



# PARK CITIES REPUBLICAN WOMEN

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Newsletter

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## September 2010 Monthly Meeting

**Tuesday, September 21**  
Meadows Museum  
11:30 a.m. Meet & Greet  
12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Meeting  
Guest Speaker  
Danny Clancy, candidate for District Attorney  
Bring a friend!

## 2010 PCRW Fall Schedule

**Tuesday, September 21**  
11:30 a.m.  
Meadows Museum

**Tuesday, October 19**  
5:30 - 6:00 p.m.  
Private Friends Reception  
6:00 p.m.- 7:30 p.m.  
General Meeting  
Museum of Biblical Art  
7500 Park Lane  
Wine & Hors D'oeuvres  
[Reply Required](#)

We are off to a very busy fall election season! Please plan to attend the meeting Tuesday, September 21 at the Meadows Museum. Danny Clancy, candidate for District Attorney will be the guest speaker. Mark your calendars for Tuesday, October 19th 6 -7:30 pm at the Museum of Biblical Art for an evening meeting featuring Republican candidates and officials. Reply and see more information to the right. Invite a friend!

In November, we have a special evening meeting planned at the home of Mayor and Mrs. Leppert. This event is by invitation only to PCRW members and their spouses. Encourage your friends to join now!



Remember the dynamic presentation last spring on the Center for Brain Health by Dr. Sandra Chapman and Rep. Dan Branch? Kimber Hartmann has arranged a private tour for PCRW members on October 1 at 9 am. Reply and see details for this and other events to the right of this letter. Scroll all the way down for pictures, useful information and links.

It is already time to begin planning for the Holiday Luncheon, PCRW's one and only fund raising event. Advance reservations at the special price of \$75.00 per person will begin at the September meeting and end on October 31st. After that, the regular reservation price will be \$100.00 per person. New this year, we are offering a PCRW Patron level opportunity which includes preferred seating and program recognition. The reservation price for Patrons is \$125.00 per person. Please make the luncheon a fund raising success for PCRW by organizing or hosting a table!

Want to turn Dallas County red in November? Please read the emails from Kristina, attend at least one event or activity each week and have some fun!

Help keep our database updated with correct addresses, emails and phone numbers. Send changes to [PCRW database changes](#) Have a question? Send me a [PCRW email](#).

Visit our website at [www.parkcitiesrepublicanwomen.org](http://www.parkcitiesrepublicanwomen.org) and get up to date information on events and activities. Check out the photo galleries and encourage friends to join and pay dues using Pay Pal. Click on "Join Today". Avoid the end of the year rush and renew today for 2011.

Find Park Cities Republican Women (Official Group) on Facebook.  Follow us on Twitter! 

Cindy Clendenen  
President, PCRW

## September Speaker



With nearly two decades of experience as a Dallas County Assistant District Attorney, Dallas County Judge, and private attorney, Danny Clancy has a unique perspective of the criminal justice system that few in Texas can claim.

Clancy served as Presiding Judge in Dallas County's, County Criminal Court #1 from 1999-2005. In 2001 and again in 2002, he was elected by his peers - the Dallas County Criminal Court judges - to serve as their presiding judge. During that time, Clancy worked closely with Dallas County

Commissioners to bring Dallas County into compliance with new legislation related to the appointment of counsel for the indigent defendant.

In 2005, Danny Clancy was appointed by Texas Governor Rick Perry as Presiding Judge of Criminal District Court #6, a newly created District Court with felony jurisdiction.

Clancy served the citizens of Dallas County in that position until 2007. From 1999-2007, while serving as a criminal court Judge in Dallas County, Clancy presided over more than 450 criminal trials.

In the Dallas Bar Association's 2001, 2003, and 2005 judicial evaluation polls, Clancy consistently ranked at the top among Dallas County Judges in several categories, including Hard Working, Knowledge of the Law, Impartiality, and Overall Performance.

Prior to his eight years as a Dallas County Judge, Clancy served as a Dallas County assistant district attorney, trying more than 250 criminal trials as a prosecutor from 1992-1997. It was during this time that Clancy earned a reputation that remains with him today - tough, but fair minded.

Twice named one of Dallas' best lawyers by D Magazine, Clancy has been in private practice since 2007. He is a member of the Dallas Bar Association (Criminal Section), The Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association (TCDLA), and a past member of The Texas District and County Attorneys Association (TDCAA).

A proud graduate of Jesuit High School in Dallas, Clancy earned a bachelor's of arts degree in political science (with a minor in criminal justice) from Texas State University. In 1991, he earned his law degree from Mississippi College School of Law in Jackson, Miss.

A native Texan, Clancy resides in Dallas with his wife Julie and their three children: Dylan (15), Ryan (13), and Kylie (11). He is a member of the St. Monica Catholic Church and an active volunteer, serving as a Board of Management member at the Town North YMCA.

**Tuesday, November 16**

5:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Private Friends Reception  
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
Home of Mayor & Mrs. Leppert  
By invitation to PCRW  
members and spouses only  
Join Today!

**Wednesday, December 8**

10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Brook Hollow Golf Club

## Other Dates of Interest

**Friday, October 1, 2010**

Tour of Center for Brain Health  
9:00 a.m.  
2200 W. Mockingbird Lane,  
75235

[Reservation Required!](#)

- [Center Information](#)

**Monday, October 18 -  
Friday, October 29, 2010**  
Early Voting

**Tuesday, November 2, 2010**  
Election Day!

[Register to Vote](#)

## Absentee Voting Ballot

Need an absentee voting ballot for your college student or yourself?

[Click here for absentee voting ballot](#)

## President's Picks

**Suggested Reading**

[The Big Short: Inside the Doomsday Machine](#)

by Michael Lewis

## Useful Contacts

[Park Cities Republican Women \(PCRW\)](#)

[PCRW E-Mail](#)

## Get Out The Vote

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Friday, October 15 10-5  
Saturday, October 16 10-5  
Sunday, October 17 1-5  
at 5339 Surrey Circle in Dallas, 75209



Early Voting Starts Monday, October 18, 2010  
Questions? Want to Volunteer?  
Call Trinka Taylor at 214.346.9005

## Membership Renewal

PCRW offers several levels of membership:

**Active Member** (women, primary club membership): \$50

**Associate Member** (men, and women who hold primary membership in another club): \$30

**Student** (for students between the ages of 18-24): \$15

**Friend of PCRW** (special giving opportunity with some enhanced benefits): \$200

We ask that you kindly renew your membership for 2011. Beat the holiday rush! [Membership renewal forms are available here.](#) Please send your form and payment to JoAnne Kroener (PCRW Treasurer), 25 Highland Park Village, 100-840, Dallas, TX 75205-2789.

[Dallas County Republican Party](#)

[Republican Party of Texas](#)

[Republican National Committee \(RNC\)](#)

[Governor Rick Perry](#)

[Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison](#)

[Senator John Cornyn](#)

[Congressman Pete Sessions](#)

[State Senator John Carona](#)

[State Rep. Dan Branch](#)

[State Rep. Will Hartnett](#)

White House Comments Line:  
202-456-1111

Capitol Hill: 202-224-3121

PCRW is among the largest Republican women's clubs in Texas, and is dedicated to supporting the election and appointment of Republicans to public office. PCRW was founded in 1960 and has worked diligently for more than 50 years to encourage qualified candidates to run for office, to support Republican values in candidates and officeholders, and to educate its members and the public on the important political issues facing Texas. Membership in PCRW is open to all registered voters who support the Republican Party.

*Photos*



Angie King, Debbie Georgatos and Cindy Clendenen with Keynote speaker  
Angela McGlowan  
Power Rally 2010



Ericka Salinas, Elizabeth Niles and Erin Leu  
Power Rally 2010



Kay and Kristie McCrary with Lex Fitzenhagen, candidate for judge  
Power Rally 2010



PCRW Member Rhonda Moreland with Congressman Jeb Hensarling and  
volunteers for Kenneth Sheets

### *Friends of PCRW*

Friends" is a group of people within Park Cities Republican Women who have donated at an elevated giving level for the purpose of enhancing PCRW's ability to support Republican candidates through direct donations as well as through events that offer opportunities for Republican candidates to meet and connect with voters. PCRW thanks the members of Friends of PCRW for their generosity. For more information about the Friends program, please

contact Lisa Luby Ryan. The members of Friends of PCRW as of September 15, 2010 include:

Cathie Adams	Mary Ellen Dill	Urve Kiik	Judy Pollock
Joyce Alban	Suzette Felder	Angie King	Ann Quest
Court Alley	Michael Flusche	Rita Klein	Mary Jo Rausch
Sandy Ammons	Marjorie Winn Ford	Jo Anne Kroener	Twila Richardson
Claudia Armstrong	Michaela Frederick	Shannon Langmade	Sue Ringle
Pam Balsar	Heather Furniss	Sally Larroca	Carolyn C. Rogers
Diane Benjamin	Jean Garrett-Nolland	Sarah Larroca	Lisa Luby Ryan
Judy Bennett	Debora Georgatos	Jodie Laubenberg	Sharon Smith
Claire Boston	Jennie Gilchrist	Susan Lebowitz	Merrie Spaeth
Dan Branch	Carmen S. Glenn	Carole Lee	LaNeil Wright Spivy
Janet Brasch	Ebby Halliday Acers	Caroline Loy	Linda Staley
Robbie Briggs	Sarah H. Hancock	Gail Madden	Susan Stanzel
Meriam Calabria	Connie Harkins	Ann Margolin	Sharon Strother
Rose Cannaday	Linda Harper-Brown	Janet Mariani	Lane Sullivan
John Carona	Kimber Hartmann	Kay McCrary	Catherine Taylor
Ann Carruth	Rep. Will Hartnett	Kristie McCrary	Cecilia W. Twining
Susan Chad	Jacquelyn Hill	Jane McKay	Norma Vardeman
Ruth Chambers	Cindy Howard	Leanne McKinley	Gisela Von Hagen
Beverly Clark	Jan Gentry Howard	Nancy McRae	Candy Ward
Cindy Clendenen	Vicki Howland	Janet Medlin	Suzanne Wasem
Janis Coffee	Mary Catherine Huffines	Mary Miller	Cindy Weber
Camille Cohen	Fredda Isenberg	Judy Moore	Lisa Hart Willis
Jeanne Cox	Patti Ivey	Beverly Morris	Laura Woodall
Barbara Hunt Crow	Doris Jacobs	Justice Mary Murphy	Debra Wright
Kathy Crow	Milla Perry Jones	Barbara Olsen	
Barbara Dewberry	Ramona Jones	Debra Sue Payne	
Commissioner Maurine Dickey	Hon. Margaret Keliher	Marilyn Platt	

## ***2010 Board Members and Standing Committee Chairmen***

### **Board Members**

President: Cindy Clendenen  
 Vice President, Programs: Kimber Hartmann  
 Vice President, Campaigns: Kristie McCrary  
 Vice President, Membership: Judy Bennett  
 Friends of PCRW: Lisa Luby Ryan  
 Newsletter Editor: Kristina Kiik  
 Recording Secretary: Candy Ward  
 Treasurer: JoAnne Kroener  
 Bylaws: Angie King  
 Historian: Sandy Ammons  
 Parliamentarian: Debbie Georgatos

### **Standing Committee**

Arrangements: Claudia Armstrong  
 Budget: Jennie Gilchrist  
 Holiday Luncheon: Carmen Glenn  
 Internal Review Co-Chair: Barb Olsen  
 Database: Jennifer Lang  
 Member Relations: Claire Boston  
 New Member Packets: Leanne McKinley  
 Student Outreach: Natalie Harper  
 Publicity: Jennifer Pyka  
 Yearbook: Tiffany Wyde  
 Young Professionals: Ericka Salinas  
 Website: Victoria Larroca