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CHICAGO TAX DAY TEA PARTY AFTER EVENT



Join us on April 15th as we re-enact our very own tea party aboard Chicago's Tall Ship Windy, the largest sailing ship in the country! Cisco Cotto of WIND560-AM will host along with special guests Illinois Party Chairman Andy McKenna and State Senator Matt Murphy. Come out and let your voices be heard!

The Tax Day festivities take place all day at the dock. Join us at the Billy Goat Tavern on Navy Pier across from the Tall Ship Windy any time from 2:30-10:30pm. Admission to the Billy Goat is free and there will be a cash bar and a full menu. Come out for a historic tea party on the lake!

Earlier in the day, join fellow CYRs at Federal Plaza (230 S. Dearborn) from 12 noon to 2 pm for the Nationwide Tax Day Tea Party Protest. Bring your signs and banners! For more information go to: taxdayteaparty.com or e-mail: info@officialchicagoteaparty.com

CHICAGO TAX DAY TEA PARTY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Planning on attending the noontime Tea Party protest tomorrow in Federal Plaza? Then come join the CYRs in registering voters, supporting the rally, and volunteering for other support roles for the day's activities. Interested volunteers should meet with other CYRs at 11am on Wed. April 15th at The Corner Bakery 140 South Dearborn. For more information, contact Larry (312) 636-0908 or larrylavanway@gmail.com.

PLAN TO ATTEND THE MIDWEST YR MEETING

Young Republicans from all over the Midwest will be meeting in Chicago on April 17th and 18th. We plan for the future of the GOP, participate in practical seminars, and hear from great GOP leaders like our State Chairman, conservative thinkers and media personalities. Plans include an evening with Gary Sinise's ultra-patriotic Lt. Dan Band on Friday night*

Friday, April 17, 2009 4:00 p.m. till 11:00 p.m. and Saturday, April 18, 2009 from 8:00 a.m. till 11:00 p.m.

Registration is \$75.00 per person and includes meetings and the Saturday night event. *Please note - the Lt. Dan Band concert in Friday is an additional \$21.00 per person. You can register online be [clicking here](#).

We have arranged for discounted hotel rooms at the Hilton Chicago (720 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago) for only \$99.00 per night. To make a reservation, call Hilton Reservations at 877-865-5320 and give the group code: IRP or "Illinois

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USO "NO DOUGH" DINNER

CYRs will sponsor a No Dough Dinner Program at the USO Great Lakes located on base at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center on April 30, 2009. The No Dough Dinner is a free meal and program the night before payday at USO Great Lakes. To help fundraise for the event or to help serve dinner, contact jennifer_koerner@yahoo.com

The USO is a private, nonprofit organization whose mission is to support the troops by providing morale, welfare and recreation-type services to our men and women in uniform.

CINCO DE MAYO FIESTA WITH RNHA

Come join the Republican National Hispanic Assembly of Cook County and the Chicago Young Republicans as we celebrate Cinco De Mayo! Tuesday, May 5, 2009 from 6:00pm - 8:00pm at MOE's Cantina (3518 N. Clark, Chicago). Say RNHA for an optional Open Bar. \$30 includes Sangria and Margaritas.

CYR BOOK CLUB

For April, the CYR Book Club will read *New York Times* bestseller [Meltdown: A Free-Market Look at Why the Stock Market Collapsed, the Economy Tanked, and Government Bailouts Will Make Things Worse](#) by Thomas E. Woods Jr. with a foreword by Congressman Ron Paul. The Club will meet May 3rd at 12 noon to discuss the book. To participate, contact Mike Volpe at mvolpe998@gmail.com.

BOWL-A-FUNDRAISER FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS OF ILLINOIS

On May 13, 2009, the Chicago Young Republicans (CYRs) will gather at 10 Pin (330 N. State St.) from 6-8pm for a "Bowling for the Champs" fundraiser with proceeds to benefit Special Olympics of Illinois. In a light-hearted nod to President Obama's disparaging remarks directed at Special Olympics athletes during an appearance last month on the Tonight Show, the CYRs try to turn a negative into a positive. \$30 includes 1 hour of bowling and 2 drink tickets (good for beer or wine) Pizza will be provided.

[Click here](#) to pay & reserve your spot!

Prizes for all bowlers that beat Obama's 129!

[Pledge sheets available here!](#)

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

April is CYR membership renewal time! Don't miss out on all the CYRs have to offer! If you paid annual dues before October 1, 2009, then please renew your membership [on-line](#) or at the next CYR event. Annual dues are \$25. If you paid your CYR Membership dues after October 1, 2009, then your CYR Membership expires April 2010.

RACE TO WRIGLEY

On Saturday April 25 at Cheer on the Chicago Young Republican Elephant Stampede as 60 runners in CYR T-Shirts run a 5K through Wrigleyville. Join

the crew afterward for a Pub Crawl! (Details Coming.) For more information, contact Jacob Peterson at jpete411@gmail.com.

COMMITTEE ANNOUNCEMENTS

The CYR PAC meeting will be held on Sunday April 19th at 6:30pm. The location will be Ginger's Ale House (back room) 3801 N. Ashland Ave. Agenda will items will include a Tax Day Tea Party review, PAC plans for the summer and invited guest & gubernatorial candidate Andrew Andrejewski. Contact Larry (312) 636-0908 or larrylavanway@gmail.com for more information.