



# ARLINGTON REPUBLICAN CLUB NEWSLETTER



30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Year

October 17, 2005

Since 1975

## The President's Message

By Leslie Recine

Dear Republican Friends,

Many things have changed over the last 30 years. But one thing that has remained the same is the objective of the Arlington Republican Club. On November 11, 2005, the ARC will be 30 years old. Through 30 years of Club officers and members, the objective has never changed. The Club objective is: "To build and promote the continuous growth of the Republican Party in the Arlington area with the objective being good government through an active and effective two party system, and to provide for the citizens of the Arlington area an organization in which to gain an education in political affairs, knowledge of current events, and an opportunity to contribute toward good government through active participation."

The 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala, "The Arlington Republican Club Honors Our Hometown Republican Leaders" is on our exact anniversary date, November 11<sup>th</sup>. This will be a fun-filled evening with Lt. Governor David Dewhurt as our keynote speaker. Make your reservation now for Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>.

The October 27<sup>th</sup> meeting will be the last meeting of 2005. We will be voting on 3 important issues:

1. 2006-7 ARC Officers, 2. Policy for Campaign Contributions, and 3. Membership Dues for 2006. Please attend and cast your vote. On a final note in the last newsletter of 2005, I leave you with a quote from our beloved President Ronald Reagan "It is the right of every American to have opinions, to express them and when the occasion warrants to URGE our public officials to take action based on such opinions." (*REAGAN In His Own Hand*, "South Africa, July 15, 1978, page 188)

Thank you for your time commitment and dedication to the Republican Party. I look forward to working alongside each of you to advance the Republican Party.

Very Truly Yours,  
Leslie Recine

### Ballot Languages for 3 ARC votes on Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> Policy for Campaign Contributions

#### **Arlington Republican Club Policy for Campaign Contributions**

Submitted by Judge Sharen  
Wilson  
10-12-05

I. General Purpose Statement  
A. The Arlington Republican Club (hereinafter ARC or the Club) may give financial contributions to candidates (continued on page 5)

**Important News About  
ARC's 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Gala on page Ten**



State Rep. Linda Harper-Brown speaks on the Marriage Amendment at the Sept meeting

## ARC Nominations Committee Report:

2005-2006 Officer  
Recommendations for  
Election at Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>  
meeting.

President - Leslie  
Recine

V.P. Programs - Laraine  
Bethke

V.P. Membership &  
Telephone - Anne Coker

V.P. Publications -  
Dorrie O'Brien

V.P. Legislative Alert -  
Dr. Mark Hanson

Secretary - Lisa  
Callaghan

Treasurer- Dale Attebery  
Dues Changes-see p.2

Our next meeting is 7 P.M. October 27<sup>th</sup> at Bodacious BBQ, 1206 E. Division St. (just east of Collins st.). Our topic will be "Social Security: Facts and Myths" by Matt Moore, Senior Policy Analyst, National Center for Policy Analysis

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Hon. Carolyn Galloway, Pres. of Citizens for Immigration Reform, speaks on "The High Costs of Illegal Immigration" at the Sept. meeting

## Mark's Remarks

By Dr. Mark Hanson

### Gun Confiscation in New Orleans

A fear of 2<sup>nd</sup> amendment protectors and gun lovers everywhere is the thought that someday our government will knock on our doors and confiscate our guns. Don't say it can't happen; it just did in New Orleans in the aftermath of hurricane Katrina.

Conservatives have always believed Bill Clinton would have LOVED to confiscate our guns. We are certain that if Hillary ever gets elected President she will knock on your door and collect every gun the feds have paperwork on that you have ever purchased. Those with concealed handgun permits will be the first contacted. That's why we bury weapons and ammo out at the farm.

During the Katrina aftermath, New Orleans police officials declared a state of emergency and that they would confiscate everybody's firearms. Two neighboring parishes declared the same edict. New Orleans Superintendent (Police Chief) P. Edward Compass III said "Only law enforcement are allowed to have weapons." The New Orleans deputy police chief said that "No one will be able to be armed. We are going to take all the weapons." Some think the Superintendent Compass

recently resigned partly because of this illegal act. At a time of extreme emergency, like which was the case after Katrina, an armed citizenry is the only bulwark against anarchy. It was plain for all to see the New Orleans police department couldn't protect anyone. Can anyone seriously criticize law abiding citizens for guarding their homes, families and businesses by bearing firearms to prevent bodily harm and looting? Conservatives know you just can't count on the government to protect you.

Luckily there is a happy ending. The Second Amendment Foundation and the National Rifle Association came to the aid of these citizens to protect gun rights. They filed a motion in US District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana seeking a temporary restraining order to block authorities from confiscating law-abiding citizens' firearms in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. Federal Judge Jay Zainey sided with the NRA and the Second Amendment Foundation. This order bars further gun confiscation and orders the authorities to return guns seized to their rightful owners.

Having the government, even local government, disarm and confiscate legally owned firearms is a violation of the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> amendments to the Constitution. The 2<sup>nd</sup> amendment gives the citizenry (the militia) the right to keep and bear arms and the 4<sup>th</sup> amendment prevent illegal confiscation of private property. It is an outrage that must not be allowed to happen again.

#### Dr. Mark Hanson

*Mark R. Hanson, 49, is an optometrist in North Arlington at his office called Insight Vision. He resisted the temptation to write about the injustices of the judiciary and the Supreme Court this month, and is not on President Bush's short list for the next Supreme Court vacancy.*

## Happy Birthday!

Happy birthday to club members with birthdays in October and November:  
(if we missed you, let us know)

### October

10/01 Jay Lapham  
10/03 Susan Wright  
10/04 Melba McDow  
10/05 Kristin Burkhart  
10/05 Bill Burch  
10/05 Senator Jane Nelson  
10/07 Harold Jenkins  
10/07 J. Luke  
10/13 Brian Cotter  
10/17 Dixon Holman  
10/17 George Mackey  
10/18 Randy Catterton  
10/19 Joe Bridges  
10/19 Alice Sobel  
10/21 Susanne Bethke  
10/21 Cynthia Jenkins  
10/21 Betsy Price  
10/23 Robb Catalano  
10/25 Charles Duke  
10/25 Cuqui Otterbine  
10/27 Charla Moore  
10/29 Wayne Salvant

### November

11/05 Tom Wilder  
11/07 Keegan Drake  
11/06 Bev Walsh  
11/20 James Speed  
11/21 Asa Hamrick  
11/27 Janna Brimer  
11/27 Laraine Bethke  
11/28 Judith Wells

### Membership Dues Changes For 2006:

- 1) \$20 per person (no couples memberships)
- 2) After March 31<sup>st</sup>, when dues are delinquent, \$25 per person

## SREC Report

By Tom Quinones

### Gambling Update

As of the time of this writing, the Texas Supreme Court has not ruled on the school finance cases and no major reforms or tax overhauls were adopted in the regular and special sessions. Gambling has been repeatedly offered as a high profile "quick fix" solution for school funding. Because of the presentation of gambling as a painless solution, many Republicans have grown sympathetic, if not reluctantly supportive, of gambling as a risk-free, pain-free solution.

The political reality is that gambling, whether as VLT's, racinos, or full-blown casinos, came extremely close to passage in the regular session, and was only killed in the Senate by the bold and very public opposition of Senator Jane Nelson, who was prepared to filibuster any gambling bill. The pro-gambling lobby is very well-funded and determined. I do not believe that its potency will be reduced until the option of gambling is taken off of the table and real long-term reforms are made in education and government funding. Until then, gambling will be seen as the "default" choice.

Perception is reality in politics. The pro-gambling lobby have attempted to create the impression that gambling is a solid revenue source. (How often did we hear \$2.5 billion?). The truth is that based on its own assumptions and projections, gambling falls woefully short in the revenue column where revenues were grossly overstated. Even viewing the lobby's numbers favorably still results in a net deficit to local governments and the state having to address the explosion of social costs which inevitably and historically result. To this very real problem the gambling lobby offers nothing but silence.

I do not believe gambling is dead. In fact, it will be even more

aggressively pushed in upcoming special sessions or the regular session. The lobbyists will try to capitalize on the public's weariness of not solving school finance and hit the default button of gambling. It will not pass on the facts because it simply cannot and has not made the case. It will only succeed when the grassroots allows the light of the facts to fade and lower the heat on our elected officials to take gambling off the table as an acceptable means of funding schools or state government.

Tom Quinones

State Republican Executive Committee  
Senate District 12

### ARC Minutes 9/22/05

Leslie Recine calls the meeting to order at 7:05 P.M. 5 Board Members are present. Anne Coker reads the minutes from the August 25<sup>th</sup> meeting. Dale Attebery gives the Treasurer's Report stating that the club has an available balance of \$9,12163. Dr. Mark Hanson reads an article from The Wall Street Journal regarding election reform and read two letters to the ARC from Texas Senators John Cornyn and Kay Bailey Hutchison regarding eminent domain.

Lisa Callaghan announces the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary gala on November 11. Leslie Recine announces proposed membership dues changes to \$20.00 per person with no discount for couples. Marjorie Moffit substitutes for Judge Sharen Wilson regarding PAC Guideline Committee report. She takes a vote by hand on ARC donations to non-partisan local races and local issue campaigns. A show of hands by those in attendance vote "No" to both proposals. Rick Center sitting in for Melba McDow announces the Nominations of club officers for the following year.

Lisa Callaghan introduces the ARC store and merchandise available: T-shirts, totes, water, cookbooks and caps. State Representative Linda Harper-Brown discusses the Marriage Amendment to voted on in November election. Peter Reyes also discusses the Marriage Amendment.

Leslie introduces guests, elected officials, precinct chairmen and candidates. Rico Brown introduces Guest Speaker Honorable Carolyn Galloway whose topic is "The High Cost of Illegal Immigration." After her presentation, she takes questions from the audience. Leslie thanks everyone for coming and announces the topic for next month's meeting.

Anne Coker

Secretary

### **Proposition 2—The Marriage Amendment—More than just a Moral issue!**

**By Shirley Spellerberg,  
Member of State Republican  
Executive Committee, SD12**

State Constitutional Amendment--Proposition 2--The Marriage Amendment--which defines marriage as the union of one man and one woman--is not only a moral issue but should it be defeated at the polls the cost to taxpayers for benefits to same-sex married couples will be enormous!

**Why Texans need Proposition 2:**

a) A constitutional amendment is necessary because mere "statutes" are being struck down in many other states. In fact, there are currently more than 60 lawsuits across the country seeking to overturn state marriage laws;

b) A constitutional amendment is beneficial because it takes the marriage issue out of the courts

and lets Texans decide the definition of marriage;

c) Cost of benefits for same-sex married couples:

Major federal health and welfare programs—food stamps, welfare, medicare, medicaid, pension benefits, sick leave, bereavement leave for deceased partners, health care insurance cost for treatment of HIV/Aids, and every benefit now applicable to heterosexual married couples only would apply to same-sex couples.

d) Social Security retirement and disability benefits: Upon the death of a Social Security beneficiary, if certain conditions are met, then a spouse, divorced spouse, widow or widower has a right to payments based on the marriage rather than on his/her own earnings.

e) Veteran disability benefits are increased if the veteran has dependents (spouse) and same-sex spouses are entitled to government medical care.

f) Same-sex married couples would be entitled to file Joint Income Tax returns.

g) Same-sex couples could win custody of and adopt children.

**It is rumored that homosexuals from other states have come to Texas in time to register to vote on Proposition 2. Only 30-days residency is required to vote. Opponents of the Marriage Amendment will go to the polls in force. With an anticipated light voter turnout of 5% – 7% EVERY VOTE IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN EVER!**

**This is a serious moral and financial matter!** This is our opportunity to undergird the sacred institution of marriage and the traditional family and to prevent same-sex couples from other states from being recognized in Texas.

Failure of Proposition 2 supporters to turn out the vote will forever change family values in Texas and add greatly to the cost of benefits for same-sex married couples. Urge your pastor, your family and friends to

**VOTE YES ON PROPOSITION**

**2. Early voting begins October**

**24. VOTE EARLY!**

**Shirley Spellerberg**

Member of State Republican Executive Committee, SD12

Marriage Benefits that would apply to same-sex couples as well as heterosexual couples  
State-Granted Legal Marriage Rights [www.buddybuddy.com/mar-list.html](http://www.buddybuddy.com/mar-list.html) Assumption of Spouse's Pension

- Automatic Inheritance
- Automatic Housing Lease Transfer
- Bereavement Leave
- Burial Determination
- Child Custody
- Crime Victim's Recovery Benefits
- Divorce Protections
- Domestic Violence Protection
- Exemption from Property Tax on Partner's Death
- Immunity from Testifying Against Spouse
- Insurance Breaks
- Joint Adoption and Foster Care Joint Bankruptcy
- Joint Parenting (Insurance Coverage, School Records) Joint Parenting (Insurance Coverage, School Records)
- Medical Decisions on Behalf of Partner
- Certain Property Rights Reduced Rate Memberships
- Sick Leave to Care for Partner
- Visitation of Partner's Children
- Visitation of Partner

**Federally-Granted Legal Marriage Rights**

- Access to Military Stores
- Assumption of Spouse's Pension
- Bereavement Leave
- Immigration
- Insurance Breaks
- Medical Decisions on Behalf of Partner
- Sick Leave to Care for Partner
- Social Security Survivor Benefits
- Sick Leave to Care for Partner
- Tax Breaks
- Veteran's Discounts

**Visitation of Partner in Hospital or Prison**

- Visitation of Partner in Hospital or Prison
- **Wrongful Death (Loss of Consort) Benefits**
- **A couple married by a state government is automatically granted a broad range of rights at the federal level. In addition, marriage partners of federal employees, such as civil servants and members of the military, enjoy a broad range of benefits**

**2005 Memberships Since the last newsletter**

- Al Clark
- Shalyn Clark
- Annette Hunt
- Jerry Hennigan
- Kim Hennigan
- Jamal Qaddura
- Drew Stasio
- Trudy Stasio
- Don Waddell

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## Ballot Languages (continued from page one)

### Policy for Campaign Contributions in general elections and runoff

elections following general  
A. elections. The ARC will not  
contribute in non-partisan  
races.

#### II. Recipients of Contributions

A. The ARC will consider  
contributing to candidates for  
elective office in the following  
order:  
1. Tarrant County elections  
2. statewide elections  
3. election of a candidate in  
Texas with statewide impact, i.e.  
election of a state senator or  
representative in a district other  
than Tarrant County

#### III. Contribution Procedures

A. To receive a contribution,  
candidates for Tarrant County  
offices must request a campaign  
contribution at the appropriate  
time by writing to the ARC  
president or the committee in  
charge of contributions,  
Candidate Contributions  
Committee, hereinafter the  
committee.

B. The ARC will initiate  
contributions in statewide  
elections and statewide impact  
elections without regard to  
whether a letter requesting a  
campaign contribution has been  
received by the candidate.

#### IV. Endorsements of Candidates

A. A financial contribution given  
by the ARC may be considered  
by the candidate as an  
endorsement of that candidate's  
election in that race. However,  
the Club may endorse a  
candidate in a race without also  
giving that candidate a  
contribution.

#### V. Funding Restrictions

A. While all funds of the Club are  
PAC funds for purposes of  
Texas state law, the Club will  
only expend funds from the  
Politically Working Republicans-  
Political Action Committee  
(PWR-PAC) account for  
campaign contributions. In any  
given election cycle after all

contributions have been paid,  
not less than \$5500 must remain  
in the PWR-PAC account.

#### VI. Contributions to Candidates

A. In deciding which candidate  
should receive Club  
contributions, the following  
criteria will be considered:

1. Must be a member in good  
standing of the ARC if seeking  
an elected position in Tarrant  
County
  2. Must have an opponent
  3. Political activity – length and  
depth
  4. Other elected offices held
  5. Past voting record of the  
candidate
  6. Previous statements and  
writings of the candidate
  7. Any public record about the  
candidate
  8. Education and work  
experience
  9. Organizations of which the  
candidate is or has been a  
member
  10. Volunteer and community  
activities
  11. Personal
  12. Other items that the  
committee deems important
- B. In determining the amount of  
contribution to any candidate,  
the committee will consider the  
candidate criteria as set out  
above, the office sought, and the  
opponent.

#### VII. Record of Contributions

A. A record of the contributions  
for each election cycle will be  
kept with this policy and  
recorded by the Club secretary  
for use as reference.

#### VIII. Candidate Contributions Committee

A. In each gubernatorial and  
presidential election year, the  
president of the ARC, at a  
regularly scheduled Club  
meeting will appoint a Candidate  
Contributions Committee  
charged with following this Policy  
for Campaign Contributions. The  
committee will consist of five (5)  
members, of which no more than  
one (1) may be an executive  
committee member. The  
remaining four (4) members  
must be members in good  
standing of the ARC. The ARC  
president will serve as *ex officio*

to the committee. The committee serves for the electoral cycle for which it is appointed through any run-offs following the election. The committee is charged with knowledge of county and state elections.

B. The report of the committee will be presented to the membership at a regularly called meeting of the Club where members have received seven (7) days notice of the report. The committee report can be ratified by a simple majority vote of the members present at that meeting.

IX. Timetable for Candidate Elections

May appoint Candidate Contribution Committee

7 days before July meeting

Committee report sent to Club members

July Committee report to Club

August 15 contributions paid by

Club treasurer

X. Federal PAC

A. The ARC will not establish a federal political action committee.

### **Club Objectives**

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For more information see our website at: [www.arlingtonrepublicanclub.com](http://www.arlingtonrepublicanclub.com)



Since 1975

# ARLINGTON Republican Club

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for calendar year: 2005

(Revised 7/1/05)

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

NEW:  RENEWAL:

(PLEASE PRINT)

<b>NAME:</b> (1)		Registered Voter:	SUB - COMMITTEE PREFERENCE:	
(2) (spouse's first name)		YES: _____ NO: _____	1 <sup>st</sup> . Choice: _____	
HOME ADDRESS:		Precinct # _____	2 <sup>nd</sup> . Choice: _____	
HOME ADDRESS:		HOME PHONE/FAX: _____	3 <sup>rd</sup> . Choice: _____	
HOME ADDRESS:		HOME CELL: _____		
BUSINESS ADDRESS:		WORK PHONE/FAX: _____	(Notes)	
BUSINESS ADDRESS:		WORK CELL: _____	-1) Dues: \$15.00/year per individual...or \$25.00/year per couple	
BUSINESS ADDRESS:			-2) Checks: make payable to Arlington Republican Club	
EMAIL ADDRESS(s):			HOME RESIDENT IN WHAT CITY: _____	
HOME:			and FOR HOW MANY YEARS: _____	
WORK:			WORK PLACE IN WHAT CITY: _____	
(other)			and FOR HOW MANY YEARS: _____	
OCCUPATION:		ARE YOU:	ARE YOU:	
		REPUBLICAN:	CONSERVATIVE:	
		DEMOCRAT:	LIBERAL:	
DATE OF BIRTH: (month/day)(1) (2)		OTHER:	MODERATE/OTHER:	
SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE OR EXPERIENCE APPLICABLE TO ARC: (and / or general suggestions)				
OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION: (political activities, elected/appointed offices, etc.)				
DATE OF ORIGINAL MEMBERSHIP:			SIGNATURE:	
DATE OF UPDATE:				
RESERVED FOR ARC NOTES:			ARC DUES INFORMATION:	
ARC General Funds Additional Commitment: \$ _____			Amount Paid: \$ _____	
ARC PWR-PAC Funds Additional Commitment: \$ _____			Date Received: _____	
			Check Number: _____	
			Name of ARC Rep: _____	



Show your pride, celebrate the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Arlington Republican Club with a tote and t-shirt!

T-shirts also come in white.

Totes and t-shirts cost \$10 each.

Pick up your free Arlington Republican Club.com bumper sticker at the club meetings



Baseball cap-\$12; 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cookbook with recipes from some of your favorite Republicans-\$15



# Bodacious

BAR-B-Q

1206 E. Division  
Arlington, Texas  
76011

**(817) 860-4248**

Monday-Saturday  
11-9  
Closed Sunday

~ SANDWICHES ~

Sliced Beef .....	3.75
Chopped Beef.....	3.75
Smoked Turkey.....	3.75
Smoked Ham .....	3.75
Hot Link .....	3.75
Combination (2 Meats).....	3.95
Sloppy Jo .....	1.50

~ PLATES ~

Bar-B-Q .....	9.95
(your choice of 1, 2 or 3 meats, Beef, Ribs, Turkey, Ham or Link & 2 Veg.)	
Rib Plate .....	9.95
(½ slab & 2 veg.)	
Sandwich Special .....	5.95
(Sandwich & 2 Veg.)	

~ DRINKS ~

	Med.	Lg.
Soft Drinks.....	1.25	1.50
Tea (Sweet/Unsweet)...	1.25	1.50
Longneck Beer .....	2.50	

~ BY THE POUND ~

Pork Ribs .....	11.50
Sliced Beef.....	9.95
Chopped Beef.....	9.50
Smoked Turkey.....	9.95
Smoked Ham .....	9.95
Hot Links .....	9.50
Sloppy Jo .....	5.95

~ VEGETABLES ~

	Serv.	Pt.	Qt.	Gal.
Beans	1.25	3.25	5.75	22.00
Pot. Salad	1.25	3.25	5.75	22.00
Cole Slaw	1.25	3.25	5.75	22.00
Corn-on-the-Cob.....				.95
Chips.....				.49
Baked Potato*.....				2.95
(includes sour cream, margarine & cheese) may be substituted for 2 Veg. on plate				
Baked Potato*.....				5.95
(includes sour cream, margarine, cheese and your choice of chopped beef, turkey, ham or link)				

\*Baked potatoes - lunch only

~ DESSERTS ~

Pecan Pie .....	2.00
Banana Pudding .....	2.00
Lemon Ice Box Pie.....	2.00

Catering and Banquet Facilities Available.  
Prices Subject to Change without notice.  
American Express, Visa, MasterCard accepted

**Monthly Club Meetings:**

When you are attending our monthly club meetings, please remember to come early and eat dinner at Bodacious B-B-Q.

We are most appreciative of Fran, Mike and staff for reserving a meeting room for the club to use and honoring our special request items.

Do not forget, you can also buy B-B-Q by the pound to take home, but if you do this, be sure to order as you arrive or they may be out by the time our meetings are over.

The purpose of this effort is to increase our attendance numbers by just making sure all concerned clearly understand that there is no need to stop and eat on the way. Of course, it would also be nice if we could increase business for our host.

**See you in the food line.**

Thank you

**Membership Directory:**

Club membership directories are available to dues paid members only and will be available at each monthly meeting.

# Arlington Republican Club

## 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY GALA

“Honoring Our Hometown Republican Leaders”



**Keynote Speaker:**

**Lt. Governor David Dewhurst**

**Anniversary Date: November 11, 2005**

Arlington Wyndham Hotel

6:30pm Reception | 7:30pm Dinner  
*(cocktail or business attire suggested)*

<b>HONOREES</b> (all graduates of Arlington HS) -----	<b>NOTED</b> Participating Republicans -----	<b>GALA SPONSORSHIPS</b> -----
<p>Honorable <b>Tom Vandergriff</b> Class of 1943</p> <p>Honorable <b>James Cribbs</b> Class of 1949</p> <p><b>Mr. Gary Martin</b> Class of 1953</p> <p>Honorable <b>Bob McFarland</b> Class of 1959</p> <p>Honorable <b>Chris Harris</b> Class of 1966</p>	<p>U.S. Congressman Hon. Joe Barton</p> <p>Land Commissioner Hon. Jerry Patterson</p> <p>Railroad Commissioner Hon. Michael Williams</p>	<p><b>Table Host: \$1,000</b> *10 dinner/reception tickets *photo op &amp; program listing</p> <p><b>Individual Host: \$100</b> *1 dinner/reception ticket *photo op &amp; program listing</p> <p><b>Guest Ticket: \$50</b> *1 dinner ticket</p> <p><b>Gala Program Page Ads:</b> *Full \$100 *Half \$60 Third \$40</p>

# Arlington Republican Club

## 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY GALA

### RSVP form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Guests: 1 \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_\_\_

5 \_\_\_\_\_ 6 \_\_\_\_\_ 7 \_\_\_\_\_

8 \_\_\_\_\_ 9 \_\_\_\_\_ 10 \_\_\_\_\_

#### YES, I WILL SPONSOR:

Table Host \$1,000  
10 tickets to dinner, 10 tickets to reception photo op, program listing.

Individual Host \$100  
*In order to be listed as a host in the program, please return this form by October 21st.*

Guest Ticket (per person) \$50  
1 ticket to dinner  
*Order by October 21<sup>st</sup>.*

#### PROGRAM ADVERTISEMENTS

*Advertising deadline: October 21<sup>st</sup>*

Full page ad \$100  
 Half page ad \$60  
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