about it, they were informed that the next Antelope School Board meeting was convening at 5:30. When parents showed up to the meeting they had either been misinformed of the time or the meeting had been move to 5 pm. Subsequently they were told not to contact the Board members directly but go through school administration.

Everyone needs to know that the school boards are their elected representatives and they work for you, the parents and the public. Talk to your representatives directly and make them understand that this is not ok. If this can't be fixed changes need to be made in this District and if the District Board doesn't make them, we need to look at the next election.

We learned about a second issue in the Crane school district at the Gowan Science Academy. A teacher supposedly provided an assignment to her 6th grade class on “Is it right to ban books.” Students were provided books as examples and were loaded to their iPads. One of the books was called the “Queer Book.” The parent only discovered it when she looked at her child's iPad when they asked her what a queer was. The book is full of vivid pictures of children performing gay sex acts on each other. The parent brought this to the attention of Principal and others.

They deleted it from the students iPads but when she asked that other parents be notified the school consulted their attorneys which instructed the principal not to. The nearest example I thought of was giving a teenage boy a playboy to take home and tell him not to open it. The parent and other Republicans are planning on bringing this issue io the School Boards attention at the next District meeting. This was a significant mistake by this teacher but fell short of actual needing criminal charges filed. At a minimum, apologies need to go out to all the parents after notification is done to all of them so parents can address the issue with their children. Today we learned that the District is holding a meeting with parents to talk about this issue.

We have future plans for a Trunk and Tusk event in April along with a \$5 Hamburger/Hot dog event in one of our parks in May. Guest Speakers for these events are in the works so stay tuned.

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We are actively recruiting for PCs to help fill out our PC ranks. If you know a Republican that wants to be more informed and active in the local party please have them contact me or one of our other PCs to get signed up. PC forms are on our new website at [YUMAGOP.COM](http://YUMAGOP.COM)

First Republican Presidential Debate is in August in Milwaukee and Arizona Presidential Primary is in March 19, 2024. Arizona Primary Election is August 6, 2024 and the General Election is November 5, 2024. We are tentatively setting up debates the weeks of August 19<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>. Remember our goal is to try and get all early Republican ballots turned in the first week that early ballots go out. This will provide us with making fewer calls and texts we have to make in our "Get Out the Vote" campaign and allow quicker tabulation in Yuma County.