

Wise Republican Women

Wise County Courthouse
Decatur, Texas
January 11, 2010

The Wise County Republican meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by Allen Williamson, Chairman of the WCRP. D.A. Sharpe gave the invocation and Allen Williamson led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and the Texas Pledge.

The minutes from the November meeting were accepted as submitted.

WCRP treasurer Bill Marney reported a balance of \$283.32. Bettye Parker (Dottie Chase was absent) reported a balance of \$7980.65 for the WRW.

D.A. Sharpe gave a short report on the Christmas Party; a good time was had by all 75 attendees.

Bettye Parker gave us the details of the Rhinestone Roundup to be held in Bridgeport on March 6, 2010. Advanced tickets will be sold for \$30, tickets at the door will be \$35. Speakers will be Michael Quinn Sullivan and Justice Sue Walker from the 2nd Court of Appeals.

Allen Williamson introduced all the Candidates for the upcoming Primaries. Those Candidate in opposed races were each allowed a two minute introduction.

Unopposed Candidates were as follows:

Wise County Chairman - Allen Williamson
Wise County District Judge - John H. Fostel
Wise County Clerk - Sherry Coursey Lemon
Wise County Treasurer - Katherine Canova Hudson
County Court at Law Judge - Melton Cude
Justice of the Peace Pct 1- Jan Morrow
Justice of the Peace Pct 4 - Clay Poynor

Ballot Selection for Local Races as follows:

County Judge - Bill McElhaney
Jim Cowell

District Clerk - Christy Fuqua
Brenda Rowe

County Commissioner Pct 2 - Kevin Burns
Rob Hawkins

County Commissioner Pct 3 - Wayne Davis

Harry Lamance
Danny Lambert
Kenneth Steel
Don "Yank" Underhill
Brent Wilson

County Commissioner Pct 4 - Terry Ross
Paul Wood

Justice of the Peace Pct 2 - Terry Johnson (DVD presentation)
Karen Green

Justice of the Peace Pct 3 - Bill Burdock
Mandy Hayes
Chad Hightower
Harold Lisby
Dee Long
David Montgomery

The U.S. Representative Candidates or their delegates; Sharon Dale representing Kay Granger, Mike Brasovan, and Matthew Kelly each gave a short introduction.

JD Clark, Mayor of Chico, gave a short introduction.

We were able to spend time with each Candidate after the meeting which was interesting and informative for all.

There will be no meeting in March due to the annual Rhinestone Roundup.

Allen Williamson adjourned the meeting at 7:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Deb Brantner