

fund-raiser takes in \$150,000

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torial run, but could also vie for a number of other state and local offices.

Athey honored

Speaker of the House Michael E. Busch recently presented Tyrus S. Athey with the Thomas Kennedy Award, an honor given to a former member of the House of Delegates who has dedicated himself to the principles of courage and freedom.

Mr. Athey, a Democrat from Jessup, served in the House for 27 years and was chairman of the Ways and Means Committee for much of that time.

He resigned his post after the 1993 legislative session and was appointed secretary of state by former governor William Donald Schaefer.

Friday Dems meet

County school Superintendent Eric J. Smith will be the featured speaker at tomorrow's Almost 7:30 Friday Morning Democratic Breakfast club meeting.

The meeting will run from 7:45 to 9 a.m. at O'Brien's Oyster Bar and Restaurant, 113 Main St., Annapolis. There's a \$3.50 charge for breakfast.

For more information, call Edie Segree at 410-757-1678.

GOP women

home of Mrs. Richard Reigle.

Ms. Dame will give a talk called "Womanly Words, Womanly Deeds" during the meeting, which starts at 10:30 a.m. at 502 Heavitree Lane.

All prospective members are welcome. For more information, call Joan Maynard at 410-859-5144.

Green Party

The county Green Party will hold its regular club meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday at 49 West in Annapolis.

For more information about the club, log onto www.mdgreen.org/arundel, or call Erik Michelsen at 410-956-3216.

Wednesday GOP

Del. Herb McMillan, R-Annapolis, will be the featured speaker at the next Wednesday Republican Breakfast Club meeting.

He'll discuss current legislative affairs.

The club will meet from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. on the second floor of Middleton Tavern, 2 Market Space, Annapolis. There's a \$4 fee for breakfast.

For more information, call Robert Emmet at 410-268-5640.

GOP women dine

Del. James E. Rzepkowski, R-Glen Burnie, will be the featured speaker at Wednesday's at the next meeting of the Re-



Former delegate Tyrus S. Athey, a Democrat from Jessup, receives the Thomas Kennedy Award from Speaker of the House Michael E. Busch, as former delegate Elizabeth Smith-Anderson helps out.

D'Italia, 126 Defense Highway. Dinner will follow at 7:15, and the program at 7:45.

All interested Republicans are welcome.

Organizers ask that reservations and dinner selection be made by Monday. To do so, call Joyce Thomann at 410-757-2345.

Health care meeting

Glenn Schneider of the Maryland Citizens' Health Care Coalition will be the guest speaker at the next meeting of the 33rd Democratic Club on Thursday at the Dough Roller Restaurant in Crofton.

The meeting will begin with dinner at 6 p.m. Club business, including the election of officers and board members, will precede the speaker at 7.

For more information, call club President Ann Marie Remillard at 410-987-1916.

Elephant Club

Attorney William Skinner, president of the Maryland Tax Association, will speak at the Elephant Club's next "Pizza and Politics Night" on March 20.

The meeting will start at 7 p.m. at the Anne Arundel County Realtors Association office, 555 Benfield Blvd., Severna Park.

Mr. Skinner will discuss budget priorities and revenue distribution now being considered by Maryland legislators.

There's a \$5 fee for pizza and soft drinks.

For more information, call Ed Bach at 410-647-2004.