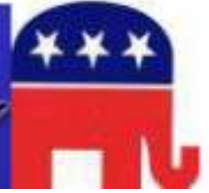




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A Note from the President

Happy New Year! I hope you and your family had a wonderful Christmas and New Year's celebration. Soon we'll be taking down the decorations, the weather will be turning colder and we will want spring to hurry and get here! I am truly humbled to take the reins of leadership for our fine club. It is my sincere hope that as a club we will all find pride and satisfaction in our meetings, our friend-

ships, and the coming events we are already starting to plan. What an exciting year ahead! We will be facing the challenges of a Presidential Election Year nationally, state-wide and locally. As Republican women we are up to the task! Don't think for one minute that the Dems are not already out in force to take back our state

house, and try to have the redistricting overturned.

Guest Speaker for January: Dale Iman

City Manager Dale Iman came to Fayetteville in November 2006 focused on the task of leading the All-America City to new heights. While keeping a steady eye on the big picture, he has worked diligently to transform the City of Fayetteville into a results-oriented organization.

Dale looks forward to a bright future for the city and is proud of what the entire City of Fayetteville team has accomplished.

His more than 30 years of municipal government experience and solid education ensure good decision making for Fayetteville.

Dale's career began in 1976 as a county planner in Allegany County, Md., before moving up the

ladder to the top administrative position in Frostburg, Md. and later to several large municipalities in the Midwest including Marquette, Mich.; Moline, Ill.; Grand Island, Neb. and Southfield, Mich.

In 2006, he completed the prestigious Program for Senior Executives in State and Local Government at Harvard University and was awarded the Taubman Centers' Fellowship for Executive Excellence. While serving as City Manager of Gallipolis, Ohio, he was selected as the Gallia County Person of the Year by the Southeastern Ohio Regional Economic Development Commission for his success in implementing economic development programs



and downtown revitalization.

He received his Bachelor's Degree in Urban Planning, a Master's of Business Administration and a Master's of Management from Frostburg State University in western Maryland.

Born April 1954 in Cumberland, Md., Dale is married to Jan and has one son, Matthew, who lives and works in western Maryland.

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Schedule of Events

January

1/1 **New Year's Day**

1/4 Fayetteville Beautiful Volunteering Opportunity (see page 3)

1/10 CCRWC Members Meeting, Highland County Club, 7:30PM

1/16 **Martin Luther King Day**, Executive Board Meeting

February

2/1 **National Freedom Day**

2/14 **Valentine's Day**, CCRWC Members Meeting, Highland Country Club, 7:30PM

2/20 Executive Board Meet-

January 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 New Year's Day	2	3	4 Fayetteville Beautiful	5	6	7
8	9	10 CCRWC Meeting	11	12	13	14
15	16 Executive Board Meeting	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

"Like" the Cumberland County Republican Women's Club page on Facebook to see all of our upcoming events, photos, and the most up-to-date information!



Will you be attending the next Members Meeting?

Membership Meetings are always held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at the Highland Country Club.

RSVP by January 9th before noon for the January 10th meeting by calling Sue Dennis (910) 425-4353 or (910) 584-4735, for reservations.

As always, you have the options of

- a full Buffet for \$22.00,
- dessert and beverage for \$5.50,
- seat only for \$3.00.

PLEASE NOTE:

Our reservation policy If you make a reservation, and do not attend the meeting, you are obligated to pay for your reservation.

Cancellations must be made by noon on the Monday prior to the meeting, to prevent your being charged.

Important Websites to Visit:

Visit our Website to review our year in pictures and learn more about the CCRWC:

<http://www.cumberlandcountyrepublicanwomensclub.org/>

The National Federation of Republican Women:

<http://www.nfrw.org/>

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The North Carolina Federation of Republican Women:

<http://www.ncfederationofrepublicanwomen.org/>

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Volunteering

Fayetteville Beautiful

Opportunity with

Come and join other CCRWC Members who gather together monthly to beautify downtown Fayetteville. In January we'll be trimming and weeding the Hurly pots' pansies.

The next time we will be gathering together will be Wednesday, January 4th, at 8

am, in front of the Arts Council building on Hay St. For more information, call Suzanne Rucker at 910 484-7957.

Fayetteville Beautiful is a committee of concerned citizens dedicated to encourage others to take greater responsibility for improving their environment. The key to a long term sustainable solution for a more beautiful Fayetteville is its success at changing individual

behavior and attitudes about litter. We plan to accomplish that through the strategic plan developed in the 6 subcommittees. Those subcommittees are Beautification, Education, Communication, Ordinance, Enforcement and Technology.

Our organization meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month 2:00 PM in the Lafayette Room, City Hall, 433 Hay Street.



Les Munson



Jerry Dennis

CHRISTMAS BASKET RAFFLE
IS A BIG SUCCESS!!

We had 7 beautiful baskets to raffle at our December Membership meeting. The proceeds will be going to the USO Children's Corner at the Fayetteville Regional Airport.

Due to the generosity of our members, their families and friends, we were able to raise \$1,130.00!!



Pizza & Politics

This Year Pizza & Politics will be April 14th.

We have reserved the Honeycutt Recreation Center giving us plenty of room.

Guest Speakers from all over the state of North Carolina are being invited.

There will be a Silent Auction, so start saving so you can bid on your choice of beautiful and fun tiems.

Sponsorship will also be available.

So watch for more details in coming issues of the CCRWC Newsletter.





Photography by Dawn Corbett



Christmas Basket won by the Fisher House.



Stuffed Animals for the USO