## BARROW REPUBLICAN NEWS

VOLUME 19 ISSUE 6 JUNE 2013 BARROW COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY P.O. BOX 1054 WINDER, GA 30680-1054

#### **MEETINGS**

Our Next Regular Meeting – Mon., June 17	7:30 PM
@ Winder Woman's Club (behind Winder Fi	re Dept.)
Bethlehem City Council Meeting – Mon., <u>July 1</u>	7:00 PM
Winder City Council Meeting – Tue., <u>July 2</u>	6:00 PM
Barrow School Board Meeting – Tue., <u>July 2</u>	7:00 PM
Auburn City Council Meeting – Thur., <u>July 11</u>	7:00 PM
County Commission Meeting – Tue., <u>July 9</u>	7:00 PM
Statham City Council Meeting – Tue., <u>July 16</u>	7:00 PM
Auburn City Council Meeting – Thur., <u>July 18</u>	7:00 PM
Carl Town Council Meeting – Thur., July 18	7:00 PM
County Commission Meeting – Tue, July 23	6:00 PM

#### **VOTING MEMBERS – COUNTY COMMITTEE** (24)

Ken Young – Chr.	Scott Hang	Kathy Hopkins
Ray Newman – 1 <sup>st</sup> V.C.	Ralph Jones	Teeny Allison
Mike Pentecost $-2^{nd}$ V.C	Jimmy Lomax	Charles Chase
Deborah Golder - Sec.	June Miller	Julia Bridges
Clay Kelley – Tr.	Leonard Koonce	Charles Powell
Bob Lanham – Asst. Tr.	John Reavis	Linda Reavis
John Stevens	Lynn Stevens	John Sorah
DuWayne Anderson	Judy Doorn	Marty Rahinsky

#### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Chairman	Ken Young	770-867-5748			
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C.C. Dist. 1 Rep.	Leonard Koonce	770-725-6799			
C.C. Dist. 2 Rep.	DuWayne Anderson	404-285-0978			
C.C. Dist. 3 Rep.	•				
C.C. Dist. 4 Rep.	Scott Hang	770-231-6699			
C.C. Dist. 5 Rep.	John Stevens	770-995-5865			
C.C. Dist. 6 Rep.	June Miller	770-867-5932			
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#### MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Reg. \$ 15, Adv. \$ 25, Barrow 100 \$ 100, Barrow 360 \$ 360

ALL LOCAL ELECTED REPUBLICAN OFFICIALS ARE EXPECTED TO RENEW THEIR MEMBERSHIP YEARLY. THANKS!

## STATE SEN. FRANK GINN / STATE REP. TOM KIRBY 2013 LEGISLATIVE SESSION REVIEW

MEMBERSHIP COMPARISON	(as	of	5/31/13)
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Membership	'05	'06	'07	'08	'09	'10	'11	'12	'13
Regular	15	24	51	56	48	46	44	63	32
Advanced	55	50	61	<b>75</b>	68	58	59	71	55
Barrow 100	9	11	11	13	17	16	17	13	6
Barrow 360	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Students								4	3
Total	79	85	123	144	134	121	121	152	97
Renewals	73	72	73	106	113	105	112	101	83
New	6	13	50	38	21	16	9	51	14

#### www.barrowgop.org

#### ANNUAL BARROW GOP BBQ

5:00 PM - SATURDAY - AUGUST 24, 2013 WINDER LIONS CLUB - 354 E. BROAD ST.

U.S. SENATE & 10<sup>th</sup> U.S. REP. CANDIDATES GREAT FOOD, MUSIC, & FUN

ADULTS - \$ 15.00 AGES 6-12 - \$ 7.50 AGE 5 & UNDER - FREE

## CONTACT KEN YOUNG FOR TICKETS & MORE INFORMATION

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#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

June 8 (Sat)	Winder Juneteenth Celebration
June 17 (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
<b>June 29</b> (Sat)	Auburn Ind. Day Celebration
July 15 (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
<b>Aug 19</b> (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
<b>Aug 24</b> (Sat)	ANNUAL BCRP BBQ
<b>Sept 13-14</b> (Fri-Sat)	Winder Jug Tavern Festival
Sept 16 (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
Sept 21 (Sat)	Statham Sunflower Festival
Dec 2 (Mon)	<b>Annual Holiday Dinner</b>

#### **LOOKING AHEAD**

D-Day – <u>June 6</u> (Thursday)

George H.W. Bush Birthday – <u>June 12</u> (Wednesday)

Flag Day – June 14 (Friday)

Independence Day – July 4 (Thursday)

Calvin Coolidge Birthday – <u>July 4</u> (Thursday)

1<sup>st</sup> Official Meeting – Republican Party (1854) – <u>July 6</u> (Sat)

George W. Bush Birthday – <u>July 6</u> (Saturday)

Gerald Ford Birthday – <u>July 14</u> (Sunday)

National Korean War Veterans Armistice Day – <u>July 27</u> (Sat)

#### **2013 MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS**

Terry England Mitch Churchill Scott Hang Melinda Williams Cal Neff Catherine Neff Mark Still Connie Wehunt Garey Huff Bill Brown Randall Holland Betty Cherry Gary Gerrard Ellen Reed **Shirley Segars** Belen Rubio

#### 2013 - 2015 BARROW PRECINCT CHAIRPERSONS

Bethlehem Community Center Jimmy Lomax
Bethabra Baptist Church Marty Rahinsky
Bramlett Elementary John Stevens
Westside Middle School Linda Powell
Statham Fire Dept. Leonard Koonce

Winder-Barrow High School

Statham Elementary

Holsenbeck Elementary John Reavis
Lions Club Terry Raber
Barrow County Rec. Dept. Bob Lanham
Apalachee High School Kathy Hopkins

Midway Methodist Church

Winder Community Center Ken Young
Cedar Creek Baptist Church Scott Hang
County Line Elementary June Miller

Bethlehem First Baptist Church

#### LOOKING FOR BBQ SPONSORS!

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 2013 - 5:00 PM** 

#### **REAGAN LEVEL** (\$ 500.00)

Space for sponsor banner/sign (provided by sponsor) 10 Tickets, Reserved Table, Recognition at the BBQ

#### PATRIOT LEVEL (\$250.00)

6 Tickets, Reserved Table, Recognition at the BBQ

#### **LIBERTY LEVEL (\$ 100.00)**

2 Tickets, Recognition at the BBQ

Call 770.867.5748 or email: kenyoung276@hotmail.com For more information

## WE NEED ALL OF OUR MEMBERS TO HELP FIND BBQ SPONSORS!!!

#### FROM THE CHAIR

WE NEED NEW MEMBERSHIPS AND MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS FOR 2013. If you have not already renewed, please bring it to our June 17 meeting, mail it to our P.O. Box 1054, Winder, GA, 30680-1054, or go on-line at our web site for a credit/debit purchase. Please be encouraged to upgrade your membership to a higher level, if possible. We appreciate your support!

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Our Barrow delegation attended a great State Convention in Athens in May. 17 of our 20 delegates and 9 of our 18 alternates were there. After elevating 3 alternates, we reached 100 percent voting strength. Many thanks to all who sat through a long, brutal, interesting convention.

John Padgett (Clarke) as State Chairman, Michael McNeely (Douglas) as First Vice-Chair, Ron Johnson (Jackson) as Second Vice-Chair, Debbie McCord (Columbia) as Secretary, Kirk Shook (Oglethorpe) as Asst. Secretary, and Bob Mayzes (Bartow) as Treasurer were elected for 2013-2015.

Several minor state rule changes were approved. Due to the loss of quorum late Saturday afternoon, no resolutions were considered. Those proposed will be sent to the new State Committee for consideration.

At the last State Committee meeting, the Treasurer reported all bills paid through the convention (more convention income was coming in) and the GAGOP had about \$ 1,000,000 in cash on hand going into the 2014 campaign. This is the best shape we have been in at this point in our history.

We had a great meeting last month with great attendance. We heard from State Reps. Terry England and Regina Quick who gave us their report on the 2013 Legislative Session. We also passed the resolutions favoring partisan elections for county & school board officials and in support of marriage. Both resolutions passed unanimously.

Our next regular monthly meeting will be Monday, **June 17**, **2013** at 7:30 PM in the Winder Woman's Club. Our speakers will be State Sen. Frank Ginn and State Rep. Tom Kirby. They will be giving us their report on the 2013 Legislative Session. We will also be considering 1 resolution (see page 3). Make plans now to attend! Be early for a good seat. It will be worth your time!

#### Ken Young

#### ADDITIONAL LINKS

"The Battle To Limit Government America Needs to Win Now" – David Malpass – *Forbes* – 2/11/2013 <a href="http://www.forbes.com/sites/currentevents/2013/01/23/the-u-s-needs-to-win-the-battle-to-limit-government-n">http://www.forbes.com/sites/currentevents/2013/01/23/the-u-s-needs-to-win-the-battle-to-limit-government-n</a>

"On Second Chances" – Mark Sanford – *The American Spectator* – 4/2013

http://spectator.org/archives/2013/03/19/on-second-chances

"People, Not Lobbies – Immigration and The 1920s" – Amity Shlaes – *Forbes* – 4/15/2013 –

http://www.forbes.com/sites/currentevents/2013/03/27/people-not-lobbies-immigration-and-the-1920s/

## PROPOSED RESOLUTION TO BE CONSIDERED AT OUR JUNE 17, 2013 MONTHLY MEETING

## TO AMEND THE CURRENT FAIR TAX PROPOSAL

WHEREAS, the Fair Tax Act of 2013, H.R. 25 introduced in the U.S. House of Representatives to replace the federal income tax with a national consumption sales tax, shall take effect January 1, 2015 [Sec. 104 (d)], if passed and signed by the President; and

WHEREAS, H.R. 25 [Sec. 2 (f)] recommends repeal of the 16<sup>th</sup> Amendment (federal income tax) to the U.S. Constitution, however, its passage can not repeal the Amendment; and

WHEREAS, if the 16<sup>th</sup> Amendment is not repealed during the designated 7-year period, H.R. 25 states that the Fair Tax ends; and

WHEREAS, H.R. 25 allows the possibility of the Fair Tax and a new federal income tax during the 7-year period; and

WHEREAS, Joint Resolution H.J.R. 16 has been introduced in Congress proposing a new Amendment to the U.S. Constitution to repeal the 16<sup>th</sup> Amendment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Committee of the Barrow County Republican Party calls on our Republican Congressmen to revise H.R. 25, Sec. 104 and Title IV, Sec. 401;

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Fair Tax will begin on January 1 of the year following the year in which the 16<sup>th</sup> Amendment to the U.S. Constitution is repealed by the states, and not before the 16<sup>th</sup> Amendment is repealed.

Respectfully submitted for consideration by the County Committee of the Barrow County Republican Party in Winder, Georgia.

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"Thrown up by the Arab Spring to be president of Egypt, Mohamed Morsi was an unknown quantity. Though a lifelong member of the extremist Muslim Brotherhood, he had spent many years in the United States, and two of his children are American nationals. Optimists hoped the latter facts would overcome the former. It turns out, though, that in a video from 2010 Morsi urged Egyptians to nurse their children and grandchildren on hatred for Jews and Zionists, and in a television interview he went on to describe them as 'the descendants of apes and pigs.' Since the slur is a quotation from the Koran, a Muslin Brother takes it literally, not metaphorically. Confronted, Morsi used the tried and tested excuse that his words had been taken out of context. When he spoke of Jews in this derogatory way, he explained as though it were self-evident, he meant only Zionists." (National Review)

#### U.S. FLAG DISPLAY DATES

New Year's Day January 1 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in January Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Inauguration Day January 20 Lincoln's Birthday February 12 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in Washington's Birthday (Presidents Day) February variable Easter Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in May Mother's Day Peace Officers Memorial Day (half-staff) May 15 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday in May Armed Forces Day Memorial Day (half staff until noon) last Monday in May Flag Day June 14 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in June Father's Day Independence Day July 4 Labor Day 1<sup>st</sup> Monday in September Patriot Day (half staff) September 11 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday in September POW/MIA Recognition Day Constitution Day (Citizenship Day) September 17 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday in October Columbus Day Navy Day October 27 Veterans Day November 11 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday in November Thanksgiving Day National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day (half staff) December 7

Christmas Day December 7 December 25

and such other days as may be proclaimed by the President of the United States; the birthdays of states (date of admission) and on state holidays.

Information outlined above is part of the federal Flag Code or enacted by Federal legislation. Fly your POW/MIA flag with your United State flag on Armed Forces Day, Memorial Day, Flag Day, Independence Day, National POW/MIA Recognition Day and Veterans Day.

For more information regarding flag history, Federal Flag Code, or how to properly display the U.S. flag, please refer to the VFW Website, <a href="www.vfw.org">www.vfw.org</a>. "Our Flag" brochures are available for purchase in bundles of 25 from the VFW Store, product 4421, as well as U.S. flags and accessories. Call 1-800-821-2606, or go to <a href="www.vfwstore.org">www.vfwstore.org</a>.

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"The academic honors are raining down on Kathy Boudin. The Weather Underground terrorist, who already has an adjunct professorship at the Columbia School of Social Work, was named by New York University Law School as Rose Sheinberg Scholar in Residence (for 'working on cutting-edge issues of gender, race and class'). Boudin knows about cutting edges. In 1981 she drove the getaway car in the hold-up of a Brink's truck in which two police officers, Sergeant Edward O'Grady and Officer Waverly Brown, and one guard, Peter Paige, were gunned to death. After a decade on the lam, Boudin served 22 years in jail. She never truly repented for her role in these murders (she says she wrote letters of apology to the families of her victims but never mailed them). Yet none of that matters to an academic establishment that's still starry-eyed about 1960s radicals." (National Review)