

42ND WARD GOP

ELOISE GERSON, COMMITTEEMAN

42nd WARD GOP WINE TASTING - JUNE 24



Join the 42nd Ward GOP on a beautiful rooftop at 500 N. Dearborn St. for a wine tasting. Svenson Law Offices will be hosting the event in Suite 1200.

The large deck has a beautiful skyline view. Come sample the wines of Spain, South America, and France. We'll have multiple wine stations and cheese to compliment each selection. State Representative and Candidate for Lieutenant Governor Dave Winters will be our featured guest.

We'll also serve a wonderful selection of cheeses to compliment each wine. The cost of the event is \$50 for non-members and \$35 for 42nd Ward GOP members. Please contact us at (312) 649-9944 or jon@gop42.com for more information or to RSVP.

The event starts at 6pm.

Below are the wines we'll be featuring:

The Wines of Spain

Paso a Paso Verdejo
Burgan's Albarino
Monte Oton Garnacha
Altos di Luzon

The Wines of South America

Colome Torontes
Crios Rose
Terrazas Malbec
Lapostolle Cabernet

The Wines of France

Chateau Haut Rian
Les Charmes White Burgundy
Cotes Du Rhone

CHICAGO GOP LAUNCHES 2010 INITIATIVE

Tuesday, June 16, the Chicago Republican Party introduced the "2010" Initiative. Calling the 2010 election the most important for Illinois in a generation, given the ongoing crises in government and the wide slate of key offices on the ballot, the Chicago Republican Party launched this initiative for statewide victory by Republican candidates at an Open Meeting in the Lincoln Park neighborhood.

Noting that 20% of the population of Illinois lives in the City of Chicago, and that no Republican statewide candidate has ever lost after receiving just 23% of the City, the Chicago GOP leadership has set up a series of key working committees, led and staffed by new volunteers, to begin the hard work of obtaining a 25% GOP vote in 2010, through recruitment of volunteers and candidates, as well as careful campaign and event planning.

"We have been very impressed by the level of talent presented by our new volunteer Committee Chairmen," stated Executive Director Jon Blessing.

"A key goal of this Initiative is to decentralize the work



flow, in order to allow a much greater overall effort to occur in that critical 75 day sprint before Election Day 2010," added Political Director Tom Swiss. "It is going to take all of a year to get the pieces in place and the planning done. We have to start now."

Chicago GOP Chairman Eloise Gerson personally thanked those attending the event on a rainy night, stating, "The energy in the room was tremendous. The Initiative is really starting to roll."

SEN. RUTHERFORD'S NETWORKING PARTY IN 42nd WARD



Networking...good people meeting good people: good for politics, for for all ages!

To provide an outlet for fun people to help build their network, Senator Dan Rutherford has established a high profile Networking Party in Chicago. It has become the summer event to look forward to. Dan maintains, "He or she who knows the most people wins." He has presented this mantra to students in college lecture halls and to civic

leaders in their boardrooms.

Senator Rutherford started his networking party in 2003 and it has grown remarkably. Hundreds of people will once again gather at the popular Harry Carey's, 33 W. Kinzie St., Chicago looking to expand their networks. **The 2009 date is for Tuesday, July 14 from 5:30pm - 7:00pm.**

For more information go to www.danrutherford.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE COMMUNITY

42nd Ward GOP Wine Tasting

Wednesday, June 24

Svenson Law Office

500 N. Dearborn St.

6pm - 8pm

Join us for a fabulous night of wine and cheese. State Representative Dave Winters is our featured guest.

For more information or to RSVP call (312) 649-9944 or email jon@gop42.com

Senator Dan Rutherford's Annual Networking Party

Tuesday, July 14

Harry Caray's

33 W. Kinzie St.

5:30pm - 7pm

Senator Rutherford has held this awesome event since 2003. For more information visit www.danrutherford.org/events.

42nd Ward GOP Monthly Breakfast

Saturday, July 25

Location: TBA

10am - 11:30am

Featured Guest: Republican State Party Chairman Andy McKenna
Join us for breakfast and politics....email info@gop42.com for more information or to RSVP.

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP FOR 2009!!

Our grassroots organization here in the 42nd Ward is only as strong as its membership. We encourage you to join the 42nd Ward Republican Organization or renew your 2009 membership.

For just \$35 per year you will enable our vibrant organization to remain the strongest Republican ward organization in the city of Chicago. For more information about joining the 42nd Ward GOP, email us at info@gop42.com.



Join the 42nd Ward GOP



Committeeman Gerson with President George W. Bush at Republican Jewish Coalition meeting in Fort Lauderdale

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