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Spotlighting *Betsy Ruffin*



Celebrating 100th Anniversary of Women's Right to Vote

2020 marks the 100th anniversary of ratification of the 19th Amendment. This victory, according to the National Archives, is considered the most significant achievement of women in the Progressive Era. It was the single largest extension of democratic voting rights in our nation's history, and it was achieved peacefully, through democratic processes.

JCRW member and self-professed history buff, Betsy Ruffin, will bring the struggles that our ancestors encountered that has provided women the privilege to vote. The suffragettes were known for wearing white. JCRW members are encouraged to wear white to the meeting to reclaim the symbolism.

A former educator, Betsy taught school for 35 years in the areas of special education and as a librarian/technologist. She was raised in a family of history buffs with both her father and brother teaching U.S. history.

Betsy is an active member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and Colonial Dames with a family history that can be traced to at least 1628, including two who were members of the Virginia House of Burgesses.

You'll want to be sure to attend this meeting and invite your family and friends to join you.



In addition to Betsy's presentation, we will be celebrating Women's History Month by recognizing Elizabeth Victory for her involvement as the member with the longest continuous years of membership. She joined JCRW in 1988 and has served us in a variety of positions including President and helping create our Polly Guthrie Memorial Scholarship.

We'll meet on Tuesday, March 24th at the JCRP Headquarters located at 210 S. Main in Cleburne. Networking will begin at 11:30 a.m. with the program starting at noon. Lunch cost is \$15. Please RSVP to President Tiffany Strother at tiffany@strotherandstrother.com by March 21.





New Members

The following members renewed or joined JCRW in February.

Cassiana Hall

Casey Madison

Beverlee Teich

Jesse Pye-Wilson

Mary Ann Spaun

Georgia Ann Spohn

Jim Simpson

Robin Wilson



President's Corner

By Tiffany Strother

We made it through the Primary Election, but our work is not over yet! Overall, Republican voter turnout was very low which is not a good indication of turnout for November. We must all be proactive now and get the word out that President Trump is going to need everyone's vote in November to win. Please continue your efforts to get your family, friends and neighbors educated and don't be afraid to speak out about **Keeping Texas Red!**

Congratulations to out to all our candidates who ran for office this time. We are all grateful for your willingness to serve our community. You are what makes our county great!



*The Hearts
of Texas*

JCRW appreciates our Hearts of Texas (formerly known as BFFs) in their continuing support above and beyond their annual dues with a \$100 donation that assists our support of candidates and elected officials. You are invited to become a Heart of Texas!

Thanks to our 2020 Hearts of Texas!

**Commissioner Rick Bailey • Judge Wayne Bridewell • Christi Bradley
Representative DeWayne Burns • Anne Deem • Kelly Dudley
Judge Sydney Hewlett • Leanne Ivey • Commissioner Sid Miller
Lisa Phillips • Susan Shaw • DeeAnn Strother • Elizabeth Victory**

Mark Your Calendar for April 28 when we will present our 2020 Polly Guthrie Memorial Scholarship. Watch your email for more information. In the meantime, it's not too late for you to support this worthwhile project and help our Johnson County graduating seniors with their future education. A donation form can be found below. Please help our youth!



HELP JOHNSON COUNTY YOUTH; SUPPORT THE POLLY GUTHRIE SCHOLARSHIP

YES, I want to help Johnson County youth further their education by supporting the Polly Guthrie Scholarship funded by Johnson County Republican Women for graduating seniors. My donation amount is shown below.

Name _____

Address _____ City/Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Occupation _____ Employer _____

___ \$1,000 ___ \$500 ___ \$250 ___ \$100 ___ \$50 ___ \$25 ___ Other \$ _____

Make check payable to JCRW & indicate scholarship donation.

Mail to: JCRW/Polly Guthrie Scholarship ✪ P.O. Box 1194 ✪ Cleburne, TX 76033