



# The Wave

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Texas Federation of Republican Women Region 14 - Senate District 25

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## President's Message



**JULY 2025**  
has brought powerful and historic moments for

our nation.

We witnessed the moving images of President Trump and the First Lady celebrating America's birthday with the launch of AMERICA 250 and the signing of the Big Beautiful Bill—a moment of pride for patriots across the country.

Closer to home, our beloved Canyon Lake 4th of July Parade marched on joyfully, threading its way between much needed summer storm clouds. The celebration was a beautiful reminder of our community's spirit and resilience.

Yet, those same storms brought devastating floods to neighboring areas of the Hill Country, quickly transforming the festive atmosphere into one of deep concern, empathy, and mourning.

As we grapple with how to

cope with such unexpected events, we are reminded of the power of perseverance in the face of adversity. Even the smallest act of kindness or a sincere prayer can bring healing to grieving hearts and offer strength and courage to those in need.

This incredible community has once again demonstrated compassion, determination, and unity—rising to the challenge and becoming a source of light and hope in the midst of darkness.

Thank you for your tireless, ongoing commitment to CLRW's purpose and objectives.

We have many wonderful events ahead—opportunities to grow, serve, and strengthen our amazing club. Always remember: **the impossible is truly what we do best!**

I am so honored to serve you.

God Bless America. God Bless Texas. God Bless Each of You!

*Jan Hunt*  
President



### Pray for the Flood Victims

*He healeth the broken in heart, and bindeth up their wounds. Ps. 147:3*

We are heartbroken over the devastation and tragic loss of life in the Texas Hill Country. If you feel led to donate, these organizations are suggested by TFRW:

[San Angelo Area Foundation](#)  
[Kerr County Relief Fund](#)

### CLRW Meets


Third Wednesday • 9:30 am  
**St. Francis by the Lake**  
**Episcopal Church**  
121 Spring Mountain Dr.

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Canyon Lake, TX  
78133  
(210) 845-7972

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# What's Happening



## CANYON LAKE REPUBLICAN WOMEN

**Doug Leacock**  
Comal County  
County Commissioner  
Pct. 1



**Wednesday,  
July 16, 2025**  
**Meet and Greet - 9:30am**  
**Program - 10:00am**

St. Francis by the Lake Episcopal Church  
121 Spring Mountain Dr.  
Canyon Lake, Tx 78133

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## Upcoming Events

**Wednesday, July 16, 9:30 AM**  
**CLRW Business Meeting**  
*Steaker: Doug Leacock*  
*Topic: Comal County Update*  
*St Francis by the Lake Episcopal Church,*  
*121 Spring Mountain Dr., Canyon Lake*

**Friday, July 18, 6:00 PM**  
**TFRW Patron Event**  
*Embassy Suites, 27 Bass Pro Drive,*  
*Round Rock*


**Saturday, July 19, 9:00 AM**  
**TFRW Board Meeting**  
*Embassy Suites, 27 Bass Pro Drive,*  
*Round Rock*

**Monday, August 4, 1:00 PM**  
**Executive Committee Meeting**  
*TPML Founder's Room*

**Wednesday, August 20, 9:30 AM**  
**CLRW Business Meeting**  
*St Francis by the Lake Episcopal Church,*  
*121 Spring Mountain Dr., Canyon Lake*

**Monday, Sept. 1**  
**Labor Day**

**Wednesday, Sept. 3, 12:00 PM**  
**GSAC Meeting/Luncheon**  
*Anne Marie's Catering 12475 Starcrest Dr*  
*San Antonio, TX 78216*  
*RSVP to Carolyn Besselman*



[Click here to sign up to bring snacks to the monthly business meetings.](#)



[Click here to sign up to lead the US pledge, the Texas Pledge, or the prayer at the monthly business meetings.](#)

## Canyon Lake Republican Women



### INVITE YOU TO A RED CARPET GALA

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2025  
THE CHANDELIER AT GRUENE  
1924 BRETZKE LANE  
NEW BRAUNFELS, TX 78132  
6-9 P.M.

**We Are Proud To Have Stacey Schieffelin,  
Chair Of The America First Women's Initiative And Senior  
Advisor To The America First Policy Institute As Our Speaker.**

**Click Here to Download the Registration Form**

**Cashless Bar, With Specialty Drinks, Photographers,  
Auction And Dinner  
With A Little Fun Thrown In**

**Dress Is: Old Hollywood, Cocktail And Upscale Texas For The Men**



Donald Trump has said that women are an essential part of the political, economic, and social fabric of our Nation. They play a critical role to the success of our great country.

Stacey Schieffelin was recently appointed Chair of the [America First Women's Initiative](#) by the [America First Policy Institute](#). As Chair, Stacey will promote multiple platforms to champion women, focus on conservative policies and reshape the narrative around women's roles in society. As a former Ford Model for 20 years, Stacey is a successful entrepreneur with a 40-year career. She has built a global presence, supporting brands on LIVE TV shopping networks in 28 countries. She has

served as President of the Richardson Republican Women and is a 2025 Texas Federation of Republican Women Gold Patron. She was raised on her family's Florida ranches and has two daughters. You will not want to miss this dynamic speaker and her passionate message.

# What's Happening



## Red Carpet Gala!

**Time to get busy!** Our fundraiser is coming up soon! September is around the corner. You can purchase tickets here on our website, give a check to Carolyn Besselman, or mail a check to the Canyon Lake Republican Women mailing address:

Canyon Lake Republican Women  
Attn: Red Carpet Gala  
PO Box 2751  
Canyon Lake, TX 78133

[Click Here to Download the Registration Form](#)



*The Chandelier at Gruene  
1924 Bretzke Lane, NB*

**What to wear?** Our theme is “Old Hollywood.” For the gals: Glamour, diamonds, boas, long gloves, Glitter and Glitz. For the men: Dressy Jeans, Cowboy Chic, (something John Wayne would wear to the Oscars!)

**Homestead Photos** will provide FREE multiple photos for you waiting at home to document your memories. These are self service photo booths. Just type in your email (secure and deleted upon sending) and take as many as you like with President Trump and the First Lady at Mar a Lago and or quality black and white professional photos of you and friends and loved ones.

**Full Cashless Bar! Try one of our Specialty Drinks!**

- Donald Trump “Bullet Proof!”
- JD Vance “Granny’s Hillbilly Mash!”
- Karoline Leavitt or Pam Bondi “Smack Down!”

Remember: Tariff free, No Tax on Tips, Medicare Approved!

*If you can't make it to the fundraiser, please consider a donation to the club.  
Everything we do benefits our Republican vision.*

Pam Sullivan  
3rd VP Fundraising

## NFRW 43rd Biennial Convention

*Pursuing Greatness: 87 Years of Excellence  
Protecting and Defending America!*



**September 25-28, 2025**  
Rosen Shingle Creek  
Orlando, Florida

[Click here for the Tentative Schedule of Events and Speakers.](#)

[Click here to register for the Convention.](#)

[Click here for hotel details.](#)

## TFRW 35th Biennial Convention



**October 23-25, 2025**  
Grand Hyatt  
600 E. Market Street  
San Antonio, Texas

[Click here for the Tentative Schedule of Events and Speakers.](#)

[Click here to register for the Convention.](#)

[Click here for hotel details.](#)

# Woman of Distinction, July 2025

Congratulations to Carolyn Besselman. Carolyn was honored with the Texas Federation of Republican Woman award of Woman of Distinction for July, 2025. We all know that this reward is well deserved and long overdue. Below is the TFRW bio of Carolyn Besselman:

Carolyn grew up in Houston. She attended North Texas State and the University of Houston earning a teaching degree with a minor in music. She has been part of several singing groups and even worked as a studio backup singer for recording artists.

She has been married to her husband Jerry for 45 years. They share four grown children and have 10 grandchildren and one great grandson. In 2005, she and her husband made the Canyon Lake area their home. Carolyn instantly became involved in the community and volunteered at the local food bank, the New Life Children's Center and served on her HOA Board for four years.

Carolyn has always been interested in political endeavors, so she decided to join Canyon Lake Republican Women in 2013. She has served as Recording Secretary, VP of Fundraising, Legislative Chair, Leadership Chair, and President. She is currently a Deputy Registrar, Precinct Chair, Election Judge, President of the Greater San Antonio Council (GSAC) of TFRW, and District Director of SD25.

She co-chaired TFRW's Leadership Day in 2022 and recently helped lead ABCs of Leadership training workshops for 2025.



## *Carolyn Besselman*

She has worked on many campaigns, participated in several block-walking events over the years, and did phone-banking for the Trump Campaign. She attended the NFRW Convention twice and the last five TFRW Conventions as a Delegate, as well as attended three RPT Conventions as a Delegate.

Carolyn is strongly passionate about keeping Texas and the nation a place where her grandchildren can grow up thriving and embracing conservative values.



On July 4, the One Big, Beautiful Bill (OBBB) was signed into law by President Trump. The OBBB passed as much of the Trump agenda (campaign promises) as possible through a process known as reconciliation.

Reconciliation avoids the Senate filibuster, thus allowing the legislation to be passed in the Senate by 51 votes rather than 60 votes.

Some of Trump's agenda items (such as no tax on Social Security or the DOGE cuts) were not included in this Bill, because under Senate rules, they cannot be included in a reconciliation bill.

Chip Roy, the US Representative for most of Comal County, worked very hard to include massive spending cuts in the OBBB. [Click here to see Chip Roy's News Release about the Bill.](#)

[Click here](#) to learn more about the effect of OBBB on the debt and deficit.

## What's In the One Big, Beautiful Bill?

- **Tax Policy** - Permanently extends the 2017 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act rates at 10% to 37%. Additionally, it raises the child tax credit to \$2,500 through 2028. The 2017 Tax Cuts were set to expire at the end of this year, substantially increasing taxes for most people. The increased child tax credit may save a family of four an additional \$1,300.
- **Worker Relief** - Removes taxes on tips, overtime pay, and auto loan interest. Removing taxes on tips could save a service worker \$1,700 a year. No tax on overtime could save a laborer \$1,750.
- **Business and Rural Support** - Increases 100% Bonus Depreciation and raises the death tax exemption to \$15 million. The 100% Bonus Depreciation allows a business to depreciate eligible tangible property 100% in the year of purchase. This provision is designed to increase economic growth.
- **Fiscal and Social Reforms** - Repeals many of the Green New Deal tax credits, increases taxes on university funding, and restricts benefits for illegal aliens.
- **Defense and Border Security** - Allocates \$150 Billion for defense and border security.
- **Debt Limit** - Raises the debt limit by \$4 trillion.





## “Tis the (Budget) Season”

I am grateful to be afforded the opportunity to participate in the Canyon Lake Republican Women newsletter. Although I am the Commissioner of Precinct 1, please know that no matter which precinct of Comal County you reside, I have an open door. I am here to serve you, communicate information, respond to your requests, and work for the best interests of our entire County.

I hope that you had a wonderful 4th of July. The 34th annual 4th of July Parade, organized by VFW8800, is shaping up to be a fabulous celebration! Thank you to all those from the CLRW that came forward to volunteer their time and talents to organize and fundraise for this community event!

So, what’s happening in Comal County? Well, each Commissioner received their blue box! “What’s that?” you may ask...well, it’s a wheeled blue cart of budget request packets from each of the County department heads, including elected officials. These requests were provided to Commissioners last week by the Auditor's office. Between now and July 31st, Commissioners will review budget packets, seek clarifications from department heads and provide feedback for consideration, as the County Judge works to compile his budget for consideration by the Commissioners Court on August 7th. The budget, just like any other, is the cog in the wheel that funds operations each year. Personnel, roads, courts, law enforcement, contracts, fixed and variable costs, paper, pens, you name it, are all covered

and we will work together to responsibly allocate the tax dollars to operate the County. I have attended these budget hearings for years now, yet this is the first one on the “inside” and I am excited to be part of the process. My calendar is rapidly filling with preliminary meetings to further enhance the information shared in the budget requests. Three big budget dates on the calendar, July 17th, we will have a budget workshop, where each department presents their requested budget, August 7th, the County Judge presents the proposed budget. **On August 21st, we hold a public hearing on the 2026 proposed budget.** The 2024 property tax rate was .264230, which was down from .275715 in 2023. Roughly speaking, the County tax is 17-20% of your tax bill. The following categories account for nearly 90% (\$144M) of the entire \$162.2M budget: Public Safety, General Government, Corrections & Rehab, Infrastructure & Environmental and Judicial System. Last year we were 17th from the bottom of the lowest tax rates out of the 254 counties.

As we move into the preparation of next year's budget, I will continue to be mindful of the continued burden that property taxes have on all residents, and do everything I can to continue to conservatively manage our expenses. Our County continues to benefit from the CLRW members like you who strive to provide a positive, conservative impact on the people you see every day. I sincerely appreciate the opportunity to serve you.

Doug Leacock,  
County Commissioner, Pct. 1

## 10 Facts about Israel's Prime Minister, Benjamin Netanyahu



1. Benjamin Netanyahu is an Israeli politician who has served as the prime minister of Israel since 2022, having previously held the office from 1996 to 1999 and from 2009 to 2021. Netanyahu is the longest-serving prime minister in Israel's history, having served a total of over 17 years.
2. Born to secular Jewish parents in Tel Aviv, Netanyahu was raised in West Jerusalem and the United States.
3. At Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Netanyahu studied a double-load while simultaneously taking courses at Harvard University, completing his bachelor's degree in architecture in 2 1/2 years, despite taking a break to fight in the Yom Kippur War. Professor Leon B. Groisser at MIT recalled: "He did superbly. He was very bright. Organized. Strong. Powerful. He knew what he wanted to do and how to get it done."
4. Between 1984 and 1988, Netanyahu was Israel's ambassador to the United Nations.
5. Netanyahu rose to prominence after election as chair of Likud (LeeKood) in 1993, becoming leader of the opposition.
6. In the 1996 general election, Netanyahu became the first Israeli prime minister elected directly by popular vote, its youngest, and the first to have been born after Israel's independence. Netanyahu was defeated in the 1999 election and retired from politics, entering the private sector.
7. Netanyahu made his closeness to Donald Trump, a friend since the 1980s, central to his

appeal from 2016. During Trump's first presidency, the US: (1) recognized Jerusalem as capital of Israel and Israeli sovereignty over the Golan Heights; and (2) brokered the Abraham Accords (normalization agreements between Israel and the Arab world).

8. In 2019, Netanyahu was indicted on charges of breach of trust, bribery and fraud, and relinquished all ministerial posts except prime minister. The 2018–2022 Israeli political crisis led to a rotation agreement between Netanyahu and Benny Gantz. This collapsed in 2020, leading to a March 2021 election. In June 2021, Netanyahu was removed from the premiership, before returning after the 2022 election.

9. The October 7 attacks by Hamas-led Palestinian groups triggered the Gaza war, with Netanyahu facing nationwide protests for the security lapse during the attack and failure to secure the return of Israeli hostages. In October 2024, he also ordered an invasion of Lebanon with the stated goal of destroying the military capabilities of Hezbollah, a key ally of Hamas that helped them since the October 7 attack.

10. Netanyahu has been married three times and has been involved in multiple extramarital affairs. He married his third wife, Sara Ben-Artzi, in 1991. They have two sons.

The above facts are just a portion of the information available from Wikipedia. The link is <https://en.m.wikipedia.org>. Grab your drink of choice and prepare to read for a while.

Jeanne Slupik  
Political Activities Chair



## FIRST EVER CONSTABLE'S FOOD DRIVE July 1st - August 1st

Comal County Constables are holding a Constable's Food Drive Competition.

Your contribution to the Constable's Food Drive can make a real difference and provides hunger relief for Canyon Lake, Spring Branch, and New Braunfels communities.

Now...we made this a competition between all the Comal Constable Offices, so naturally I know that Comal County Precinct 4 Constable's Office will take the win!

Ali Flores  
Comal County Constable Pct 4

## Insights to Executive Committee Chair Positions, Pt. 2

Last month we looked at the duties of the Leadership Chair and the Caring for America Chair. We are continuing this week with a brief description of two additional Executive chair positions. Regardless of your level of participation in any area, CLRW strives to have fun as we make contributions to the Republican cause of advancing women in the political process.

Further details are found in the current CLRW Bylaws, as well as the [TFRW Handbook](#).

### Hospitality Chair

CLRW has a "meet and greet" time prior to the Business Meeting so its members and guests have time to socialize with one another. The Hospitality Chair secures volunteers to bring food for the monthly meetings. She purchases cups, plates, coffee, etc., and submits receipts for reimbursement to the PAC Treasurer. She enlists members to act as greeters for the monthly meeting and for clean up duty. She makes sure the meeting room is restored to its original condition.

### Bylaws Chair

The Bylaws Chair reviews the TFRW bylaws to ensure our club's bylaws are in accordance with TFRW's bylaws. She is responsible for submitting initial club changes to bylaws and coordinating such updates with TFRW.

Stay tuned for more insights to more Executive Committee Chair positions next month! Thank you to all of our ladies who serve as Committee Chairs, and their hard-working committee members who help make our club a wonderful success!

Jan Hunt  
President

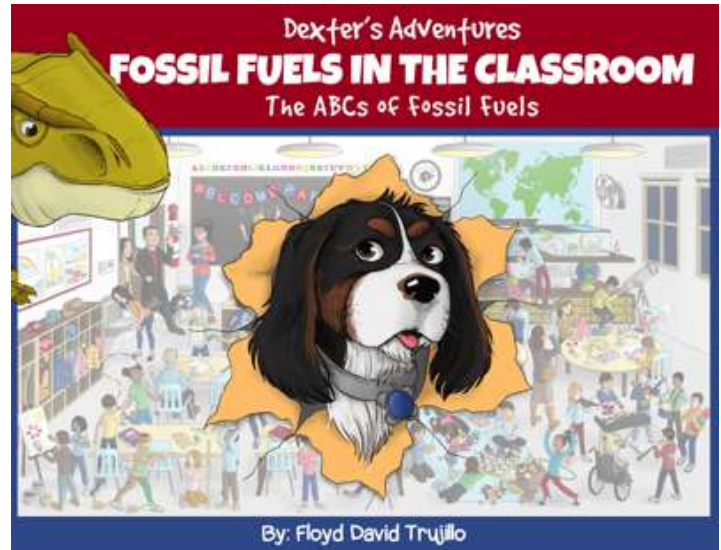
## Did You Know?



Operation Midnight Hammer, the recent U.S. attack on Iran's nuclear facilities, was 15 years in the making. The GBU-57 Massive Ordnance Penetrator (MOP) is a 30,000-pound, 20-foot-long weapon. A Defense Threat Reduction Agency officer was tasked to study the Fordow facility as it was being built. He studied in detail every aspect of this facility. Then he worked with defense contractors and a massive staff to build a weapon to destroy this facility. These weapons were tested extensively during the seven years leading up to their use on June 21, 2025.

Operation Midnight Hammer was the first-ever operational use of the MOPs. Air Force General Dan Caine, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, reported all weapons performed perfectly. In the days before the attack, Iran had filled the ventilation shaft with concrete in anticipation of the attack. The first two MOPs took out the concrete caps in each ventilation shaft. The remaining ten MOPs detonated in their programmed locations in the facility.

Operation Midnight Hammer took months of positioning and planning. Defense Secretary Pete Hegseth said, "It took a great deal of precision. It involved misdirection and the highest of operational security."



### **Dexter's Adventures: Fossil Fuels in the Classroom- The Energy Book For Kids**

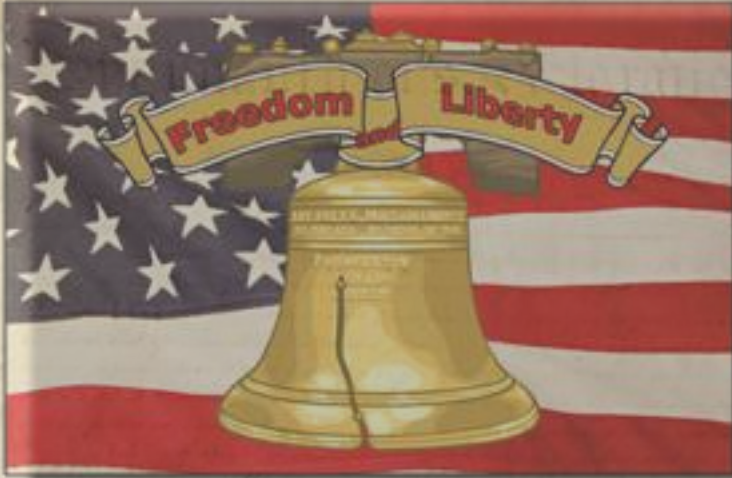
Did you know the U.S. leads the world in clean air? It's true—we've cut nearly 80% of key air pollutants in the last 50 years. But most kids (and adults!) have no idea. That's where Dexter's Adventures comes in. This colorful, kid-friendly book helps students spot all the everyday classroom items made from fossil fuels—and reiterates how America produces them more responsibly than anywhere else. It's the perfect mix of facts and fun.

Want to help raise the energy IQ of the next generation and protect our energy future? **Let's get Dexter's Adventures into classrooms across Texas!** Do you know a teacher, librarian, legislator, or community leader who can help us get this book into more hands across our great state? Join American Energy Works in equipping the next generation with the knowledge they need to appreciate and protect the energy resources that keep Texas—and the world—moving forward. Click on the links below.

[Link](#) to Dexter's Adventures

[Link](#) to American Energy Works

# Independence Day



**FREEDOM!** Could you ever imagine losing our God-given right to freedom in America? That seems unimaginable to most of us.

On Friday, July 4th, we once again celebrated our country's rich heritage. We honored those brave Americans who fought so gallantly and died to make this country's glorious independence a reality for us all. We paid tribute to our Founding Fathers for their courage and fortitude to produce and place into law two of the most important documents ever written, the U.S. Constitution and the Declaration of Independence. The 56 individuals who signed their names to those documents went forward with their efforts under constant adverse pressure and with the ominous threat of death looming over them. But even so, they persevered with a strong conviction and clear vision of what America's destiny was to be. They envisioned a country where freedom rang out for all!

As we reflect again on what freedom means to us individually, let us be mindful that it is up to each and every one of us to ensure this

'right to freedom' is never taken from us.

Recall again those famous words spoken by former President Ronald Reagan:

*"Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. We didn't pass it to our children in the bloodstream. It must be fought for, protected, and handed on for them to do the same, or one day we will spend our sunset years telling our children and our children's children what it was once like in the United States where men were free."*

Dare to courageously continue his legacy to fight for our inheritance - Freedom in America. Our country is depending on all of us now.

God Bless America!

Donna Lancon,  
Americanism Chair



# Independence Day



Paul Revere rode on April 18, 1776, to warn the Boston area residents that the British were coming. The "Shot Heard 'Round the World" on April 19, 1775, sparked the beginning of the Revolutionary War.



May 10, 1775, delegates from the 13 colonies met in Independence Hall as the 2nd Continental Congress. This body served as the national government of the colonies during the Revolutionary War.



The 2nd Continental Congress created the Continental Army on June 14, 1775, and appointed George Washington as Commander-in-Chief of the Army five days later.



On July 4, 1776, the 2nd Continental Congress signed the Declaration of Independence, giving birth to a new country - the United States of America.

# Independence Day



Thank You to all who participated and helped with the CLRW entry into the Canyon Lake 4th of July parade. The parade this year faced cancellation three weeks prior to the 4th, but our community rallied quickly and the event was well attended.

Even with the light rain during assembly and the threat of hard rain all morning, we were able to get 'er done and win a 3rd place trophy because - **The Impossible Is What We Do Best!**

A special Thank you to Donny, Jerry, and Henry for the heavy lifting, and our walkers for handing out hundreds of flags to children in attendance.

Regina McDaniel, (pictured below)  
Asst. 1st VP - Special Events



# Last Month in Photos

## June 14, 2025 - The Army's 250th Birthday Festival



# Last Month in Photos



Canyon Lake Republican Women held their monthly meeting at St. Francis by the Lake Episcopal Church located at 121 Spring Mountain Drive in Canyon Lake. The guest speaker was the Honorable Jason Issac, Founder and CEO of American Energy Institute and Molly Vogt, Chief of Staff. PHOTO: (to left) Jan Hunt - CLRW President, Tara Evans - VP Programs, Molly Vogt & Honorable Jason Issac - American Energy Institute. The book, "Fossil Fuels in the Classroom" will be presented to the Tye Preston Memorial Library in their honor.



Our State Representative, the honorable Carrie Issac, also gave a brief legislative update at the meeting.



# Last Month in Photos

## June 18th Business Meeting



# Last Month in Photos



## Red Shoe Debut

The Red Shoe Debut, our new members' orientation, was held on June 19 at St. Francis by the Lake Episcopal Church. It was an opportunity for New Members to learn more about Canyon Lake Republican Women and to discover ways to become involved in the club.





# 2025 CLRW NEW Membership Application

CLRW, PO Box #2751, Canyon Lake, TX 78133  
CanyonLakeRW.com/JOIN

**(Please PRINT)**

Name:	Last:	First:	Spouse:
Phone:			
Physical Address:	House # & Street:	City:	State & Zip:
Mailing Address:	House # & Street OR PO Box	City:	State & Zip:
Occupation:		Senate District:	
Member Email:		Membership type: (Circle one) Full, Assoc. or Affiliate	Today's Date:

**Have you been a member of a TFRW or NFRW club in the past? If yes, please list the name & location of the club and when you were a member there.**

Your information will be added to the private membership directory. If you **do not** want your information added, initial here \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Please use a separate form for each person applying)

**Thank you for your interest in Canyon Lake Republican Women membership!**

- Full Membership** dues - \$40/year for women aged 18+ (November of current year through December of the next year.)
- Associate** dues - \$20 (men, women with another primary TFRW club)
- Affiliate** dues - \$10 (young women 13 – 17 yrs old)

**\*\*Eligibility for membership does not guarantee, and one cannot assume, automatic grant of membership.\*\***

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## Upcoming Elections



This November we will be voting on whether to accept or reject **17 proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution**. We will be including an analysis of these proposed amendments in the September newsletter. Below are the upcoming dates for this election.

*Last day to register to vote: Oct. 6th*

*First day of early voting: Oct. 20th*

*Last day to apply for a ballot by mail: Oct. 24th*

*Last day of early voting: Oct 31st*

*Election Day: Nov. 4*

Remember to report your hours. For more information, use the QR Code on the right or the link at the bottom of the page.



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Recording Secretary ..... Jeanne Slupik  
Corresponding Secretary ..... Virginia Donnelly  
PAC Treasurer ..... Cindy Payne

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Community Engagement ..... Brenda Potter  
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Legislation ..... Teresa Pick  
Newsletter ..... Barbara Harrell  
Political Activities ..... Jeanne Slupik  
Publicity ..... Belinda Frisk  
Social Media ..... Carolyn Besselman  
Website ..... Barbara Harrell

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Bylaws ..... Ingrid Hanna  
Scholarships ..... Brenda Potter

## Representatives

GSAC ..... Carolyn Besselman  
SREC ..... Lucy Trainor & Michael Wheeler  
District Director TFRW ..... Carolyn Besselman

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