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- Learn about our community.

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PRESIDENT-LAJUANA GILLETTE

I hope all of you got a chance to see and speak to Kari Lake on Sunday. The Aquatic Center was full of people, all who loved Kari and were glad to see her in LHC once again. She had her book "UNAFRAID" for sale. She said she still has several lawsuits going on and it seems that she will go all the way to the Supreme Court if necessary. When asked if she wanted to be on the ticket as Vice President, she didn't answer other than to say that there were many candidates that were well qualified and she was sure President Trump would make the correct decision.



Apparently, there are others who are pursuing the fraud of the 2020 election as well. We wish them all well and hope that we have the answers before the 2024 election, so we have clean elections again in the USA.

One of the main problems for the 2020 and the 2022 elections, was that the Republicans stayed home and didn't vote. Many of the reasons were due to the thought that it didn't matter if we voted or not. Of course, that was entirely wrong and resulted in only 55% of the Republicans of Mohave County (the reddest County in Arizona) voting! Some of the races were so close that if the other 45% had voted, we would have won!

So, as active Republicans, we must talk to our friends and make sure that we get them to the polls in 2024. All of us are responsible for helping all we can.

We are the ones who know beyond doubt that if we aren't successful in 2024, we will have lost our Country! And we can't let that happen.

We need President Trump!! The Democrats know that he will win! That's why they are trying to smear hm with these bogus charges.

Please get out to vote and make sure your friends vote too.

God bless America, LaJuana Gillette President 2023

MEETING INFORMATION

Date: Oct 2, 2023

Place: Shugrue's Bridgeview Room

Time: Social 5:00, Dinner 6:00, Cost: \$25

Menu: Salisbury Steak, New Potatoes, Green Beans w Almonds, Dinner Roll

Dessert: German Chocolate Cake



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept 25 9:30 Board Meeting	
Oct 2 5 PM Social Hour, <u>6 PM Monthly Dinner Meeting</u> , Shugrue's Bridgeview	v Room
Oct 30 9:30 Board Meeting	
Oct 28 London Bridge Days Parade Start time is 10:00	
Nov 6 5 PM Social Hour, <u>6 PM Monthly Dinner Meeting</u> , Shugrue's Bridgeviev	v Room
Nov 11 10 AM Veteran's Day Parade	
Nov 11 3-7 PM America First BBQ - See Page 3 for complete information	
Nov 27 9:30 Board Meeting	

1ST VICE-PROGRAM

Speaker: Jason Smith He will be speaking on The Perils of Rank Choice Voting.

MEMBERSHIP STEFANIE MICHELS



"October is right around the corner and with that we will start our new membership drive. I am looking forward to seeing all the new guests and future members joining our club! Invite someone you know and help LBRW GROW"

RESERVATIONS-MARILOU PERFETTI



We are now using our website to make reservations for our dinner meetings. The website address is <code>lbrwc.com</code> To get to the reservations page, you click on <code>meetings</code>, then choose the meeting date you want to make your reservations for. You may pay online with a credit or debit card. The price for dinner is \$25. Or you may pay at the door with cash or check. You still have to "checkout" with this option but there will be no charge until you show up at our meeting. <code>Please remember</code>, a reservation made is a reservation paid. If you have any questions,

please do not hesitate to contact me. I will be happy to help you and answer any questions you have. 928 453-9056

GINNY BUCKALEW CORRESPONDING SECRETARY



Well—it is September and 3/4 of our year is already past! I can't believe it is almost fall. I'm sorry to tell you that Jan Boyds dad passed away this past month. Our hearts are with her at this time. I sent her a

card. I also sent a get well card to Stephanie Michels. We missed her at our last meeting. I was happy to see Denise Burnett back with us following her surgery. Remember Loretta Irwin and Janice Gould who are still in treatment at this time. Thank you to those who text me with news of members who are having health issues.

Ginny Buckalew 928-232-0240

Ways & Means Lynne Lawhorn "26 Club"

"A huge Kudo to Lynne for the spectacular job chairing our most suc-



cessful fundraiser for 22-23. Our net income was \$9,050... remembering that is over two years. Our member participation was fabulous. Get ready to start again next Spring with our 24-25 game."



2023 EXECUTIVE BOARD

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Happy October Birthdays

Betsy Painton	05
Mike Michaels	07
Diane Dee	80
Marlene Lee	09
Jeani Taylor	10
Vivian Schwartz	13
Debbie Flynn	15
Catherine Paskell	18
Neva Crawford	20
Roger Paskell	21
Pamela Ford	23
Cyndi Boetel	25
Pam Barry	26
George Link	29
Betty Webster	31

London Bridge Republican Women Membership Drive... Many Ways to WIN HELP THE blues go away. Make someone RED today.

Each **NEW guest** you bring, you will receive a white raffle ticket and your name will be entered into a drawing which will be done each quarter. Prizes will vary.

Each **NEW guest who is UNDER the age of 40,** you will receive TWO tickets.

All new guests who become members will also have their name in a drawing which will be done January, April, and July. Prizes will vary.

The member who brings the most guests, who become members, will win a free renewal for the next year.

Annual contest runs from October 2023 through September 2024

Drawings will be done quarterly in January, April, July, and October

Drawings for New Members will be done. January, April, and July

The member with the most guests who become members will be named in October.

For any questions please contact: Stefanie Michels, 3rd VP, Membership Chair Ibrw3rdvpmc@gmail.com, 520-247-7787

SPOTLIGHT MEMBER: KATHY ELLSWORTH

Hello, my name is Kathy Ellsworth. I was born in Decorah, lowa, the only girl in a family full of boys, five older and one younger, my dad a self-taught mechanic and my stay at home mom. My folks had nearly given up hope in having a girl. My dad's younger brother, Chuck proclaimed on his wedding day in 1951 that he and his new bride would give his folks the first granddaughter. However, I was born just a week short of nine months later! Like my dad, I too am competitive. All those brothers probably had something to do with it as well.

I was a quiet but inquisitive child; math was my favorite subject, the same as my folks and most of my siblings. Our family moved to Des Moines when I was just one, where my dad eventually had his own commercial garage and as my brothers got old enough to drive, our driveway and garage began to fill with cars. I loved it!



I graduated from high school in 1970 and on September 4th, I met my future husband Lee (Leo) Ellsworth on a blind date. Lee was the youngest of seven children, born in Des Moines, IA. We were married a year later on his 24th birthday on October 10, 1971. We became parents ten months later (to the day) to our beautiful daughter Patti. Seventeen months later her brother Andy was born and we decided to stop at two. Lee worked full time in the HVAC business while attending college fulltime at night on the GI Bill. He was always working to improve himself and our family situation and had his own business in Ankeny lowa and later here in Lake Havasu.

We moved to Tucson in the summer of 1987. I had mostly been a stay at home mom and doing the bookkeeping for Lee's business before moving to Arizona. Later that year I got a job to help support our family and a few months later, we bought a small print/copy shop, which I managed. We sold the print shop, moved to LHC in Jan. 1991, and then to the Phoenix area in the summer of 1992, when Lee got a job offer at the Palo Verde Nuclear Power Plant. In Phoenix, I worked for several different companies in finance before being offered the Payroll Supervisor job at Phoenix Memorial Hospital-Abrazo Healthcare, and later transferred to their new West Valley Hospital in Litchfield Park when it opened in August of 2003.

We designed and built our home in Tonopah, AZ in 2002. Lee died in January of 2005 and I was offered a job as Senior Financial Analyst with Cigna Healthcare later that year. A year later I was granted permission to work from home when I sold our home and moved back to Havasu, alone. I retired from Cigna in July of 2015, but have since picked up several bookkeeping jobs to help friends. Last year I moved into the home I designed and had built in the Havasu Foothills.

My son Andy and his wife Rebecca, daughter Emily and son Leo (named after the grandfather he never met) moved in 2018 to 30 acres outside Anchor Point, Alaska, living totally off the grid! Like his father, Andy can do just about anything. Patti and her husband Michael live in Scottsdale, AZ.

Over the years, I've had opportunities to gain computer, bookkeeping and management experience. I enjoy various creative pursuits, including refinishing furniture, decorating, and crafts, as well as spending time playing cards and games with friends.



September 18, 2023

McCarthy and a looming government shutdown? By Brian Hollands

I just watched Maria Bartiromo's interview with Speaker of the House Kevin McCarthy. It's pretty clear that McCarthy wants to avoid a shutdown at almost any cost. At first, I thought, "Yeah, we need to get rid of him," but with whom are we going to replace him? Let's face it, we're stuck with McCarthy.

Politics is the art of compromise. So, here's my rational proposal for Mr. McCarthy.

Give McCarthy a budget, any budget he wants, with three very specific caveats:

- Zero funding for the National Archives. If they won't give up Biden's pseudonymous emails, they will get no funding. Non-cooperation is not an option.
- Zero the budget for the Department of Energy. Granholm can destroy the American economy on her own dime.

Zero the budget for the Department of Justice. If Garland wants to destroy all legal norms by prosecuting the leading opposition party candidate for president, he can do it pro bono. Three very straightforward budget items that can be explained in a sound bite and even a fool can understand them.

This solution avoids a shutdown and allows McCarthy to say that he's keeping the government funded. It puts the Democrats on the defensive—they must defend those three simple talking points, and squishy Republicans can see that a fight can be won. Speak softly simply and carry a big stick.

Faith and Grace...received many needed items for their homes and women and children. Thank You LBRW members for your \$ donations and gifts. If you missed last meeting you may donate on Oct 2!!!

Pictured: Hildy Angius, Pam Ford, Ellen Albert, LaJuana Gillette, Denise Burnett, Virginia Buckalew, Mayor Cal Sheehy, AND *Presenters* Vira Crabtree and Kathi DeClark.







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Signatı	ure		Date

My signature certifies that I am a registered Republican.

Yes! I'm here to help and want to make a difference! I am interested in the following areas:



Bylaws or Parliamentary	Education (Constitution)
Campaigns (Political)	Precinct Committeemen
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Legislative Research	Reservations
Newsletter	Voter Registration Drives

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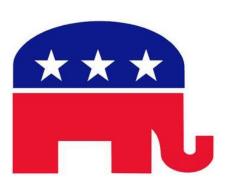
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Anything that has:

- Meaning
 - Value
 - Worth

Takes:

- Work
- Time
- Effort



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