

WFRW Spring 2018 Board Meeting

Speaker Bios

Abigail Anne Osborne



Abigail is a lifelong resident of Spokane County and a student at Gonzaga University and will graduate this May with a Bachelor's Degree in Economics. She currently serves on the Spokane GOP Board as a District Leader and the Washington College Republican Federation Board as Treasurer. As the former Communications Director of the Gonzaga College Republicans, Abigail had the pleasure of bringing inspirational speakers to campus--such as Lt. Col. Allen West and Steve Forbes in order to promote the free exchange of Conservative ideas. After graduation, she plans to continue the fight to preserve our liberties and eventually turn Washington State red."

Chevy Swanson



Chevy is a Junior at UW, Majoring in Informatics with a focus on Information Assurance and Cybersecurity. He plans on going into Information Security after graduating. Chevy has been the College Republican President since last May, and before that, he was the Events Coordinator. His involvement in political activism started in his freshmen year when he ran a pro-Trump rally in response to the disruptive left-wing events that were commonplace on campus.

Coach Joseph Kennedy

Joe Kennedy is a former assistant football coach at Bremerton High School in Bremerton, WA. In 2015, Kennedy made national headlines when he lost his job as a football coach because of his practice of saying a brief, private prayer at the 50-yard line after football games. Kennedy again made headlines in 2016 when his law firm, First Liberty Institute, announced it had sued Bremerton School District for violating Kennedy's rights. Many rushed to support Kennedy, including Franklin Graham, Hall of Famer and Seattle icon Steve Largent, Senator Ted Cruz, and none other than President Trump. Even the Seattle Times editorial board declared Kennedy as the kind of coach our communities need.

Before becoming a football coach, Kennedy served for 20 years in the U.S. Marine Corps. Kennedy married his childhood sweetheart Denise and lives near Bremerton. All four of the children graduated from schools in Bremerton. Kennedy is an avid fan of Vietnamese pho soup, goldfish crackers, and watching cartoons.

