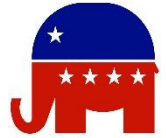


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## *RWOF President Deb Stone*

We have so much of which to be **Thankful**. We are **Thankful** for family, friends, and the election of our 47<sup>th</sup> President Donald J. Trump. I want to wish you and your family a most glorious **Thanksgiving**. I am so **Thankful** for my members and all your hard work this year. We were successful in not only getting President Trump and Vice President Vance elected but we have won control of the House and the Senate. We can say our **heels** on the ground proved successful and we have taken back America from the woke left.

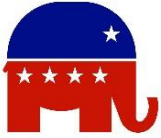
**Congratulations RWOF.**

We are all Thankful for the great celebration we had at our meeting the day after the election. We Thank our member and District 1 Representative of FFRW Maddie McNeal for planning this great event. It was so successful and such a great way to celebrate. It just felt different after the election. There is hope again for our great country.

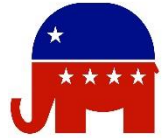


We are **Thankful** for all the great appointments President-elect Trump has been making. True patriots who will help him put our beloved country first and correct all the wrongs the Biden administration has put us through. We hope Congress works quickly to approve President Trump’s appointments. He deserves the Cabinet he wants and America resoundingly wants President Trump in charge.

I hope to see you all at our upcoming December 4<sup>th</sup> meeting where we will continue the celebrations. **We have a few surprises for everyone!**



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## KATHY FOSTER, HOSPITALITY

### Our December Menu:

House Salad w/Ranch Vinaigrette  
 Warm Rolls & Butter  
 Brown Sugar Dijon Glazed Pork Loin  
 Chicken Marsala  
 Baked Macaroni and Cheese  
 Sauteed Green Beans  
 House Salad, Warm Rolls,  
 and for dessert...Chocolate Chip Bread Pudding  
 w/Jack Daniels Sauce



The cost is \$25 for members and \$27 for guests. Please respond with a Yay or Nay by **Friday, November 29th**, as reservations are required. Contact Kathy Foster @ [fosterpk@gnt.net](mailto:fosterpk@gnt.net)



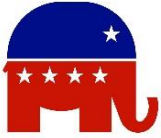
## From our Treasurer JEAN WALLACE

### LUNCHEON PAYMENTS

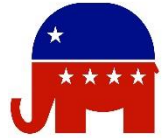
We are paying the Caterer directly now so please if you are paying by check:

- Write your checks for lunches to *Beachview Breakfast, LLC*
- Checks for 2025 dues should be written to R.W.O.F. as usual

**Important Notice:** Our January 2025 Membership Meeting will be held on January 8<sup>th</sup> due to New Years Day falling on the First Wednesday of the month.  
 Remember to Mark Your Calendar!



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There have been many requests from members to offer our 'signature shirts' for sale, but so far only 20 people have placed an order. We hope to get four more so the price will be greatly reduced. This red, dry-fit shirt runs true to size and does not shrink. Orders will be taken until December 4th and payment will be required before the order is placed with the printing company.

No extra shirts will be ordered, so now's the time to buy if you want one. It makes an impact when the group appears at a function wearing our Connecting with Community shirt.

If only 6 shirts are ordered the cost is \$23.49 for sizes S – XL and \$24.99 for 2XL.

Ordering 12 shirts will cost \$21.49 for S-XL and \$22.99 for 2XL.

If the club orders 24 shirts, then the cost will be \$14.91 for S-XL and \$16.41 for 2XL.

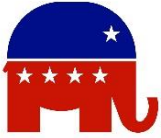
Contact Kathy Foster to order or if you have any questions.

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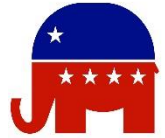
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BACK PRINT 10" WIDE





# RWOF TRUMPET



## 2nd VP/MEMBERSHIP

### KATHY ALEXANDER

Drawings for November:

Twisted Grape – Lori Burkart

Free Lunch – TBD

New Member in November: Jean Honeycutt

121 Members/16 Associates = 137



50/50 Drawing:  
Kathy Revello



Facial Gift Cert:  
Mary Szweluga  
AF Veteran from Bob Hope Village

## Membership for 2025!

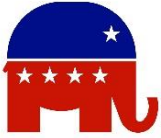
The 2025 RWOF Membership Drive is in progress and renewals are due by 31 December 2024. Membership dues remain the same as shown below:

Saint	\$100	(Active member + \$60 donation + 3 chances for “free” RWOF lunch)
Angel	\$75	(Active member + \$35 donation + 2 chances for “free” RWOF lunch)
Patron	\$50	(Active member + \$10 donation + 1 chance for “free” RWOF lunch)
Active	\$40	(Active Membership)
Associate Member	\$15	

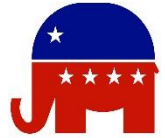
Renew when you check in for the December 4th Luncheon,  
Or

Mail your check to RWOF, P. O. Box 1202, Shalimar, FL 32579

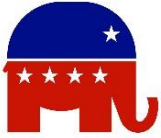
Thank you for supporting RWOF!



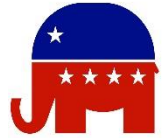
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Melissa Ellenberg	Dec 1	Mary Anne Windes	Dec 16
Jean Honeycutt	Dec 1	Eve DiMaria	Dec 20
Tammy Magee	Dec 2	Martha Gorecki	Dec 26
Erica Wildinger	Dec 3	Tracy Barrett	Dec 27
Terry Long	Dec 5	Gayle Blumberg	Dec 29
Angela Myers	Dec 5	Anna Peele	Dec 30
Joanne Wallace	Dec 7	Kathy Berg	Dec 31
Jeanette Abbate	Dec 8	Lisa Panos	Dec 31
Marcia Burpee	Dec 10		
Ellen DeFrank	Dec 10	<u>Associates:</u>	
Shirley Napier	Dec 11	Kathleen Baird	Dec 6
Jo Helmers	Dec 12	Sally Dryden	Dec 7



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## DECEMBER



*The Republican Women Okaloosa Federated will be participating in the 2024 Winter Wonderland event Sponsored by the Ft. Walton Beach Police Dept. The group will be decorating a pallet house for the event*

*Show your patriotism and your decorating skills! Dates and times to decorate will be determined by the FWPD and communicated at a later date!*

**2024 Winter Wonderland**

Donations provided to

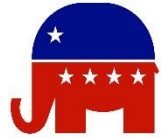
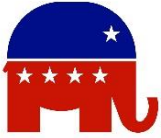
- Panhandle Animal Welfare Society
- Emerald Coast Toys for Tots

December 6-7  
5pm-9pm

**Northwest Florida Fairgrounds  
1558 Lewis Turner Blvd**

If you are interested in helping to decorate a pallet house please contact Sheryl Lauria at 518-986-4494 or sheryllauria@outlook.com

### DONATION LIST TO FOLLOW



## MARTHA GORECKI, CHAPLAIN

### Message:

This message was found in the Upper Room which is a Methodist Devotional Guide.

- The title of the article – “What do we need?”
  - The article was sent to the magazine by one of its readers – Dawn M. Adams from Massachusetts.
  - This reference is for Christmas.
  - The article was taken from Sunday, December 1 – the first Sunday in Advent.
- What got my attention was how her church had prepared its members for the coming of the Christ Child.
  - This actually seemed unusual and poignant.

### Song: Silent Night

#### *Silent Night*

Joseph Mohr

Franz Grüber, 1818



1. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, All is calm, all is bright.



Round you vir - gin moth - er and Child. Ho - ly In - fant so ten - der and mild,

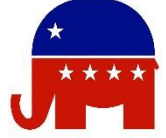
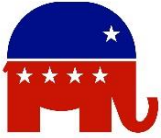


Sleep in heav - en - ly peace, — Sleep in heav - en - ly peace.

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2. Silent night, holy night,  
 Shepherds quake at the sight;  
 Glories stream from heaven afar,  
 Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia!  
 Christ the Savior is born,  
 Christ the Savior is born!

3. Silent night, holy night,  
 Son of God, love's pure light;  
 Radiant beams from Thy holy face  
 With the dawn of redeeming grace,  
 Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth,  
 Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth.



**FROM THE DESK OF IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT *Maddie McNeal***

**In an effort to keep you all up to date on who President-elect Donald Trump has nominated for his Cabinet, I came across this list, dated November 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

With Republicans [taking control](#) of the Senate, many of President-elect Donald Trump's Cabinet nominees are likely to face an easy path to confirmation, even some who may be controversial. The president-elect is aiming to announce all of his Cabinet-level picks by Thanksgiving.

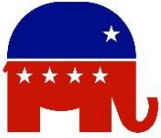
On Nov. 21, former Rep. Matt Gaetz, Trump's pick to be attorney general, withdrew from consideration, and a new choice was announced a few hours later.

Full list of Trump's Cabinet picks and other top staff so far

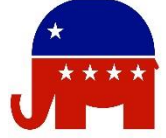
Here are the people Trump has chosen for critical Cabinet posts and other top White House and administration jobs:

- White House chief of staff: Susie Wiles
- Secretary of state: Marco Rubio
- Attorney general: Pam Bondi (after Matt Gaetz withdrew)
- Deputy attorney general: Todd Blanche
- HHS secretary: Robert F. Kennedy Jr.
- Office of Management and Budget Director: Russ Vought
- U.N. ambassador: Elise Stefanik
- "Border czar": Tom Homan
- Defense secretary: Pete Hegseth
- Secretary of veterans affairs: Doug Collins
- National security adviser: Michael Waltz
- Interior secretary: Doug Burgum
- Secretary of energy: Chris Wright
- Secretary of transportation: Sean Duffy
- Secretary of commerce: Howard Lutnick
- Secretary of education: Linda McMahon
- Secretary of the treasury: Scott Bessent

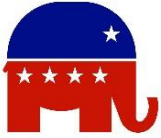




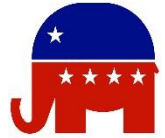
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- Secretary of labor: Lori Chavez-DeRemer
- White House counsel: William McGinley
- U.S. Ambassador to NATO: Matthew Whitaker
- Secretary of homeland security: Kristi Noem
- HUD secretary: Scott Turner
- CIA director: John Ratcliffe
- Director of national intelligence: Tulsi Gabbard
- EPA administrator: Lee Zeldin
- Solicitor general: Dean John Sauer
- FDA commissioner: Marty Makary
- Secretary of Agriculture: Brooke Rollins
- CDC Director: David Weldon
- FCC chairman: Brendan Carr
- Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services administrator: Dr. Mehmet Oz
- Surgeon general: Dr. Janette Nesheiwat
- U.S. ambassador to Israel: Mike Huckabee
- U.S. ambassador to Canada: Pete Hoekstra
- U.S. attorney for the Southern District of New York: Jay Clayton
- Department of Government Efficiency: Elon Musk and Vivek Ramaswamy
- Deputy chief of staff: Dan Scavino
- Deputy chief of staff for policy and homeland security adviser: Stephen Miller
- Deputy chief of staff for legislative, political and public affairs: James Blair
- Deputy chief of staff for communications and personnel: Taylor Budowich
- Presidential Personnel Office head: Sergio Gor
- White House communications director: Steven Cheung
- White House press secretary: Karoline Leavitt

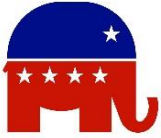


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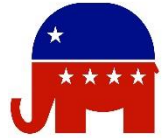


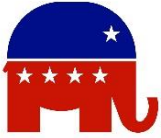
Scenes from Christmas 2021, my last Christmas as President of RWOF!



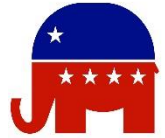


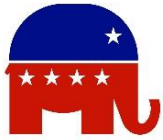
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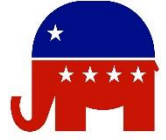


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To bring women together to educate about Local, State and National issues; to improve the quality of life in Okaloosa County through political activity and community involvement; to advance the participation of Republican women in all areas of our political system; and to encourage and support qualified Republican women to seek and win public office.

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