



STARK COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN

MEETING LOCATION

La Pizzeria
3656 Dressler Rd NW
Canton OH 44718

11:00am Check In

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**SRW General Meeting
September 3, 2026
La Pizzeria Restaurant**

**SRW Board Meeting
September 8TH, 2026,
TUESDAY 12:00 pm**

**Board Meeting Location:
Stark County GOP Office**

**SRW General Meeting
October 1st, 2026
La Pizzeria Restaurant**

Visit us at:

SRWOHIO.org

Email: starkrwf@gmail.com



**CONNECT
LEARN
BELONG**

Come Connect With Us!

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Meet other members.
Make new friends.
Learn more about the Federation.

Whether you're a longtime member or new to the organization, this meeting is a great opportunity to get connected and discover all that the Federation has to offer.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- CONNECT** with fellow members from across our Federation
- MAKE NEW FRIENDS** and build lasting relationships
- LEARN** how the Federation works and how you can get involved
- DISCOVER OPPORTUNITIES** to participate, volunteer and make a difference
- SHARE IDEAS** and help strengthen our organization

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2026

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM

LA PIZZERIA RESTAURANT
3656 Dressler Rd NW
Canton, OH 44718

YOU BELONG HERE!

Come as you are, bring a friend, and enjoy an opportunity to connect with women who share your passion for making a difference.

**STARK COUNTY
REPUBLICAN WOMEN**

Come for the Meeting. ★ Stay for the Friendships. ★ Get Connected to the Federation!

★ RSVP TODAY! ★

RSVP to starkrwf@gmail.com

MENU OPTIONS: September 3, 2026

1. Parmesan Crusted Chicken with Potatoes and Side salad
2. Meatballs with side salad
3. Chef Salad, blend of greens, cheese, egg, tomatoes. Salmon

All Reservations are due by **August 28th, 2026**

**20.00 All-inclusive if you make a Reservation and do not show
you will be billed! RSVP to starkrwf@gmail.com**



President's Message

Campaign season is upon us! This is an election that will depend on your participation. We need all members to get involved in helping our candidates, working at the GOP headquarters, working at the Stark County Fair, attending GOP events, working at the polls, door knocking and making calls. We need everyone and bring your friends. This may be the most consequential election in our lifetime. So, get motivated and let's do our part!

If you have not been on our website, please check it out. It is www.srwohio.org. We are currently making improvements and changes, and we look forward to all of you learning how to make reservations for lunch and pay for lunch, order and pay for your shirts, Christmas ornaments, helping with the MELP (literacy program), becoming a sponsor and more. If you are interested in helping with the website or social media, please contact any board member for information or to sign up.

Thank you to our entire membership for helping make SRW the largest and most amazing club in the state of Ohio. Let's continue the great work and invite more Republican women to join us. Together, we accomplish great things.

The Nomination Committee was voted on and approved at the August meeting. Those members are Charlene Dombrowski, Jenn Kiko and Mary Beth Poillon. If you are interested in running for office, please let them know of your interest so we can be ready to elect our new board members at our November meeting. The term of office is January 1, 2027, to December 31, 2027.

God Bless America! Pray

Diane Killinger, President

LEGISLATIVE UPDATES:

Submitted by State Senator Jane Timken

Issue 3: Photo ID Requirement

Key points on Issue 3:

- The Ohio Ballot Board approved ballot language for Issue 3, a proposed constitutional amendment requiring photo identification for in-person voting.
- As a co-sponsor, I strongly encourage a "Yes" vote on Issue 3.
- Adding the requirement to the Ohio Constitution would help prevent future General Assemblies from weakening the photo ID standard.
- Democrats remain divided: gubernatorial candidate Amy Acton has expressed support for Issue 3.
- Her running mate, David Pepper, has repeatedly opposed photo ID requirements.

Data Centers Remain an Election Issue

Key points on data centers:

- Data centers remain a prominent campaign topic.
- Vivek Ramaswamy announced his Ohioans-First data center plan.
- The plan would block new data centers unless they meet specific requirements.
- Cover nearby residents' electricity bills.
- Lower property taxes; and

2025 Membership **76**

2026 Current Membership **100** as of August 6th, 2026

We are still accepting 2026 Memberships through August 31st 2026.

Please use this form to complete your renewal and pay for your 2026 Membership

MEMBERSHIP FORM 2026

STARK COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN

Make checks payable to **STARK COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN**

Membership dues and renewals are due Jan. 1 and delinquent January 15th, 2026.

Mail check to: Stark County GOP Attention: Stark County Republican Women

2729 Fulton Drive NW Canton, OH 44718

Regular Member New ☐ or Renewal ☐ \$35.00 (Republican women with voting rights in this unit)

Associate Member ☐ \$15.00 (Members of other units, Republican men)

Patron ☐ \$75.00 (Republican women, men or businesses wishing to request special status)

Please request more information about our Sponsorship Program

Member Information:

Name: _____

Address _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

E-Mail _____ Month and day of birth _____ / _____

On behalf of the National Federation of Republican Women, it is our distinct honor to formally recognize your club's achievement of the **Signers Circle** within the America 250 Membership Challenge.

This designation represents the highest level of membership growth in 2026 and reflects a standard of leadership achieved by a select group of clubs. By attaining **25% or greater growth**, your club has demonstrated exceptional commitment, discipline, and organizational strength.



**White House
Christmas**

Ornament 2026

**Contribution
\$26.00 each**

**Order at:
SRWOHIO.org**

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS AND OPPORTUNITIES

As a leader, you understand the importance of having volunteers and skilled leaders to support campaigns and our overarching goals and mission.

Our mission is to train, educate, and recruit these leaders to be an essential part of the process in electing qualified individuals. We invite you to support our local organization as a sponsor.

The benefits you will receive, aside from having trained volunteers and skilled leaders, are listed below.

1. **Listed in our Monthly Newsletter**
2. **Promoted at every meeting**
3. **Signage with your business name or office**
4. **Special Recognition at our events**
5. **Opportunity to address our group for updates or during campaigns.**

Additionally, your sponsorship will enable us to expand our outreach efforts, increase our training programs, and support more women in their pursuit of political and civic leadership roles. With your investment, we can ensure that our community thrives with well-prepared and enthusiastic leaders dedicated to our shared values and goals.

We have Three Levels of Sponsorship, Join our current Sponsors this year!

Patriot: \$500.00

*Elayne Dunlap,
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Stars and Stripes: \$250.00

Sandy Rains, Cutler Real Estate

Judy Wood, Member Sponsor

James Glaven, Paris Township Trustee

Liberty: \$100.00

Jeff Furr, Candidate for Judge

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Julie A Jakmides, Attorney at Law

*Charity Rysak, Commissioner,
New African Immigrants*

Mary Moore, Cruise Planners

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TREASURERS REPORT

As of June 30, 2026

Beginning Balance: \$6381.79

Total Deposits: \$112.50

Expenses: \$1978.47

Ending Balance: \$4515.82

Respectfully submitted by: Sandy Smith

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Order your SRW Shirt at our meeting. Cost is 28-33.00 depending on shirt style. Heat transfer is 4.00 and Embroidery is 12.00.

Contact Charlene Dembrowski to order your shirt at:

buttonwoodwallst@gmail.com

Dates for volunteering:

September 3, 2026,

CHECK-IN TABLE Dianna Moore and Beverly Wilke

50/50, Need Volunteer

Next meeting September 3, 2026

Americanism Chair: Susie Buckey

Armed Forces/Veterans Committee Chair: Charlene DombrowskiCommittee Members: Dianna Moore and Brandi Pine

Hospitality: Beverly Wilke

Facebook: Karen Maierhofer

Membership Committee: Deborah Giebel and Katelyn Reinhart

Newsletter: Claudia Wilkins

Photography: Karen Maierhofer and Susie Buckey

Precinct Committee: OPEN POSITION ****Looking for two volunteers!****

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