

What a BBQ! The weather gods were with us that evening, keeping temperatures in the low 90s with just a slight breeze. Thank you, Terri West-McQueary and your committee for a great event.

What a Watch Party! Packed house, full of elected officials and candidates and even closing remarks from Speaker Jetton. Thank you to Cinda Rodgers, chair of the event for a wonderful evening.

Republicans sure know how to have fun. Join the big tent. Our shared headquarters is located in the banquet rooms at Lamplighter Inn South at Glenstone and Sunshine. Call Sandy (869-7281) to volunteer. It's a great way to help the Party and to meet other great Republicans.

The primary election is behind us. We now have our Republican nominees for the General Election. A big congratulation goes to all the successful candidates. I would also like to recognize those candidates and volunteers that worked tirelessly in an unsuccessful campaign. Your enthusiasm and excitement that you bring to the Party can be directed at electing Republican candidates in November. I ask you to stay in the game, stay involved. It will take all of us in November.

Cindy Stein, Chairman

GREENE COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB

The Greene County Republican Women will meet on Thursday, September 14th, 12:00 noon at the Price Cutter Restaurant located on East Battlefield. Our guest speaker will be Sinara O'Donnell. The title of her talk is "Leading with a Laugh: I was a Teenage Republican". Sinara is a comedian, actress, speaker and writer, among other talents. She has appeared on the television shows "Cheers", "General Hospital" and "True Confessions". As a writer, she contributed to national magazines and newspapers. Sinara holds a BA in Speech and Drama from Whittier College and a MA from the University of Arizona. I have heard her speak and she is a very funny lady.

In addition to Sinara, there is a VERY strong possibility that Sandra Thomas, who is running for State Auditor will also make an appearance at our September meeting. Please come and join us for an entertaining time of political humor, good food and the opportunity to meet our future State Auditor.

Pat Hackett, President

GREATER OZARKS PACHYDERM CLUB

Join us on Friday, September 8th at Panera Bread at National and Elm at 7:00 a.m. for the breakfast meeting. Our guest speaker will be Gary Cyr on the Airport Expansion.

The noon meeting at Cartoons on Glenstone will be Friday, September 22nd. Dale Ricks, MODOT District Director will be speaking on local projects.

Miles Ross, President

Shane Schoeller, 1st Vice President

T.A.R.G.E.T. NEWS

The annual T.A.R.G.E.T. Barbeque has come and gone for another year. We appreciate Jack Merritt for serving as our Master of Ceremonies. The featured guest speakers were Congressman Roy Blunt and Senator Jim Talent. The entertainment was provided by Rachel Hoagland, Gordon McCann, Todd and Ali Smith. We served 250 meals with an estimated attendance of over 300. The T.A.R.G.E.T. Board is grateful to the 40 people who help sponsor this event; they play a big part in making an event a success. The funds raised by this event will help our candidates in winning their elections in November. Thanks to everyone for their support.

The next event will be the Salute to the Veterans on November 4, 2006. This event will be held at the Ozark Empire Fair Ground's Eplex. There will be entertainment and special guest speakers. All veterans will eat free. Become part of this celebration by promoting ticket sales and volunteering your services.

Dave O'Dell, President

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