**Nocatee Conservative Club**

Newsletter

7/28/2023

**\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*ACTION ITEMS\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\***

*If you have not seen the movie “Sound of Freedom”, I highly recommend making the effort to see it. This movie was produced and made it into the theater against all odds. It is perplexing to me why there was so much resistance against this movie…  Walt Disney Co. owned Sound of Freedom. For nearly five years, Disney sat on Sound of Freedom, refusing to release it into theaters, stream it on its various streaming services, or sell it back to the producers.*

*Here is a link to an interview with a Whistleblower who exposes the failings of our government with regard to child trafficking:* [*https://youtu.be/r6qT8rjESr8*](https://youtu.be/r6qT8rjESr8)

*Write to our state and federal representatives and ask them where are the 85,000 missing kids who came to this country unaccompanied across our open border?*

***Florida State House Representative****:* ***Cyndi Stevenson***

[*https://www.myfloridahouse.gov/Sections/Representatives/contactmember.aspx?MemberId=4620&SessionId=89*](https://www.myfloridahouse.gov/Sections/Representatives/contactmember.aspx?MemberId=4620&SessionId=89)

***Florida State Senator****:* ***Travis Hutson***

[*https://www.flsenate.gov/senators/s7*](https://www.flsenate.gov/senators/s7)

***US Representative: John Rutherford***

[*https://rutherford.house.gov/*](https://rutherford.house.gov/)

***US Senator: Marco Rubio***

[*https://www.rubio.senate.gov/public/*](https://www.rubio.senate.gov/public/)

***US Senator: Rick Scott***

[*https://www.rickscott.senate.gov/*](https://www.rickscott.senate.gov/)

*\*\*\*If you suspect someone is being trafficked, contact* ***Report.cybertip.org\*\*\****

*Our national debt is now* ***$32.5 TRILLION****. The current fiscal year (FY23) ends at midnight on September 30, 2023. Soon, Congress will enter its August recess with the Senate scheduled to return on September 5th, and the House on September 12th. Congress should waste no time in developing a plan to cut spending through the appropriations process. Write/email to your US Representatives, above, and urge them to cut federal spending through the appropriations process.*

**Monthly Meeting Recap:**

We would like to thank all those who attended our meeting on July 17th.

Kim Kendall, candidate for Florida State Representative District 18, introduced herself briefly. She expressed her commitment to Constitutional values, second amendment, parental rights, school choice, law enforcement, and our veterans. Kim's web site is [votekimkendall.com](http://votekimkendall.com/).

Gerry James was the next speaker. He is a candidate for Florida Senate, District 7. He talked about his priorities, which are outlined on his palm cards and on his web site, [gerry4senate.com](http://gerry4senate.com/). They are as follows:

* Election Integrity. Election reforms should have been completed in Florida by now. Voting should be by paper ballot, day of election only.
* Property Insurance Reform. Auto insurance companies seem to have excessive leverage with some politicians.
* Two tier justice system. Everyone who takes an oath to uphold our laws must apply the law equally to all. January 6 and recent FBI issues point to the need for action.
* Restoration of our rights. True rights are God-given, not to be stripped away by government. Second amendment and school choice are examples of the rights we have in a free society.
* Medical freedom. No mandates.

Gerry offered several personal stories to emphasize and demonstrate the importance of fighting for these priorities. To learn more and/or to donate, go to [gerry4senate.com](http://gerry4senate.com/).

**What’s New Locally:**

**St. Johns County**

* **St. Johns County Board of County Commission** (BOCC) accepted the written resignation from former County Administrator Hunter Conrad and a separation agreement effective June 29, and appointed Deputy County Administrator Joy Andrews the Interim County Administrator as they begin a national search for a new County Administrator.
* **New Vote-by-Mail Rules**: Florida’s voting laws now require voters who wish to request a vote-by-mail ballot to do so after every election cycle. The new law requires that every voter who requested a vote-by-mail ballot before November 8, 2022 must do so again if they wish to receive their mail ballots for 2023 municipal elections, primaries and the 2024 general election.
* **New Home for At**-**Risk Veterans:** A new home for at-risk veterans will soon be completed in St. Johns County**.** Patriot Place is nearing completion. The six new, low-income housing units will be for at-risk and homeless veterans within the county.

**Duval County**

* Fellow Republicans are invited to watch the first GOP debate
	+ WHEN: Wednesday, August 23rd at 7:30PM (Debate starts at 9PM)
	+ WHERE: The 'New' Mandarin Players' Grill (10140 San Jose Blvd. Jacksonville, FL 32257)

**Governor DeSantis**

* **Governor DeSantis hits back at VP Harris:** for her remarks, lies, regarding the subject matter of slaves in the Florida curriculum. VP Harris remarked that the new curriculum in the middle schools in Florida is teaching students that “enslaved people benefited from slavery”. Harris’ remarks were swiftly condemned by Dr. William Allen, the former chairman of the US Commission on Civil Rights who helped create the new curriculum. The Florida Board of Education unanimously approved the new curriculum, which includes instruction on “how slaves developed skills which, in some instances, could be applied for their personal benefit.”
* **Governor DeSantis trims campaign staff:** The governor is cutting a third of his campaign staff to conserve campaign contributions and streamline operations.
* **Governor DeSantis was involved in a traffic accident:** The governor was not injured during a car accident on his way to a campaign event in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

**What’s New Nationally:**

* **Moderna** releases 15,000 pages from its clinical trials on Spikevax because of a FOIA request by Defending the Republic. They reveal the causes of deaths, serious adverse events, and instances of neurological disorders (such as Bell's Palsy and Shingles) as well as deformations of potentially associated with Moderna's COVID-19 vaccine. The documents also described experiments involving mRNA injections on rats in 2017-2018, prior to the onset of COVID-19. These studies revealed fetal abnormalities in pregnant rats.
* **The Lancet** removes from preprint SSRN server within 24 hours an article reviewing 325 autopsies showing Covid-19 vaccination caused or significantly contributed to 74% of the deaths. Full article here: https://tinyurl.com/3a599d6k
* **Following the Supreme Court ruling** against affirmative-action programs, 13 state attorneys general sent a letter to all Fortune 100 companies to put them on notice that racial discrimination is not only wrong but illegal.
* **Court Date Set for Trump Trial:** The trial in the classified documents case will begin in May 2024.
* **President Trump Receives Target Letter** from special counsel, Jack Smith, with his investigation into January 6th. The target letter mentions three federal criminal statutes:
	+ Conspiracy to defraud the United States
	+ Witness tampering
	+ Deprivation of rights under color of law
* **Two Bills in Congress Regarding Election Integrity:** US HR 4563 and US HR 4611 You can track bills here: <https://www.nocatee-conservative-club.org/>
* **Hunter Biden’s Plea Deal Falls Apart:** The judge in the case pinpointed a difference in the prosecution and defense on this question: Did the deal protect Hunter from possibly facing additional charges for illegal foreign lobbying, known as FARA (The Foreign Agents Registration Act)? The Justice Department said no, but Hunter Biden’s team thought yes. The judge said Wednesday that the deal to resolve the gun charge was “not straightforward” and contains “atypical provisions.” The judge asked both parties to file additional legal briefs defending the constitutionality of the plea deal that addresses the firearms charges within 30 days.
* **Tucker Carlson interviews Republican candidates**: Watch here: <https://tuckercarlson.com/>
* **Does Hand Counting Ballots Work:** One county in Georgia recently demonstrated how hand counting ballots would be a fraction of the cost of electronic counting and provide election integrity so that elections would have no longer be constantly being questioned and distrusted. Persons from both parties work side-by-side, while videotaping the entire process and ensuring accuracy after each batch of 50 ballots.

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**“America is not governed by the majority; it is governed by the majority who participate.”-Thomas Jefferson.** There is much work that needs to be done before the 2024 election and it starts with making sure all of our conservative/republican family and friends are registered to vote. We need to have such large turnouts that there can be no question who the winner is. More information will be coming on how you can get involved.

**Upcoming Events**:

1. **Nocatee Conservative Club:** **NO AUGUST MEETING**
2. **Board of County Commissioners Meetings:** First and third Tuesdays each month at 9:00 am in the County Auditorium, 500 San Sebastian View, St. Augustine, FL.
3. **St**. **Johns County School Board Meetings**: <https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/meeting-notices/>
4. **St Johns County Republican Executive Committee:** First Thursday of the month. [www.Stjohns.gop](http://www.Stjohns.gop)

**Check out our updated website:** [**www.nocatee-conservative-club.org**](http://www.nocatee-conservative-club.org)

**(Still a work in process)**

**And follow our Facebook page, https://www.facebook.com/groups/nocateeconservativeclub**

**The Next Nocatee Conservative Club Meeting:**

**September 18th**

The Flagler Building

Suite 205

Nocatee, FL 32081

Patriotically yours,

Michelle Milano

Nocatee Conservative Club President

*Please check the Nocatee Conservative Club website for more details*

<https://www.nocatee-conservative-club.org>

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