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* * * MEETING NOTICE * * *

Friday, January 7, 2005

featuring



Director of California Club for Growth Co-Founder Gray Davis Recall, 2003 Immediate Past Chairman, California Republican Party, 2001

In February of 2001, Shawn Steel was elected Chairman of the California Republican Party. A prolific fundraiser, Shawn Steel has helped raise millions of dollars for the Republican Party and it's candidates. Steel's Republican activism dates back to his college days, where in 1964 he worked for Barry Goldwater, founding "Youth for Goldwater" with chapters in every public and parochial school in the San Fernando Valley. Two years later, he would help create and lead the statewide "Youth for Reagan" organization. Since then, Shawn Steel has served in countless positions within the Republican Party- from grassroots volunteer, to Party Treasure, to Secretary of the Lincoln Clubs, to CRP Chairman.

WHERE:

Friendly Hills Country Club 8500 S. Villaverde Dr., Whittier

DIRECTIONS

N. on Colima, R. on Mar Vista R. on Villaverde L. into Country Club

WHEN

11 a.m. Business Meeting Cost: \$15 includes lunch.

FOR RESERVATIONS

Kaye Scott (626) 855-2727 For reservations call by January 3

Should it be necessary to cancel standing or call-in reservations, it must be done so by the reservation deadline; otherwise, luncheon tickets must be paid for. The Country Club charges us for reservations made, so it is very important that they receive an accurate count.

We appreciate your cooperation.

Have a contribution for the newsletter?

Send it to Pat Lund, editor, at mompats@earthlink.net

Contributions are due by the tenth of the month

Thought for the Month

"No people on earth have more cause to be thankful than ours, and this is said reverently, in no spirit of boastfulness in our own strength, but with the gratitude to the Giver of good who has blessed us. Let us remember that, as much has been given us, much will be expected from us, and that true homage comes from the heart as well as from the lips, and shows itself in deeds."

—Theodore Roosevelt

Coming Events

January 1, 2005 HAPPY NEW YEAR CELEBRATE!

January 7, 2005
WRWF Luncheon
Shawn Steel
Friendly Hills Country Club

January 21
WRWF Board Meeting
10:AM
Whittier Depot

January 22
Inauguration of our great
President George W. Bush.
Hurray!

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Born and raised in California, Shawn Steel attended Los Angeles area public schools and earned a Masters in History from the University of Southern California. Shawn later earned his Juris Doctorate. He is published in numerous professional journals and newspapers, including the National Review, San Francisco Chronicle, San Diego Union, Los Angeles Daily Journal, California Policy Review, the Los Angeles Times, and the Orange County Register.

Shawn and his wife Michelle currently live in Palos Verdes, where they are raising their two daughters Cheyenne (17) and Siobhan (14).

Border Crossings

The flood of American liberals sneaking across the border into Canada has intensified in the past weeks, sparking calls for increased patrols to stop the illegal immigration. The re-election of President Bush is prompting the exodus among left leaning citizens who fear they'll soon be required to hunt and agree with Bill O'Reilly.

Canadian border farmers say it's not uncommon to see dozens of sociology professors, animal rights activists and Unitarians crossing their fields at night. "I went out to milk the cows the other day, and there was a Hollywood producer huddled in the barn," said Manitoba farmer Red Greenfield, whose acreage borders North Dakota. The producer was cold, exhausted and hungry. "He asked me if I could spare a latte and some free-range. When I said I didn't have any, he left. Didn't even get a chance to show him my screenplay, eh?"

In an effort to stop the illegal aliens, Greenfield erected fences, but the liberals scaled them. So he tried installing speakers that blare Rush Limbaugh across fields. "Not real effective," he said. "The liberals still got through, and Rush annoyed the cows so much they wouldn't give milk."

†Officials are particularly concerned about smugglers who meet near the Canadian border, pack them into Volvo station wagons, drive them across the border and leave them to fend for themselves. "A lot of these people are not prepared for rugged conditions" an Ontario border patrolman said. "I found one carload without a drop of drinking water. They did have a nice

Natan Sharansky, long a prisoner in the Soviet gulag, notes: "I am convinced that all people desire to be free ... that freedom anywhere will make the world safer everywhere ...that democratic nations, led by the United States, have a critical role to play in expanding freedom around the globe."

little Napa Valley Cabernet, though." When liberals are caught, they're sent back across the border, wailing loudly that they fear retribution from conservatives. Rumors have been circulating about the Bush administration establishing reeducation camps in which liberals will be forced to drink domestic beer and watch NASCAR.

In the days since the election, liberals have turned to sometimes ingenious ways of crossing the border. Some have taken to posing as senior citizens on bus trips to buy cheap Canadian prescription drugs. After catching a half-dozen young vegans disguised in powdered wigs, Canadian immigration authorities began stopping buses and quizzing the supposed senior-citizen passengers. "If they can't identify the accordion player on The Lawrence Welk Show, we get suspicious about their age," an official said. Canadian citizens have complained that the illegal immigrants are creating an organic-broccoli shortage and renting all the good Susan Sarandon movies. "I feel sorry for American liberals, but the Canadian economy just can't support them," an Ottawa resident said. "How many art-history majors does one country need!"

In an effort to ease tensions between the United States and Canada, Vice President Dick Cheney met with the Canadian ambassador and pledged that the administration would take steps to reassure liberals, a source close to Cheney said. "We're going to have some Peter, Paul & Mary concerts. And we might put some endangered species on postage stamps. The President is determined to reach out."

"This is a wonderful, decent nation, brimming with millions of people who take people as they find them and do what is right because that is their character. Moreover, the United States is chock-a-block with institutions, customs, and most of all families that encourage and foster good character as an end in itself."

—Jonah Goldberg
