

**PARADISE REPUBLICAN WOMENS' CLUB**  
**GENERAL MEETING MINUTES**  
**April 10, 2021**

President, Barbara McMullen called the April meeting of the Paradise Republican Womens' Club to order and asked Chaplin, Carol Ann Smith to lead us in the prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

Sally Blak then introduced new members: Terese Vercene, Carol Smith Henry and Millicent Hellman. She also introduced guests: Linda Guthridge and Billie Orr.

Barbara asked that anyone interested in becoming more involved as a volunteer on a Committee or an Officer to please see her. She also explained that the bling name badges were available for \$20 if anyone is interested in ordering one.

Treasurer, Val Teich thanked President Barb for all the problems she has had to deal with during the past year due to Covid 19. She also thanked Carol Zraket for being so faithful to serve at the Registration table year after year and to Maggie Terrell for also helping. Val reported the Club has total funds in the amount of \$9,360.17. She thanked the members for registering online and paying on line.

Caring for America Chair, Linda Weinberger explained that UMOM would be having an online Scavenger Hunt again this year to replace the Zoo Walk. She has placed sign-up sheets at each place for members to make a donation of \$25 ( or a different amount if you wish) for this fundraiser and Linda will participate for the Club. Credit cards will be accepted

President Barb announced that it is time to start thinking about next year's officers and so a Nominating Committee is being appointed. The Committee consists of 3 members from the Board and 2 from the general membership. The members selected from the Board are: Val Teich, Judy Lawrence and Sabrina Walters. If anyone from the general membership is interested, please see Barb.

Judy Lawrence was asked to introduce our speaker and she called on Julie Fisher to introduce the speaker for today who is Jim Lamon from AZ51 Voter Project. Mr. Lamon explained that this is a grassroots organization working to register 250,000 new Republican voters in Arizona before the next election. In addition they will work to turn out the vote and send a Republican to the U.S. Senate. They have 600 field organizers throughout the State with some very prominent Republicans on board. He asked for volunteers to help register and they are paying \$12 per new registration.

Judy Lawrence then spoke briefly about AZRA, Arizona Republican Assembly, which is an organization that was started many years ago in California and their purpose is to help pick good, strong conservative candidates. She encouraged all to join and will take the first 3 ladies who express an interest in joining to lunch.

Ways and Means Chair, Carol Ann Smith explained our fundraisers: Queen of Hearts and jewelry sales and how the money earned on these projects is spent.

Barbara gave the floor to Supervisor, Cavanaugh who explained that he is involved with “How to Help Candidates Win Elections> and said he has a “Secret Sauce” to do this. He asked anyone who would like more information to see him.

The Queen of Hearts drawing was held; total collected today \$132 which gives a total in the pot of \$343. No winners.

Respectfully submitted,

Joan R Parker, Acting Secretary