SEPTEMBER 2024

UPDATE FOR OUR 2024 CHILI COOK-OFF:

Thanks to a very generous donor, our chili cook-off is free to attend this year! You must still make a reservation (info below) by September 20th so we know how much chili to plan for! We hope you join us to meet the KC candidates on the 2024 ballot! - bring your family and friends



You are cordially invited to join us on Monday, September 23rd to sample homemade chili made by our elected officials and candidates! Afterwards, cast your "EARLY" vote for the top 3 winners! Join us this year at the Kenton County Golf Course 3908 Richardson Rd, Independence, KY 41051 Registration begins at 6:30pm, Chili served promptly at 7:00pm!

Please RSVP to: kathleenbell859@gmail.com or call/text Kathleen at 901~604~6273 by 9.20.24

Thank you to our wonderful sponsors:

Cornbread: State Sen Candidate for Dist. 17—Matt Nunn Dessert: Kenton County Attorney, Stacy Tapke Drinks: Kenton County Jailer, Marc Fields



Welcome to September! We are closing in on the election very quickly. I encourage all members to help increase Republican voter turnout. We need to come together strong to ensure Republican Victories this fall. The Kenton County Republican Women's Club will be informing members of all upcoming opportunities to assist the local candidates. Please consider offering to help walk door to door or make phone calls. Also, our chili cook off will be available as a meet and greet, free of charge. Please invite friends or family who may be interested in meeting the local candidates during this informal and fun event. This is the perfect time for women to "try out the Club". Can't wait to see everyone this fall! Kelli Bailey **KCRWC** President

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UPCOMING EVENTS

September 23 – 6:30pm Chili Cook-off at the KC Golf Course!

October 28 – 11:30am membership meeting at Oriental Wok

November 5 — GET OUT & VOTE!!!

November 28 — Happy Thanksgiving!

December 2—6:30pm Annual Christmas Party @ Floral Hills Event Center in Taylor Mill.

December 25 – Merry Christmas!

January 1, 2025 – Happy New Year!

January 27, 2025 – 1st meeting of 2025!



Be sure to wear an elephant to our meetings to be entered into our Nov. drawing!



*** If you are in need of a yard sign/s for Stephanie Dietz, please send her a text @ 859-446-6491 with your location and one will be dropped off to you. ***

VOTING INFORMATION:

For those needing an Absentee Ballot, the portal will be open from September 21st through October 22nd.

Go to: https://vrsws.sos.ky.gov/abrweb/beginning 9/21 to request via the portal.

There are three ways for Kentucky voters to cast their ballot for the 2024 GENERAL Election:

- 1) Excused In-person Absentee Voting before Election Day, October 23, 24, 25 and October 28, 29, 30, 2024.
- 2) In-person No Excuse Absentee Voting before Election Day, October 31st November 2nd, 2024.
- 3) In-person on Election Day, November 5th, 2024.

Remember—If we have a meeting at the Oriental Wok, and you don't want to eat, you pay \$5.00 for a seat reservation. Just let Kathleen know when making your reservation!

Around the Federation

The Kentucky Federation of Republican

Women's convention was a great success. US

Congresswoman Kat

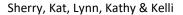
Cammack from Florida was

fabulous and NFRW

President Julie Harris was inspiring. KFRW President Carol Rogers and her team put on a great convention.









KFRW Convention news: On August 9-10th, the 2024 convention was held in Lexington. The KCRWC was proudly represented with 11 members attending! Sherry Goodridge continues to serve as Treasurer, & Pam Roberts as Past President. Karen Campbell was elected to 2nd VP-Membership.

On Friday, Lincoln Legacy members (from KCRWC - Kelli Bailey, Lynn Berk, Sherry Goodridge & Ashley Nunn) went on a fun Horse Farm tour before the Exec. Comm. mtg. At the opening night reception, RPK Chairman Robert Benvenuti kicked us off and got us energized for the Nov. 5th election! On Saturday during the business portion of the convention, we heard from KY House Speaker David Osborne about Amendment 2 - a very important topic. Please encourage all those you know to vote **YES** on both amendments, but especially #2! We also heard from 3 veteran/military support groups & learned about Military Missions, Lady Veterans Connect, and Dogs Helping Heroes. All of these organizations do great work!

Holly Horn and Brittany Ellison from the Leadership Institute led a great training about social media, messaging, and reaching voters.

NFRW President Julie Harris was with us for the entire convention! She installed our officers, led a discussion on membership, and spoke on Saturday evening about NFRW activities and the importance of the Nov. 5th election. Republican women leaders were honored, including Senator Amanda Mays Bledsoe, Senator Lindsay Tichenor, Rep. Kim King, and Auditor Allison Ball. It was great to have them with us!

Our own past KCRWC member, Mary Bunning was added to the KFRW Hall of Fame for her many years of service to the Republican Party and KFRW.

We held a very successful Silent Auction and Live Auction with a professional auctioneer who was great, but our star of the convention, as expressed by many attendees, was Congresswoman Kat Cammack from Florida. She gave a rousing keynote address about the presidential election then she generously donated a night tour of the US Capitol for live auction, which raised \$5500! She was informative, entertaining, and so gracious.



Ways to Find Us

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The Kenton County Republican Women's Club (KCRWC) strives to be a portal to the world of politics not only in Northern Kentucky, but also in our Commonwealth and our Nation. We give our members the opportunity, knowledge and the support they need to run for office, manage and work on campaigns, meet personally with their national, state and local legislators and contribute to the education of their community regarding Republican causes.

Membership in KCRWC is open to all registered Republican Women in the Northern Kentucky area of any age or ethnicity, who are interested in promoting the objectives and policies of the Republican Party. Our membership currently includes women from Kenton, Campbell, Boone, Scott and Grant Counties.









2024 Annual Family Picnic & "Fun"draiser

Thank you to all who donated to our fundraising effort for our July Picnic & Auctions.

We appreciate all the support.

Alyson Roeding Kealoha's Kitchen

Anna Milburn Kelli Bailey

Ashley McNeese Kim Kraft

Audrey Wayland Kim Moser

Beth Sewell Linda Geisselbrecht

Carma Fieger Lynn Berk

Ed Ward Mary Ann Thaman

Herzog Jewelers Mary Goldsberry

Jennifer Jasper Lucas Mary Lou Blount

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