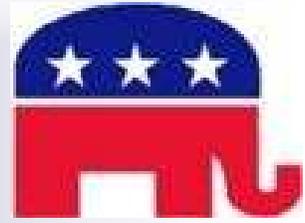


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"Our Fair Lady"
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Estero Bay Republican Women Federated P.O. Box 395 Morro Bay, CA 93443



We had a major victory, in February, for San Luis Obispo County, every city town and the five Republican Women Federated Clubs. 100 people went to the Supervisors meeting to stand up for Debbie Arnold and get her elected as Vice Chairman on the Supervisor Board.

We got so much more than we ever dreamed of. Frank Mechum stepped down as Chairman and elected Debbie Arnold as the new Chairman and Lynn Compton as the new Vice Chairman. How great is that? Hill & Gibson almost had a stroke. This is the power we have, and we must never abuse it, but we must use it. It was amazing to see all of the women from our different Federated clubs speaking up for Debbie. The opposition underestimated us. We won a great victory, now we must continue to support Debbie Arnold and Lynn Compton at the Supervisors meetings and keep the momentum going. Thank you all who participated in this great day.
Sandi Tannler, President

Estero Bay Republican
Women Federated
Luncheon

**Thursday,
March 19th
11:30 am**

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Morro Bay Golf Course,
Dinner cost is
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Si Tenenberg

Since November 2006, Si has been running an organization that buys, packs and delivers care packages to our men and women serving in the armed forces in Afghanistan. We have come a long way in the last seven plus years, delivering almost 12,000 care packages, mostly to troops located at forward and combat outposts embedded with the local military. Si with information from his sources and military contacts will also speak to "The ISIS danger and how far it has penetrated the United States".

Should you wish to learn more about this man go to website <http://troopcarepacks.org/>



Betty Scheidt Central Division President
EBRWF {resident Sandi Tannler

Lorie Noble and I attended the Winter CFRW Board Meeting and Conference January 30 and 31st of 2015. It was held in Modesto, California this year. We started off with "What You Need To Know About Bylaws & Protocol with Maxine Bennet, Central Division Parliamentarian, and Mariann Hedstrom, Past CFRW President on Friday and segued into several outstanding speakers Saturday morning and afternoon. One speaker in particular you would have enjoyed, Jon Coupal, President Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association, spoke to the 2016 ballot and Sacramento attempting to split Proposition 13 and the 2/3 vote on Commercial property. Just the beginning. Also that evening we heard John Sullivan, writer, film director & Producer who co-directed and co-wrote "America" & 2016 : Obama's America . He broke down what influenced people the most and what media was most influential . Hands down, movies. He said it is important that we support the movies that are conservative. He also hinted at a huge movie coming out next

year about Ronald Reagan and was quite excited about it . Stay tuned.

We had a great time, met a lot of good Republicans and I hope more of you will be encouraged to attend these conferences. The next one is in Fresno, March 20 and 21st

At the Piccadilly by the Airport. If you want to drive over for the day on Saturday you will be able to catch some speakers, the Politi Chicks will be there and see what is happening. It will cost \$45.00 to register and \$25.00 for lunch. Register by March 6th and save some money . If you attend both days you will see what these Conferences

Are all about, and they are doing a drawing again, with rifles , guns , purses and pearls.

Sandi Tannler
President EBRWF

From fellow attendee Lori Noble: Sandi accepted accolades from the CFRW Membership Secretary (not pictured) for EBRWF being the first club to reach 100% renewals for 2015. Congrats to our membership.

Holiday Boutique." What are you working on? I have decided I will publish a small cookbook for sale. I am looking for some recipes. Can you e-mail a favorite of yours that you would share. Let me know if you want your name on it or not.



Welcome New Members 2015

2015 New Members to date:

Darlene Bik
Betty Mahin
Frances Meehan
Jeanette Watson
Mary Bradley

New Associates for 2015:

Nick Cook
Sue Evans
Steele Spengler

Over the last 12 months, 1,042 soldiers, Marines, sailors and Air Force personnel have given their lives in the terrible duty that is war. Thousands more have come home on stretchers, horribly wounded and facing months or years in military hospitals. This week, I'm turning my space over to a good friend and former roommate, Army Lt. Col. Robert Bateman, who recently completed a yearlong tour of duty and is now back at the Pentagon. Here's Lt. Col. Bateman's account of a little-known ceremony that fills the halls of the Army corridor of the Pentagon with cheers, applause and many tears every Friday morning. It first appeared on May 17 on the Weblog of media critic and pundit Eric Alterman at the Media Matters for America Website.

"It is 110 yards from the "E" ring to the "A" ring of the Pentagon. This section of the Pentagon is newly renovated; the floors shine, the hallway is broad, and the lighting is bright. At this instant the entire length of the corridor is packed with officers, a few sergeants and some civilians, all crammed tightly three and four deep against the walls. There are thousands here.

This hallway, more than any other, is the 'Army' hallway. The G3 offices line one side, G2 the other, G8 is around the corner. All Army. Moderate conversations flow in a low buzz. Friends who may not have seen each other for a few weeks, or a few years, spot each other, cross the way and renew.

Everyone shifts to ensure an open path remains down the center. The air conditioning system was not designed for this press of bodies in this area.

The temperature is rising already. Nobody cares. "10:36 hours: The clapping starts at the E-Ring. That is the outermost of the five rings of the Pentagon and it is closest to the entrance to the building. This clapping is low, sustained, hearty. It is applause with a deep emotion behind it as it moves forward in a wave down the length of the hallway.

A steady rolling wave of sound it is, moving at the pace of the soldier in the wheelchair who marks the forward edge with his presence. He is the first. He is missing the greater part of one leg, and some of his wounds are still suppurating. By his age I expect that he is a private, or perhaps a private first class.

Captains, majors, lieutenant colonels and colonels meet his gaze and nod as they applaud, soldier to soldier. Three years ago when I described one of these events, those lining the hallways were somewhat different. The applause a little wilder, perhaps in private guilt for not having shared in the burden... Yet.

Now almost everyone lining the hallway is, like the man in the wheelchair, also a combat veteran. This steadies the applause, but I think deepens the sentiment. We have all been there now. The soldier's chair is pushed by, I believe, a full colonel.

"Behind him, and stretching the length from Rings E to A, come more of his peers, each private, corporal, or sergeant assisted as need be by a field grade officer.

"11:00 hours: Twenty-four minutes of steady applause. My hands hurt, and I laugh to myself at how stupid that sounds in my own head. My hands hurt. Please! Shut up and clap. For twenty-four minutes, soldier after soldier has come down this hallway - 20, 25, 30. Fifty-three legs come with them, and perhaps only 52 hands or arms, but down this hall came 30 solid hearts.

"They pass down this corridor of officers and applause, and then meet for a private lunch, at which they are the guests of honor, hosted by the generals. Some are wheeled along. Some insist upon getting out of their chairs, to march as best they can with their chin held up, down this hallway, through this most unique audience. Some are catching handshakes and smiling like a politician at a Fourth of July parade. More than a couple of them seem amazed and are smiling shyly.

"There are families with them as well: the 18-year-old war-bride pushing her 19-year-old husband's wheelchair and not quite understanding why her husband is so affected by this, the boy she grew up with, now a man, who had never shed a tear is crying; the older immigrant Latino parents who have, perhaps more than their wounded mid-20s son, an appreciation for the emotion given on their son's behalf. No man in that hallway, walking or clapping, is ashamed by the silent tears on more than a few cheeks. An Airborne Ranger wipes his eyes only to better see. A couple of the officers in this crowd have themselves been a part of this parade in the past.

"These are our men, broken in body they may be, but they are our brothers, and we welcome them home. This parade has gone on, every single Friday, all year long, for more than four years.

We must reject the idea that every time a law's broken, society is guilty rather than the lawbreaker. It is time to restore the American precept that each individual is accountable for his actions. [Ronald Reagan](#)

Officer's and Chairmen 2015



HAPPY BIRTHDAY:

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- Mark Reents – 3/13
- Mary Cook – 3/24
- Shirley Palmer – 3/29
- Carolyn Atkinson – 4/9
- Patricia Kenner – 4/16
- Melinda Kendall – 4/21
- Katherine Hischier – 4/24
- Linda Trahey – 4/26
- Bona Mooklar – 4/16

He who knows best
knows how little he
knows.

Thomas Jefferson

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**We need to be aware of all county actions. All politics
are local and important.**

The County Board of Supervisors meet every Tuesday morning at 8:30am except 5th Tuesday of month, at the Board Chamber in the new Government building on Monterey, ground floor.

Tea Party Meeting in Atascadero every 1st Monday of the month at 6:00pm at ABC Church around from the Library.

City Council Morro Bay meet every other Tuesday at Vets Hall at 6:00pm.

Cayucos Sanitary District meet every 3rd Thursday at 6:00pm

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