



★ La Jolla Democratic Club ★

**PO Box 288
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www.lajollademocrats.org**

Unique Opportunity!

**Meet with the Honorable Congressman Ed Towns (Brooklyn NY),
a knowledgeable, relevant and articulate expert**

Friday, September 3, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
8412 Sugarman Drive, La Jolla CA 92037
Home of Nancy and Derek Casady

Towns has served in the US House of Representatives since 1983 and currently chairs the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. He fought for legislation to curb fraud and predatory lending in the housing market, supported legislation to protect tenants and save homeowners from foreclosure, and legislation to control health care costs and expand quality health care.



Suggested donation: \$20 Guest; \$40 Sponsor; \$80 Host). Please RSVP to Nancy Casady (858-457-0246) or email <nicasady@yahoo.com>.

September Meeting - the 3rd Sunday - September 19, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

**La Jolla Riford Public Library
7555 Draper Avenue, La Jolla, 92037**



Topic: November 2010 State and Local Propositions

The discussion will be guided by Dr. Russ Doolittle (UCSD Biochemist). We also have tentative plans to have commentary provided by the Honorable Lori Saldaña (76 AD and Assistant Majority Whip) whose attendance is contingent upon State budget action.

This meeting will begin our November process of club endorsements of propositions and candidates.

See page 2 for a list of the propositions and candidates and page 3 for proposed amendments to the LJDC By-Laws related to the endorsement process.



State and Local Propositions and State and Local Democratic Candidates will be considered for endorsement at the September 19 LJDC Meeting

Propositions:

We will be considering endorsement for all state and local propositions, including State Propositions 19-27 and Local Propositions A-P. Details of the propositions and endorsements from the respective organizations can be found on the websites listed below.

San Diego League of Women Voters:
<http://www.lwvsandiego.org/Elections.html>

California Democratic Party:
http://www.cadem.org/site/c.jrLZK2PyHmF/b.5161279/k.C888/General_Election_Statewide_Candidates_Propositions.htm

San Diego County Democratic Party:
http://www.sddemocrats.org/sdcdp_endorsements.asp

In Case You Missed It.....

August 15 LJDC

Wine and Chese Chocolate Festival

The La Jolla Democratic Club annual fundraiser was held at the home of Nancy and Derek Casady and was attended by 70 people and 16 local, county, state, and national candidates and elected office holders (past and current).



Francine Busby

Candidates:

We will be considering endorsement of all Democratic office holders and candidates running for election or re-election for Federal, State, County, City and Educational District Offices. Candidates are listed on the websites listed below.

California Democratic Party:
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Kevin Beiser



Paul Garver

**Proposed Amendments to the LJDC Club By-Laws
to be discussed at the September 19 Democratic Club meeting**

04. MEMBERSHIP

Membership shall consist of any registered Democrat who pays the dues as set by the Club. Dues shall be payable in January for the calendar year. Dues received during the year will be credited to that year; dues will not be prorated. All members are entitled to attend and vote at **any general meeting of the Club except at the Club meeting for endorsements, when special rules shall apply.** (See La Jolla Democratic Club By-Laws #10.)

10. PROCESS TO ENDORSE CANDIDATES AND BALLOT PROPOSITIONS

Eligible La Jolla Democratic Club members shall be given the opportunity to vote in person and by ballot to endorse registered Democratic candidates, ballot propositions and/or initiatives.

No proxy or absent members may vote on Club endorsements.

La Jolla Democratic Club members present and in good standing for 30 days prior to the day of endorsement voting are eligible to cast endorsement votes. Members' eligibility will be checked at the endorsement meeting.

To win Club endorsement, a candidate or proposition must receive 66% of votes cast by eligible Club members present. Should no candidate win 66%, a second vote shall be taken. If no candidate then wins 66% of votes cast, there shall be no endorsement. There shall be no co-endorsements.

Each ballot shall provide a box marked "abstention," but only "yes" and "no" votes will count toward determining the number and percentage of votes cast.

Club members will be notified by mail or email 30 days before the Club's endorsement meeting at which candidates and propositions are to be voted. Club members may notify their favorite candidates to encourage them to calendar the Club endorsement date and attend the meeting.

To be considered for La Jolla Democratic Club endorsement, it is the candidates' responsibility to attend the Club's designated endorsement meeting from its outset. Because campaign schedules are tight, a candidate seeking Club endorsement may send a surrogate.

Did You Miss These Events?

**August 29 San Diego County Democratic Party
Unity Campaign and Rally
at the Harry Griffith Park in La Mesa Kickoff and Rally**



Ray Lutz



Carla Mays

July 31

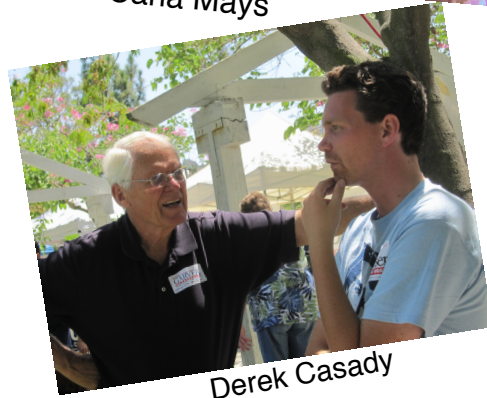
CDC Leadership Training

The LJDC collaborated with the San Diego Democratic Women Club, Pacific Beach Dem Club, San Marcos Dem Club, SDCDP, and others on the July 31



California

Democratic Council/San Diego County Democratic Party Leadership Training that was held at the Lake San Marcos Pavilion. The CDC Leadership Training was attended by 50 people and featured workshops conducted by Jess Durfee, Xavier Martinez, Henry and Lori Vandermeir.



Derek Casady



Carolyn Shadle, Margaret Harmon, Francine Busby, Emily Anderson, Jerry Griffith



Paul Garver

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Volunteers Wanted for GO TEAMS

We need volunteers to help with the November 2010 campaign. La Jolla and Pacific Beach GO (Grassroots Organizing) Teams, which were started during the 2006 and 2008 campaigns are gearing up again for this critical election cycle.

Republican and Tea Party advocates are determined to deliver a major defeat to local, state and national Democratic candidates. The disastrous consequences of having Republicans in charge are the root causes of so much of what is wrong with our country today. We cannot afford to let this happen again.

We have great candidates, and they need the strong support of an active and vibrant volunteer campaign effort.

Contact GO Team Community Coordinators of the San Diego County Democratic Party for information about how you can help us win in November 2010:

Marcia Bookstien, La Jolla-Congressional District 53 (Susan Davis-incumbent)

<marciabookstein@gmail.com>

Jerry Griffith, La Jolla-Congressional District 50 (Francine Busby-candidate)

<Jerry@van-zuiden.com>

Michael McQuary, Pacific Beach Districts 50 & 53 (Davis and Busby)

<michael_mcquary@yahoo.com>

San Diego County Democratic Party

<www.sddemocrats.org>



Membership Form

Please print this form, fill in, and send with dues to:

La Jolla Democratic Club

P.O. Box 288 La Jolla, CA 92038

LJDC Membership Annual Dues: **All yearly dues are due in January.**

☐ \$20 Individual ☐ \$30 Couple ☐ \$50 Sustaining ☐ \$100 Patron
☐ \$5 Student

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Receive newsletter via email: yes / no

Email: _____

Volunteer: ☐ Phone ☐ Precinct Work ☐ Host Meetings ☐ Raise
Funds ☐ Serve on Board

Make your check payable to LJDC or La Jolla Democratic Club

Dues are not tax deductible

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