



## **AUGUST 2021 Newsletter**

**Our Mission: To promote the principles and core values of the Republican Party through education programs, publicity, and forums for discussion and debate; encourage such civic duties as voter registration drives, candidate forums, and constituent services workshops; identify, promote and support Republican candidates for office; inform and promote the public contributions by the Republican Party; and, any other purpose permitted by law and association governing documents that the RCSCA Board deems appropriate.**

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### **AUGUST 14, 10AM, MORRIS/NELSON ROOMS, INDEPENDENCE HALL**

Deborah Earl is a founding member of the Power2Parent Executive Board and currently serves as Vice President. She received her bachelor's degree in English from Brigham Young University. Deborah is passionate about education and believes that parental involvement in education is the number one indicator of success in a child's education. Deborah has written several articles for the Las Vegas Review Journal championing issues that affect families in Nevada. She has been a guest on the Alan Stock Show and served on committees in the Clark County School District to support parental voice in policy decisions. Deborah and her husband Cameron reside in Las Vegas with their 5 children.



In the summer of 2014, founder of Power2Parents Erin Phillips attended an invite only CCSD meeting where a graphic sexuality education curriculum was introduced, suggesting kindergarteners be taught about topics like masturbation. She was appalled. Shortly after that, a group of parents gathered in someone's living room and began to discuss the need for an organized effort to expose the degradation of parental rights. An organization that could inform, organize, and mobilize parents and community members to protect parental rights.



**Today Power2Parent has grown in more than 7 years from a small group of parents to one of the most influential parents' rights groups in Nevada and now in several other states in the country. Power2Parent is a national organization. Last October they formed a national Parent Union and are building an army of parents and concerned community members to channel their**

**voices so that parents can effectively advocate for their children. They are taking education back from government interests and self-interested teachers unions.**

Their efforts to inform and organize parents in meetings and hearings has stopped bad policy and exposed dangerous agendas from groups who do not believe you should have the right to parent your children the way you see fit. In the 2017 legislative session, they stopped a Planned Parenthood backed bill aimed at taking away your right to know when your child would be taught sexuality education. They are working

hard every day to monitor and hold people accountable for attempting to circumvent your fundamental right to parent.

*Be sure to visit our website [Republican.scaclub.org](http://Republican.scaclub.org) for more information.*

**August Board Meeting**, August 9, Green Room, Anthem Center, 2:30pm.

**Interested in serving as a Republican Club Board Member? Contact DC Collins, chair of nominating committee at [dcinlv@cox.net](mailto:dcinlv@cox.net)**

**JULY MEETING PICTURES CELEBRATING PATRIOTISM AND CANDIDATES**

Our July Social was attended by over 150 patriotic Republicans. Ice cream sodas and treats were served up by loyal club members while others were speaking with candidates, taking a patriotic quiz and a hat judging contest. Raffles and 50/50 tickets resulted in \$587 towards our scholarship fund. There were several generous donors of raffles prizes and Glen Leavitt gave a Nevada bike shirt and bike ride for 2.

Thirteen newly declared Republican candidates for City, County, State and Federal and County Party positions attended with their candidate information. We all were able to meet them to ask questions and give our opinions of most important legislation to promote.



Some of the candidates present at the time picture of group was taken. Candidates arrived throughout the morning.

**MORE  
JULY**

**MEETING PHOTOS**

Our most patriotic hat contest winners were husband and wife with matching flashing light hats, necklace, shoes etc. Starbucks Gift Cards were awarded by 2019 hat winner and judge, John McCarthy.





Quiz winning table presented with 4 \$20 Starbuck Gift Cards.

**Our State Representatives for Sun City Anthem**

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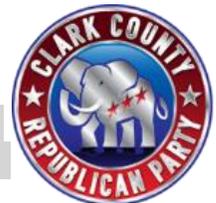
**Dates to fly our Flag in August**

- Coast Guard Birthday: August 4
- Everyday!!!



**DC COLLINS REPORTS ON THE CLARK COUNTY REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE**

**Clark County Republican Party**



Republican organizations outside of Sun City Anthem - Southern Hills Republican Women’s Club (<https://shrwhendersonrepublicanwomen.com>), Nevada Republican Club (<https://nevadarepublicanclub.com>) Clark County Republican Central Committee (CCRCC) (<https://clarkgop.org/index.htm>) Nevada Republican Party (<https://nevadagop.org>).

We highly recommend you sign up to get their updates to stay informed on key legislative actions and breaking issues. To be a voting member of the Nevada Republican Central

Committee (NCRCC) you must first be a member of the CCRCC and be elected from this group to the state central committee.

All of these groups will welcome you to attend their meetings, receive their newsletters, volunteer in their various outreach programs and of course—DONATE cash to support their efforts.

CCRCC meetings typically meet the third Tuesday every other month. Of course, nothing has been typical in the past year and they've been very constrained by the Governor's meeting mandates. You may sign up on the website by completing a new member application (<https://clarkgop.org/application.html>). You will then receive notices from the CCRCC and can attend the next meeting, although voting privileges are not established until the second meeting. The CCRCC mission is:

- Increasing Republican voter registrations.
- Identifying, recruiting, and supporting Republican candidates for office.
- Establishing ongoing efforts to raise money to promote Republican candidates.
- Concentrating on grass roots efforts in local communities
- Participating in community functions so the Republican brand is better
- Increasing Republican voter turnout by increasing voter awareness, reaching out to voters and provide rides when necessary.
- Always being organized and professional.

Depending on which faction of the CCRP, there has been a meeting with an election or there hasn't been a meeting and there will be on August 17. Rather than report incorrectly, I am advising that you please visit the party website [clarkgop.org](http://clarkgop.org)

Jackie Carroll

## **CRAIG SMITH REPORTS ON THE CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

### **Clark County School Board Meeting, July 8, 2021**

Last month we reported on a proposal to change the grading system in the Clark County School District.

Changes include:

- Students would be allowed to retake tests and redo assignments;
- the minimum possible grade would be 50%, not zero; and
- a student could turn in assignments late without it penalizing their grade.

There were two motions on this Item (3.28). The first motion was to pull the item off the consent agenda for separate discussion and vote:

Motion by Danielle Ford, second by Linda P Cavazos.

**Final Resolution: Motion Failed**

Aye: Linda P Cavazos, Danielle Ford, Lisa Guzman

Nay: Lola Brooks, Evelyn Garcia Morales, Katie Williams

Not Present for the Vote: Irene Cepeda

Motion to accept the consent agenda as presented.

Motion by Katie Williams, second by Evelyn Garcia Morales.

**Motion Passed**

Aye: Lola Brooks, Linda P Cavazos, Evelyn Garcia Morales, Lisa Guzman, Katie Williams

Nay: Danielle Ford

Not Present for the Vote: Irene Cepeda

The amendment of Clark County School District Regulation 5121, Student Progress: Grading (Grades Kindergarten through Twelve). **PASSED**

At the June 24th meeting the CCSD Staff provided the Board with an update on the Anti-Racism Policy Development Work. The update included:

- Public Interest Anti-Racism Policy Form
- Criteria for External Anti-Racism, Equity, and Inclusion Taskforce
- Professional Experts
- Anti-Racism Policy Development Website
- Next Steps:

Establish external Taskforce for policy development. Taskforce participation will include:

- Equitable, Inclusive, and Diverse Representation
- Experience and expertise
- Community Involvement and Impact

Using the criteria above the Taskforce will be made up of 25 external individuals who responded to a public interest form that closed on June 11, 2021. The Taskforce will also include internal CCSD staff members that will work in conjunction with the external Taskforce members.

It is unclear as to the timeline for the Policy to be completed. This will be an opportunity for parents and grandparents to be involved with the direction of education of our future leaders. Go to website or call to find out how to get on the Taskforce.

## **GOOD INFORMATION SITES TO VISIT**

- **Nevada Families for Freedom** picks bills in certain genres to follow, to educate on and to advocate decisions to the legislators. Most of the bills Janine Hansen lobbies on are Biblical and pertain to families, school choice, pro-life as well as other social issues. [www.nevadafamilies.org](http://www.nevadafamilies.org) She has also written a procedure to follow to speak about a bill at the State Legislative session. You can access this on our website under documents.
- **Nevada Policy Research Institute** concentrates its work on areas that have a profound impact on the freedoms of Nevadans: state budgetary concerns, school choice, taxation, criminal justice reform, and transparency in government. You also can use their *billtracker* system to follow certain bills. Most convenient. [www.npri.org](http://www.npri.org)
- **Patriotacademy.com** Rick Green, has a biblical citizenship on line class that you can register for which talks about the moral obligation of our citizens to participate in our government. We the People.
- **Conventionofstates.com** has zoom meetings with chats. You can access information from their site about the process, status and the Amendments being proposed: term limits, balanced budget and size and scope of the Federal Government.



### **For those interested in communicating with the Clark County Commissioners, the information is below:**

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### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Check websites for each club to confirm meeting**

**August 3:** Nevada Republican Club, please visit their website to confirm meeting location [nevadarepublicanclub.com](http://nevadarepublicanclub.com)

**August 14:** Republican Club SCA [Republican.scaclub.org](http://Republican.scaclub.org) 10am Meeting in Morris Nelson Rooms, Independence Hall speaker Deborah Earl with Power2Parents

**August 24:** Southern Hills Republican Women, 10:30 am Dragon Ridge Country Club (new location) please visit their website to confirm meeting: [shrwhendersonrepublicanwomen.com](http://shrwhendersonrepublicanwomen.com)

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