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Dear Friends and Fellow Republicans

Why I Stand With the Students of Shenandoah County Public Schools

It has been an amazing thing to watch these past few days. Students of Central High School in Woodstock, Strasburg High, and the school formerly known as Stonewall Jackson, have been protesting, often in 90+ degree heat, against the mask mandate put in place by the Shenandoah County School Board.

These kids are still going strong into Day 4 of the protest. And we must support them in any way possible. Frankly, I wish I could be out there with them, however work requirements and other District issues often get in the way. But there are other things you can do to let these young men and women know you

the School Board and tell them that the mask mandate is not helpful against the spread of COVID. Go to tonight's School Board Meeting in Woodstock and tell the Board Members to retract this ridiculous mandate. (Please stop by and say hi when you see me there)

Posting your support on social media is always helpful as well.

This is a deeply personal issue to me for many reasons. So if you don't mind, I'm going to tell you a bit about myself. I was like these kids when I was their age. After the Iranian government took the US Embassy employees hostage back in late 1979, I would sometimes go to the Iranian embassy and protest the kidnapping of our fellow countrymen - was 15 at the time. And when I'd go back to school on Monday, I'd get nothing but grief from my fellow students. And in 10th Grade Geometry class one day, one of the McLean High Self Appointed Ruling Class Members gave me a nickname that stood with me for life. He drew a picture of me and titled it "Massoud - the Class Sandni00er". The Geometry teacher gave this person an "A+" grade for the day. So I feel these students pain when other kids toss rocks at them or mock them. The fact that some weak minded parents have joined in the cat calling is beyond despicable.

We have a right to protest in the 1st Amendment of the Constitution. This includes the students of Shenandoah County Schools.

These kids are protesting in the 90+ degree heat - the Founding Fathers would be proud of them. And to those who are mocking these kids, well it's safe to say that you'd have preferred we remain under the thumb of King George.

White People Can't Be Discriminated Against?

According to a Virginia Tech professor, it is impossible to discriminate against white people. A VTU professor gave his students an assignment - to write an essay about one of the groups which has been targeted by the Southern Poverty Law Center. Well one brave student (Alyssa Jones) chose the New Black Panther Party. The NBPP had been singled out as a hate group for their opinions of whites and Jews. This student was given a low grade because - yes you guessed it - White people can't be discriminated against.

against white Angle Saxon Protestants because of, you guessed it - skin color. Whites are now being discriminated against by the Elitist left in Critical Race Theory because of - you guessed it - their skin color.

<https://redstate.com/alexparker/2021/08/11/report-university-students-paper-is-docked-because-white-people-cannot-experience-racism-n424474>.

Quote of the week from this article - from DoT Secretary Buttigieg - "**Racism was physically built into the nation's highway system**"

Face/Palm

(Pray for the students who are protesting in the 90 degree heat. Pray for Sabrina Schnibel and the people who are assisting the students - they will all feel some sort of backlash soon)

Thank you for allowing me to serve you as your Chair. Together we will take back Virginia

I remain

your servant

JM

S John Massoud

6th District Republican Party Chairman



Upcoming Events:

August 12 - Shenandoah County School Board Meeting - 7 PM.

August 13 - Fundraiser for Josh Stephens - District 1 Supervisor in Shenandoah County. 9 00 Start time, Bryce Resort - Fairway Drive. Golf Tournament. \$75 per golfer or \$300 per 4 person team. Sponsorships also available.

Contact mari.rusch1@gmail.com for more information. FYI, I'm a sponsor for this event.

August 14 - Charlie Nave Fundraiser - 5th District Congressman Bob Good will be the guest speaker. 7 PM - The Barn at 1763 Woods Road in Bedford. Directions are a bit tricky, so email me for more information. Tickets are \$75.00 - there are sponsorships available. NOTE - I'm a sponsor for this event.

August 16-21,2021 Rockingham County Fair, 4808 S Valley Pike (Rt 11), Harrisonburg

August 17 - Rockbridge/Lexington/Buena Vista Meeting - details to follow.

August 17 - Waynesboro GOP Meeting - details to follow

1222 Old Abert Road, Lynchburg Va. Tickets are \$250.00 Sponsorships are available. Please contact Caitlyn Collins with your RSVP to Caitlyn Collins at 570 713 9781 or to learn more about sponsorships.

August 26-28 - Rockbridge Regional Fair in Glasgow.

September 6 - Buena Vista 50th Annual Labor Day Parade. GOP Breakfast starts at 7 AM. Invited guest are Congressman Ben Cline, Delegate Ronnie Campbell, Glenn Youngkin, Winsome Sears, Jason Miyares, your local candidates - SEE YOU THERE!!!

September 17 - Early Voting begins.

September 25 - Freedom Truck Rally. Start time is 10 am - line up at the Kerrs Creek Baptist Church.

September 30, 2021 5:30 - 7PM Rockingham County and Harrisonburg Lincoln Reagan Evening

Reception at 5:30 and the program will begin at 6PM. The event will be held at Brix and Columns Vineyards, 1505 Dave Berry Road, McGaheysville, VA. The featured speaker will be former Virginia state senator Stephen Martin (Chesterfield). Tickets are \$25.00

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