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~SEPTEMBER 2010 LUNCHEON MEETING AND PROGRAM ~

GUEST SPEAKER
Melody Scalley

THURSDAY, NOV. 18TH, 2010

11:30 AM to 1:00 PM

Cagney's Address. 1108 E. Little Creek Road, Norfolk, VA 23518

\$20.00 per person. Buffet with Chef's Choice, Vegetable and Starch of the day, Tossed Salad, Rolls and Butter, Iced Tea and Coffee, and assorted Desserts.

RSVP to Judy Pethel at 466-0190 or Carmen Bittenger at 622-7845 by Monday evening, Nov. 15th or email Jennifer Lee at jlee13@cox.net. You may bring cash or check (made out to NRW) to the luncheon.



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Melody Scalley The host of "Politics On The Edge" a conservative political talk show that airs every Thursday night from 6 P.M. to 9 P.M. on 103.3 WESR FM.

Melody Scalley introduced herself to Bloggers Row at the Republican Convention a couple of weeks ago in Richmond. Scalley is a dynamo from the Eastern Shore and officially announced her candidacy today and there is a write up on her at DelmarvaNow.com.

Melody Scalley - 100th House District

Scalley hosts a radio talk show on 103.3 WESR called Politics on the Edge on Thursdays from 6-9 p.m. It's also on rfcradio.com, Radio for Conservatism, an Internet radio station on Mondays.

Virginia Right! strongly encourages Republicans that break the stereotypical Republican mold to seek office at every level. It is ironic that in the race for the 100th House seat, the "stereotypical Republican" type often vilified by the Mainstream Media happens to be the Democrat

Melody Scalley, resident of Virginia's Eastern Shore, an activist on conservative principles and a leader of today's ideal Republican woman.

The democracy will cease to exist when you take away from those who are willing to work and give to those who would not. Thomas Jefferson



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Hello everyone,

Congratulations to the GOP!!! We did it! While we did not gain a majority in the Senate we sure did a great job in shaking things up in the House! Congratulations to all of the candidates who ran this time, whether you won or not we commend you for a job well done. Scott Rigell was successful in unseating Glenn Nye in the Second. Great campaign! Unfortunately, Chuck Smith was not as successful in his bid for Bobby Scott's seat. However, Chuck's effort was clearly NOT lacking in effort, and Chuck provided one of the most positive demonstrations of sensible right-thinking Conservative leadership that Bobby Scott has come up against in many, many years. Of course, as we all know, the 3rd district is one of the most gerrymandered districts in the state, and is the only District in VA, and in only one of the 11 states (the 11 states that are STILL being punished for their secession from the Union in 1861) that require U.S. Federal Court approval as a "Carve-out District" for minority population Districts in all of the United States. This unfortunately translates into a lot of hostile territory for ANY Conservative candidate to cover, and on a very limited budget at that. It was a hard fight for Chuck and his staff, but they certainly gave it their all and we thank them for it. So congratulations to Chuck Smith...you showed great effort and even more heart in your campaign, and thank you for trying. We hope you will not give up the fight!

Kudos to everyone for doing all that you could do to support the candidates, whether it was telephoning, walking, donating or working at the polls. Just imagine what we can do in 2012! Speaking of which, don't forget that the results that we Conservatives achieved in 2010 in the U.S. House of Representatives can be duplicated in 2012 in the Senate. This year, there were only about 12 Senate Seats in play that had been held by Democrats, and a number of those, including NY, Delaware, CT, WV, NV and CA were in the blue-ist of blue states, and yet we ALMOST took the half of those and we DID take PA, Illinois and Wisconsin. However, in 2012, there are 21 Democrat Senators coming up for re-election, and many of those, including Jim Webb of VA, are in RED states that were won by Bush in 2006 and/or McCain in 2008. If we can take just 12 of those 21 Democrat Senate seats and hold onto those we currently control, we would have **60 SENATE SEATS** in January of 2013! SO KEEP FIGHTING THE GOOD FIGHT!!!

For all who were unable to attend last month's meeting, you missed a very interesting speaker. Mayor Paul Fraim spoke or should I say interacted with the members in a very informative question and answer session. It was a very lively exchange of information and ideas. We look forward to the Mayor returning for a repeat performance.

I would like to remind everyone of the November 18, meeting to be held at Cagney's on Little Creek Road, registration 11:30, lunch 12:00, at a cost of \$20.

Our speaker will be Melody Scalley, host of "Politics on the Edge", a conservative political talk show that airs every Thursday night from 6 – 9 P.M. on 103.3 WESR FM. Hope to see you there. If we don't see you, Happy Thanksgiving!

Respectfully,
Carmen Bittinger



Apply to the Jennifer Byler Institute:
Class of 2011!

Application Deadline: January 7, 2011
The application for the Jennifer Byler Institute: 2011 Series is now available on our website at www.RPV.org/JBI!

One of the most effective leadership training programs in the Commonwealth, the Jennifer Byler Institute is RPV's successful leadership training program dedicated specifically to women. Through the program, women are recruited and trained to participate effectively in politics and government at all levels.

The women's leadership training program is named for the late Jennifer Curtis Byler, Republican National Committeewoman for Virginia from June 2000 until her untimely death in May 2001. Jenny Byler was a devoted wife and mother, and a dynamic, passionate political leader, dedicated to building the Republican Party and furthering the principles of limited government and expanded freedom

The program has graduated six classes of women, all trained to take their involvement to the next level--whether it is running for elected office, running campaigns, raising money for candidates, working with the media, or organizing various efforts. Graduates have formed an alumni organization in order to promote JBI, recruit future participants, plan classes and encourage graduates in their advocacy and advancement of Republican principles.

Participants are selected through a competitive process beginning each November, which includes extensive applications and individual interviews. Candidates must be college age or older to be eligible for the program. Each year, the program runs one weekend a month for eight months, and includes a meeting in Washington DC featuring Virginia's elected officials as well as other national leaders. Featuring the best political minds in Virginia and beyond, JBI speakers have included Frank Atkinson, Lee Edwards, Betsy Beamer, Bob Gibson and Michelle Easton as well as virtually all of Virginia's current and past Republican statewide elected officials.

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