



Creating Energy & Strength through Unity  
Our alliance provides continuity and a communication  
network for citizens and groups dedicated to progressive causes.

## Progressive Alliance Calendar November 2022

***“The future depends on what you do today.” Mahatma Gandhi***

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### **October 29 Historic Coloma Sites & Cemeteries Tour**

Visit the Union Cemetery on Bassi Road and walk the historic and sacred Miwok Grinding Rock and the Chinese Store in Gold Discovery Park. 10am-1pm. Online registration is required: [ARConservancy.org/events](https://ARConservancy.org/events)

### **October 29 Sogetsu Ikebana Principles**

This is the second of 3 workshops which can be taken together or separately. Last workshop is scheduled for Nov 20, 10am-1pm. Ikebana is the art of Japanese flower arranging. Online registration required: [ARConservancy.org/events](https://ARConservancy.org/events)

### **November 2 Wakamatsu Farm Workday**

Volunteer workdays are centered around small site projects that may include weeding, orchard care, and trail maintenance, etc. 9-12 noon. 941 Cold Springs Rd, Placerville. For information and to register contact: [arconservancy.org/events](https://arconservancy.org/events)

### **November 3 Free Farmers' Market Cameron Park**

Placer Food Bank in partnership with local groups provides fresh produce at four EDC locations throughout the month. Cameron Park is the first Thursday, 10:30-Noon at Faith Episcopal Church, 2200 Country Club Dr, Cameron Park. Contact: (916)783-0481 [placerfoodbank.org](https://placerfoodbank.org)

### **November 4 Free Public Viewing Placerville Observatory**

Public viewing is **free every Friday and Saturday night in November**. Please check back by 3PM on the day of the event for weather or staffing closures. Time: 7:30pm. Location: Community Observatory, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Information [HERE](#)

### **November 5 Free Daytime Solar Observing at Placerville Observatory**

What a fun resource in our community. Please check back prior to the event for weather or staffing closures. Time: 10am-12pm. Location: Community Observatory, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Information [HERE](#)

### **November 5 Wakamatsu Open Farm Day - Join Us for Tea!**

Join in for a day focused on tea, plus tea tasting in the Tea House. 10am-2pm. 941 Cold Springs Rd, Placerville. For more information and to register contact: [arconservancy.org/events](https://arconservancy.org/events)

### **November 6 Daylight Savings Time Ends**

Set your clocks back one hour.

### **November 6 Zen Meditation and Qigong in the Wakamatsu Garden**

10:30-12 noon. This event will include sessions of Qigong, mindfulness meditation, and walking meditation. Responsible, quiet 12+ year olds welcome. 941 Cold Springs Rd, Placerville. To register contact: [arconservancy.org/events](https://arconservancy.org/events)

### **November 8 Election Day Vote! Vote! Vote! Just once!**

Election night watch party for United Democrats, 6-10pm at Eskaton. Contact: [savage956@hotmail.com](mailto:savage956@hotmail.com)

### **November 9 Wakamatsu Farm Workday**

Volunteer workdays center around small site projects which may include weeding, orchard care, trail maintenance, etc. 9-12 noon. To register contact: [arconservancy.org/events](https://arconservancy.org/events)

### **November 9 Ask a Master Gardener**

The Q & A format is a popular one with several Master Gardeners on hand to give advice and answer your gardening questions. 9-12 noon, Cameron Park Community Center, 2502 Country Club Drive, Cameron Park.

Contact: <http://ucanr.edu/edmg>

### **November 9 Free Farmers' Market Pollock Pines**

Placer Food Bank in partnership with local groups provides fresh produce at four EDC locations throughout the month. Pollock Pines is the second Wednesday, 11:00-1:00 at Pollock Pines Community Center, 2675 Sanders Dr, Pollock Pines. Contact: (916)783-0481 [placerfoodbank.org](http://placerfoodbank.org)

### **November 10 Free Farmers' Market Placerville**

Placer Food Bank in partnership with local groups provides fresh produce at four EDC locations throughout the month. Placerville is the second Thursday, 11:00-1:00pm at Regal Theatre/MORE, 337 Placerville Dr, Placerville. Contact: (916)783-0481

[placerfoodbank.org](http://placerfoodbank.org)

### **November 10 Democratic Women of EDC Meeting**

Join Democratic Women of El Dorado County (DWEDC) 6pm-8pm for our Zoom club meeting. Program: Mental Health in El Dorado County. Speakers: Diane Rabinowitz, EDC NAMI President and Nicole Enicole Ebrahimi-Nuyken, LMFT, Director, El Dorado County Behavioral Health Department. Preregister [HERE](#) or contact

[DemWomenEdc@gmail.com](mailto:DemWomenEdc@gmail.com) for information.

### **November 12 Free Master Gardeners Class: Attracting Birds to Your Garden**

Learn the basic habitat components you can add that will make your yard more welcoming to birds throughout the year. 9-12 noon. Sherwood Demonstration Garden, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Contact: <http://ucanr.edu/edmg>

### **November 12 Grand Opening ED Community Health Center**

Grand Opening celebration 1-3pm. El Dorado Community Health Center (EDCHC) opened in 2003 and offered primary care services open to all community members of El Dorado County. EDCHC will open a brand new facility on Missouri Flat Rd in Placerville offering our patients Primary Care, Dental, Behavioral Health, Optometry, and social support services. Follow our progress through our website [HERE](#). 4212 Missouri Flat Rd, Placerville. Contact: (530) 556-2058 See attached flyer.

### **November 13 Community Table**

The Community Table 2022 LOCATION: 24 Carrot Farm 2731 Jaquier Rd, Placerville.

Donation drop offs are from 8-9am and the table is open from 9-10am. We are always

in need of rice, beans, fresh produce, masa, sugar, oil and diapers (size 4, 5, 6). Thank you for your support! Contact: [ruralresistanceplacerville@gmail.com](mailto:ruralresistanceplacerville@gmail.com)

### **November 13 El Dorado Progressives 6th Anniversary Event**

Celebrate 6 years of progressive efforts and enjoy a presentation by Sean Frame, one of the founders of EDP. Dinner is on the house with libations available for donations. Attendees are asked to bring a dessert for the Silent Auction plus BYO glasses, plates, and utensils. 3-6 pm, Corker Building at the EDC Fairgrounds, 100 Placerville Drive, Placerville. RSVP required. See attached flyer.

### **November 16 Wakamatsu Farm Workday**

Volunteer workdays center around small site projects which include weeding, orchard care, trail maintenance, etc. 9-12 noon. 941 Cold Springs Rd, Placerville. To register contact: [arconservancy.org/events](http://arconservancy.org/events)

### **November 17 United Democrats Meeting**

The United Democrats of El Dorado County will be meeting on Thursday, November 17th at Noon at the Round Table Pizza on Missouri Flat Road. The speaker will be Nichole Paine from Job's Shelter. Contact John Savage at [savage956@hotmail.com](mailto:savage956@hotmail.com)

### **November 17 Free Farmers' Market Georgetown**

Placer Food Bank in partnership with local groups provides fresh produce at four EDC locations throughout the month. Georgetown is the third Thursday, 12:00-1:30pm at Saint James Mission Church, 2831 Harkness Rd, Georgetown. Contact: (916)783-0481 [placerfoodbank.org](http://placerfoodbank.org)

### **November 19 Wakamatsu Open Farm Day - Gratitude for Nature**

Experience gratitude for nature while joining in the crafts and activities of the American River Conservancy. 10am-2pm. 941 Cold Springs Rd, Placerville. Register at: [arconservancy.org/events](http://arconservancy.org/events)

### **November 20 Fall Bird Walk at Knickerbocker Creek**

Enjoy this fall walk to see what songbirds, raptors, and water birds can be found. 8-12 noon. For the meeting site and to register contact: [arconservancy.org/events](http://arconservancy.org/events)

### **November 20 Sogetsu Ikebana Principles**

This is the last of 3 workshops which can be taken together or separately. 10am-1pm. Ikebana is the art of Japanese flower arranging. Online registration required: [ARConservancy.org/events](http://ARConservancy.org/events)

### **November 24 Thanksgiving**

Count your blessings!

## **November 27 Community Table**

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## **Election 2022**

Looking for **SOMETHING to do?** Go [HERE](#) and volunteer!

### **Join the Democratic Women' Club to Canvass!**

Dr Kermit Jones for Congress, CA3. Email Courtney with questions or to participate: [emailcmm@gmail.com](mailto:emailcmm@gmail.com)

## **Save the Date**

Nothing submitted

## **For Your Information**

**The Master Gardeners' office is open to the public** on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9am until noon. 311 Fair Lane, Placerville. Contact: 530-622-5512

**Sherwood Demonstration Garden will remain open on Fridays and Saturdays in November.** 9am-12 noon. 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville  
Contact: [mgeldorado@ucanr.edu](mailto:mgeldorado@ucanr.edu) or 530-621-5512

**The Center for Violence Free Relationships is open** for in-person appointments if zoom and phones services are unavailable. Visit their website for protocols for in-person appointments. [thecenternow.org](http://thecenternow.org)  
Crisis Support Line (530)626-1131 or (916)939-6616

## **Community Volunteers/ Help Wanted/ Donations Needed**

**Inclement weather is coming soon. The County Navigation Center and Emergency Shelter will be opening shelters for the unhoused.** The Emergency Response Team will consist of several volunteers and some paid staff. To volunteer and get more information contact: [housingeldorado@gmail.com](mailto:housingeldorado@gmail.com)

## Websites and Contact: Information:

### Big Brothers/Big Sisters

Contact: Amber Henrichs  
530-626-1222  
[amber@mentors4youth.org](mailto:amber@mentors4youth.org)

### Democratic Women's Club

[www.edcdems.org](http://www.edcdems.org)  
Contact: Lorraine King  
916-220-2872  
[Lorraine.king@sbcglobal.net](mailto:Lorraine.king@sbcglobal.net)

### EDC Progressive Alliance

[edcprogressivealliance@yahoo.com](mailto:edcprogressivealliance@yahoo.com)

### El Dorado County Democratic Party

[www.edcdems.org](http://www.edcdems.org)  
[info@edcdems.org](mailto:info@edcdems.org)

### El Dorado Peace & Justice Community

[www.edpjc.org](http://www.edpjc.org)  
[jrmarti2@earthlink.net](mailto:jrmarti2@earthlink.net)  
Jim Martin (530) 622-9549

### El Dorado Progressives

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/287092428352556/>  
[eldoradoprogressives@gmail.com](mailto:eldoradoprogressives@gmail.com)  
<https://eldoradoprogressives.org/>

### Friends of EDC Seniors

[info@friendsofEDCseniors.org](mailto:info@friendsofEDCseniors.org)  
(530)626-6323

### League of Women Voters EDC (nonpartisan)

[www.lwveldorado.org](http://www.lwveldorado.org)  
President: Eileen Burke-Trent  
[eileen.dragonslea@gmail.com](mailto:eileen.dragonslea@gmail.com)

### New Morning Youth & Family Services

[www.newmorningyfs.org](http://www.newmorningyfs.org)  
David Ashby, Executive Director  
[David@newmorningyfs.org](mailto:David@newmorningyfs.org)  
530.622.5551 x122

### Sierra Club Maidu Group

[www.motherlode.sierraclub.org/maidu](http://www.motherlode.sierraclub.org/maidu)  
[barbara.brydon@comcast.net](mailto:barbara.brydon@comcast.net)  
Contact: Barbara Brydon

### Sierra Wildlife Rescue

(530)621-2020  
<https://sierrawildliferescue.org/>

### The Center for Violence-Free Relationships

24/7 Crisis Help Line: 530-626-1131 or  
916-939-6616, Office Phone: 530-626-1450  
or 916-939-4464 [www.thecenternow.org](http://www.thecenternow.org)

### United Democrats of El Dorado County

[www.edcdems.org](http://www.edcdems.org)  
Contact: John Savage  
[Savage956@hotmail.com](mailto:Savage956@hotmail.com)

## Photo of the Month



**Take nothing for granted, VOTE**  
(Photo from The Nation)



Join Us  
As We

**CELEBRATE**

**6 YEARS**

of Promoting  
Progressive

Values \*

in El Dorado  
County

- \* Freedom
- \* Opportunity
- \* Responsibility
- \* Community/ Cooperation

# 6th Anniversary Event

**Sunday November 13, 2022**

**3:00 - 6:00 pm**

The Annual Event EDP Anniversary Party comes just 5 days after the Mid-Term Elections

We'll either be ...

**BUOYANT  
ON A  
BLUE  
WAVE**

OR

**PLANNING  
SOME  
GOOD  
TROUBLE**

Enjoy a presentation by EDP founder Sean Frame of the milestones of the last 6 years

We'll have a tasty dinner *on the house* and libations with your token donation

Please Bring  
Your Own  
**REUSABLE**  
Mug or Glass



Attendees are asked to bring a Dessert for our Silent Auction fundraising event



Share your  
'Won'  
Desserts  
after dinner  
or take  
them home

**LOCATION: CORKER BUILDING**  
at the El Dorado County Fairgrounds  
100 Placerville Drive, Placerville

**RSVP REQUIRED - Tickets Available on EventBrite**

*This event is free, but donations are encouraged to support EDP's continued progressive activities*



SAVE THE DATE  
**GRAND OPENING**

*Saturday November 12, 2022*

*1:00PM to 3:00PM*

**4212 MISSOURI FLAT RD  
PLACERVILLE, CA 95667**



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[www.edchc.org](http://www.edchc.org)*



For more information and to RSVP visit [www.edchc.org](http://www.edchc.org) or call (530) 556-2058



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