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From Zan Price President of PCRW

Happy May,

This month is very busy!

As we go about our campaign stuff, daily activities, please join Americans in prayer on Thursday, May 7th for the National Day of Prayer! The local Ministerial Alliance is having a Prayer Breakfast at 7:30 at the Doss Heritage and Culture Center in Weatherford on Thursday.

We still have Municipal Elections and the Primary Runoff in May! Parker County Republican Women are hosting a Candidate Forum for the Runoff on **Tuesday**, **May 3rd at 6:00 pm** at the First Bank Texas Building, 100 Willow Bend Drive, 2nd Floor Training Center, Willow Park. Please join us as we prepare to vote in May!

The Municipal Election is Saturday, **May 7th**! Early voting continues today and tomorrow.

The Primary Runoff Election is Tuesday, **May 24th**. Early voting is the previous week, May 16-20.

We will have voter registration booths at the following events.

June 21st 5:00 to 7:00 at Morningstar July 9th 8:00 to 5:00 Peach Festival in Weatherford October 18th 4:00 to 6:00 at Walsh

In addition, we may have opportunities to register voters at the High Schools and local Churches. If you would like to volunteer, please let me know which event works for you. Thank you for the responses so far!

Hope to see you soon, and thanks for all you do! Zan Prince

MAY PARKER COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN MEETING

May 19, 11:30, Doss Heritage and Culture Center 1400 Texas Drive, Weatherford, TX. Our speaker will be Judge Graham Quisenberry, Presiding Judge of the 415th District Court



Thoughts from PCRW VP of Legislation Seed Time and Harvest Time at the Same Time

My grandma had anecdotal sayings that have stuck with me for decades; "you can lead a horse to water but can't make him drink" or "common sense is a flower that doesn't grow in everyone's garden". Yeah, I was raised on a farm and common sense was often relayed to us in what I call "word stories". "You reap what you sow". Somehow I would catch the entire meaning with just a few words, planting seeds and sowing seeds are farming and agricultural type terms. But for the purposes of this blog, we will use "sowing seeds" as a powerful natural law. While many other principles add and subtract, when applied correctly, sowing seeds multiplies. But what does this law mean?

The term "sowing" refers to the act of planting a seed and "reaping" refers to harvesting the produce of that seed. As we enter another season in the epic struggle to save our constitutional liberties, we have time for more seeds to be sown. Meanwhile, may the seeds that have been planted in past seasons begin to break forth! Amen!

Right now, everyone is planting seeds through actions or decisions that will one day grow into a harvest that they will reap. We can see the outcome from a recent Harvard survey of young adults stating 36% believe that political involvement rarely has tangible results, while 42% think their vote "doesn't make a difference."

How can that be? Possibly, we are living in an era with the availability of more information than human beings can usefully process. With what has been characterized as "fake news" as well as all the up and coming news organizations along with up and coming bloggers and podcasters, we can see the problem with confusion. There are so many unsubstantiated news stories, half-truths and lies being spread amongst society, that its often easier to shift into the mindless mode of accepting whatever truth you read, as the research of truth seems much too overwhelming.

This is where the sowing and reaping comes into play. Let's hone our unique skills, mindful of the particular harvest we need, sow those seeds into one person at a time and take the time to water those seeds; it could be that we can move the needle toward the protection of our nations foundational truths.

We have opportunities to sow seeds in our county by attending meetings and bringing a guest, building meaningful relationships, signing up to be a deputy voter registrar, working the

elections as a clerk, volunteering in our community and encouraging others to do the same, teaching and training our kids the purpose of running for office and the basics of our nations political process...I could go on and on.

Suffice to say, the seeds we sow today will be our harvest of tomorrow. Your influence in the marketplace, no matter the role, is undeniably valuable.

If nothing else, we need a harvest and a quick harvest of Common sense. Grandma's voice echoes in my mind as I recall her words of wisdom when observing the world today. Our federal government, our judges, the entire system has lost any semblance of what used to be known as "common sense".

They may all be doctors and lawyers and well educated, but I truly believe over ½ can't pour water out of a boot with the instructions written on the bottom.



How much sense does it makes to remove our history from our kids textbooks and remake a strong foundation into a shaky one?

Shut down entire cities but leave the borders wide open? Send Millions to the Nations and we can't pay our own bills? Let's talk about the above lack of common sense.

It's obvious that many of the people we have elected have lost all common sense

So, we Americans want to take care of our neighbors and help other people, but as we are taught by the airlines, "in the event of emergency, put your oxygen mask on first, then your neighbor". I propose we are in an emergency. In Parker County, let's put on our oxygen mask, muster the will and plant some seeds here and expect a harvest.

Recently, I attended a meeting and learned local governments are still processing the reality that the federal government no longer has their best interest at heart. They have been sowing seeds for a long time and are harvesting at record levels.

I propose today that we unite, grab a bag of seed and start planting. There's no time to waste. Hopefully we have elected people into office that are willing to work on the harvesting and do the right thing with the crop. This is not a time to take a siesta, this is time to grab a bucket of seeds and get busy.

Talk to you soon! Jeannine

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Calendar of Events

Tuesday, May 3 – 6:00pm

PCRW Candidate Forum First Bank Texas Building, 100 Willow Bend Drive, 2nd Floor Training Center Willow Park, TX

Thursday, May 19, 2022 11:30 – 1:00 PM PCRW May Luncheon DOSS HERITAGE AND CULTURE CENTER

1400 Texas Drive, Weatherford

Thursday, June 16, 2022 11:30 – 1:00 PM PCRW June Luncheon DOSS HERITAGE AND CULTURE CENTER 1400 Texas Drive, Weatherford

Tuesday, June 21 – 5:00pm – 7:00pm Registration Booth Morningstar

Saturday, July 9 – 8:00am – 5:00pm Registration Booth Parker County Peach Festival Weatherford

Thursday, July 21, 2022 11:30 – 1:00 PM PCRW July Luncheon DOSS HERITAGE AND CULTURE CENTER 1400 Texas Drive, Weatherford

Thursday, August 18, 2022 11:30 – 1:00 PM PCRW August Luncheon DOSS HERITAGE AND CULTURE CENTER 1400 Texas Drive, Weatherford

Thursday, September 15, 2022 11:30 – 1:00 PM PCRW September Luncheon

DOSS HERITAGE AND CULTURE CENTER 1400 Texas Drive, Weatherford

Tuesday, October 18, 2022 4:00pm – 6:00pm

Registration Booth Walsh Ranch

Thursday, October 20, 2022 11:30 – 1:00 PM PCRW October Luncheon

DOSS HERITAGE AND CULTURE CENTER 1400 Texas Drive, Weatherford

Thursday, November 17, 2022 11:30 – 1:00 PM PCRW November Luncheon

DOSS HERITAGE AND CULTURE CENTER 1400 Texas Drive, Weatherford



IMPORTANT 2022 ELECTION DATES

Saturday, May 7, 2022

Local Elections and Constitutional Amendment Special Election Early Voting for Primary Runoff Election continues Monday and Tuesday this week

Tuesday, May 24, 2022

Primary Runoff Election Early voting is the previous week



Thanks to

Shelby Slawson is the State Representative for Texas House District 59 for bringing us an outstanding program last month.



Photos PCRW activities







Our April Luncheon photos



Gail and Catherine greet us as we enter the Doss Heritage Hall! Thanks, Ladies, for your service!



Rachael Watson, 1st VP, Programs introduces our speaker, Rep. Shelby Slawson



Join us for our May luncheon, May 19, 2022 Contact Karen Wilkinson for reservations



