



***The Hemet San Jacinto Chapter  
of the  
California Congress of Republicans***



***Invites you and your friends  
To the  
General Membership Meeting***

***Featuring***

***JONATHAN INGRAM, CHAIRMAN  
REPUBLICAN PARTY OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY***



***Monday, June 25, 2018***

***The Elks  
1305 West Florida Avenue  
Hemet, CA***

***Social at 6 p.m.  
Dinner at 6:30  
\$17 Member  
\$22 Non-member  
\$5 No meal***

***PLEASE RSVP  
By Thursday, June 21, 2018  
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**HEMET SAN JACINTO VALLEY CALIFORNIA  
CONGRESS OF REPUBLICANS**

**HOST**  
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**NIGHT**

**MONDAY, JULY 23, 2018**  
**ELKS LODGE**  
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**\$40 per person**  
**(includes all materials & dinner)**

**Social: 5:30 pm**

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## RPRC CHAIRMAN JONATHAN INGRAM TO KEYNOTE

The Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republicans is proud to welcome **Republican Party of Riverside County Chairman Jonathan Ingram** as the keynote speaker for the June 25 General Membership Meeting.

**Chairman Ingram** was elected Vice Chairman of the RPRC in February 2016 and Chairman in January, 2017. Under his direction, The **Republican Party of Riverside County**, which is the official political organization for the GOP within Riverside County, has become a major political player in California.

**Jonathan** will give an update on the direction of Republican politics in Riverside County, a review of the Primary Election, and where the GOP is headed in November.

**Chairman Ingram** also holds the title of Mayor of Murrieta. He was elected in 2014 to the City Council. **Jonathan** has over thirty years experience in the construction industry and is a master electrician and property construction specialist by trade. He is currently a property management consultant.

He is on the Boards of a number of city council related organizations such as Riverside County Transportation Commission Board, Southwest Cities Coalition, Regional Conservation Authority. He is also involved in Community Committees.

**Jonathan** and his wife **Melody** moved to Murrieta so they could live with their family in a beautiful and safe community. He immediately became active in community organizations and the Republican Party in order to help keep his city and county safe and pleasant as well as **Republican** strongholds.

**JOIN US AND BRING FRIENDS ON JUNE 25**

## MAY MEETING RECAP

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republicans president, **Sharon Durbin**. **President Durbin** and **Robin Lowe** gave an update on initiatives on the June ballot.

Review of the California Republican Party Spring Convention in San Diego was also given. The California Congress of Republicans had a successful membership/information booth as well as a successful meeting.

**Charlene Stover**, Republican Party of Riverside County secretary, reported on activities of the RPRC.

**Heather Perry** reported on activities from **Senator Mike Morrell's** office and on the Senator's Legislation.

## Meeting Reservation Information

The Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republicans June General Membership Meeting is Monday, June 25, 2018 at **The Elks located at 1305 West Florida, Hemet**. Social time is 6 p.m. with dinner at 6:30. The cost is \$17 for members; \$22 for non-members; and \$5 for those not having dinner. **Susan Watson** is calling for reservation confirmation.

If you reserve and are unable to attend, please cancel with **Susan**; otherwise, you will be assessed the amount of the dinner.

**Reserve at 951-760-0614 or limeybean1@aol.com by Thursday, June 21, 2018.**

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## CONDOLENCES

Condolences go the **San Jacinto Mayor Crystal Ruiz** and her family on the loss of her mother.

**Crystal and Chuck** are both members of the Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republicans. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

## MEMBERSHIP

The Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republicans Membership Vice President—**Robin Lowe** reported that membership is at 63. In May **Colleen Nielsen** renewed her membership.

Dues are \$20 per person and \$35 per couple!



## HEMET SAN JACINTO VALLEY REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB FEDERATED

The **HSJVRWCF** June Luncheon is Wednesday, June 20, 2018 at the Hungry Bear on San Jacinto Avenue in Hemet. Registration is at 11 a.m. President Diane Wilson will call the meeting to order at 11:30. Lunch is \$15.

The guest speaker is Christopher Lopez, Hemet Deputy City Manager.

Please reserve with **Donna Landino** at 926-7445 or ddino68@roadrunner.com.

## Mayor Ruiz Meets With President Trump

On May 16, 2018, **President Trump** met with California leaders opposing Sanctuary Cities and Sanctuary State status. **San Jacinto Mayor Crystal Ruiz** was one of the select few who were invited to attend and who had an opportunity, not only to meet **President Trump**, but also to voice their opposition at the roundtable.

The group consisted of Civic leaders as well as law enforcement personnel.

If you wish to view the roundtable, google President Trump meeting on Sanctuary Cities. That should get you to YouTube. It is five-minutes well spent.

## A HAUNTED WHITE HOUSE (Presidential Close Encounters)

**Queen Wilhelmina** of the Netherlands was sleeping in the Lincoln bedroom in 1942 when she reportedly heard a knock on her bedroom door. She opened it to see the specter of the bearded present and fainted. Two years earlier, **British Prime Minister Winston Churchill**, according to accounts, had just stepped out of a hot bath in that same room and was wearing nothing but a cigar when he encountered **Lincoln**. "Good evening, Mr. President," **Churchill** reportedly said, "You seem to have me at a disadvantage."

## BALLOT INITIATIVES UPDATE

The following is a review of the propositions on the June ballot and the election results.

**Proposition 68:** Authorizes Bonds Funding Parks, Natural Resources Protection, Climate Adaptation, Water Quality and Supply, and Flood Protection. CRP Oppose; however, **voters said yes to the bond issue.**

**Proposition 69:** Requires that certain new transportation revenues be used for transportation purposes. CRP was neutral; **voters said yes.**

**Proposition 70:** requires legislative supermajority vote approving use of cap-and-trade reserve fund. CRP Oppose; **voters said no.**

**Proposition 71:** Sets effective date for ballot measures. CRP Support; **voters said yes.**

**Proposition 72:** Permits legislature to exclude newly constructed rain-capture systems from Property-tax reassessment requirement. CRP Support; **voters said yes.**

It appears that the voters of California were pretty much in line with the Republican philosophy except for the **Bond issue.**

## REPUBLICAN PARTY OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY

The Republican Party of Riverside County June Meeting is Thursday, June 21 at the Mission Inn in Riverside. This is a regular open general membership meeting.

The program will be Republican candidates who are on the November ballot. Confirmed at this time are **John Cox, Judge Steve Bailey, Mark Meuser, and CRP Chairman Jim Brulte.**

This is an open meeting so stop by the Mission Inn on June 21 at 7 p.m. Reservations are not required. This is not a dinner meeting.

The major fundraiser for the **RPRC, the Liberty Dinner**, has been moved to Saturday September 15, 2018 at Morongo.

## PAINT N' SIP NIGHT FUNDRAISER

At the **Paint N' Sip** night everyone can be an artist!! All have hidden talents—a guide will help **you** bring yours to the forefront!! The cost is \$40 per person and you get to keep your artwork! This also includes a picnic repast.

**Paint N' Sip** is scheduled for Monday, July 23, 2018 at the Elks Lodge in Hemet. Social is at 5:30, dinner at 6, and painting at 6:30.

**Bring your friends, relatives, spouses for a 'fun' fundraiser**

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

The meeting was called to order at 6 p.m. on June 4, 2018. There was a quorum. The following items were discussed:

- Approval of May 7, 2018 Minutes.
- The Treasurer's report for March was given and filed for audit.
- The program for the June 25, 2018 meeting was discussed.
- The **HSJCR** website was discussed. **Larry Cutting** will give a report at the July meeting
- A "Painting Fundraiser" is set at the Elks for the fourth Monday of July, July 23. The cost is \$40 per person which includes dinner.
- The **HSJCR** is dark in August.
- Republican Party of Riverside County Liberty Dinner has been moved to September 15 at Morongo.
- A candidates' forum for local candidates is September 24 at the Elks. This will not be a regular dinner meeting. **Sharon Durbin** will chair the Committee.
- **Republican Headquarters** was discussed.
- **Hemet City Councilwoman Bonnie Wright** gave an update on activities of the City.





**HEMET-SAN JACINTO CONGRESS OF REPUBLICANS  
CALIFORNIA CONGRESS OF REPUBLICANS  
2018 MEMBERSHIP FORM**

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
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I AM A REGISTERED REPUBLICAN (SIGNATURE) \_\_\_\_\_

**DUES: \$20 PER PERSON/\$35 PER COUPLE**  
**PLEASE CHECK COMMITTEE SELECTION:**

**WAYS AND MEANS  
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### **1,500 TRAINING HOURS AND \$125 TO SHAMPOO HAIR?**

By Senator Mike Morrell

Did you know California requires a license to work in over 300 different jobs? Everything from tree trimming and interior design to makeup artistry and yes – even shampooing – makes the list.

It is a distinction that has prompted the Institute for Justice to rank the state as the “most broadly and onerously licensed” in the country.

For people that want to work and provide for their families – in a state where one in five residents lives in poverty – licensing is another obstacle to climbing the economic ladder. The average amount spent on licensing in California is \$486, with an average education requirement of 827 days and two exams.

Occupational licensing is just another way for government to collect more money from hardworking Californians, while it picks winners and losers. Unfortunately, those who lose out tend to be the people who can least afford it.

How can we start to tackle this problem?

Passing SB 999 would be a start. The bill proposes to repeal the occupational license requirement for shampooing, which currently requires over 1,500 hours of training, several exams, and up to \$125 in fees.

SB 999 is sponsored by the R Street Institute, a non-partisan policy think tank based in Washington D.C. Steven Greenhut, Western region director for the R Street Institute explains, “It’s absurd that people who simply want to shampoo hair have to jump through enormous and costly hurdles to do so.”

The California Board of Barbering and Cosmetology’s website lists as their 8th most  
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frequently asked question relating to establishments, “I would like to hire a person for the sole purpose of shampooing or preparing consumers services; can I do this?” Obviously, enough establishments question the need for this license that the board lists it in the FAQs.

Could shampooing without government red tape be on the horizon? The full Senate recently passed SB 999. It is now on its way to the Assembly for consideration.

*Senator Mike Morrell represents the  
23rd Senate District*

**Dinesh D’Souza:** “America is the greatest, freest and most decent society in existence. It is an oasis of goodness in a desert of cynicism and barbarism. This country, once an experiment unique in the world, is now the last best hope for the world.”



### **A TALE OF TWO CITIES**

The following is from America’s 1st Freedom.  
London’s murder rate surpasses NYC’s! For the first time since the 1800’s, London’s murder rate has surpassed that of NYC—both cities have similar-sized population and police force.

The dramatic rise in murders has prompted one medical professional—Mark Griffiths, lead surgeon at Barts Health NHS Trust in London—to compare the situation to an Afghan war zone. Griffiths says that treating shooting and stabbing victims has gone from being an uncommon occurrence to being a not-insignificant portion of his regular day. Worse, he says, the victims seem to be getting younger and younger.

“We use to look after people in their 20’s. Now people are often in their mid to late teens, and children in school uniforms are being admitted under our care with knife and gun wounds. People expect to see people killed on a daily basis. Members of the public who are not involved in gangs or violence let this pass without comment, and you get the society you deserve if you ignore violence.

...in London criminals enjoy a near certainty that they won’t face armed resistance.

### **DATES TO CALENDAR**

- June 13: **San Jacinto Chamber of Commerce Mixer at Stonemark Group at 212 North State Street, #110, Hemet.**
- June 16: **Hemet Jacinto Valley Republican Women’s Club Federated Scholarship Meeting at 11 a.m. at the Hungry Bear with Christopher Lopez, Hemet Deputy City Manager.**
- June 21: **Republican Party of Riverside County at the Mission Inn, Riverside at 7 p.m.**
- June 25: **Hemet San Jacinto Congress of Republicans meeting at The Elks 1305 West Florida.**
- June 27: **Hemet San Jacinto Valley Chamber of Commerce mixer at Hemet Valley Medical Center at 5:30 p.m..**
- July 23: **Hemet San Jacinto “Paint N’ Sip” Fundraiser at The Elks, Hemet.**
- July 2: **HSJCR Board of Directors meeting.**

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### POOR PRIOTIES

Excerpts from District 1 Supervisor Kevin Jeffries Kevin's Corner.

Outside of all the financial problems on the horizon for counties and cities (\$300 million pension cost increase just for Riverside County), one of the most pressing social challenges that local governments faces is what to do with the homeless who refuse to accept a helping hand and where to put the ones that do. We have even had several reports of homeless being bussed in to Riverside County (although nobody has ever taken a picture or obtained a license plate of the buses).

As I had shared roughly a year ago, I had hoped that we (local cities and the county) could utilize some of the surplus millions of dollars that the Western Riverside County Council of Governments has been sitting on to fund and construct badly needed homeless facilities. Unfortunately, the voting membership is apparently continuing with the plan to build a high tech WRCOG monument (building) to woo & wow people instead. Of course, you'll likely have to step over the homeless to get inside.

Hang in there, fellow Riverside County Taxpayers - someday common sense may prevail.

Flag Day — June 14, 2018

"And let us never forget that in honoring our flag, we honor the American men and women who have courageously fought and died for it...."

President Ronald Reagan

**FLAG DAY:** Flag day was officially established by the Proclamation of President Woodrow Wilson on May 30, 1916. While Flag Day was celebrated in various communities for years after Wilson's proclamation, it was not until August 3, 1949, that President Truman signed an Act of congress designating **June 14** of each year as **National Flag Day**.

### QUOTABLE QUOTES

"Federal grants are like rabbits—they multiply like crazy, and when they are out you can't catch them."

**President Ronald Reagan**

"We cannot play innocents abroad in a world that is not innocent."

**President Ronald Reagan**

"Our willingness to speak for freedom is no bargaining chip. It's an integral part of our foreign policy."

**President Ronald Reagan**

"Keep your eyes on the stars and feet on the ground."

**President Theodore Roosevelt**

"Anger dwells only in the bosom of fools."

**Albert Einstein**

"If a nation expects to be ignorant and free, it expects what never was and never shall be."

**President Thomas Jefferson**

### NONSENSE

#### DEFINITIONS:

**Adult:** A person who has stopped growing at both ends and is now growing in the middle.

**Beauty Parlor:** A place where women curl up and dye.

**Committee:** A body that keeps minutes and wastes hours.

**Chicken:** The only animals you eat before they are born and after they are dead.

If poison expires, is it more poisonous or is it no longer poisonous?

Which letter is silent in the word "Scent," the S or the C?

The midget fortune-teller who escaped from prison was a small medium at large.

Atheism is a non-prophet organization.

When cannibals ate a missionary, they got a taste of religion.