

**Alabama Federation of Republican Women**

**2013 BIENNIAL CONVENTION  
ORANGE BEACH, Alabama**

**October 26-27, 2013**



**LUAU ON THE BEACH**



**Perdido Beach Resort Hotel**

Perdido Beach Blvd Orange Beach AL 1-866-599-6674

AFRW 2013 Biennial Convention



LUAU ON THE BEACH
Registration Form & Hotel Information



Perdido Beach Resort

Orange Beach, AL ♦ October 26/27, 2013

TO MAKE Reservations:



(800) 634-8001 OR Internet: www.perdidobeachresort.com
CODE for special rate is ID#9767 (good through September 27)

ROOM RATES (does not include taxes, etc.)

\$139 — Single or double occupancy
\$10 surcharge for each 3rd or 4th person
(Upgrades with views are available at extra cost)

Name of Registrant: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTRATION (Please [x] your choices)

[ ] Full Registration \$150 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
(Includes Saturday Lunch & Luau, Workshops; Sunday Continental Breakfast & General Session)

[ ] Lunch only — \$40 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Luau only — \$70 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Extra ticket(s) for Guest(s): NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Saturday Lunch @ \$40/each: \_\_\_\_\_ tickets @ \$40/each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Saturday Luau @ \$70/each: \_\_\_\_\_ tickets @ \$70/each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_



Checks payable to "SBRW" — put "AFRW Convention" in memo line



Kathy Morelock, 267 Cypress Lake Drive, Gulf Shores, AL 36542

Spouse/Family Activities (Dolphin Cruise, Golfing, Fishing) will be handled directly by registrants.

Special hotel rates apply 3 days before/after event. MAKE THIS A FAMILY VACATION!



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## LUAU ON THE BEACH

### Schedule of Events



#### Saturday, October 26, 2013

8:00-10:15 a.m.

**Registration**

10:30-11:45 a.m.

**Workshop on Advocacy: "Name that Issue"**  
**Speaker:**  
**Kay VanSant, NFRW Leadership Chair**

\* Game "Name that Issue" will follow, based on the televised game, "Name That Tune"

**Moderator: Donna Burrage, AFRW Legislative Chair**

12 Noon-1:30 p.m.

**Lunch**

**Speaker:**

**Dr. Gil McKee, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Tuscaloosa**  
**Topic: Fighting for the Family**

The topic is based on Biblical and Constitutional Principles:  
(1) Nehemiah 4:14: "Remember the Lord, who is great and awesome, and fight for your families, your sons and your daughters, your wives and your homes."  
(2) Constitutional principle of Liberty: "The core unit which determines the strength of any society is the Family."

1:30-2:00 Break  
2:00-3:00 p.m.

**Workshop: Are Parents/States Losing Control of Education?**  
**Speaker: Emmett McGroarty, Esq., American Principles Project**

This workshop will explain how the Obama Administration is fundamentally transforming/redefining Education through Common Core to expand the role of the federal government in education and to replace the roles of parents, churches, and charities along the lines of "It takes a village to raise a child" and "Government is Family." The discussion will also include:  
(\* ) how Obama changed the law that protected the privacy of our children and how their highly personal, non-academic information will be collected, shared with federal agencies and private organizations and even sold to vendors;  
(\* ) how the focus of Education is being changed to emphasize workforce training;  
(\* ) how Common Core is a threat to home and church schools; and  
(\* ) how all this violates the U.S. and Alabama Constitutions and strips more individual freedoms.

3:15-4:15 p.m.

**Workshop: "Freedoms on the Fringe":  
Dangers to our U.S. Constitution & What We Can Do About It**  
**Speaker: Eric Johnston, President of the Southeast Law Institute,**  
Elois Zeanah, AFRW President; and Jo Lawley, District 6 Director

This workshop will emphasize (1) specific ways the Obama administration is subverting the Constitution, (2) how/why Judeo-Christian values have a basis in the Declaration of Independence, and (3) what we can do to protect our Republic and teach young people how to defend it.

5:00-6:00 p.m.

**VIP/Camellia Club Reception**

6:00-9:00 p.m.

**Luau on the Beach**

**Speaker: Reince Preibus, RNC Chairman**

Sunday, October 27, 2013 – 8:00-11:00 a.m.: General Session (Awards, Installation of Officers, etc.)



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## Luncheon Program

Saturday, October 26, 2013, Noon - 1:30 p.m.

[www.baptist.com](http://www.baptist.com) 5336084

### FIGHTING FOR THE FAMILY



CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME . . . . .	AFRW PRESIDENT ELOIS ZEANAH
INVOCATION . . . . .	AFRW CHAPLAIN MARGARET DOBBS
"THE LORD'S PRAYER" & "YOU RAISE ME UP" . . . . .	GINGER COCHRAN
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE . . . . .	1ST VP FRANCES TAYLOR
INTRODUCTION OF HEAD TABLE . . . . .	Elois Zeanah
INTRODUCTION OF HOST COMMITTEE . . . . .	SBRW President Becky Vasko
RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL GUESTS AND EVENT SPONSORS . . . . .	Elois Zeanah
GREETINGS FROM NFRW PREISDENT RAE CHORNENKY	
INTRODUCTION OF KEYNOTE SPEAKER . . . . .	6th District Director Jo Lawley
ADDRESS "FIGHTING FOR THE FAMILY". . . . .	Dr. Gil McKee, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Tuscaloosa
RECESS TO WORKSHOPS	



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## Dinner Program

Saturday, October 26, 2013, 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

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### LUAU ON THE BEACH (Tentative)



CALL TO ORDER . . . . .	AFRW President Elois Zeanah
INVOCATION . . . . .	AFRW Chaplain Margaret Dobbs
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE . . . . .	AFRW 2nd VP Kathy Morelock
INTRODUCTION OF VIPS . . . . .	South Baldwin RW President Becky Vasko
WELCOME . . . . .	Mayor Tony Kennon, Orange Beach
COMMENTS BY ELECTED OFFICIALS & CANDIDATES . . . . .	AFRW 1st VP Frances Taylor
MUSIC BY "ELVIS" . . . . .	Shane Tucker
REPORT ON NATIONAL AFFAIRS . . . . .	U.S. Senator Jeff Sessions
REPORT ON STATE AFFAIRS & INTRO OF KEYNOTE SPEAKER . . . . .	ALGOP Chairman Bill Armistead
ADDRESS . . . . .	Republican National Committee Chairman Reince Priebus
LIVE AUCTION . . . . .	Baldwin County Sheriff Huey (Hoss) Mach
"AMERICA IS MY NAME" By TODD ALLEN HERENDEEN — <i>Audience Sing-A-Long</i>	
RECESS TO GENERAL SESSION	



**Recommended Attire:** Casual, Light Jacket and Comfortable Shoes,  
Weather permitting, this event will be held on the beach



**General Session & Awards Program**  
**With NFRW President Rae Chornenky**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27 ♦ 8:00 -11:00 A.M.**

CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME . . . . .	AFRW PRESIDENT ELOIS ZEANAH
INVOCATION . . . . .	AFRW CHAPLAIN MARGARET DOBBS
"GOD BLESS AMERICA" . . . . .	GINGER COCHRAN
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE . . . . .	AFRW 2ND VP KATHY MORELOCK
INTRODUCTION OF HEAD TABLE . . . . .	ELOIS ZEANAH
INTRODUCTION OF HOST COMMITTEE . Co-CHAIR OF HOST COMMITTEE & SBRW PRESIDENT BECKY VASKO	
RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL GUESTS & EVENT SPONSORS . . . . .	ELOIS ZEANAH
REPORT OF THE CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE & CONVENTION RULES . . .	AFRW TREASURER BARBARA SIKORSKI
ADOPTION OF CONVENTION RULES	
REPORT OF BY-LAWS COMMITTEE . . . . .	AFRW BY-LAWS AMENDMENT COMMITTEE CHAIR VIRGINIA HOWARD
REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE . . . . .	AFRW NOMINATING COMMITTEE CHAIR VIRGINIA HOWARD
NOMINATIONS FROM THE FLOOR	
ELECTION OF OFFICERS	
RESOLUTIONS . . . . .	RESOLUTIONS CHAIR SHIRLEY SHORT
INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER . . . . .	AFRW 4TH VP KAY VANSANT
ADDRESS . . . . .	NFRW PRESIDENT RAE CHORNENKY
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS . . . . .	RAE CHORNENKY
PRESENTATION OF NFRW AWARDS . . . . .	RAE CHORNENKY
PRESENTATION OF AFRW AWARDS . . . . .	AFRW AWARDS CHAIR SALLIE BRYANT
REMARKS BY AFRW PRESIDENT ELECT	
ADJOURNMENT	

**Congratulations!**

*Thank You All For Making The Past Two Years So Great!*



## Proposed Slate of Officers for 2014-2015

President	Frances Taylor	RW of Huntsville	Huntsville	5th District
1st VP	Vicki Bailey	Greater Birmingham RW	Trussville	7th District
2nd VP	Kay VanSant	Cherokee County RW	Centre	4th District
3rd VP	Donna Skipper	Azalea City RW	Mobile	1st District
4th VP	Lisa Zanglin	Capital City RW	Montgomery	3rd District
Recording Secretary	Patsy Carroll	Capital City RW	Clanton	3rd District
Asst. Recording Secretary	Ginny Hamm	Pike County RW	Troy	2nd District
Corresponding Secretary	Lisa Harris	RW of Tuscaloosa Co.	Tuscaloosa	6th District
Treasurer	Ellen O'Connor	Jackson County RW	Scottsboro	5th District
Assistant Treasurer	Kathy Linden	RW of Huntsville	Huntsville	5th District

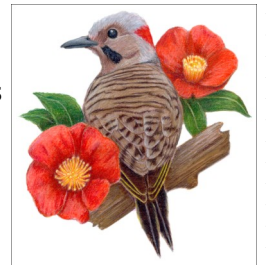
### Nominating Committee

Virginia Howard, Chair  
 Jo Lawley  
 Kathy Linden  
 Patsy Vines  
 Becky Vasko

The delegates to the AFRW Biennial Convention will elect AFRW's State officers for the 2014-2015 term. Candidates will be nominated on Sunday, October 27, 2013. New Officers will be installed by NFRW President Rae Chornenky during the General Session.

# Special Thanks to Camellia Club Members

**YOU CAN STILL JOIN THE CAMELLIA CLUB:** Camellia Club members do a great service by contributing \$100 for special projects that would otherwise have to come out of general operating funds. This helps keep dues low. AFRW has not raised dues for six years. A \$100 contribution will get you special recognition at Biennial events, front seating at the 2013 Biennial and allow you to attend the VIP Camellia Club Reception on Saturday night. Our guest speakers, elected officials, NFRW President, AFRW Board, and Elvis will attend the Reception in your honor. You can take individual and/or group pictures with all. You can join this premier club today. Please write your check to "AFRW" and mail it to Barbara Sikorski, P. O. Box 211, Harvest, AL 35749. Mail your check today!



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|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Lois Burns     | Jacque Hawkins  | Kathy Linden       | Johnna Roberts   | Dee Voelkel    |
| Donna Burrage  | Rhonda Hethcock | Judy Matlow        | Donna Robins     | Beverly Ward   |
| Patsy Carroll  | Paula Hoffman   | Kathy Morelock     | Hon. Sam Shaw    | Cheyenne Young |
| Phyllis Davis  | Cecile Horton   | Sue Neuwien        | Luci Sheffield   | Shawn Young    |
| Margaret Dobbs | Virginia Howard | Mary Jo Nicastro   | Barbara Sikorski | Becky Vasko    |
| Vicki Drummond | Hon. Kay Ivey   | Ellen O'Connor     | Frances Taylor   | Diane Zaragoza |
| Helen Duffy    | Lorie Johnson   | Sharon L. Powe     | Wilma Trent      | Elois Zeanah   |
| Marian Ford    | Lucy Kubiczyn   | Frankie Rainwaters | Kay VanSant      |                |
| Betty Hardin   | Jo Lawley       | Elaine Ridenour    | Len Vaught       |                |
| Lisa Harris    | Catherine Lewis | Jackie Ray         | Patsy Vines      |                |



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# HOST COMMITTEE

*Immense thanks to:*

**SOUTH BALDWIN REPUBLICAN WOMEN**

*Becky Vasko & Kathy Morelock, Co-Chairs*

*&*

**PHOTOGRAPHER**

*Captain Mark Robinson*



**PLEASE BRING THIS BIENNIAL RED WAVE ISSUE TO THE CONVENTION.**  
**USE IT AS YOUR PROGRAM TO SAVE AFRW PRINTING COSTS.**