



NORTHFIELD REPUBLICAN CLUB

March, 2007

March Club Meeting

Date: **Wednesday, March 28**

Location: Tilton Room at Denny's Restaurant

Guest Speakers: School Board Candidates

Refreshments at 7:00

Meeting to begin at 7:30

Invite a friend; new members are always welcome.

Upcoming Events

April 4: Republican County Convention

April 17: School Board Election

April 25: Republican Club Meeting

- Guest Speaker: **Dennis Levinson**

May 23: Republican Club Meeting

Last Meeting's Happenings

At the February 28th Club meeting, **State Senator Sonny McCullough** delivered an enthusiastic speech on the party's November prospects. We will have to pit our grassroots organization and support against the money pouring in from Camden. But, as Northfield illustrated in 2006, trends can be reversed. With hard work and focus, local Republicans can resist the outside interests seeking control of Atlantic County politics.

Galloway Councilman **Al DeSimone** asked for the Club's support this November in his run for the State Assembly. Al's energetic style and grassroots approach held back the Calloway machine in recent Galloway elections, stopping them from claiming a third large county municipality. That's an impressive feat in local politics.

EHT Councilman **John Risley** also seeks one of the two Assembly seats up for election in November. John, a former county freeholder, focused on the issue of money and contracts moving out of Atlantic County and into the Camden and North Jersey purses funding local democrats in 2007. If they are successful, they will drain dollars out of the county's economy, trying to pay off on their investment in their Atlantic County chess-pieces.

Nominations for Public Office

At the March 28th meeting, the Northfield Republican Club will be accepting nominations for candidates for public office. Up for election in November 2007 are the following offices:

Mayor: currently held by democrat Frank Perri.

Council, First Ward: held by Jimmy Martinez.

Council, Second Ward: held by our own Michael Turon.

As per the Club by-laws, the Nominating Committee will consist of the current Club Officers (Jay Hurley, Jim O'Neill, Jim Dickinson, Pat McGowan and Steve Wynne) the Past President (Keith Bonchi), and sitting Council Members (Cindy Kern, Tim Carew, Steve Vain and Mike Turon). The committee will meet on Monday, March 26, at 7 PM. Club members interested in any of the three 2007 races are urged to contact the Club President:

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May Fundraiser

Mount Fuji Restaurant

Absecon, on the White Horse Pike

Friday, May 18 at 7:30 PM

\$50 per person

Proceeds from the fundraiser will go to supporting the club, and to the successful campaigns of our candidates in the November elections. Come out and have fun.

New Club Website

The club has upgraded the website. We hope to be your "Go To" site for Northfield news, candidate information, and republican links. **Visit us weekly at:**

www.NorthfieldRepublicanClub.com

Please remember to send your 2007 yearly club dues of five dollars to Jim Dickinson, Treasurer, c/o the Club PO Box.

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