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Dear Patriot,

Spend some time over Labor Day Weekend to get your mind ready for the next two months.

There is no way to sugar-coat what it is going to be like. It will be nothing we have ever seen.

There is so much on the line for our country and our future as Americans.

You can help the sane, good people win. It is going to take everyone to win this midterm.

Here are some things to think about this weekend, do them all or pick one, it all helps.

LIST the 10 people you will urge and follow up to make sure they vote.

FIND sample ballots for your state and send to everyone on your email list with recommendations on who to vote for.

CALL your county GOP and ask to be a poll observer.

SHARE good information as much as possible.

LIKE the sensible posts on Facebook, Instagram and X and share them.

BUY a subscription to this newsletter for someone you care about who needs better information.

VOLUNTEER for any Republican candidate you like. Ask to call voter lists and cover polling sites for them.

STAY POSITIVE. No one likes gloom and doom which is used to depress voter turn out. The future is BRIGHT.

FLY your American flag. It is a symbol of strength and hope. Plus it makes your home look prettier.

PRAY for our country and our President.

PRAY for fair elections.

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We will be taking Monday (Labor Day) off.

Back with the Wednesday newsletter, ready to fight for our nation.



1- Go to the link and read the list. Memorize five of the accomplishments.

Print it out. Share it.

President Trump walked in to a bloody mess. The mess of our government has been building now for generations.

It's a tangled, absurd sticky ball of confusion, secrecy, lies and fraud twisted through every office, federal agency, courts, Congress, and foreign policy. Our government is a carefully cultivated bureaucracy that is meant to be confusing and impossible to unwind.

But, President Trump is making great strides to fix it all. Sadly, it takes time to untangle it.

So when you or a friend are sitting around whining about how little Trump has done, pull this list out and refresh yourself.

There is no "party" or "media" that will push out this information. It is up to each of us to do so.

Full list at the link.

Rod D. Martin on X

Trump's top 25 achievements: The list every conservative should know and use.

QUOTE: Donald Trump doesn't have an accomplishment problem. Republicans have an information problem.

It's on each of us to change that. With the midterms coming, an astonishing number of Republican voters cannot name three things President Trump has accomplished. Which is remarkable when you consider that Donald Trump has accomplished more in a year and a half than any other president ever did in four.

Indeed, he has accomplished so much, so fast, across so many fronts that most people cannot keep up. The Enemedia buries the victories, while Republicans do an abysmal job of explaining them.

So here is the cheat sheet. It barely scratches the surface.

And yet each and every item here is a game-changer, and your befuddled black-pilling friends need to know it.

This is not a list of promises. It's a list of laws enacted, cases won, policies implemented, agreements secured, and measurable results.

You don't have to memorize all 25. Learn five. And when somebody says Trump "hasn't done much," show them the receipts.



2- 163 CHILDREN RESCUED. You most likely missed this story because the Fake News did not report it.

It must be a major Trump Administration accomplishment....

PRAY for all children.

Tampa Free Press

How a massive multi-agency dragnet rescued 163 children across Florida and the globe

QUOTE: A five-day sweep across Florida and across international borders ended with the recovery of 163 missing children, marking the largest operation of its kind in state history, Florida officials announced.

The effort, dubbed Operation Statewide Shield, brought together local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies alongside private and non-profit groups. Investigators focused on finding missing youths between the ages of 2 months and 17 years old.

Many of these kids have been victimized by those who prey on the most vulnerable," said Florida Attorney General James Uthmeier. "Thanks to the outstanding work of FDLE, the Office of Statewide Prosecution, and our state and local partners, these children are now safe and receiving the care they deserve. Florida will continue leading the recovery of missing

children, hunting down every predator, and prosecuting abusers to the fullest extent of the law.”

Sadly, many of the missing children “had experienced various levels of abuse, neglect, exploitation or exposure to other criminal activity.” The reasons they were missing in the first place also varied. Some were victims of kidnapping or child trafficking, but others were illegally taken in custody disputes or domestic situations.

After being rescued, the kids were taken to “designated recovery hubs, where they received support from social services, child welfare professionals, medical providers, victim advocates and other child-centred resources.”

Multiple arrests were made during the operation, but there are even more to follow, the Attorney General said.



3- We look at information like this and think how much better it would be if young people started right out of high school doing these kinds of jobs. Jobs where they will learn life skills and produce something...bypassing the waste of time and negative indoctrinations MOST colleges offer.

They can all go to college once we FIX IT! Until then, get a job. Make something.

Breitbart

Manufacturing Boom: Factory Job Openings Soar To Three Year High

QUOTE: Job openings at U.S. factories rose in July to the highest level since January 2023, boosted by a surge in durable goods manufacturers looking for workers. Available positions in manufacturing rose to 580,000 from 501,000 in June, data from the Labor Department’s Job Openings and Labor Turnover Survey showed Tuesday. A year ago, manufacturers were looking to fill 428,000 positions.

Vacancies in durable goods manufacturing climbed to 429,000, up from 353,000 in June and 255,000 a year ago.

The figures suggest surging demand for U.S. manufactured goods. Last week, the Commerce Department said durable goods orders at U.S. factories rose 1.1 percent, more than twice what was expected. Reports from the Federal Reserve banks of Kansas City, Dallas, New York, and Philadelphia have recently indicated strong growth in the manufacturing sector.

Fed chairman Kevin Warsh has recently suggested that the labor market is near full employment, with the unemployment rate historically low at 4.1 percent and jobless claims at the lowest in over four decades. The number of layoffs fell to 1.666 million, one of the lowest figures on record.

excluding the immediate post-pandemic period. The rate of layoffs ticked down to one percent, also one of the lowest on record apart from the pandemic rebound.

Labor force growth has slowed significantly in the past year and a half thanks to the Trump administration's crackdown on unauthorized immigration. As well, aging baby boomers are exiting the labor force at a pace matching or exceeding the entrance of younger workers.



4- The evil left is hysterical. Every avenue they have to cheat needs to have a bomb dropped on it.

The Gateway Pundit

Trump Orders Shock Voter Fraud Crackdown in Nine States, Including: WA, WI, MO, GA, CA, PA, NV, NY and CT

QUOTE: Cue the shrieking demons in the leftist media!

President Trump ordered a shock voter fraud crackdown on Monday in nine states, including Washington, Wisconsin, Missouri, Georgia, California, Pennsylvania, Nevada, New York, and Connecticut.

It starts on Tuesday.

Homeland Security Investigations, ICE's investigative arm, will launch what officials are calling a 'coordinated criminal voter fraud surge initiative to pursue investigative leads, conduct field interviews, and support timely prosecutorial review.'

Agents will be authorized to pursue investigative leads through mid-October — right as the midterm election season gets underway.

Today's news comes after DHS Secretary Markwayne Mullin previously stated 250,000+ noncitizens were found on voter rolls in four states.

Through preliminary reviews of the four states' records, DHS found that there may be as many as:

- 190,832 non-citizens registered to vote in California.
- 35,152 non-citizens registered to vote in New Jersey.
- 15,903 non-citizens registered to vote in Nevada.
- 14,576 non-citizens registered to vote in Pennsylvania.



5- One of the very best hires by President Trump was Assistant Attorney General for Civil Rights Harmeet Dhillon.

She is small but she is fierce.

The more eyes on cheating Demoncrats the better.

Newsmax

Dhillon to Newsmax: DOJ Planning Historic Midterm Monitoring

QUOTE: The Justice Department is preparing an unprecedented election-monitoring effort for the November midterms, with trained government lawyers expected to observe voting across the country, says Assistant Attorney General for Civil Rights Harmeet Dhillon.

"We are observers, similar to observers for campaigns, observers for the League of Women Voters, the ACLU, other groups like that, just to see what's going on in our elections and make sure that nothing strange is happening," Dhillon said.

The Justice Department is preparing to deploy roughly 1,000 monitors nationwide, with the number potentially growing before Election Day.

Dhillon said the effort follows a practice the department has used since the Voting Rights Act and stressed that the monitors will not be armed federal agents or officials seeking to control local elections.

"We're asking DOJ lawyers to step up, and there may be other government lawyers involved as well," Dhillon said. "But it's going to be lawyers who are trained in how to properly monitor and analyze what's happening and then just take notes, and then we will deal with it afterwards. We're not there to run the election, interfere with it, but we are there to document anything that goes wrong and maybe take legal action afterwards," she added.



6- Well...this is better than zero but, this number needs to be about 500,000 more...in our humble opinion.

The Epoch Times

ICE Arrested Nearly 51,000 Illegal Immigrants in August: DHS

QUOTE: Federal immigration authorities arrested nearly 51,000 illegal immigrants throughout the United States in August, a record for a single month, the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) said on Sept. 2.

The total of 50,925 is the latest in three months of growth in Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) arrests, surpassing June and July totals of 43,900 and 50,208, respectively.

Since President Donald Trump returned to the White House in January 2025, more than 3 million illegal immigrants have left the United States or been deported.



7- Even though we all would really like to just forget the Covid-CCP Era, we have to keep talking about it. We can not let this horrible part of all of our lives fade in a fog.

It is also good to be reminded that we have managed to do a lot of things to right that misadventure.

Click on the link for more of this story.

Children's Health Defense

We Haven't Yet Seen Accountability for COVID-Era Crimes — But Let's Not Forget How Far We've Come

QUOTE: Without a doubt, the U.S. government shredded the Constitution during COVID, violating all the key provisions of the First Amendment: freedom of religion, speech, press, assembly and the right to petition the government for grievances.

Just a few years ago, the government shuttered religious institutions, censored and deplatformed truth-tellers, enacted lockdowns and ignored entreaties to courts and agencies. Government policy destroyed private property and shoveled wealth upwards to a global oligarchy.

So far, there has been no real accountability. Brownstone Institute's new book, "The Covid Response at Five Years: A History of the End of Civilization," accurately captures the continuing failure to reckon with COVID.

Undoubtedly, our freedoms remain fragile.

But the pushback mounted — by Brownstone Institute, Children's Health Defense (CHD), FLCCC/Independent Medical Alliance, Health Freedom Defense Fund, Solari, Feds for Freedom, Stand for Health Freedom, X, Substack, many podcasts and more — made a huge difference. These sources of independent information helped lead people out of the

Still, let's remember back five years.

Let's account for the things today that would have been unthinkable in 2021:

- Robert F. Kennedy Jr. is Secretary of Health and Human Services, with deputies Jay Bhattacharya, M.D., Ph.D., and Martin Kulldorf, Ph.D., who helped write "The Great Barrington Declaration."
- Dr. Anthony Fauci held in criminal contempt by a Senate Committee, with his vapid diaries exposed for the whole world to see.
- Dr. David Morens, Fauci's long-time aide, awaiting a prison sentence after having taken a plea, and who has implicated Peter Daszak, Ph.D., and other co-conspirators.
- Vincent Munster, Ph.D., awaiting criminal sanctions for smuggling over 100 mpx samples through U.S. customs for "gain-of-function" research.
- Poul Thorsen, fugitive rogue doctor, arrested for money laundering and wire fraud committed at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, while he produced critical fraudulent studies about vaccines and autism.
- Jeffrey Epstein's millions of files made available by Congress, with millions more records on the way.
- An Executive Order from the President outlining radical change to the childhood vaccine schedule and tasking the U.S. Department of Justice with going after states that fail to provide parents maximal autonomy in medical decision-making.
- A World Health Organization treaty to fully globalize "public health" in tatters through the concerted efforts of the health freedom movement.

None of these developments above could have happened in 2021.

But five years out, we see change.

Pennsylvania Gov. Josh Shapiro's measles outbreak narrative crashed and burned last week, showing how the new media environment is freer than it was five years ago. The governor's "two measles-associated deaths" story collapsed within days, with the Lancaster County health commissioner and coroner calling him out almost immediately.

Excellent investigative reporting showed that the measles narrative had been concocted as an election ploy, just waiting for a news trigger. The speedy decimation of the official narrative would have been unthinkable five years ago.



3- We do not mean to be constantly pushing this podcast. But, time and again Miranda Devine has the most interesting guests and she is an excellent

interviewer.

Dr. Monique Yohanan is doing big things. But she comes at everything controversial with a calm grace.

Be sure to listen to the end for her life story and why she is bullish on America.

Pod Force One

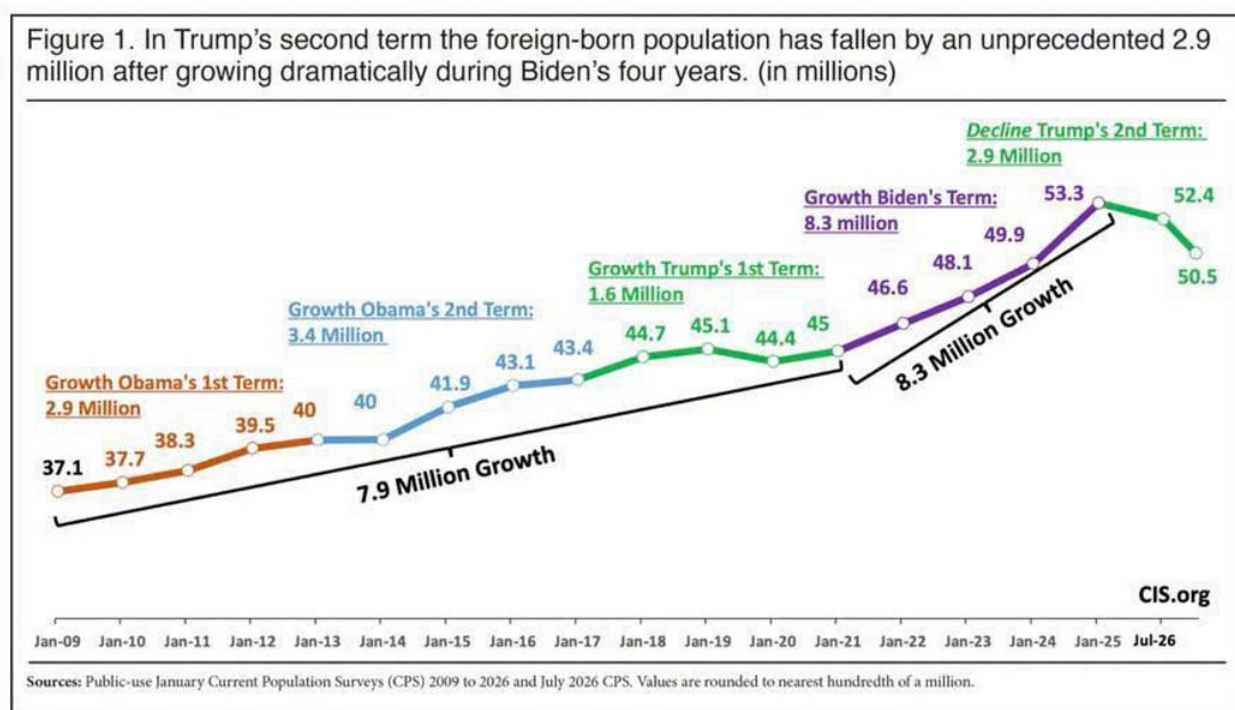
MAHA doc: Vaccines became tools of social justice

QUOTE: Dr. Monique Yohanan, who helped shape the White House's pared-down childhood vaccine schedule, tells Miranda Devine woke public health officials betrayed parental rights. Plus Fauci's COVID decisions damaged trust in medicine, and Biden's open border fueled the spread of contagious diseases.



9- Chart of the Day

We do like the trend line.





PRAY for President Trump who is under constant threat.

PRAY for the loving protection of all children, born and unborn. Surround them with people who will protect them and keep them safe.

SHARE truth.

**Hold Fast,
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Follow Sidney on X @SidneyPowell1

UPDATED: Read the five part series truthfully explaining the unprecedented lawfare used by the left to remove Sidney Powell's right to free speech.

This will be permanently available for all at Defending The Republic.

Regardless of who wins any election, to have confidence in the outcome, we must continue to demand (1) real paper ballots, (2) hand counted in a bipartisan transparent process, and (3) citizen voter ID.

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