



Building the Democratic Party in Summerlin and the Western Valley

RED ROCK DEMOCRATIC CLUB

GENERAL MEETING June 24, 2015

President Dan Kruger called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM.

Gary Fisher led the pledge of allegiance.

The 6 new members were recognized.

Edyth Byrd gave the current bank account was \$2257.38 as of 6/01/15. A motion to approve was put forth. It was seconded and then approved by the attending membership.

Frank Fopiano moved to dispense with the reading of the Meeting minutes for May 2015. It was seconded and the attending membership approved.

Frank Fopiano spoke briefly about the passing of the Paradise Democratic Club past President John Ponticello. Chris Miller, Chair of Clark County Democrats, also spoke of the great work that John Ponticello has done. He talked about the upcoming election of the Clark County Democrats, mentioning that he was running again for Chair and would appreciate their vote if they were an eligible voter on June 18th. The hours of the election are from 10 AM until 2 PM.

Dan Kruger introduced the newest Board member for the club, Manny Garcia. Edith Byrd thanked Manny for his work procuring a donation check for the Annual Cook Out of \$503.27 from the IBEW. Dan Kruger gave the attending club members updates on several upcoming events. There will be NO July General Meeting. However, the Boulder City Democrats would be at the July 4th parade. A flier was passed around. August 26th is the Annual Cook Out beginning at 6 PM. Chris Giunchigliani is a definite to attend and speak for the cook-out about how to get appointed to Clark County Boards and Committees, voter registration will be this fall, more details to come. More dates to mark on your calendars – February 20, 2016 is the Presidential Caucus, April 2, 2016 will be the Clark County Convention. There is not a confirmed date for the State Convention at this time but will be in May or June, 2016. The Clark County Club and Caucus Leadership Council will be on August 1 from 10 AM until 2 PM.

Reuben Kihuen was unable to attend the meeting. His representatives, Gariety Pruitt, Jen Fleischman and Maria Terga Lieberman spoke about NV legislative updates in 2015 and his involvement in several bills. The Silver State Opportunity Grant program was one of these bills of which he was instrumental in getting passed. The upcoming campaign for District 4 was briefly talked about. Then it was opened up for questions from the membership.

Candidates for election spoke briefly. They were Mark Newburn, Judge Elisa Cadish, Rick Cornstuble, Edith Byrd, Manny Garcia, Darren George for Lucy Flores, and Gary Fisher.

The Pot of Gold was won by Betty McLeod. Her share was \$33.00.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:14 PM.

Ginni Kruger Recording Secretary 2015