

# BARROW REPUBLICAN NEWS

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 BARROW COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY  
 P.O. BOX 1054                      WINDER, GA 30680-1054

**MEETINGS**

**Our Next Regular Meeting – Mon., July 17                      7:30 PM**  
**@ Winder Woman’s Club (behind Winder Fire Dept.)**  
 Barrow School Board Meeting – Tue., Aug 1                      6:00 PM  
 Auburn City Council Meeting – Thur., Aug 3                      6:00 PM  
 Bethlehem City Council Meeting – Mon., Aug 7                      7:00 PM  
 Winder City Council Meeting – Tue., Aug 8                      6:00 PM  
 County Commission Meeting – Tue., Aug 8                      7:00 PM  
 Statham City Council Meeting – Tue., Aug 15                      7:00 PM  
 Auburn City Council Meeting – Thur., Aug 17                      6:00 PM  
 Carl Town Council Meeting – Thur., Aug 17                      7:00 PM  
 County Commission Meeting – Tue., Aug 22                      7:00 PM

**VOTING MEMBERS – COUNTY COMMITTEE** (29)

Clay Kelley – Chrm.	Lucretia Hughes	Kathy Hopkins
DuWayne Anderson – 1 <sup>st</sup> VC	Teeny Allison	Terry Raber
Leonard Koonce – 2 <sup>nd</sup> VC	Richard Pepper	Sara Pepper
Mark Staley – Sec.	June Miller	Beverly Kelley
Debbie Reid – Asst. Sec.	Tim Walker	Dianne Craig
Bob Lanham – Tr.	Charles Powell	Ken Young
Mike Pentecost – Asst. Tr.	John Reavis	Linda Reavis
John Stevens	Lynn Stevens	Marty Rahinsky
David Gunter	Gary Taylor	Janice Jones
Terry England	Pat Graham	

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Chairman	Clay Kelley	770-560-4523
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First Vice-Chair	DuWayne Anderson	404-285-0978
	email: <a href="mailto:reb7771@windstream.net">reb7771@windstream.net</a>	
Second Vice-Chair	Leonard Koonce	706-351-7441
	email: <a href="mailto:lkoonce1967@gmail.com">lkoonce1967@gmail.com</a>	
Secretary	Mark Staley	770-539-0976
	email: <a href="mailto:staley93@hotmail.com">staley93@hotmail.com</a>	
Asst. Secretary	Debbie Reid	706-684-0065
	email: <a href="mailto:debbier72956@comcast.net">debbier72956@comcast.net</a>	
Treasurer	Bob Lanham	770-867-5459
	email: <a href="mailto:lanhamrj@hotmail.com">lanhamrj@hotmail.com</a>	
Asst. Treasurer	Mike Pentecost	770-868-6046
	email: <a href="mailto:MCPWinder@aol.com">MCPWinder@aol.com</a>	
C.C. Dist. 1 Rep.	Lucretia Hughes	404-422-2558
C.C. Dist. 2 Rep.	Gary Taylor	678-449-5775
C.C. Dist. 3 Rep.	Open	
C.C. Dist. 4 Rep.	David Gunter	678-425-4127
C.C. Dist. 5 Rep.	Dianne Craig	678-367-9593
C.C. Dist. 6 Rep.	June Miller	770-867-5932
Barrow 10 <sup>th</sup> District Rep.	DuWayne Anderson	

**MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

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

**LOCAL ELECTED REPUBLICAN OFFICIALS ARE EXPECTED TO RENEW THEIR MEMBERSHIP!**

##### 7:30 PM #####

##### July 17, 2017 #####

**GUEST SPEAKER  
TO BE ANNOUNCED**

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**MEMBERSHIP COMPARISON** (as of 6/30/17)

Membership	'09	'10	'11	'12	'13	'14	'15	'16	'17
Regular	48	46	44	<b>63</b>	39	36	26	30	26
Advanced	68	58	59	71	59	41	55	55	48
Barrow 100	<b>17</b>	16	<b>17</b>	13	8	13	7	9	7
Barrow 360	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1
Students				4	3	2	2	1	2
Total	<b>134</b>	<b>121</b>	121	<b>152</b>	110	92	91	96	84
Renewals	<b>113</b>	105	112	101	95	82	85	77	77
New	21	16	9	<b>51</b>	15	10	6	19	7

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[www.barrowgop.org](http://www.barrowgop.org)

## ANNUAL REPUBLICAN BBQ

**5:00 PM - SATURDAY - AUGUST 26, 2017  
 WINDER LIONS CLUB - 354 E. BROAD ST.**

**2018 STATEWIDE CANDIDATES  
 & OTHER ELECTED OFFICIALS**

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

**CONTACT KEN YOUNG  
 FOR TICKETS & MORE INFORMATION  
 SPONSORSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE**

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**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

<b>July 17</b> (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
<b>Aug 21</b> (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
<b>Aug 26</b> (Sat)	<b>ANNUAL BARROW BBQ</b>
<b>Sept 16</b> (Sat)	<b>Statham Sunflower Festival</b>
<b>Sept 18</b> (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
<b>Oct 16</b> (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
<b>Nov 20</b> (Mon)	Monthly Meeting

**LOOKING AHEAD**

Independence Day – July 4 (Tuesday)  
Calvin Coolidge Birthday – July 4 (Tuesday)  
1<sup>st</sup> Official Meeting of Republican Party – July 6 (Thursday)  
George W. Bush Birthday – July 6 (Thursday)  
Gerald Ford Birthday – July 14 (Friday)  
National Korean War Vets Armistice Day – July 27 (Thursday)  
Air Force Day – August 1 (Tuesday)  
Coast Guard Day – August 4 (Friday)  
Herbert Hoover Birthday – August 10 (Thursday)  
Benjamin Harrison Birthday – August 20 (Sunday)

**MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS - 2017**

Joe Robinson            Charlie Chase



**2017 – 2019 BARROW PRECINCT CHAIRPERSONS**

Bethlehem Community Center	
Bethabra Church	Marty Rahinsky
Bramlett Elementary	John Stevens
Westside Middle School	David Gunter
Satham Fire Dept.	Richard Pepper
Winder-Barrow High School	
Satham Elementary	
Winder First Baptist Church	John Reavis
Winder Lions Club	DuWayne Anderson
Barrow County Rec. Dept.	Bob Lanham
Apalachee High School	Kathy Hopkins
Midway Methodist Church	Dianne Craig
Winder Community Center	Terry Raber
Cedar Creek Baptist Church	
County Line Elementary	June Miller
The Church at Winder	

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**POLITICAL BREAKFAST**

Everyone is invited to participate in a monthly political breakfast group at the Golden Corral Restaurant in Winder. The next group breakfast will be Saturday, **July 22, 2017**, at 9:00 AM. Please make plans to attend, and bring a friend!

This is an informal group of conservatives who gather to eat, fellowship, and discuss the issues. This provides a chance for our members to meet, in addition to our monthly business meetings. It is a great way to recruit new members, and stay up on what’s going on.

**GOLDEN CORRAL - WINDER  
SATURDAY, JULY 22, 2017  
9:00 AM**

**FROM THE EDITOR**

**WE ARE ACCEPTING NEW MEMBERSHIPS AND MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS FOR 2017.** If you have not already renewed, please bring yours to our **July 17** meeting, mail it to our P.O. Box 1054, Winder, GA, 30680-1054, or go on-line to 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!

We had a great meeting with good attendance last month. We heard from Barrow County Schools Supt. Dr. Chris McMichael. He gave us an update on the current status of our local public schools. We also distributed BBQ tickets to those present for our BBQ in August.

Our Annual Republican BBQ is set for Saturday, **August 26, 2017. This is our largest fundraising event each year, and we need to sell or buy as many tickets as we possibly can!** Sponsorships are also available. We are inviting our Congressman Jody Hice and a large number of 2018 statewide candidates and elected officials to attend and speak at our BBQ this year. We are expecting a very large crowd, with candidate tents lining the front sidewalk into the Lions Club.

**NEW FOR BBQ - SILENT AUCTION**

As a special addition to our regular BBQ activities, we will be having a Silent Auction. If you have notable items to donate for this, please contact me ([kenyoung276@hotmail.com](mailto:kenyoung276@hotmail.com) or 770.827.2887) or Dianne Craig ([dcbooklover332@gmail.com](mailto:dcbooklover332@gmail.com) or 678.367.9593) as soon as possible. Due to a food price increase, we need to generate additional revenue from this.

Our next regular monthly meeting will be Monday, **July 17, 2017** at 7:30 PM in the Winder Woman’s Club. Our guest speaker(s) were unannounced at the time of preparing this newsletter. So come for a surprise! We will also consider a Rules Committee report with proposed changes to our current rules. **PLEASE SEE THE NEXT PAGE FOR THE PROPOSED CHANGES.** (E-newsletter folks, please see the attached copy.) Voting members should be prepared to vote on these proposals. Be early for a good seat. Bring a friend! It will be worth your time. Make plans to attend!

Ken Young

**ADDITIONAL LINKS**

“Trump’s Economic Road Map” – *Forbes* – Rich Karlgaard – February 28, 2017 – <https://www.forbes.com/sites/richkarlgaard/2017/02/21/trumps-economic-road-map/#62cdf7962944>

“Philadelphia’s Landmarks of Liberty” – *AFA Journal* – Stacy Long – July-August 2016 – <https://afajournal/past-issues/2016/july-august/philadelphias-landmarks-of-liberty/>