

PARADISE REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB

GENERAL MEETING March 14, 2015

The meeting was called to order by President Lori Urban.

The prayer was given by Ashley Fritz, who then led us in the Pledge.

Lori reported on the AzFRW winter meeting in Tucson – 11 members of the club attended. She then recognized the dignitaries in the audience – Virginia Korte – Scottsdale City Council, Jini Simpson – former Paradise Valley Town Council, Carolyn Allen – former State Senator and Maria Syms – Paradise Valley Town Council.

Treasurer's Report - Barb McMullen reported that club has \$11, 418. in the Checking, Savings & Petty Cash accounts.

Program Chairman Leona Johnston introduced the speaker – Clint Bolick, chief litigator for the Goldwater Institute and co-author of Immigration Wars with Jeb Bush. Clint discussed several of the cases that the Goldwater Institute is working on around the country. He also discussed some of the problems with our current system of immigration and some ideas to begin to fix the problems.

Americanism Chairman Judy Lawrence brought two gift baskets – one to be given away at the meeting in a drawing for members who emailed Patriotic flag pictures. The second basket will be given at a later date.

Virginia Korte, Maria Syms and Jay Lawrence spoke briefly during lunch.

Lori announced that the program in April will be "Political Bingo". Members bringing a guest and potential new member will receive a free bingo card for herself and her guest.

The summer AzFRW meeting will be held in May at the Mesa Hilton. Delegates to the NFRW convention will be chosen then

Delegates for the AzFRW Convention from our club will be chosen at the June meeting. A AzFRW mini-convention will be held on Wednesday, September 9th (before the National Convention) to elect officers for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted by Carol Zraket, Recording Secretary