



# THE TRUMPET

Tri-Creek Republican Committee Newsletter

## IMPORTANT WEBSITES

Lake County GOP:  
[lakecountygop.us](http://lakecountygop.us)

Lake County, Indiana:  
[lakecounty.in.gov](http://lakecounty.in.gov)

Tri-Creek Republicans:  
[TriCreekRepublicans.com](http://TriCreekRepublicans.com)

Lowell, Indiana:  
[lowell.net](http://lowell.net)

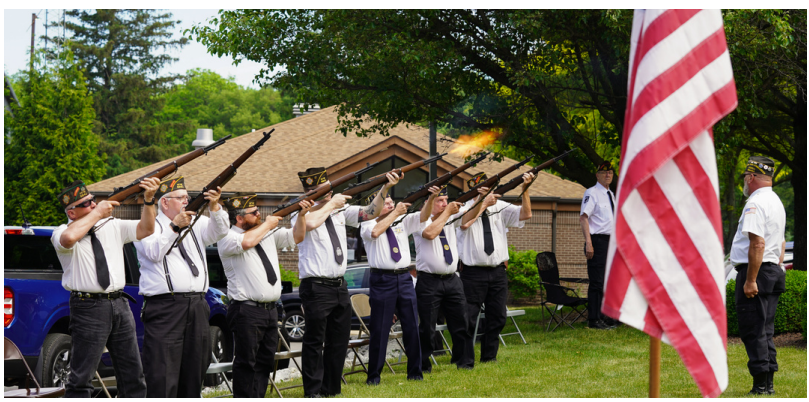


## MEMORIAL DAY

As we reflect on Memorial Day and the meaning behind the three day weekend, Tri-Creek Republican Committee would like to encourage everyone to carry these reflections forward with them for the rest of the year and beyond.

During the memorial services this year, many Tri-Creek residents and elected officials gathered to honor the sacrifices made by the men and women that laid down their lives to defend this country. Not only should we honor their sacrifices, but we should also honor those family members and friends left behind to mourn them.

There were services in held Lowell and Shelby. The two services were very well attended. Please see the post on our Facebook page for more photographs of the day.



LAKE COUNTY  
CALENDAR

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## THE STORY OF THE POPPY

"The poppy flower only grows in the absence of other flowers and only in ground that has been churned. In perhaps the best known poem of WWI, when Dr. John McCrae observed poppies growing between the crosses on the soldier's graves, it inspired him to write the poem, "In Flanders Fields." The poppy has since become known as "The Flower of Remembrance" and is worn in memory of our veterans." -Viral Facebook Post

## COUNTY VICE-CHAIR RESIGNS

On May 23, 2023, Rachelle Baker, the Lake County Vice-Chairwoman and District 1 Vice-Chairwoman resigned both positions to take effect on June 7, 2023. Rachelle and her family are accepting a job offer outside of the Republican Party that will require relocation.

Rachelle has been the Vice-Chairwoman of the Lake County Republican Party since she was elected via caucus in 2021.

County Chairman, Randy Niemeyer, will be announcing an appointment to this position in the coming days.



CHAIR - CLARISSA FULLER | VICE-CHAIR - MIKE LEE  
 SECRETARY - JESSICA MESSLER | TREASURER - MELISSA LAURIDSEN

## A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRWOMAN

At this time, we are asking children, aged 6 and under, to *not* attend our monthly Tri-Creek Republican Committee meetings due to the distraction that it can cause to the meeting's flow. Our [Website](#), our [Facebook Page](#), and our [Discussion Group](#) on Facebook have all the new and old information so that you will be in the loop. Please respect this request and the request of other members of the group.



## Press Release

23rd May, 2023



Lake County  
Republican Party

# Indiana Republican Party Vice-Chairwoman Rachelle Baker Set to Resign

LAKE COUNTY - Indiana Republican Party 1st District Vice-Chairwoman and Lake County Republican Party Vice-Chairwoman Rachelle Baker is set to resign the second week in June, the Vice-Chairwoman announced on Wednesday, May 23, 2023.

Rachelle Baker wrote that her family has been presented with professional opportunities outside the Republican Party that require relocation.

In a letter dated Wednesday, she submitted her official letter of resignation effective June 7, 2023.



"I will be forever grateful to the conservative precinct committeemen/women in Lake County for electing me in 2021 to serve as the Vice-Chairwoman. When I was elected at the caucus, I said: 'I am dedicated to helping prepare the way to advance life, individual liberty, and limited government for all people.' I kept my word. I intend to maintain relationships across the party and support those who champion conservative values and traditional freedoms. I stand ready to assist the team in a seamless transition however I can," Baker said.

Baker stated she hasn't discussed possible replacements with Republican leadership, saying her departure should allow plenty of time to put someone else in place before the 2024 presidential season.

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