

PARTY TALK

Chairman's Letter

February 2007

As I write this article, many of you are still without power after the recent ice storm. Survival, community spirit, resolve, fortitude and compassion; all words that can be used to describe the last two weeks. I am proud of our community. We came together in a crisis to get the job done as quickly and safely as possible. Hopefully you found a way to connect with family and friends and maybe even helped a stranger along the way. Patience may have been the strongest quality of all. It's what Southwest Missouri is about, helping a person in need. Let's carry that resolve as we work to get back to a "normal" way of daily existence.

It's now time to get out of the cold and dark and join us for the Greene County Lincoln Day celebration on Saturday, February 17th. It's our biggest fundraiser of the year and by the way, it's a whole lot of fun!

Cindy S. Stein, Chairman



In Memory:

Our thoughts go out to Carole Anne Owen and her family in the loss of her father, Bob Crouch. Watch for the service announcement the week of the 29th.



GREATER OZARKS PACHYDERM CLUB

It is with great sadness that the annual awards and installation banquet was cancelled on January 19th due to the ice storm. We will work to reschedule that celebration as we all look forward to seeing the new Tough Tusk recipient honored.

The breakfast meeting on February 9th will feature the proposed Greene County 911 tax. This sales tax would eliminate the existing tax on your land line. Join us at 7:00am at Panera Bread at National and Elm and we promise to get you out before 8:00am.

The noon meeting at Doe's Eat Place on February 23rd will feature the Girl Scouts, and yes, there will be cookies! Join us at Doe's, just east of National on Trafficway. Parking is just east of the restaurant.

Peggy Kubicek, President

Leigh Anne Garren, 1st Vice President

GREENE COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB

The Greene County Republican Women will meet on Thursday, February 8th at 12:00 noon at the Price Cutter on East Battlefield. Dues were due in January. If you haven't paid them yet please send them to Kathy Gonzales or bring them to the meeting.

Regina Townes, President



GREENE COUNTY LINCOLN DAYS

Road Map to the Future

WHEN & WHERE: February 17, 2007, from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm at the Discovery Center of Springfield, 438 East St. Louis Street

THEME: Road Map to the Future – Moving Forward

COST: \$35 per person – 12 and under no charge

For more information call 869-7281 or by e-mail at grcogop@sbcglobal.net to reserve tickets.

GOAL: An evening of laughter, fun and friendship for the entire family and connecting with fellow Republicans. Richard Struckhoff and his band, The Geezers will provide the musical entertainment. Incredibly tasteful hors d'oeuvres and delectable desserts featured by local caterers.

SPECIAL NOTE: *During the evening, there will also be a silent and live auction. If you have an item, you would like to donate for the auction please contact Eric Burlison at 861-9150*

Please provide the following information:

Name of purchaser: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

No of Tickets for purchase: _____ @ \$35/ticket = \$ _____ due*

No 12 & under attending: _____

Names of attendees: _____

*Make checks payable to TARGET and mail by *February 9th* to:
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