



Faithfully Serving Macon County

## ELEPHANT EARS

NEWSLETTER

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#### On your prayer list ...

Everyone in Washington D.C. Donal J. Trump, his family, and Elon Musk and family.

Fair Elections.

All of our members, particularly those who are having health issues.

#### **Our Club Leadership**

**President:** Vivian Honey

Vice President: Recording Secretary:

Corresponding Secretary: Linda Behr

Treasurer: Pam Bowen
Assistant Treasurer:
Americanism:
Armed Forces:
Awards:

Budget/Finance: Joyce Roberts By-Laws: Linda Herman

Campaign: Wilda McDaniel Caring For America Project: Chaplain: Vivian Honey Directory: Linda Herman Fundraising: Shirley Barr Historian/Scrapbook: Hospitality: Georgia Rhem

Legislative/Research: Wilda McDaniel

Literacy: Vivian Honey Membership: Linda Herman Newsletter: Linda Herman

Parliamentarian: Program: Kay Rennell

**Public Relations:** Crystal Stamey **Sunshine:** Winnie Uebelher

### \* Attention \*

The *Reserved* seats closest to the podium are for our members who have hearing challenges.



## **Amy Payne**

spoke to our club in the July meeting.

She gave her testimony of how the supplies got to the victims of Hurricane Helena here in NC.

Since the roads were torn up, it was extremely challenging to even get the supplies in.

And since she and her husband had an airplane hanger, they donated its use to be a hub

place for trucks to unload their supplies and go back for more.

Then she ended up directing the volunteer helicopter pilots as to where to go to get the supplies to the people.

She indicated that at it's busiest time is was a huge operation

and FEMA was rarely seen.

The victims were in extreme need and were sincerely grateful for the life sustaining supplies.

## **Members' Club Directory**

#### There is a club Directory with your name on it.

Hopefully, you picked it up at the door when you came in at the July meeting.

Remember these are only for active members.

If you see any edits or changes that need to be made, contact Linda Herman. PAGE 2 ELEPHANT EARS

#### BIRTHDAYS August

- 2 Winnie Uebelher
- 10 Patty Howells
- 27 Wanda Ashe
- **30 ClayAnn Binning**

We are Members of



and



# The Macon County GOP held a large rummage sale

last month. Hope you were there. Most of the items were awesomely

Most of the items were awesomely good. However there were a few that really needed recycling or renovation.

One of our members fell in love with this old beat up vanity bench. Her dream was to renovate it and donate it to the GOP headquarters.

Well look at it now! Vivian did a great job with it. AND you can see it and/or sit on it at headquarters.

By the way, I have an antique upholstered rocker that needs



renovating with new fabric. See you at our meeting next month.

#### **Dates to Remember**

**Sept. 11** MC GOP is hosting a Patriot Potluck Dinner at the Carpenter building. 6:30 to 9. to kick off the local campaign season. Come meet your local candidates.

**Sept. 16** MCRWC will meet at Riverwalk Grille. Our speakers will be Tim Cook and Travis Higdon candidates for Franklin Town Council.

**Sept. 25-28** NFRW will hold its 43 Biennial Convention in Orlando.

October 21 MCRWC will meet at Riverwalk Grille. Our speakers will be Paul Thatcher and Kore Newman, candidates for Fraklin Town Council.

## **Opportunities to Serve**

#### The Fair

The Macon County Fair is coming up September 17-20. Crystal Stamey is the committee chairman for the fair, She is also our PR chair. And having this educational display is definitely PR. Hundreds of people walk through the building and observe all the displays.

Our Club committies that currently need a chair are: Awards, Caring For Anerica, Historian/Scrapbook, Legislation/Research, Americanism and fundraising. For more information, contact Vivian Honey or Linda Herman.

#### Fundraiser

We definitely need fundraising ideas. We like to support our andidates monetarily, therefore raising funds is critical. Even if you don't want to be Chair for the club, you can head up one fundraising project.

Visit and like our Facebook presence at: www.facebook.com/pg/MaconCountyRepublicanWomensClub/

Visit and like the Macon County Republican Party's website at: www.macongop.com and, while there, see our page. (Scroll to bottom and click on Republican Women)

Visit and like NC Federation of Republican Women at: www.ncfrw.com