LD18’s 2019 Volunteer of the Year

Each year, LD18 recognizes LD18 Democrats who have exhibited an extraordinary level of commitment to Democratic values and to getting Democrats elected. We invite you to nominate an LD18 Democrat you believe exemplified the characteristics of a Volunteer of the Year in 2019. Current LD18 Executive Board members are excluded as are former awardees: Bill Baker, Keith Denison, Craig Falasco, Renee Newman, Alison Porter, Pat Schiffer, and Judy Wade.

Nominations will be accepted through midnight, January 31, 2020, and may be submitted through the website, to Chair Janie Hydrick at hydrick@aol.com, or in person at any meeting or club meeting of LD18 (napkins welcomed). The winner of LD18’s 2019 Volunteer of the Year Award will be announced and toasted with champagne at the Decadent Delights event on February 8.

Please provide the name and contact information of your nominee; your own name and contact information; and a 25-word (more or less) statement of why your nominee is deserving of the LD18 2019 Volunteer of the Year award.

How to Roast an Elephant

A new edition of the world-famous How to Roast an Elephant cookbook is in the works, and the LD18 Democrats need your recipes NOW!

Please submit your favorite recipe including a short descriptive paragraph. It could be a super salad, appealing appetizer, or decadent dessert – for breakfast, lunch, or dinner – whatever you would like to share.

Submissions MUST be received in Word format by February 28, 2020, at LDCookbook@gmail.com

Decadent Delights and Champagne Fundraiser and Celebration
Saturday, February 8, 6-8pm

Marie Colangelo’s Home, 3817 East Ahwatukee Drive, Phoenix
$25 single  $40 couple
https://secure.actblue.com/donate/decadentdelights20

LD18 Dems Presidential Debate Watch Party

Eat, drink, gasp, and cheer with other friendly Democrats!

January 14, 2020
Native Grill, 5030 East Ray Road, Phoenix
LD18 Dems Debate Watch doors open at 5:30pm. Debate begins at 6:00pm.
Salt River Project Election
Will your voice be heard?

To request a ballot, go to SRPnet.com

March 9  Deadline for voter registration
March 11
  • First day to mail Early Voting Ballots
  • Early Voting Center Opens
    SRP Administration Building, 1500 N. Mill Ave., Tempe
    Mon. through Fri., 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
    Wed., March 11 through Mon., April 6
April 7 In-person voting
  SRP Voting Center from 6 a.m. – 7 p.m.
  SRP Administration Building, 1500 N. Mill Ave., Tempe

LD18 Democrat Neighborhood Team News

Thursday, January 9, at noon (doors open at 11am), brown bag lunch. Focus is Tempe, but everyone is welcome to attend. 112 East Myrna Lane, Tempe.

Sunday January 12, at 4pm (doors open at 3pm), light snacks. Focus is Chandler, but everyone is welcome to attend. 112 East Myrna Lane, Tempe.

Saturday, March 7, at 4pm. Candidate House Party, 3020 East Thunderhill Place, Phoenix. Meet and Greet with county-wide candidates.

Chandler Special Election March 10, 2020

Chandler Proposition 426 Charter Amendment proposes making changes to the dates that City of Chandler primary, general, and special elections can be held, conforming to changes in election consolidation dates made by state law.

A “YES” vote shall have the effect of changing the Charter to reflect the dates that City of Chandler elections will be held to conform with state statute and election consolidation dates.

A “NO” vote shall have the effect of retaining the existing Charter language that requires Chandler elections to be held on a different date than the state’s election consolidation dates.

The March 10 special election will be conducted as a ballot-by-mail election with ballots mailed beginning February 12. No voting will take place at the polls. Google ChandlerAZ.gov for more information.

Session Choices

Make a Difference in the US Census  Voter Suppression
Marketing and Messaging  Feeling Good as Hell
Voter Registration Best Practices  Youth Organizing in 2020
The Art of Organizing A Movement  Parenting in Politics
Knock on the Door with Tongue Fu  Redistricting: Rigging vs Reforming
Preservation of Democracy in the 21st Century
Campaigning 101: Running a People-Powered Campaign

For more information or to register: SOSarizona.org