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Dear Friends and Fellow Republicans

The Political Establishment Does Not Understand Donald Trump

2 weeks ago, Sean Trende of Real Clear Politics wrote a fascinating Op-Ed on how the political establishment does not get Donald Trump. Mr. Trende talks about how the GOP, a once “patrician” party, had been abandoning its own people for years, and then Donald Trump saw that there was a group of millions of Americans were, hiding in plain sight, who were harmed by NAFTA and other

and I quote: All of this is to say that of course Donald Trump can win again. More importantly, if the GOP establishment/remaining Never Trump portion of the GOP wants to have a say in Republican politics in the future, they REALLY need to work on figuring out why.

https://www.realclearpolitics.com/articles/2024/02/13/the_establishment_still_doesnt_get_trump_150486.html

Trump Wins A Landslide Victory in South Carolina

Over the weekend, Donald Trump won a landslide victory in SC, beating former SC Governor Nikki Haley in 44 of SC's 46 counties/cities. The rules of delegate selection are somewhat unclear, some say that the delegate apportionment of SC is "winner take all", while others say that there is a hybrid system which apportions approximately 27 delegates in a winner take all, and the rest are apportioned by how many locales you win. So either Trump won 44 of 50 delegates, or all 50 delegates. Either or, former Ambassador Haley was humiliated in her own back yard.

Tonight the Great State of Michigan will announce their primary results (Michigan GOP voters go to the polls today). 55 delegates will be awarded on a hybrid basis. Trump is favored to win by more than 20%. Given the fact that Michigan allows for cross over voting, a 20% win for Trump will be great news. If Democrats were not allowed to vote, the margin would most likely be 80-20% for Trump.

So far Haley has only promised to stay in the race through March 5 – Super Tuesday (remember that Virginia holds the Presidential Primary that day – you can still early vote up through this coming Saturday), there is no real good reason for former Ambassador/Governor Haley to stay in the race now. It's over and the sooner that Haley realizes this the better off everyone will be. She tried hard, and she didn't get what she wanted. I wish her well. I also hope that she will learn something from this loss. Nikki Haley does have a future in the GOP, just not as President this time around. (Quite frankly I'd prefer she not run for President in 2028 either until she takes time and learns about regular people in a way she didn't understand this time around).

Radical Leftist's Now Call Taylor Swift And Swiftie's Racist

For the record, I'm not a Taylor Swift fan. For me, good music ended over 3 decades ago. Give me Diana Ross, Temptations, Beatles, Stones, Bobby Darin (but that's for another time). For kids today, the in thing is Taylor Swift. However BLM founder and resident lunatic Melina Abdullah posted the following drivel on Twitter a week or so ago: Why do I feel like it's slightly racist to be a Taylor Swift fan".

Abdullah then went onto say that "all things are racist". Ms. Abdullah also believes that white folk should not be allowed to celebrate the end of slavery, saying that no one is allowed to attend Juneteenth celebrations, they're for black folk only. She labeled that tweet as "Attention white folk". As many of us have noted for years now, BLM activists and race pimps are now the real racists, not most white people. The average white person does not have a racist bone in their body.

For those of you who have Twitter, look her up, it's truly amazing how liberalism can melt someone's mind.

she thinks about that the next time she thinks about voting for Joe Biden.

https://nypost.com/2024/02/25/us-news/professor-says-being-a-taylor-swift-fan-is-slightly-racist-chiefs-super-bowl-win-was-white-supremacist-conspiracy/?utm_source=youtube&utm_medium=social&utm_campaign=nypost

A Few Other Thoughts

Last night, I attended the Rockingham School Board Meeting. We have a great School Board there, and our Board Members there, in Shenandoah County, and many other locales are trying to undo the years of damage done to us by the politically correct. School Board Members are now among on the front lines of the culture wars, and they need our support. So far in 2024, I've been to School Board meetings in several locales, and I hope each of you will attend a Board meeting or 2, and let the Board members know that we're with them in the fight.

I was really impressed last night with Board Member's Ashley Burgoyne, Hollie Cave, Sarah Jorst, and Chair Matt Cross. On the same subject, I will say the same about the entire Shenandoah County School Board (chaired ably by my friend Dennis Barlow) and the Frederick County School Board (chaired by Scott Sturdivant and with Vice Chair Dianna Klein, who is also a conservative rock star in the making). We have many outstanding School Board Members in the Congressional District (there are too many to name, but let's start with Melanie Salins in Warren, and Michael Overfelt in Page), and I'm looking forward to attending a School Board meeting in each locale to let you know what hard work they're doing to try and undo the damage done by years of liberalism. I'll be giving more reports about School Board's in other locales in the near future.

2nd Picture from the top - L to R - Board Member Ashley Burgoyne, Board Member Hollie Cave, Superintendent Shifflett, Chair Matt Cross, Board Member and Vice Chair Sarah Jorst, Board Member Jackie Lohr

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your servant

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S John Massoud
6th District Republican Party Chairman



Upcoming Events:

February 27 – Salem City GOP Meeting. 6 30 PM Salem Library

February 27 – Roanoke City GOP Meeting – 1st Evangelical Presbyterian Church 6 30 PM start time

February 27 – Frederick County GOP Meeting – Millwood Fire Station Banquet Hall

February 27 – Page County GOP Meeting – Information to follow

February 28 – Shenandoah County GOP Meeting – 6 30 PM – Shenandoah County General District Court House

March 1 – First Friday's – 11 AM start time – Wood Grill Harrisonburg. Jonathan Emord is the guest speaker

March 2 – Alleghany Covington GOP Meeting. 10 AM Covington Library

March 5- Botetourt GOP Republican Women's Club Meeting – John Alderson Agency 1215 Roanoke Road Daleville Va. 7 PM start time.

March 5 - Super Tuesday - Virginia Primary Day. You can vote early now in person at your local registrar, or vote on Tuesday.

March 9 – RARC Mass Meeting – American Legion Post Buena Vista – Time TBD

March 14 – Roanoke County Mass Meeting 6 PM South County Library 6303 Merriman Road Roanoke.

March 16 – Page County GOP Barn Dance – 6-10 PM Stoneyman Valley Ranch 283 Pollock Road Luray

March 18 – RARC Meeting – 7 PM Buena Vista Educational Center Magnolia Road

March 18 – Rockingham Harrisonburg GOP Women's Committee Meeting – 5 30 PM – The Offices 31 N. Federal Street Harrisonburg

April 6 – Alleghany Covington Mass Meeting – TBD

April 12-14 – RPV Advance

April 13 – Clarke County GOP Convention – Old Court House 104 N. Church Street Berryville 9 AM.

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