

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

# Progressive Alliance Calendar September 2022

"Change will not come if we wait for some other person or if we wait for some other time. We are the ones we've been waiting for.

We are the change we seek."

Barack Obama

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# September 1 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

# **September 1 Climate Stewards of the Sierra Nevada Foothills**

American River Conservancy is offering the UC Climate Stewards course. This 10 week course will introduce you to all things CLIMATE as well as teach you the tools you need to navigate this critical issue. 4-6:30 pm. For further information go to: arconservancy.org/event/climate

September 2 (3, 9, 10, 16, 17, 23, 24, 30) Free Public Viewing Placerville Observatory Public viewing is free every Friday and Saturday night in September! Check out this cool resource in our community. Please check back by 3PM on the day of the event to

check for weather or staffing closures. Time: 9-11pm. Location: Community Observatory, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Information HERE

#### September 3 Wakamatsu Open Farm Day - Nature Camp Day

Bring the family to enjoy a nature camp day at Wakamatsu Farm. Canoe the pond, play games, sing songs, and other fun activities. 10am-2pm. Wakamatsu Farm, 941 Cold Springs Road, Placerville. Contact: <a href="mailto:arconservancy.org/events/wakamatsu">arconservancy.org/events/wakamatsu</a>

# **September 3 Free Solar Observing at Placerville Observatory**

Check out this cool resource in our community. Please check back by 3PM on the day of or prior to the event to check for weather or staffing closures. Time: 10am-12pm. Location: Community Observatory, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Information HERE

#### **September 7 Meet & Greet - Fundraiser for Tim Robertson**

Tim Robertson is a candidate for Senate, SD-4. Event takes place in Camino from 6-8pm. Click here for Evite invitation: <a href="http://evite.me/HvrgZvuV7D">http://evite.me/HvrgZvuV7D</a>
If you cannot attend, please support Tim's campaign with a donation of any amount: <a href="https://secure.actblue.com/donate/camino">https://secure.actblue.com/donate/camino</a>
Tim has a strong connection with working people and a commitment to creating an economy that provides opportunity for everyone. <a href="mailto:robertsonforsenate.com">robertsonforsenate.com</a>

# September 8 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

# **September 8 Democratic Women's Club Meeting**

We're resuming our monthly club meetings via Zoom. Our guest speaker will be Bill O'Neill, registrar for El Dorado County Elections, to update us on all things 'Elections' in EDC. Register <u>HERE</u> for the September 8 meeting.

# **September 11 Community Table**

The Community Table has a 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

# **September 11 El Dorado Progressives General Meeting**

Candidates for Office - Local, State and Federal, speakers to be announced 3:15 - 5:30. Send any questions to <a href="mailto:eldoradoprogressives@gmail.com">eldoradoprogressives@gmail.com</a>
To register for the Zoom meeting click: HERE

#### September 14 Free Master Gardeners Class: Homegrown Habitat

Learn all about native plants and their added value to your garden. 9am-12 noon. Cameron Park Community Center, 2502 Country Club Dr, Cameron Park. Contact: mgeldorado@ucanr.edu or 530-621-5512

#### **September 14 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

#### **September 15 United Democrats Meeting**

The United Democrats of El Dorado County will be meeting on Thursday, September 15th at Noon at the Round Table Pizza on Missouri Flat Road. The speakers will be Brooke Laine, Candidate for 5th District Supervisor, and Rebecca Chenoweth, Candidate for Assembly. Contact John Savage at <a href="mailto:savage956@hotmail.com">savage956@hotmail.com</a>

#### September 15 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

### **September 17 Great Sierra River Clean-up**

ARC is participating in the state-wide Great Sierra River Clean-up by hosting several clean-up sites along the South Fork of the American River. 9-11 am. For further information contact: <a href="mailto:arconservancy.org/event/great-sierra-river-clean-up">arconservancy.org/event/great-sierra-river-clean-up</a>

#### **September 17 Free Master Gardeners Class: Native Plants**

Learn how to choose and add colorful, easy care native plants to your garden. 9am-12 noon. Sherwood Demonstration Garden, 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville. Contact: mgeldorado@ucanr.edu or 530-621-5512

#### September 17 Wakamatsu Open Farm Day - Pioneer and Miners Day

Learn all about pioneer life with special activities for the whole family, including recipes, medicines, and herbs used during that time. 10am-2pm. Wakamatsu Farm, 941 Cold Springs Road, Placerville. Contact: <a href="mailto:arconservancy.org/event/wakamatsu-open-farm-day">arconservancy.org/event/wakamatsu-open-farm-day</a>

# September 17 Art Walk on Main St Placerville

Historic Downtown Placerville. Main Street galleries and merchants host changing art shows and late night shopping every third Saturday of the month. Demonstrations,

refreshments, music and more. Enjoy the art galleries, restaurants, and shops which will be open late. 5-8 pm.

#### **September 18 Sogetsu Ikebana Principles**

Three workshops that can be taken together or separately. Future dates are October 29 & November 20. The art of Japanese flower arranging is a training in developing your awareness of the beauty of our natural world. 10am-1pm. For meeting location and to register contact: <a href="mailto:arconservancy.org/event/sogetsu">arconservancy.org/event/sogetsu</a>

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#### Election 2022

**Dr Kermit Jones for Congress - CD3. Interns needed!** (Can be remote....)

Do you know any college or high school students who are politically minded?

Click to apply: <a href="https://www.kermitjonesforcongress.com/events/internship-signup">https://www.kermitjonesforcongress.com/events/internship-signup</a>

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

Dr Kermit Jones for Congress, CA3. Details are still being finalized. Literature and training will be provided. Email Courtney with questions or to participate: emailcmm@gmail.com

#### Save the Date

Oct 1 Master Gardeners Event: Fall Into Gardening See Flyer Below Sherwood Demonstration Garden will host a fun-filled family day with classes, garden tours, and craft booths from other community programs.

#### **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

Open Garden Days at Sherwood Demonstration Garden continue every Friday and Saturday, 9-12 noon. Wander the 16 demonstration gardens at your own pace and ask a docent any gardening questions you might have. 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville.

Contact: <a href="mgeldorado@ucanr.edu">mgeldorado@ucanr.edu</a> You can also reach out to our Master Gardeners for advice online or by phone. Contact: <a href="mgeldorado@ucanr.edu">mgeldorado@ucanr.edu</a> or call 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. <a href="mailto:thecenternow.org">thecenternow.org</a> Crisis Support Line (530)626-1131 or (916)939-6616

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

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Do you know any college or high school students who are politically minded?

Click to apply: https://www.kermitjonesforcongress.com/events/internship-signup

The Democratic Women of El Dorado County club needs a Membership Director for the Board. Please reach out to Chair, Courtney Jackson with any questions or if you are interested: <a href="mailto:emai

#### 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** 

www.edpjc.org jrmarti2@earthlink.net 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** 

info@friendsofEDCseniors.org

(530)626-6323

League of Women Voters EDC (nonpartisan)

www.lwveldorado.org

President: Eileen Burke-Trent eileen.dragonslea@gmail.com

**New Morning Youth & Family Services** 

www.newmorningyfs.org
David Ashby, Executive Director
David@newmorningyfs.org

530.622.5551 x122

Sierra Club Maidu Group

www.motherlode.sierraclub.org/maidu

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**



**Signs of Fall and Cooler Days** Photographer Leslie Sellman-Sant

## **Flyers**



# FALL INTO GARDENING

# OCTOBER 1, 2022 | 9AM - 12PM

Sherwood Demonstration Garden | 6699 Campus Drive, Placerville, CA

On October 1, 2022 Fall Into Gardening with the Master Gardeners at their beautiful Sherwood Demonstration Garden located in Placerville.

Presentations on a variety of topics will be given throughout the day. Visitors can come for one class or stay all day. There will also be activities for kids, community booths and UCCE programs.

All 16 individual gardens will be staffed by Master Gardeners who will answer your gardening questions. They can help with Fall chores and what is blooming that you can't live without.

Entrance is free. Come join us and Fall into Gardening!

For more information, click here.





















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