BARROW REPUBLICAN NEWS

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MEETINGS

Our Next Regular Meeting – Mon., <u>Aug 16</u>	7:30 PM
@ Winder Woman's Club (behind Winder H	Fire Dept.)
Barrow School Board Meeting – Tue., Aug 3	6:00 PM
Auburn City Council Meeting – Thur., Aug 5	6:00 PM
Bethlehem City Council Meeting – Mon., <u>Aug 2</u>	7:00 PM
Winder City Council Meeting – Tue., <u>Aug 2,3</u>	6:00 PM
County Commission Meeting – Tue., Aug 10	6:00 PM
Statham City Council Meeting – Tue., Aug 17	7:00 PM
Auburn City Council Meeting – Thur., Aug 19	6:00 PM
Carl Town Council Meeting – Thur., Aug 19	7:00 PM
County Commission Meeting – Tue., <u>Aug 24</u>	6:00 PM

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Vanessa Green – Asst. Se	ec. Teeny Allison	Ruth Ann Phillips
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John Stevens	Lynn Stevens	Janice Jones
Julie Bailey	Cathleen Gillespie	Johnny Stallings

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MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

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

LOCAL ELECTED REPUBLICAN OFFICIALS ARE EXPECTED TO RENEW THEIR MEMBERSHIP!

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August 28th, 2021

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GUEST SPEAKERS MIKE COLLINS CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

TJ HUDSON CANDIDATE FOR SECRETARY OF STATE

MEMBERS	HIP	COM	PAR	<u>ISON</u>	(as	of 7	/31/20	021)	
Membership	'13	'14	'15	'16	'17	'18	'19	'20	' 21
Regular Advanced	39 59	36 41	26 55	30 55	26 48	26 48	26 45	21 47	15 50
Barrow 100	8	13	7	9	7	6	6	11	14
Barrow 360 Students	1	$\begin{array}{c} 0\\ 2\end{array}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	12	1	1	1
Total	5 110	92	2 91	1 96	2 84	83	3 81	3 83	81
Renewals	95	82	85	77	77	74	68	69	57
New	15	10	6	19	1	9	13	14	23

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CHECK OUR "HOME" PAGE FOR UPDATES

WE NEED 2021 MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS

They who can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety.

Benjamin Franklin

REPUBLICAN: THE FREEDOM PARTY LOWER TAXES ****** LIMITED GOVERNMENT EQUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Aug 16 (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
Sept 18 (Sat)	Sunflower Festival
Sept 20 (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
Oct 18 (Mon)	Monthly Meeting
Nov 15 (Mon)	Monthly Meeting

A list of the hypocrisies of the Democrat party – and it is by no means a complete list.

LOOKING AHEAD

Declaration of Independence signed by Majority of Continental Congress- August 2 August 5 - Kelvin King is coming to Winder Neil Armstrongs Birthday- August 5 Jesse Owens wins four medals at Berlin Olympics- August 9 Victory in Japan Day- August 15 National Airborne Day- August 16 245th anniversary of Battle of Brooklyn-August 27

2021 MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS

Mike Rice

WELCOME - NEW MEMBERS

BARROW PRECINCT CHAIRPERSONS FOR 2021-23

Bethlehem Community Center Bethlehem Church @ GA 211 Hmong Alliance Church Covenant Life Sanctuary Church Statham Fire Dept. Winder First Baptist Church Winder Community Center The Church At Winder Julie Bailey Jaret Sweat John Stevens David Gunter Mike Pentecost John Reavis Power Evans Kathy Hopkins

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NEXT POLITICAL BREAKFAST

Everyone is invited to participate in a monthly political breakfast at the Golden Corral Restaurant in Winder. The next group breakfast will be Saturday, **August 28th, 2021**, 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, August 28th, 2021 9:00 AM

- Travel restrictions have not been lifted, but if you come across our southern border, come one, come all with no restrictions
- Any conservative gathering will at any time be categorized as a "superspreader event," but any riot, protest or gathering of liberals, progressives, socialists, communists, antifa, etc. is okay because "social justice" or whatever
- Mask mandates are probably coming again soon, but Nancy Pelosi can invoke one for the House floor and office building and while announcing it – on the House floor! – not wear one
- Gun control is again a hot topic in Washington DC, but if you are related to the president, break any gun law you want and the Secret Service will intervene on your behalf
- All cops were homicidal maniacs and "b*****s" for the last two years, but now they are the biggest heroes in the world because they are denouncing even the peaceful protesters involved with the January 6 "insurrection"
- Speaking of January 6th, a former DC narcotics undercover officer has testified that the riot and protest was the worst thing he has ever seen in the line of duty – pretty sure that some of the drug gangs he dealt with provided much worse
- Also on this subject, it has been called the worst thing to happen to our country since the Civil War, but a few things that have happened in between are the assassinations of Presidents Lincoln, Garfield, McKinley and Kennedy, the 1983 Senate bombing and the September 11th attacks – these seem a little more serious than what occurred on January 6th
- President Trump, while in office and now, can be called a Nazi, dictator, racist, misogynist and any number of names, but Republicans, without using any derogatory terms, are accused of racism for criticism of anyone left of center
- Republicans, using science as the basis for their comments, are accused of disinformation and misinformation, deplatformed on social media and denounced by media as liars, but the complete reversal of "facts" by the supposed health experts is completely ignored
- Democrats crying "Jim Crow" and "voter suppression" in response to voting laws meant to make it easier to vote and harder to cheat has been replaced with protesting that they have never opposed voter ID laws

- Biden, on his first day as President, cancelled the Keystone Pipeline, with its attendant catastrophes, but enabled the Russian pipeline
- And again, speaking of Russia, they were the biggest enemy for the previous four years, but now are being rewarded with the pipeline restrictions being lifted
- Ibram X. Kendi alias Ibram Henry Rogers denounces capitalism as "racist," but sells "reeducation" kits and offers virtual, one-hour workshops - for \$20,000!
- Democrats decry the border wall, but live in walled-off homes or enclaves and even raised barriers at the Capitol for a time to keep themselves safe
- American citizens must obey every law on the books, but illegal aliens may break any immigration law they want
- Some Americans must pay taxes or be subject to fines and even prison time, but others not only are not expected to pay, but receive money and other benefits upon applying for them

Again, this is just a short list – you can probably add many more of your own. We must fight these people with solid facts and information. They think they can invoke "whataboutism" to shut us up. We cannot allow them to control the narrative – they do not occupy the moral high ground. We must win the communication and information battle – arm yourself.

Debbie Reid Chairman

FROM THE EDITOR

WE ARE ACCEPTING NEW MEMBERSHIPS AND

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS FOR 2021. If you want to renew, please bring yours to our **July 19** 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 good monthly meeting with good attendance on **July 19**. We heard from Kandiss Taylor who is a candidate for Governor. She spoke on her want for a forensic audit to occur on Georgia's 2020 election results like what is occurring in Arizona. We also had a chance to hear from Tim Barr who is a candidate for the 10th congressional district.

Our next regular monthly meeting will be Monday, **August 16, 2021** at 7:30 PM in the Winder Woman's Club. Our guest speakers will be Mike Collins, Candidate for Congress, and TJ Hudson, Candidate for Secretary of State.

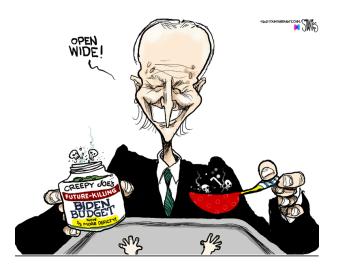
Make Plans to attend our meeting and please bring your family and friends. Arrive early to socialize with all attendees. Power Evans

ADDITIONAL LINKS

For all remarks from the excerpt below Vance, JD. "A Civilizational Crisis | The American Conservative." The American Conservative, 27 July 2021, <u>https://www.theamericanconservative.com/</u> <u>articles/a-civilizational-crisis/</u>.

https://www.foxnews.com/politics/sen-barrasso-spending-bill-price-tag-higher-dems

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STEPS FOR POLITICAL CHANGE

- 1. To change things, you have to change the laws.
- 2. To change the laws, you must change the people who make the laws, either by influencing them to change their positions, or by removing them from office.
- 3. People who make the laws must be winning candidates in the general election.
- 4. To be a candidate on the general election ballot, that person is nominated for an office, usually by a Party primary election.
- 5. To win a Party primary election, a candidate has to win a majority of the Party primary election ballots for his or her race.
- 6. To win a majority of the Party primary election ballots, a candidate must campaign hard for those votes.
- 7. To campaign for election, a candidate must properly qualify With the Party in March or April before an even-year Primary election.
- 8. True Republicans must be recruited to qualify to run.

Excerpt of Remarks of JD Vance, Conservative Business <u>man</u>

So much of what needs to happen in the conservative movement these days is courage. Courage to respond to the threats and the reactions of the left. Courage to stand on principle. Courage to offer new ideas to new challenges. And I'm going to talk a little bit later tonight about family policy, and I have to tell you a little bit of a story, which is the last time that I spoke about family policy in Washington, D.C., I think three years ago, and my remarks were picked up by the Washington Post. One of the arguments that I made in that speech is that we should care about the fact that there aren't enough American families. There aren't enough babies being born in our country. And of course the Washington Post said that when I said there weren't enough American babies being born, what I must have meant, what I had to mean, is there weren't enough white American babies being born.

It was one of the first introductions in my life to how vicious the media could be. I'd been criticized by the press before, but when those remarks were interpreted by the *Post* in that way, I lost business contacts. I lost investors. It actually affected my life materially. And what it made me realize is two things: First of all, courage is really important.

And second of all, courage is impossible without good friends and friendship. And so many of the people in this room, even looking out at you now, I see so many good friends who have helped me be courageous in this moment in our country's history. It's so necessary and so important, so thank you. Thank you for having me, and thank you for being leaders in this movement that all of us care about so much.

So I want to talk just a little bit about this concept of the American Dream. The American Dream is not about the stuff that I think the media tells us that it's about. It's not about fancy degrees. It's not about bestselling books. It's not about a lot of wealth and a lot of power and a lot of privilege. To me, the American Dream is about a good life in your own country. The American Dream of my Mamaw, who did not graduate from high school, and the woman who really made me and gave me so many of the opportunities that I've been able to have in my life, she did not care what I did. She did not care where I went to school. She did not care how much money I made. She just wanted me to be a good husband and a good father. She wanted me to be able to provide my kids the things that I didn't have when I was growing up.

And I'm proud to say that Mamaw's American Dream for me has actually been realized. I live in Cincinnati,

Ohio. I've got a beautiful wife, the love of my life. I've got two beautiful boys. And I think, "Oh my god, I should have been the statistic." But in this country, in this place of ours, I was able to live my dreams and have some of the same opportunities that Mamaw wanted for me. And I didn't think even when I was a teenager this would happen. I didn't think that I'd be able to build a business in my hometown. I didn't think, most of all, that I would be able to provide my children and my wife the things that I didn't have growing up. That's the American Dream that we have to fight for in this country.

And I worry a little bit that when people hear the phrase "the American Dream," their eyes sort of glaze over. Because the way that it's been taught to by so many establishment Republican politicians is that the American Dream is the dream of Mitt Romney. It's private jets. It's fancy businesses. It's a lot of money. But that's not the American Dream that most Americans actually occupy. They just want to live a good life in their own country.

Now, this is more complicated than it sounds. As all of us know, we care a lot about the American Dream, but what does it actually mean? Well, to me, it means two critical categories of things. The first is that it means if you work hard and play by the rules, you can support a middleclass family on a single wage. Good jobs that pay a good wage for people who work hard and play by the rules. That's the first component. And it's that simple thing. It's why we care about our immigration policy, which undercuts the wages of American workers right now. It's why we care about our trade and manufacturing policies. Why we don't want the Chinese to build their middle class on the backs of the American middle class. because we want our own people to be able to earn a good wage so long as they work hard and play by the rules.