

September Business Meeting

Minutes.

Call to order by Meredyth 6:38pm if Jim will stop talking

Informal “panel” 4 people form campaigns, 1 on election judge and ballot integrity

Garrett Skiba – Dave Lenkowski 12th district

1. Thursday football and calling 6-8
2. Saturday green city market
3. Sat and Sunday canvassing
4. Wednesday the 15th wine tasting \$40 wine and apps Vintage 238, Republican bar
5. Oct 9 young leaders event – fundraiser
6. Show support by letting them know you live in the district. Can tell fundraisers that there is actually a base

Veronica Vera – Randy Hultgren US Congress 14th district

1. Victory call center needs more people, let your family and friends know!
2. Friday the 17th, Andrew Breitbart \$65 or CYR rate of \$50 for program or \$100 for VIP (instead of \$125)

David – Doherty. Only Republican Alderman running for state senate

1. Main focus is ground game
2. Sat and Sunday are putting up 1500 yard signs
3. Going to be outspent 4:1 so they need to get the name out
4. Northwest side, Edison Park right off Harlem
5. Laura going up Sat or Sunday for more fun

Caitlin – Adam Robinson. State senate on the north side. Very liberal district, but the numbers say they’re close

1. Pollack lit drop day on Sunday
2. Lunch at Maggiano’s on the 21st with Christine Radogno. CYR price \$75 instead of \$150

Wes – Running for Cook Cty Board of Directors. Small office, should be the easiest to win. Opponent is Daly appointee, has sporadic attendance at meetings.

1. Small campaign, no phonebanking needed
2. Endorsed by National Taxpayers of IL
3. Good place to get involved in campaign
4. Has been doing a media circuit and parades, opponent can not
5. if you cant send yourself, send money

Sharon Strobeck-Eckersall- Runnign for Cook Cty Assesor

1. Has experience in this
2. Fundraisers coming up – Chocolate tour
3. Certified Assesing officer for 15 years – Cook Cty is exempt and that’s not needd
4. Puts assessed value on your property, # from which your property taxes are based.

Jon – election Stuff

1. A lot of fraud where there is no local republican presence
2. Trying to be ambitious this year to recruit 500 attorneys state wide and 1000 individuals to work with the State Party and State wide candidates to train and place volunteers into “problem” precincts. Just to watch and let them know we are there. Act at the very least as a deterrent. Need evidence to do anything about it and need witnesses for evidence.
3. Entail and evening of training – probably at a law office downtown - where you learn what to look for on election day
4. Need to be able to work all day on election day. Normally paired with another person and phone in what’s happening. Need to hop from place to place. No need to be an attorney. Do not need to be registered to vote, do need to be a resident.
5. Also need election judges and equipment managers

Business

1. PAC - Phone banking, Thursday bilingual night. Tuesday is weekly CYR night. This week we are battling the DCYRs. Free food from Vines. Urban YR showdown – you can win a DCYR t-shirt!!
2. Comm – Chaos Control with Columbia college. Locally broadcast TV show, each week a current topic for YRs to debate YDof America. Need one or two people per week.
 - a. Brian – open the emails. We need more word of mouth and re-communications on FB and twitter. We are now going to take a backseat, presswise, to bigger campaigns. Will probably be approached for comments on election night. Will discuss in upcoming weeks.
 - b. Keep image alive and vibrant – blog on the website! Contact Meredyth or Katy. All campaigns are invited to blog.
 - c. Jim – blog monitoring initiative. When reading stuff at work and you see an article about a republican issue or campaign, put the link in basecamp and ask the people to comment on the article.
3. Membership – Kyle
 - a. Focus on committing our resources to campaigns
 - b. If you are interested in taking on more of a role in a committee, after November 2 is the day to make your move. We are watching you for new leaders...
 - c. Small groups will be coming back soon
 - d. Laura, Kyle and Ashvin are hosting an event for Dold in the cong. 10th. Thursday Sept 30th at Kerryman \$40 for CYRs and CRs
4. Events - Jacque
 - a. Buy your poggled tickets
 - b. Chicago Marathon
 - c. Halloween Party
 - d. Right nation
5. Fill out election judge form, votor registration – last day is Oct 3.