

Sun Lakes Republican Club Minutes

When: Jan. 8, 2019

Where: Sun Lakes Country Club Navajo Room

Who: Approximately 200 people

AGENDA

1. Chairman Mike Tennant introduced Bud who is a WW2 veteran.
2. Mike recognized the rest of the veterans in attendance.
3. Invocation Prayer was by Mid Tennant.
4. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Jay Sanderson.
5. Mike Broomhead was the main speaker: Mike Broomhead has been with KFVI since 2005. He uses his business and life experience to address the issues that Arizona citizens face today. Rooted in fiscal and social conservatism, Mike leaves no doubt where he stands on any issue. He fights for the

freedoms of Americans and brings the hottest issues of the day to his listeners. This program will focus on The Inside Scoop of the Day, in view of America's Founding Principles. Americans are losing sight of the incredible "Freedom Formula" that our Founders gave their lives to establish. This has resulted in some of our Founder's most unique contributions for a free and prosperous society becoming lost or misunderstood. Broomhead will highlight some of the brilliant precepts that made Americans the first free people in modern times. Broomhead initially made a name for himself speaking at the largest pro-troop rallies in the country. He was called upon to debate on both television and radio and is now a highly requested speaker around the country. Mike also had the privilege of being the master of ceremonies for two Presidential visits in 2004, as well as being involved in the 2016 elections. Mike is a strong believer in giving back to the community and volunteers his time for

several organizations, including the Best Buddies program at Marcos de Niza High School; "Project We Remember" that supports Military Families; "Packages From Home" that is dedicated to US servicemen and women overseas; and Patriot Day Celebration that benefits Fighter Country Foundation. Mike is the president of Broomhead Electric, LLC, and still maintains his contractor's license in Arizona.

Prior to his radio career, Mike was a winning bull rider and rodeo announcer! He is the proud father of two daughters and three amazing grandkids.

He spoke on 4 main topics:

Red for Ed: How it was hijacked by socialists.

Krysten Sinema: How she got elected by portraying herself as an independent although she is an avowed communist.

Martha McSally: How she had no real strategy for getting elected and needs to work on her people skills.

Border Security: How Bill Clinton, Obama, Feinstein, and Schumer all have supported a wall in the past but are fighting Trump on the wall now so he won't be able to run in 2020 on getting one started. President Trump

is speaking to the nation this evening about the wall and why we need one.

6. JD Mesnard our new State Senator for LD17, spoke on 4 main topics:

--The democrats are turning AZ blue and we need to out vote them or we will see our majority in both houses go even lower in the future. This is the smallest majority we have ever had in both houses.

—WATER SUPPLY: The legislature has to work on making a drought contingency plan by January 31st.

—AZ State income tax code is incomplete. Do NOT try to file State income taxes early. In the meantime, JD will try to get the legislature to pass a bill which will NOT fine people for filing after April 15th or to at least extend the deadline for filing State taxes.

—The Federal Government reformed their tax code already. They eliminated a lot of the deductions but they also cut tax rates . Both things are needed for tax payers to come out ahead. Governor Ducey wants to get rid of some tax deductions and take that money and put it into the rainy day fund. JD says there is enough money in the rainy day fund and it ought to go back to the tax payers in the form of tax cuts. He says we can call Ducey & our State Representatives

(Jeff Weninger & Jennifer Pollack) and ask them to not pass bills requiring higher taxes.

7. Carolyn McCorkle encouraged Precinct Committeemen to complete their proxy for the Maricopa County Republican Committee meeting on January 12th, if they do not plan to attend the meeting to elect new Republican leadership.

8. Carolyn also encouraged regular attenders of the SLRC meetings to pay their membership dues of \$20 per year to support the club's ongoing expenses of providing a meeting room, monthly speakers and other member benefits.

9. The 50/50 Raffle was \$115 to the winner and \$115 to the club this month.

10. We will be conducting a gun raffle in February. Look for the email soon.

11. We meet next month in the AZ Room of Sun Lakes Country Club on February 12th at 6:30 PM. Speaker to be announced later.