

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

# Progressive Alliance Calendar July 2023

"Let us not seek to satisfy our thirst for freedom by drinking from the cup of bitterness and hate." Martin Luther King Jr.

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#### July 1 Summer Reading Challenge Continues!

Free for all ages, read 5 books get a FREE book! Sign up online <u>HERE</u> or in person at your local library. You could win a \$50 gift card at your favorite bookstore! Details <u>HERE.</u> See flyer below

#### July 1 & 15 Master Gardener Volunteers at Placerville Farmers Market

UCCE Master Gardeners of El Dorado County will be available to answer your gardening questions or just chat about gardening! 8am-noon. Location: Regal Cinema Parking Lot, Placerville. Contact: <u>http://ucanr.edu/edmg</u>

#### July 1 First Saturday Tour at the Sherwood Demonstration Garden

After the one hour tour, roam around the garden at your own pace and ask questions of the Master Gardeners. 9am tour, open 9am to noon. 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Contact: <u>mgeldorado@ucanr.edu</u>

#### July 1 Free Daytime Solar Observing at Placerville Observatory

Monthly daytime solar viewing happens the first Saturday of each month. Please check back prior to the event for weather or staffing closures. Time: 10am-12pm. Location: Community Observatory, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Information <u>HERE</u>

#### July 2 & 16 Master Gardener Volunteers at El Dorado Hills Farmers Market

UCCE Master Gardeners of El Dorado County will be available to answer your gardening questions or just chat about gardening! 8am-1pm. Location: El Dorado Hills Town Center, El Dorado Hills. Contact: <u>http://ucanr.edu/edmg</u>

#### July 3 SHARE Ministries' Food Distribution

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays are SHARE Ministries' and EDC Food Bank food distribution days from 10am-noon. 1031 Thompson Way, Placerville. For other days and locations go <u>HERE</u> See flyer below.

#### July 4 Celebrate the Official Beginning of the US, an Experiment in Democracy!

#### July 7 Free Public Viewing Placerville Observatory

Public viewing is **free every Friday and Saturday night in July.** Please check back by 3PM on the day of the event for weather or staffing closures. Time: 7:30-9:30pm. Location: Community Observatory, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Information <u>HERE</u>

#### July 8 & 22 Concerts for a Cause

Join ARC and Marco's Cafe at Wakamatsu Farm this summer for a concert series that supports ARC's Resilience Reserve Program. Enjoy live music, tasty food, and beverages al fresco. For tickets and concert lineups go to <u>ARConservancy.org/events</u>

#### July 9 Capturing Wakamatsu: A Poetry Walk/Workshop

Explore the farmhouse, barn, and surroundings and then write a poem on what you have experienced. Children 8+ welcome with adult supervision. Register online: <u>ARConservancy.org</u>

#### July 9 Community Table

The community table is moving to the second and fourth Sundays each month at 24 Carrot Farm, 2731 Jacquier Rd, Placerville. Drop off donations between 8-9 am. The table opens at 9am. Contact: <u>schrodycomb@gmail.com</u>

#### July 9 El Dorado Progressives Annual Picnic

3-7pm, Lions Park, 3633 Cedar Ravine, Placerville. For complete information go HERE

#### July 11 Free Farmers Market El Dorado Hills

Rolling Hills Church, 800 Whiterock Rd, 9-10 am. Information HERE

#### July 12 Free Master Gardeners Class: Succulents

Learn how to grow, water, and display these water efficient plants. 9-12 noon, Cameron Park Community Center, 502 Country Club Drive, Cameron Park. Contact: <u>mgeldorado@ucanr.edu</u>

#### July 15 Coffee and Conversation with Democrats

Meet up with like-minded progressives on the third Saturday of each month. July meet up location is Bella Bru in El Dorado Hills, 10-11:45am, 3941 Park Drive (near Raley's). Contact: <u>DemWomenEdc@gmail.com</u>

#### July 20 United Democrats Meeting

The United Democrats of El Dorado County will be holding their monthly meeting at Noon at the Round Table Pizza on Missouri Flat Road, speaker to be announced. Contact John Savage at <u>savage956@hotmail.com</u>

#### July 23 Community Table

The community table is moving to the second and fourth Sundays each month at 24 Carrot Farm, 2731 Jacquier Rd, Placerville. Drop off donations between 8-9 am. The table opens at 9am. Contact: <u>schrodycomb@gmail.com</u>

#### July 23 Sogetsu Ikebana Class

Learn the art of Japanese Flower arranging. Ages 8+ welcome with adult supervision. 10-1. Meeting location in Gold Hill, Placerville. Online pre-registration required: <u>ARConservancy.org/events</u>

#### July 28 Free Farmers Market Pollock Pines

Pollock Pines Community Church, 11:30-12:30. 6361 Pony Express Trail, Pollock Pines. Info <u>HERE</u>.

#### July 29 Free Master Gardeners Class: Pruning Care for Fruit Trees in the Summer

Learn what to prune in the summer vs. winter, how to create fruitful trees, and different pruning techniques. Includes general fruit tree care and more. 9-12 noon. Sherwood Demonstration Garden, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Contact: mgeldorado@ucanr.edu

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### **For Your Information**

**The Master Gardeners Office is open** at 311 Fair Ln in Placerville from 9-12 noon on Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays. The Master Gardeners will have a booth at the Placerville and El Dorado Hills Farmers Markets. These are both good opportunities to get your questions answered and chat about gardening. Contact: 530-621-5512 **The Sherwood Demonstration Garden is open** again every Friday and Saturday from 9 am until noon. Take a stroll through all 16 themed gardens and ask a docent about the gardens or any issues you have with your own at home garden. 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Contact: <u>mgeldorado@ucanr.edu</u>

**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. <u>thecenternow.org</u> Crisis Support Line (530)626-1131 or (916)939-6616

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

**Sierra Wildlife Rescue's Baby Bird Nursery is open for the season!** We're open from 7am-7pm every day. If you can, come join in the camaraderie a few hours a week! Contact Debbie Buckles at 408-313-9097.

#### Websites and Contact Information:

Big Brothers/Big Sisters Contact: Amber Henrichs 530-626-1222 amber@mentors4youth.org

#### Democratic Women's Club www.edcdems.org

Contact: Lorraine King 916-220-2872 Lorraine.king@sbcglobal.net

EDC Progressive Alliance edcprogressivealliance@yahoo.com

El Dorado County Democratic Party www.edcdems.org info@edcdems.org

#### El Dorado Peace & Justice Community

<u>www.edpjc.org</u> <u>jrmarti2@earthlink.net</u> Jim Martin (530) 622-9549

El Dorado Progressives https://www.facebook.com/groups/287092428 352556/ eldoradoprogressives@gmail.com https://eldoradoprogressives.org/ Friends of EDC Seniors www.friendsofEDCseniors.org info@friendsofEDCsenior.org 530-334-6090

League of Women Voters EDC (nonpartisan) www.lwveldorado.org (530)621-2260

New Morning Youth & Family Services www.newmorningyfs.org David Ashby, Executive Director David@newmorningyfs.org 530.622.5551 x122

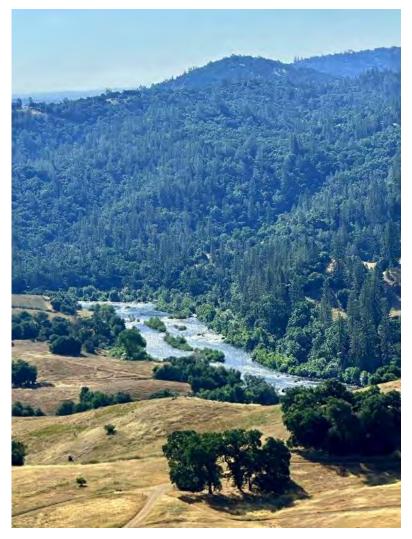
Sierra Club Madrone Group www.sierraclub.org/mother-lode/madrone barbara.brydon@comcast.net Contact: Barbara Brydon

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 <u>www.thecenternow.org</u>

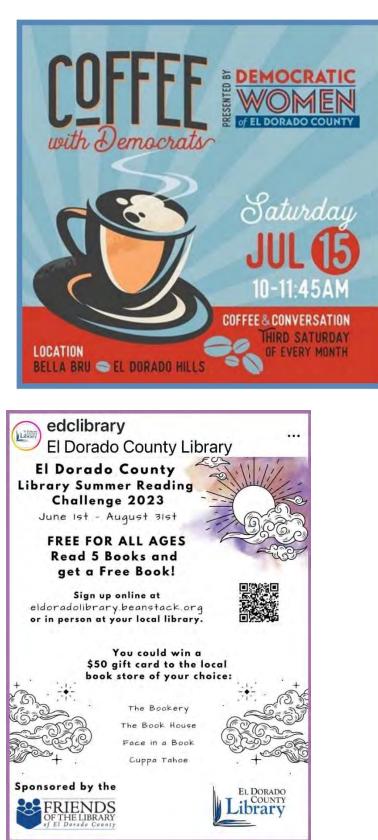
United Democrats of El Dorado County www.edcdems.org Contact: John Savage Savage956@hotmail.com

### Photo of the Month



American River from Cronan Ranch Summer 2023

### **Flyers**





Camino Adventist Community Services

3520 Carson Rd Wednesdays 9 am - Noon

**Cameron Park** 

Light of the Hills Lutheran Church

3100 Rodeo Rd

1st, 2nd & 3rd Tuesdays 11am - Noon

**El Dorado** 

El Dorado Community Church

4701 Church St

2nd & 4th Fridays 11 am - 2:30 pm

**El Dorado Hills** 

Hills Church

800 White Rock Rd

2nd & 4th Tuesdays 10 am - 11 am

Garden Valley

House of Prayer

7901 Hwy 193

2nd & 4th Wednesdays 11 am - 2 pm

## Distribution

Sites

**Placerville** Foothill Indian Education 100 Forni Rd 1st & 3rd Fridays 11:30 am - 1 pm

> Placerville Green Valley Community Church 3500 Missouri Flat Rd Saturdays 8 am - 11 am

Placerville Placerville Adventist Community Services 6831 Mother Lode Rd 2nd & 4th Wednesdays 9 am - Noon

Placerville SHARE Ministries 1031 Thompson Way Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays 10 am - Noon

> Placerville Upper Room Dining Hall 1868 Broadway St Daily 4 pm - 5 pm

Pollock Pines Pollock Pines Community Church 6361 Pony Express Trl 2nd & 4th Fridays 11:30 am - 1 pm Somerset Pioneer Bible Church 6851 Mt Aukum Rd 2nd & 4th Fridays 1 pm - 2 pm

South Lake Tahoe SLT Family Resource Center 3501 Spruce Ave 2nd Friday 10 am - 4 pm

South Lake Tahoe Phoenix Food Pantry 2733 Lake Tahoe Blvd Wednesdays 10:30 am - Noon

South Lake Tahoe St. Theresa's Bread & Broth 1041 Lyons Ave Mondays 4 pm - 5:30 pm

South Lake Tahoe Lake Tahoe Community Presbyterian Church 2733 Lake Tahoe Blvd Fridays 4 pm - 5 pm

If a friend sent you this calendar and encouraged you to sign up, send an email to the Progressive Alliance to receive it to your inbox! <u>edcprogressivealliance@yahoo.com</u>