

Conservative Talk Lunch (CTL)

February 27, 2019

SUMMARY

King Buffet

3650 Kietzke

11:30-1:30 pm

If you have questions or comments, please do NOT hit Reply. Kindly email me directly at simi4relo@gmail.com. Thank you.



MISSION STATEMENT: To provide a forum to educate and to inform about various current local, state and national political issues; to provide a forum for candidates running for office to inform and educate about their platform; to provide a forum for attendees to discuss and make informed decisions that promote the Conservative cause and citizen participation in government.

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Mark Your Calendars

Daily & Weekly

* Monday-Friday, 5:00-8:00 AM, 780 AM (KKOH) **The Mitchell and Mason Show**, with Ross Mitchell and Dan Mason, also live-streamed at <http://bit.ly/14EQcg>. Battling Liberals daily. Call in lines are 775-852-8255 or 800-564-5564.

* Monday-Friday, 8:00-9:00 AM, 780 AM (KKOH) **Dan Mason Show**. Also live-streamed at <http://bit.ly/14EQcg>. Battling Liberals daily. Call in lines are 775-852-8255 or 800-564-5564.

* Every Wednesday, 4:00-5:45 PM, Scheels Meeting Room (Upstairs). **Constitution Study Group**, Contact D.J. Jones, jones.richard@yahoo.com

* Every Thursday, 2:00-3:00 pm, **CEO Business Mind** on 1180 AM with Joe Morabito.

Re-broadcast over the weekend on 99.1 FM. Check local listings. Or follow Joe's blog, ceobusinessmind.com.

* Every Thursday, 4:15-5:30 PM, **Current Events**, where the discussion centers around news, headlines, politics. No subject is off limits. All participants are respectful of others and all are welcome. Del Webb Aspen Lodge, Questions? Contact Larry Newman, 775-322-5141.

Coming Soon

* Thur, Feb 28, 5:45pm, South Valleys Library, 15650 Wedge Parkway, Arvid Pasto doing a presentation on **Anthropogenic Global Warming is Political (not Physical) Science**. Free, but timing is important as library locks doors at 6:00, so must be inside by 5:45. If interested, RSVP to Arvid directly,

arvidpasto@yahoo.com.

* Fri, Mar 1, 5:30-?, Famous Dave's BBQ, Republican First Friday. Come enjoy free appetizers and no-host bar with your like-minded friends.

* Sun, Mar 3, 1:30-4:00 pm, Del Webb Aspen Lodge, Disaster Prep Group. All are welcome. Questions, contact Larry Newman, 775-622-3141.

* Tue, Mar 5, 6:00 pm, KNPB Conference Room, 1670 N. Virginia, Washoe County Republican Assembly (WCRA) meeting.

* Thu, Mar 7, 6:30 pm, GOP HQs Annex, Washoe Cty Republican Party Executive Committee meeting.

* Tue, Mar 12, 2:00 pm, Washoe County School Board meeting, 425 E. 9th (just east of Evans). This will be a big meeting with many in attendance, as there will be discussion of "Digital Days" and other SD issues. Carpool and/or come early as the parking lot is sure to be full.

* Wed, Mar 13, 11:30-1:30, Conservative Talk Lunch (**CTL**), King Buffet. Call Carole Fineberg, 775-622-9811 with any questions or a desire to be on the agenda. \$14 for optional buffet, beverage, tax & tip.

* Thu, Mar 14, 11:30, Atlantis, Republican Women of Reno (RWR). Program: TBA. \$25/members w/reservation by 2/11; \$30/non-members w/reservation by 2/11; \$35 for walk-ins. RSVP to 866-806-5501 or to rwreno.org.

* Tue, Mar 19, 5:30 pm, Sparks Nugget, Sparks Republican Women (SRW). Program: Ray Bacon, NV Manufacturers Assn on "2019 Outlooks and Impact of Manufacturing in Northern NV." \$28/Members, \$33/non-Members, all w/reservations by 3/13. RSVP to Liz Arnold, 775-385-8708 or to

ejbarnold@gmail.com with "RSVP" in the subject line or go to

<http://www.sparksrepublicanwomen.com>.

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1) Arvid Pasto's presentation on the myth of global warming, **tomorrow, Feb 28**, at the South Valleys Library, **5:45 pm**. RSVP to Arvid -

arvidpasto@yahoo.com. See in the Calendar section for more info.

2) Shawn Meehan on the radio tomorrow, **Thursday, February 28, 2018 at 11:05am**, will be a guest on **Reagan Babe's** (<https://www.reaganbabe.com/>) radio talk show discussing our efforts to prevent the deceptive re-writing of our Constitution with the Article V convention. Shawn would be honored if you'd tune in and send any feedback you wish.

The host will briefly ask about the Nevada Republican Party Voter ID committee Shawn is heading up and then they'll move into the main topic of Article V of the Constitution and why defeating this deceptive movement to alter our Constitution is the most important topic in America today.

There are several ways to listen FREE no matter where you live:

1. Reno, Carson City, Lake Tahoe, Douglas County, 99.1FM radio

2. Internet web browser, stream

99.1FM: <https://radio.securenetsystems.net/v5/index.cfm?stationCallSign=KKFT>

3. Tune-In radio smartphone app:

Tunein iOS: <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/tunein-radio-mlb-podcasts/id418987775?mt=8> OR

Tunein

Android: https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=tunein.player&hl=en_US

Search "99.1 FM TALK" to find station

Here is an article Shawn wrote on the topic where I discovered an offensive reversing of Thomas Jefferson's advice: <https://www.guardtheconstitution.com/2017/07/06/convention-of-states-falsifies-thomas-jeffersons-advice-2/20530>.

Another article urging President Trump to end Birthright Citizenship: <https://www.guardtheconstitution.com/2018/11/06/president-trump-is-required-to-end-birthright-citizenship/43124>

Discussion:

John Eppolito - could not make it today to CTL, but asked to let you know people are needed at the next School Board meeting **Tues. March 12th 2 PM 425 East 9th St.** Pretty sure there will be parents there who are angry about Digital Days (days off from students having to show up at school, but they are to get assignments on the internet and do the work). Joe Hart of KTVN has been going after the District, Traci Davis, and the board about many things; tons of comments on his Facebook page mostly trashing the District, the board, and Traci.

Stay tuned to this spot where John will let folks know what to talk about on March 12th.

Basically, for over two years we've been asking the District to educate parents on all aspects of "free" third party EdTech vendor products then let them decide if their children will use these products or not. Currently the District makes the decision for parents. Not only will the District not educate parents, they won't tell parents when: there is a data breach and their children's information is placed for sale on the dark web, when their children's data is sold to the Chinese, or when the FBI puts out a Public Service Announcement warning parents and districts about EdTech vendors. Click [HERE](#) for the FBI report on EdTech vendors.

The free third party vendors that do not have a contract with the District are the most problematic, i.e. the Edmodos of the world. Here's why: the

District and parents do not know what data is collected, stored, shared, and analyzed, by all these vendors. Many of these vendors state in their privacy policies or terms of service agreements they share student data with others, we do not know who these “others” are. Some of these vendors create profiles on students; neither the District or parents will ever see these student profiles. Experts do not know how all this student data in the hands of known and unknown parties, and the student profiles they create, will affect the future of our children. It appears some of these EdTech vendors will never delete student data, or student profiles. Now that the Chinese (via Edmodo) have an incredible amount of student data there is no way to control what will be done in the future with student data and student profiles. For the record, Edmodo (the Chinese) have data on over 77 million children.

Once educated on all aspects of third party vendors parents should get to decide if their children use them or not, currently the District is deciding for parents! Andrew was able delay revisions to Board Policy for clarification. The EdTech vendors discussed in the board policy are the ones the District has a contract with (i.e. pay), not the free ones. The revised language for the board policy should also be available by the March 12th meeting.

Andrew Caudill, School Board Trustee - March 12 is going to be a very busy meeting. Digital Days were approved by the NV Dept of Ed, way back from June, 2017 to June, 2020, as a way to have "snow days" that would not tack on to the end of the school year in June. But teachers would put the assignments online and students would still have to do the work, even if they weren't in school. So the media frenzy about unapproved Digital Days is not true. Works great if every single student had wi-fi or smart phones, but that is not the case.

Galena HS has had the Principal and Vice-Principal on paid administrative leave for a couple of months and now both have resigned, but the District is very hush-hush about it. Now the football coach has also resigned. These are personnel issues and cannot be discussed. The paid leave is basically the due process of

the employee(s), without which there would be lawsuits. Or if the employee(s) would be allowed to continue working, an accurate investigation would be impaired. This way, the investigation can happen while the employee is not present on the school grounds. If the investigation reveals wrong-doing, the paid leave will stop.

In 2006, WCSD decided on a shared governance model, with the Superintendent making the decisions, but the rest of the Board would evaluate the Superintendent. Superintendent Traci Davis is currently on contract, not set to expire until 2021 and they are evaluating her. It is considered a better way to keep her on task, doing her job than to fire her and pay her for not working, while needing to find and pay another Superintendent.

Vin Keenan - talked about the excellent nomination and confirmation of William Barr as Atty General. He seems to be one to want to move things along (like the Mueller investigation). Please consider contacting William Barr's Justice Dept and congratulating him on his confirmation and raising the prospect of a new Special Prosecutor to investigate the current special prosecutor. After all, Mueller was FBI Director when the Clintons were selling Uranium to Russia and Rod Rosenstein was also on the scene as US Attorney for the District of Maryland. Click [HERE](#) for the downloadable version of what follows:

William P. Barr has just been confirmed as United States Attorney General so this is a great time to contact him about cleaning up the FBI and Justice Department.

William P. Barr, New York Times, December 7, 2018 - "Known for his [expansive vision of executive power](#), Mr. Barr has [criticized](#) Mr. Mueller for hiring too many prosecutors who donated to Democrats and has [cast doubt](#) on whether Trump campaign associates conspired with Russians. Mr. Barr has also [defended Mr. Trump's calls for a new criminal investigation](#) into his defeated 2016 opponent, Hillary Clinton, including over a uranium mining deal the Obama administration approved when she was secretary of state."

Contact Form:

<https://www.justice.gov/doj/webform/your-message-department-justiceDepartment>

Comment Phone Line: 202-353-1555

#1 Sample Statement:

Congratulations on your second confirmation as United States Attorney General

I support the [a new criminal investigations](#) including the calls from Congress appointment of one or more New Special Prosecutors into (choose 1 or more):

1. **Uranium One and the Clinton Foundation, the Clinton State Departments Involvement and the FBI and Justice Departments officials that appear to have covered up criminal activity.**
2. **FISA Abuse in unmasking US Citizens including FBI senior officials singing false FISA documents.**
3. **The possible attempt to influence the 2016 Presidential election and the apparent coordinated attempt to tarnish and remove President Trump.**
4. **Links between the officials at the FBI and Justice Department involved in the Uranium One and involved in the attempt to tarnish and remove President Trump.**

Background Information:

Autopsy of a Dead Coup (extremely worthwhile 6-page article)

By [Victor Davis Hanson](#) | February 17th, 2019

The illegal effort to destroy the 2016 Trump campaign by Hillary Clinton campaign's use of funds to create, disseminate among court media, and then salt among high Obama administration officials, a fabricated, opposition smear dossier *failed*.

So has the second special prosecutor phase of the coup to abort the Trump presidency *failed*. There are many elements to what in time likely will become recognized as the greatest scandal in American political history, marking the first

occasion in which U.S. government bureaucrats sought to overturn an election and to remove a sitting U.S. president.

<https://amgreatness.com/2019/02/17/autopsy-of-a-dead-coup/>

Lynn Chapman - provided a brief synopsis of what is happening in Carson City:

1) AB113 - This hearing is Thursday, 2/28, 4:00 pm. Submit your opinion to the Legislature on AB113. Currently, if a Nevada resident purchases a firearm online from an out-of-state retailer, the firearm gets shipped to a local FFL (Federal Firearms Licensee) to perform a background check on the purchaser. The FFL must pay retail sales taxes, even though he is not the retailer, has not made a penny on the sale and is just the go-between. This tax is so wrong and AB113 rights that wrong. Please register your support for

it. <https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Opinions/80th2019/>

2) SB165 - Physician-assisted suicide. Moving testimony from a woman whose husband was diagnosed with cancer and given 6 months to live. Had the pills been available, he might have taken them and she and her family would have been deprived of the additional 3-1/2 years he lived beyond his 6-month prognosis. Not too late to voice your

opinion: <https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Opinions/80th2019/>

3) AB185 - National Popular Vote, which would do away with the Electoral College, had a hearing Tuesday, 2/26, with good comments from the opposition. Can you say President Hillary Clinton? Not too late to voice your opinion

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Opinions/80th2019/>

4) AB137 - Same day voter registration and voting. There was a hearing this week, but it's not too late to voice your opinion:

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Opinions/80th2019/>

Maria Davis added:

5) AB3 - allows adding more licenses and certifications for marijuana retail stores. Not too late to voice your opinion

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Opinions/80th2019/>

6) SB162 and SB163 - both introduced by Sen Kieckhefer, having to do with crypto-currency and block-chain payment in lieu of money. Not too late to voice your opinion <https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Opinions/80th2019/>

An article by Hillsdale College's Imprimis newsletter talked about marijuana and its effects. Click this link to read it: <https://imprimis.hillsdale.edu/marijuana-mental-illness-violence/>

Dave Norton - presented information about DJ Jones' Constitutional Study Group, which meets weekly on Wednesdays, 4:00 pm, Scheels in their upstairs community rooms. Very interesting to learn the Founders intentions, their arguments with each other and how/why they arrived at our amazing Constitution.

Ralph McMullen - teaches classes on Parliamentary Procedure at Truckee Meadows Community College and has some classes coming up in March-April. For more info, contact Ralph directly, 775-240-5943.

Jeff Church had to leave before we could get to him, but he wanted to talk about the County Commission approving an "affordable housing concept", without any decision on how it would be funded. Jeff does know about a huge increase in car registration and maybe that's where they can find money to fund this project.

Next Meeting - Wednesday, March 13, same time, same place.