November 2026

PINELLAS FEDERATED REPUBLICAN WOMEN

We Walk the Walk!!

Pinellas County's newsletter



Next meeting will be Thursday, November 5th 6PM.
Delukas Restaurant & Bar
1343 Cleveland St., Clearwater, FL
See flyer in this newsletter.

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President's Message



We are just days away from the election! If you haven't voted early, I encourage you to make a plan to get to the polls, review a Republican voting guide, and make your voice heard. Use your sphere of influence to educate family, friends, and neighbors about the candidates and issues that matter. The future of our Republic depends on informed, engaged citizens who exercise their right to vote. Every vote matters!

We are facing an important battle over the future direction of our country, including the growing influence of the Democratic Socialists of America (DSA) within the Democratic Party. This is not the time to become complacent or discouraged. We must remain engaged and do our part to protect the values and principles that make our nation strong.

We must also be cautious about allowing polls to dictate our expectations or decisions. On October 20, Wedgewood Polls publicly acknowledged that it had fabricated most of the polling data published under its name as an experiment to expose weaknesses in the polling industry and media oversight. According to its statement, the fabricated figures were accepted by major polling aggregators and reported by news outlets without adequate verification. This is a sobering reminder that polling data should not replace our own research or influence our commitment to vote.

Don't let the polls make you complacent or discouraged. Polls do not determine elections—voters do! Take the time to educate yourself on the candidates and issues, make your voice heard, and encourage those around you to do the same. If possible, vote early and help ensure that every informed, Republican voice has the opportunity to be heard.

Let's finish strong!

Stacy Geier,
President PFRW


PINELLAS FEDERATED REPUBLICAN WOMEN
INVITE YOU TO A SPECIAL PROGRAM
An Election Recap
We invite PFRW members and their guests to join us for this month's special guest speaker
MIKE TWITTY
Pinellas County Property Appraiser
NOVEMBER 5TH, 2026
SOCIAL HOUR: 6:00 PM
MEETING: 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM
PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF LOCATION
DELUKAS RESTAURANT & BAR
1343 CLEVELAND ST.
CLEARWATER, FL 33755
Cheers to GOP Majority!

Early Voting Dates / Times for the General Election

Dates:
October 19 - November 1, 2026.
Hours:
Monday-Sunday from 7 am to 7 pm

Early Voting Locations

- **Centre of Palm Harbor**
  1500 16th St.
  Palm Harbor, FL 34683
- **Countryside Recreation Center**
  2640 Sabal Springs Dr.
  Clearwater, FL 33761
- **Gulfport Neighborhood Center**
  1617 49th St. S.
  Gulfport, FL 33707
- **J.W. Cate Recreation Center**
  5801 22nd Ave. N.
  St. Petersburg, FL 33710
- **Supervisor of Elections Office**
  County Building
  501 First Ave. N.
  St. Petersburg, FL 33701
- **Supervisor of Elections Office**
  Election Service Center
  13001 Starkey Rd.
  Starkey Lakes Corporate Center
  Largo, FL 33773
- **Supervisor of Elections Office**
  Pinellas County Courthouse
  315 Court St.
  Room 117
  Clearwater, FL 33756

(Voter parking spots will be designated in courthouse parking lots).

★ PFRW MEMBER REMINDER ★

Pinellas Federated Republican Women

⏰ Don't Forget!

Log Your Volunteer Hours

Every hour you give strengthens our club and advances our mission. Please take a moment to scan the QR code below and submit your volunteer activity — it only takes a minute!

SCAN TO LOG YOUR HOURS



Tap or scan with your phone camera

📱 Scan ✍️ Fill Form ✅ Submitted!

Questions? Contact your PFRW Club Officer

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Pinellas Federated Republican Women — 2026

Volunteer Hours — Quick Guide

Your time counts. Write it down as you go.

Why this matters

Every six months the club reports members' volunteer hours. Those hours show the work we do for candidates, veterans, patriotism, and civic education. If you do not write the hours down, they cannot be counted.

What to count

Count time you spend volunteering or working on political and patriotic activities. Include travel time to meetings and events, and time spent preparing (planning, printing, emails, setup, cleanup).

Where to put your hours

Category	Examples — if you did it, log it
Political Activities	Helping candidates and the party: sign-waving, door-knocking, rallies (attend or organize), phone banking, poll watching, working at polling places. Club and GOP meetings (include travel time). Prep work for meetings or events, in person or online.
Veterans	Decorating veterans' graves — placing or removing American flags.
Patriotism	Military functions, naturalization ceremonies, marching in parades, USO donations, sending coupons or supplies, writing to troops.
Flag	Replacing flags, donating flags, attending flag ceremonies or celebrations.
Education	Trainings hosted by the GOP, Federated Women, or other Republican groups, and Election Office trainings (poll watchers, poll workers). Local, state, and national conferences and speaking engagements.

How to log hours (keep it simple)

1. After each activity, jot the date, what you did, and how long it took (hours and minutes).
2. Round to the nearest quarter hour if that is easier (15 min = 0.25, 30 min = 0.50).
3. Use a notebook, phone note, calendar, or a simple spreadsheet — whatever you will actually use.
4. Turn in totals by the deadline for that half-year. Do not wait until the last week.

Reporting periods & deadlines

Period	Dates covered	Hours due by
First half	January 1 – June 30	**June 30**
Second half	July 1 – December 31	**December 31**

Quick examples

- Drove 20 minutes each way to a candidate rally and stayed 90 minutes → log 2 hours 10 minutes under Political Activities.
- Spent 45 minutes printing flyers and 30 minutes at a club meeting (plus 15 minutes travel) → log 1 hour 30 minutes.
- Placed flags on veterans' graves for 2 hours → log 2 hours under Veterans.
- Attended poll-worker training for 3 hours → log 3 hours under Education.

Remember: Small blocks of time add up. If you helped, it counts. Write it down the same day so nothing is forgotten at the deadline.

Events


BERNY
Jaques


Be strong
and courageous.
Do not be afraid;
do not be discouraged,
for the Lord your God
will be with you
wherever you go.
JOSHUA 1:9
LUNA
FOR CONGRESS




CONSERVATIVE VOTER GUIDE
BERNY
Jacques
FOR
STATE REPRESENTATIVE
BASEBALL


CONSERVATIVE
VOTER
GUIDE


WOMEN for MOODY
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FOR U.S. SENATE
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January 1, 2026

2026 PCREC Meeting & Training Schedule

1. Monday, January 12th – Monthly Meeting
2. Monday, February 9th – Monthly Meeting
3. Monday, March 9th – Monthly Meeting
4. Monday, April 13th – Monthly Meeting
5. Saturday, May 23rd – Poll Watcher Training
6. Thursday, May 28th – Membership Training
7. Monday, June 8th – Monthly Meeting
8. Saturday, June 27th – Poll Watcher Training
9. Saturday, July 25th – Poll Watcher Training
10. Thursday, July 30th – Membership Training
11. Monday, August 10th – Monthly Meeting
12. Saturday, September 5th – Poll Watcher Training
13. Monday September 14th – Monthly Meeting
14. Saturday, October 3rd – Poll Watcher Training
15. Monday, October 12th - Monthly Meeting
16. Monday, November 9th – Monthly Meeting
17. Monday, December 14th – Organizational Meeting (PCREC Board elections)

Respectfully,

Adam Ross

Adam Ross
Chairman
Pinellas GOP

PINELLAS GOP

Our Committees

Join One!! Have Fun!!



Committees are the machinery of an organization. We need staff to make it function. Please consider joining any or all of the following:

EVENTS:
If you would like to help plan an event for our club, please join this committee.

MEMBERSHIP: Chairman: Lavinia Weisz
We are looking to grow and expand with like-minded women. Let's grow our membership. Attached to this newsletter is our membership application. Please share with friends and relatives.

PUBLICITY: Chairman Bonnie Steinberg
If you have an article of interest that you would like to submit to the Publicity Committee, please do so no later than the last Wednesday of the month.

LEGISLATIVE/CAMPAIGN:
Voter Registration and following bills up in Tallahassee plus sign waving, door knocking and or phone banking or contacting by texting.

BYLAWS: Julie Vayne
If you like to read and interpret our bylaws, suggest amendments or just be knowledgeable about the rules by which we function, please consider this committee,

***Special Committees*:**
CARING FOR AMERICA: Doris Sotirellis
Caring for America encompasses the community, our schools, support for young mothers, mentorship, etc.

ARMED SERVICES: Stacie Bolin
Supporting our troops, our veterans, Honor Flights are major focuses of this committee. Please consider joining.



We are very excited to welcome all the new and returning members.
Thank you for your membership and your involvement. You make the difference!!

Welcome to the Pinellas Federated Republican Women's Club where we Walk the Walk and not just talk the talk. We need You!!

Time to renew your membership!! Payment can be made via Cash app. In the app search for Pinellas FRW. The membership renewal fee is still $30. Thank you for all you do for the club, Florida, and for our country!

Dues can also be paid through the website pinellasfrw.com. Go to join the movement scroll down and click on the payment button and make the $30.00 payment.

Please reach out to Lavinia Weiscz, 2nd VP/Membership, at lavystyle@gmail.com 727-597-2704.

Pinellas FRW website: pinellasfrw.com
Facebook site: https://www.facebook.com/groups/282887896355480/

Renewal Inventive

Let's Get Ready for 2027!

As 2026 comes to a close, it's time to look ahead to the new year! We're excited about the direction of our club and the speakers, topics, and opportunities for political engagement we have planned for 2027. We look forward to building on this momentum together!

To add a little fun to membership renewals, **anyone who renews their membership by January 15, 2027, will be entered into a raffle for a chance to win a $50 gift card! And there's an added bonus: you'll receive an additional entry for every guest you bring who becomes a member by January 15, 2027.**

We'll draw the winning name at our February meeting. You don't have to be present to win, but we certainly hope you'll join us!

Thank you for being part of our club. We look forward to an exciting and productive year ahead!

Membership Application
Pinellas Federated Republican Women

PO Box #254

Clearwater, FL 33757

NEW MEMBER/RENEWAL

Name: _____

Nickname _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Military service/elected official _____

Areas of interest: (check at least one)

- ☐ Membership
- ☐ Legislation
- ☐ Campaign Activities
- ☐ Fundraising
- ☐ Voter Registration
- ☐ Social Media
- ☐ Special Skills: _____

Dues are $30.00 annually with renewal due in January of each year by cash or check payable to Pinellas Federated Republican Women or PFRW. Payment may also be remitted via Cash App, ID $Pinellas-FRW or through our website pinellasfrw.com. Go to join the movement scroll down and click on the payment button and make the $30.00 payment.

Please mail your check to: Pinellas Federated Republican Women PO Box #254 Clearwater, FL 33757

You must be a registered Republican in good standing to be eligible to join. Associate memberships are available for men.

Any questions contact Lavinia Weisz, 2nd VP/Membership, at Lavystyle@gmail.com 727-597-2704

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DATES TO REMEMBER



Election Day

Tuesday, November 3rd

PFRW Monthly Meeting

Thursday, November 5th

Thanksgiving Day

Thursday, November 26th

Members Circle



Have a story to share? We welcome comments from all members.
Please contact Stacy Geier at stacy.geier@gmail.com