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Important Dates:

- [4th Annual Judge Joseph Story Dinner](#) featuring Gov. Rick Perry, Monday, August 11th, Prairie Moon Winery, 3801 W. 190th St., Ames, Doors open at 5:30 PM, Cost: \$30/person
- Central Committee meeting: Monday, August 18th at 7:00 PM, Oakwood Road Community Center, 2400 Oakwood Rd., Ames
- [Lincoln Highway Days](#) Parade, Saturday, August 23rd, Nevada; [Lineup](#) begins at 9:00 AM, Parade: 10:00-11:30 AM

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Greetings Republicans!

August is shaping up to be one of the most successful in recent memory for the Story County GOP. We are excited to have Texas Governor Rick Perry headlining our 4th Annual Judge Joseph Story Dinner on Monday, August 11th. He will be joined by U.S. Senate Candidate Joni Ernst, Candidate for State Treasurer Sam Clovis, and Candidate for Attorney General Adam Gregg. It's an all-star lineup you won't want to miss.

We are also excited to move the Judge Story Dinner to a new venue this year. Prairie Moon Winery will provide an excellent venue for the evening's festivities. General admission tickets are just \$30 per person, only \$15 for Century Club members. Tickets may be ordered [online](#). Hosting opportunities are available as

well—if you know anyone who may be interested, please have them [contact me](#) directly.

It is clear that Story County will be a battleground this fall for our statewide candidates, but it is important that we focus on our local candidates as well. This is why the Story County GOP's biggest expenditure in 2014 will be on Get Out the Vote efforts for our candidates at the legislative and county levels. We have a plan in place, but we must have the resources to reach as many voters as possible. This why dinners like the Judge Story dinner are so important.

Speaking of our local candidates, Candidate for Senate District 23 Jeremy Davis announced that U.S. Senator Chuck Grassley will be headlining a fundraiser for his campaign on Wednesday, September 3rd from 5:30 to 7:00 PM.

The house party will be held in Ames at the home of Lee and Sherry Sargent. Please RSVP to [Jeremy](#) by August 28th if you would like to attend.

Finally, I will have the distinct honor of performing our National Anthem on Friday, August 8th at the Boone County GOP's 2nd Annual Eisenhower Grand Ol' Picnic. Senator Rick Santorum is headlining the event, beginning at 6:00 PM at McHose Park in Boone. Please join in supporting our neighbors to the west for what is sure to be a fun night.

Until next time, best wishes and thanks for all you do on behalf of Republicans!

Dane Nealson, Chairman
Story County Republicans
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IOWA STATE FAIR VOLUNTEERS

Our candidate for State Treasurer, Sam Clovis, is searching for volunteers to walk in the Iowa State Fair Parade on Wednesday, August 6th.

He's also looking for volunteers to work at the Republican Party of Iowa's booth at the fair between August 7-17. The booth is located in the Varied Industries Building (it's air conditioned), and volunteers get their tickets paid for to enter the fair.

If you are interested, please contact Sondra Childs-Smith at sondra@samclovis.com or 515-450-0271.

COMMITTEE UPDATES

FUNDRAISING & EVENTS COMMITTEE

Story County nametags are available to Central Committee members for \$35 each. If you'd like to order a nametag, please contact Jim Lohr: jlohr10@mchsi.com

Preparations are underway for our annual Judge Joseph Story Dinner, to be held on Monday, August 11th at the Prairie Moon Winery in Ames. [Century Club](#) members can get half-price tickets to that event, so if you haven't joined yet, we encourage you to do so. We have a number of other fundraising ideas. If you'd like to organize a possible fundraising event, please contact Jeff Ortiz.

If you'd like to serve on the Fundraising & Events Committee, please contact [Jeff Ortiz](#).

ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE

Lest you be discouraged, dismayed, or angry from the local, state, national, and/or international news coming at you from various sources, remember that you are doing your city, county, state, and country a great service by being a representative from your precinct at the county level.

You attend meetings and conventions, study the issues, vote in municipal, county, and state elections, stuff envelopes, make phone calls, knock on doors, attend candidate events, and make donations to the candidates of your choice. These activities—and probably more—are what make up an informed and empowered electorate, and it all begins at HOME!

Some of our most important work will begin in September and October: Be ready to canvass a part of our Districts for the purpose of getting folks out to vote for our Republican candidates. Around the county, be prepared to help with the campaigns of other candidates. More information will be available at the Central Committee meeting in September. You may also contact the Organization Committee Chair, [Judy Trumpy](#), to indicate you are ready to help, and any preferences for an area to canvass.

You do not need to be a Central Committee member in order to participate on this committee. Please contact Judy Trumpy at jmtrumpy@gmail.com for meeting notices and other planned activities as they develop. Thank you in advance!!

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

The Publicity Committee meets at 6:30 PM just prior to every Central Committee meeting. We released another issue of the newsletter for July. As always, you can add discussion items to our Google Group for all Story County Republicans. You can find it by searching for "[Story County GOP](#)". This is a PRIVATE group, so you must join in order to view the discussion board. We now have over 200 "Likes" on our "[Republican Party of Story County](#)" Facebook page, and over 650 followers on Twitter. Please "Like" our Facebook page, and "Follow" us on Twitter. And don't forget to visit our website: storycountygop.com

Our Facebook group "[Story County Iowa GOP](#)" is still available for sharing relevant news of the day, and for discussion among our members.

Our next newsletter will be out by August 31st. Newsletter submissions are due by August 20th. Please send your submissions via e-mail (included in the e-mail or as an attachment) to: dustyjuhl@gmail.com.

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Join Texas Governor Rick Perry and your statewide Republican ticket!



4TH ANNUAL
JUDGE JOSEPH STORY DINNER
FEATURING TEXAS GOV. RICK PERRY
Prairie Moon Winery
3801 W 190th St., Ames, IA 50014
Tickets: \$30 per person (\$15 for Century Club Members)
Host Contribution Level: \$500 (Table of 8)
Tickets may be ordered online at EventBrite.com

**All funds will be used for the Story County GOP's 2014 Get Out The Vote program.
Paid for by Republican Party of Story County*

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 11—4th Annual Judge Joseph Story Dinner, Prairie Moon Winery, 3801 W. 190th St., Ames, Doors open at 5:30 PM, Cost : \$30/person.

August 18—Story County Republican Central Committee, Oakwood Road Community Center, 2400 Oakwood Rd., Ames, 7:00 PM

August 23—Lincoln Highway Days Parade, Nevada; [Lineup](#) starts at 9:00 AM, Parade: 10:00-11:30 AM

School Board meetings

Ames Community School District: Board meets 1st and 3rd Monday of the month at 6:30 PM in the Ames High School multipurpose room.

Ballard Community Schools: Board meets the 3rd Monday of the month at 6:30 PM in the “3C” building.

Collins-Maxwell School District: Board meets the 3rd Monday of the month at 7:00 PM in the school library.

Gilbert Community School District: Board meets the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month at 6:00 PM at the High School Media Center.

Nevada Community School District: Board meets the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month at 6:30 PM at 1035 15th St. in Nevada.

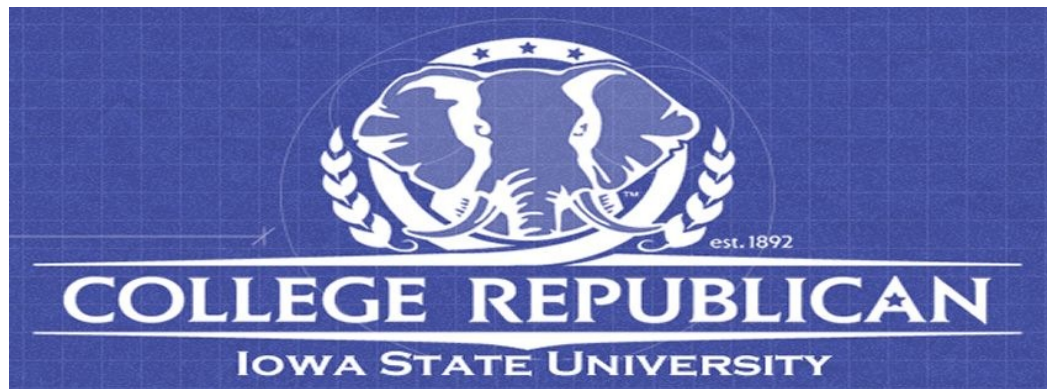
Roland-Story Community School District: Board meets the 2nd Monday of the month at 6:30 PM in the board room at the high school.

County Board of Supervisors

Story County Board of Supervisors: Board meets every Tuesday morning at 10:00 AM in the Public Meeting Room, 900 Sixth St., Second Floor, in Nevada.

Don't see your event listed? Send it to us at: publicity@storycountygop.com

CLUB UPDATES



The ISU College Republicans are on break until the Fall semester—which is fast approaching!!

Information about meetings and events can be found on our [Facebook](#) page.

For more information, please contact the ISU College Republicans via e-mail at: isucollegerepubs@gmail.com

AMES AREA CONSERVATIVE BREAKFAST



The Ames Area Conservative Breakfast that was scheduled for Thursday, August 7, 2014 at 7:00 AM at the Pizza Ranch in Ames has been cancelled.

Join us on September 4th for our next meeting, when we will have special guests Rick Sanders and Paul Toot.

Sincerely,
[Loretta Parker](#), and [Cory Adams](#)

*Please join us at our
next meeting in
September.*

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DAVIS FOR SENATE FUNDRAISER

Lee and Sherry Sargent are hosting a fundraiser at their home for Jeremy Davis, Candidate for Iowa Senate District 23. The event will take place on Wednesday, September 3, 2014, from 5:30 to 7:00 PM, at 4300 Timber Ridge Drive, with Special Guest, U.S. Senator Chuck Grassley.

The suggested individual contribution is \$50, or you can be part of the Host Committee for a suggested donation of \$250.

If you'd like to attend, please RSVP by August 28th to: jeremy@jeremyndavis.com



MEETING REMINDER

Your attendance at Central Committee meetings is important. Please notify the Secretary, Chairman, or Co-Chairman via text, e-mail, or by telephone if you will be absent.

Respectfully,

Laura Carlson, Secretary

Story County Republicans

secretary@storycountygop.com

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

Our next newsletter will be out by August 31st. If you have something you'd like to include, or have something to share, please send it to Dusty Juhl with the Publicity Committee by **No Later Than (NLT) August 20th!!** Please include your updates in an e-mail or e-mail attachment to: dustyjuhl@gmail.com

Thanks,

The Publicity Committee