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Chairman's Comments



Fellow Republicans —

On September 11, 2001 America was changed forever. We came face to face with an enemy that had no uniform, no flag, no country. Americans watched in shock as that enemy wiped out more than 3000 innocent American lives, demonstrating a primitive, uncivilized and heartless zeal for carnage. These barbarians sought to promote their evil cause by calling America the "Great Satan" and deriding the inherent rights of all human beings reflected in our constitution and by our freedom and our lifestyle.

Saturday marks 20 years since that fateful day. In the blink of an eye, the lives of innocent hard-working folks going about their day, the lives of Firemen, Policemen, EMS and other first responders who rushed in to save others were forever lost defending our freedoms against these radical Islamic terrorist thugs. We will never forget that day or those who were lost.

Yet, inexplicably and ironically, as we remember the events of 9/11, we find ourselves facing yet more risk of terrorism spawned by Islamic zealots. And we are facing that with a dreadful lack of leadership and courage. Our President hides his face in shame and cowers before the Taliban despots. This is a time for leaders who will protect and defend this country against all who threaten to destroy her. It is not a time for timidity, cowardice and surrender.

The 11 Marines, 1 Sailor and 1 Soldier that were lost is beyond tragic, beyond heartbreaking and our current President is at fault for this horrific attack. By failing to command an effective and secure draw-down of our forces, he and his National Security team put the lives of those men and women, as well as hundreds of innocent Afghan citizens, in harm's way and got many of them killed or horribly injured!

Our departure from Afghanistan is a stark reminder of why it is so critical that we elect leaders who will protect our citizens no matter where they are and who will use our strength to defend those who have selflessly supported and worked with us to protect the very freedom we hold so dear. This administration's failure in Afghanistan is a stain on our reputation and image that will never go away.

But it does not stop there. Having failed miserably in Afghanistan, the Biden administration has gone back to their handwringing, "woe is me" despair over their own failure to deal effectively with the COVID-19 threat. In many despotic moves, the President has roiled the Covid 19 narrative along, spending trillions and taxing the hell out of hardworking men and women to pay for mandated vaccinations and "stimulus" payments to those who would rather stay home than work.

There is only one solution to the mess Biden and the Democrats have created – they must be replaced with solid conservative Republican leadership who are not afraid of confrontation and who will stand up for our constitutional principles of individual liberty, personal freedom, personal responsibility, free speech, fiscal integrity and limited and responsible government that answers to the voters. It is time to begin the movement needed to restore America to its rightful place as the leader of the free world.

Indiana and Porter County have served as a beacon for the rest of the country on what high quality Republican leadership can do by providing local government that is fiscally sound, fiscally responsible and that works to limit regulations.

Please "Never Forget 9/11." Join with us! God Bless the United States of America!!!

Michael Simpson,
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Porter County Republican Party

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2021 LINCOLN DAY DINNER And a Great Time Was Had By All!





Focus on Porter County Republican Women!

Porter County Republican Women's Club



Join Us!



PORTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN

Social Meeting

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2021
5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

109 FORDWICK LANE, VALPARAISO, IN

RSVP TO CHRISTINA MATOSKI
PRESIDENT, PORTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN
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COMPLIMENTARY DRINKS & LIGHT APPETIZERS





Focus on Porter County Republicans

Debra Silvert – Porter County Republican of Distinction!



INDIANA ARTS COMMISSION AWARDS LOCAL MUSICIANS GRANT FUNDING

Classical music can provide an island of respite from the relentless stress one can experience during these difficult times lately. Yet the soothing sounds of sonatas and serenades can melt the troubles away as they express the beauty and eternal truths so easily overlooked today. A Porter South County resident, Debra Silvert, of Sequenza Chamber Music, Inc., understands the importance of music in our society. Her ensemble, Duo Sequenza, was recently honored to receive a music grant administered by the Indiana Arts Commission.

In a letter addressed to Governor Holcomb, Senator Ed Charbonneau and Representative Michael Aylesworth, Silvert, who is the flutist of the duo, expressed her appreciation for the grant.

"I'm writing today to thank you for your support of the Arts Recovery program administered by the Indiana Arts Commission. I cannot help but feel that the name of this particular funding program speaks to TWO needs -- not only are those of us in the area recovering from the devastating economic effects of COVID, we conservatives can see that we must also recover from the harm so many on the left have caused to the fine arts community by distorting our true purpose -- to inspire our fellows and spread joy!" – Debra Silvert, Executive Director, Duo Sequenza.

As a recipient of public funding, Silvert is committed to conservative fiscal practices and to free market principles. Duo Sequenza plans to use the funds to help further the ensemble's mission. Silvert stated, "Our ensemble's mission is to expand the audience for today's classical music AND to identify new stakeholders who will support that mission into perpetuity."

Duo Sequenza, consists of flute and classical guitar, and promotes the work of living composers. It is a 501(c)3 arts organization and thrives by its local donors, including many of our Porter County Republican members. Visit their website at www.duosequenza.com for their concert schedule.



Upcoming Events

Check out the listings below
for information about these upcoming Republican Events!

[Porter County Republicans Calendar](#)
[CLICK HERE](#)

SAVE THESE DATES TOO!

Upcoming Republican Precinct Committee Meetings

September 18th at 9:00—10:30a.m.
Old Town Banquet Hall
711 Calumet Ave, Valparaiso, IN

Campaign Finance Training Workshop

Campaign Finance report training open to all especially those who would like to be a Campaign Treasurer.

September 18, 2021
Following Precinct Meeting
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Presented by Kenard Taylor

December 11th (Christmas Party) TBD



YOUNG REPUBLICAN
**BOWLING
NIGHT**

FOOD
BOWLING
FUN

Inman's Bowling Center
3201 Evans Ave, Valparaiso, IN 46383
Sept. 18th 2021 | 5:30 PM
\$12 a person upon entry
RSVP: Logan at lozdyck@gmail.com
Ages: 18 - 25



Valparaiso Popcorn Fest September 11, 2021

Republicans: WE NEED YOU! ***

The Popcorn Fest is right around the corner and ***we need your help!***

Please consider joining us on Saturday, September 11th to participate in the day's activities.

Here's TWO (2) ways that you can help pitch in to make this day a success!

OPTION 1

SET-UP or TEAR DOWN TEAM

We need 5 able bodied folks to be part of our dynamic Prep Team to help set up the tent and tables at 6/6:30 a.m. Saturday. (Approx. 30 Minutes)

We need 5 able bodied folks to be part of our Clean-up Crew to help tear down the tent and move items to Headquarters at 6:30/7 p.m. (Approx. 30 Minutes)

OPTION 2

VOLUNTEER AT THE BOOTH

We need 2 to 3 volunteers per shift listed below to help manage the GOP booth for the event:

Shift: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Shift: 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Shift: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Shift: 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

If you can help with one or both options, please reply to this message or contact Kenard Taylor at (219) 242-1570.

Thank you in advance for your support!

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Report: Biden Wasn't Checking Watch, Just Making Sure There Was No Blood Left On His Hands

Politics

August 31st, 2021 - BabylonBee.com



DOVER, DE—While speculation has circled about President Biden checking his watch during the dignified transfer of fallen soldiers, sources in the administration have confirmed that in fact, he was only looking to see if he still had blood on his hands.

Despite attempting to blame Trump, climate change, and the Afghani people themselves, at the end of the debacle Biden still found himself with blood on his hands, and his alone. Somehow, being the President of the United States—and being the final authority who selected Pentagon leaders for their inter-sectionalism, ordered the total troop withdrawal, conceded to deadlines set by terrorists, abandoned allies with no warning, withdrew the military before ensuring civilians were brought to safety, trusted known terrorists to provide safe passage for Americans to the airport and put military members in the impossible scenario of securing an airport while crowds of desperate people attempted to get in—somehow, all of that made him responsible.

"Just can't imagine why I have their blood on my hands," said a pensive Joe Biden. "I did everything perfectly, just like I always do. Everything that went wrong was someone else's fault, just like it always is. I'll make sure those Gold Star families understand that. Right after I get this blood all cleaned off my hands."

Standing in Dover to await the fallen soldiers, Biden suddenly worried how it would look if he was seen standing there with their blood, bearing actual blame. A photographer caught the moment, and the image spread like fire.

"Republicans have floated their childish theories, claiming President Biden was worried about when Matlock was starting, or if he was missing the early bird special at Golden Corral," said Press Secretary Jen Psaki. "But I can assure you all, he was simply trying to remove evidence of his share in the responsibility for the loss of life we have endured."



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The Babylon Bee

Biden's Guest Hosting Of 'Jeopardy!' A Disaster As He Flees Every Time A Contestant Puts An Answer In Form Of A Question

Politics

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CULVER CITY, CA — It seemed like a big coup for the game show *Jeopardy!* as they got the President of the United States himself, Joe Biden, to host. But it ended up being a disaster, as every time a contestant answered in the form of a question, Biden would immediately turn and leave.

"What is the Roman Empire?" answered contestant Keith Black, a school teacher.

"I'm not taking questions at this time," Biden said as he turned to leave the studio.

Producers then had to explain to him that in *Jeopardy!*, all answers are in the form of questions, but he's not actually being questioned.

"Well, that's just malarkey," Biden reportedly said before going back in to host.

Still, his reflex about questions was too ingrained, as when a contest answered, "What is photosynthesis?" Biden again immediately left.

"Sorry," he said while exiting the stage, "my staff says if I answer any questions, I don't get ice cream."



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Scandal As Newsom Campaign Produces Old Yearbook Photo Showing Larry Elder In Blackface

Politics

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SACRAMENTO, CA—Larry Elder's campaign for governor of California was thrown into turmoil today after Gavin Newsom's anti-recall campaign produced never-before-seen yearbook photos showing Larry Elder wearing blackface.

"This is beyond the pale," said French Chef Pierre D'issoir, who is running Newsom's campaign. "Not only is Larry Elder totally a white supremacist, but we now have proof that he wore blackface as a young man in college! Absolument honteux!"

Newsom will be spending \$12 million in predominately black areas of Southern California to remind black voters that Elder is a fake black person—and that pasty white millionaire, winery owner, and French cuisine connoisseur Gavin Newsom is a better choice for the black community than Larry Elder.

"Sometimes we need to spend millions of dollars to remind minorities what's best for them," said Newsom. "Right now, what's best for them is being locked in their homes and given forced vaccinations. Larry Elder will try to come in and offer to lower their taxes, give them jobs, and heal their communities, but the thing that really matters here is that he wore blackface."

The scandal deepened later that afternoon when Larry Elder made an appearance, still wearing blackface.



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White House Solves Budget Crisis By Renting Out Ad Space On Biden's Back

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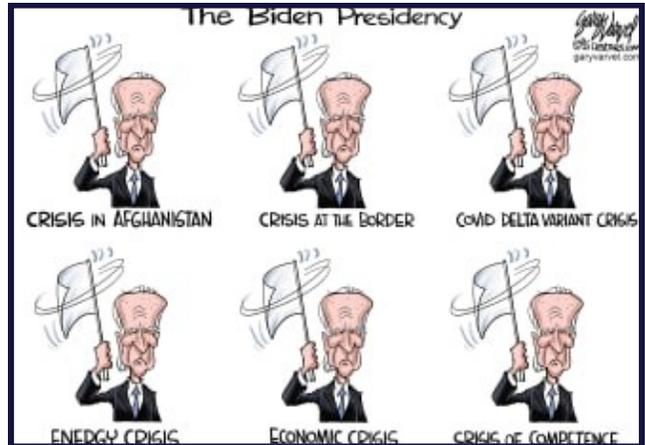
WASHINGTON, D.C.—The White House has solved the federal government's budget crisis by renting out ad space on the back of Joe Biden's suit jacket.

"This is a highly visible space, seen all the time during the president's press conferences when he refuses to take questions from the press," said Jen Psaki. "Your brand will be seen by millions of Americans as they anxiously wonder what the president has to say about Americans we've left stranded abroad, inflation, the economy, gas prices, the border crisis, and every other crisis. As soon as the press asks a question, your brand will be captured by dozens of television cameras."

The initial ad placements sold for millions of dollars, and the White House has said that they believe this could raise trillions over the course of Biden's tenure. Of course, if he passes away unexpectedly, the revenue source will dry up, and they will be forced to rent ad space on Kamala Harris's forehead.



On the Lighter Side . . .





Join the Team!

Thank you for your interest in contributing to the Porter County Republican Party!



GOP Stars & Stripes Donation

\$25.00

The Porter County Republican Party as a grassroots political organization exists to elect Republican candidates to government offices at all levels, and strives to promote the principles, objectives and policies of the Republican Party. We proudly serve our Stars & Stripes. Help support the Porter County Republican Party with a \$25 donation today.

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GOP Liberty Donation

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