



## April 25th Dinner Meeting

**Location: Santa Rosa Veterans' Memorial Building  
1351 Maple Ave, Santa Rosa (across from the So. Co. Fairgrounds)**

### Our Speaker this month:



## *So. Co. 4<sup>th</sup> District Supervisor James Gore*

James Gore, the current Chair of the Board, is a passionate public servant and Sonoma County native. Born in Healdsburg and raised throughout the 4th District, James is 6th generation Californian whose passions drive towards building a vibrant and resilient future for his community, his neighbors, and his family.

Prior to his election to Supervisor, he served as the Assistant Chief of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA's) Natural Resources Conservation Service, a Presidential Appointment position where he led nationwide conservation efforts at the intersection of agriculture, business, and the environment. His efforts to expand services in persistent poverty areas with underserved communities took him across the country and into some of the most disadvantaged areas of the U.S., including the Colonias along the Mexican Border, the Mississippi Delta region in the deep south, and tribal reservations from Alaska to Florida.

Whether at the local, regional and statewide level, James Gore leads campaigns to build healthy communities, environments, and economies. We look forward to hearing his update on the issues before the Board of Supervisors as well the issues that Supervisor Gore is particularly working on.

### **Program Schedule:**

- 5:45 pm — Mix & Mingle, no-host bar
- 6:30 pm — Club Business Meeting
- 7:00 pm — Dinner\*
- 7:30 pm — Program— Always Free to Everyone!

**\*Dinner rates (cash or check, payable at the door):**

**PLEASE HAVE YOUR CHECKS MADE OUT IN ADVANCE  
(payable to "SRDC") to help speed up the check-in line.  
2018 MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE NOW DUE!**

**You must join or renew to get the member price for dinner.**

**Membership dues: \$20 Individuals; \$30 Families**

**Dinner for Members: \$15.00**

(includes Members of all Sonoma County Democratic Clubs)

**Dinner for Non-members: \$20.00**

**PLEASE NOTE DEADLINE FOR RSVP!:  
NO LATER THAN TUES., 4/24, 10:00 AM**

**Online: <http://democlub.org/rsvp> or Phone: 707-583-2350**

### **Menu**

#### **Appetizers:**

**Caprese Skewers**

#### **Main Course:**

**Rotisserie Chicken**

**Baked Potatoes**

**Oven-Roasted Green Beans**



**[Vegetarian: Pasta Primavera]**

**Green Salad**

**Rolls & Butter**

#### **Dessert:**

**Baked Apples & Ice Cream**

# April & May 2018 Events



## Tuesday, April 17th, 5:00 pm – Santa Rosa City Council Meeting: District Elections

At this public hearing, it is expected that the City Council will hold the final vote to adopt an ordinance establishing district elections and designating an election sequence for the districts. Public comment period is expected to start at approximately 5 pm and the agenda item to follow.

**Location:** Santa Rosa City Hall, Council Chambers, 100 Santa Rosa Ave, Santa Rosa

**For more information and to see the proposed map:** [srcity.org/DistrictElections](http://srcity.org/DistrictElections)



## Wednesday, April 18th, 10:00 am – Noon - Sonoma County CARA

Monthly meeting of the newly established CAT (CARA Action Team). Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month. Works on strategies and actions on issues impacting the lives of Seniors.

**Location:** Glaser Center, 547 Mendocino Ave, Santa Rosa

**Contact:** CA Alliance for Retired Americans (CARA) at (510) 663-4086



## Wednesday, April 18th, 1:00 pm - Sonoma County NOW Monthly Meeting

The local chapter of the National Organization for Women (NOW) holds their monthly meetings on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month. Meetings are for informational programs, action planning and chapter business. Public Welcome!

**Location:** Round Table Pizza, Marlow Safeway Shopping Ctr, at Marlow & Guerneville Rds.

**Contact:** <http://www.nowsonoma.org/contact>



## Wednesday, April 18th, 6:30 pm - Democratic Club of Southern Sonoma County

Monthly meeting & potluck social. 6:30 Mix & Mingle; 6:45 Brief Announcements; 7:15 Program & Discussion. Bring a dish to share.

**Program:** *Protecting Our Children, Our Community, Our Earth: Taking Action on Our Environment and Climate Change*

Kerry Fugett, Outgoing Director of Sonoma County Conservation Action and New Manager of Leadership Institute for Ecology and Economy under Daily Acts of Petaluma & Elizabeth Ann Mathews, Marine Biologist and Volunteer Activist with Schools for Climate Action, Model School District Climate Action Resolution and Citizens' Climate Lobby

**Location:** Mentor Me Cavanagh Recreation Ctr, 426 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Petaluma

**RSVP/Details:** Email [southsocodems@gmail.com](mailto:southsocodems@gmail.com) Phone: 707-664-1687



## Thursday, April 19th, 6:30 pm – Oakmont Democratic Club Meeting

**Program:** Candidates Forum with all three So. Co. Sheriff Candidates: John Mutz, Mark Essick, Ernesto Olivares.

**Location:** Oakmont East Recreation Center, 7902 Oakmont Dr, Oakmont (Santa Rosa)

**Contact:** President Molly Fleischman [707.755.3722](tel:707.755.3722) [molly@ffrsf.com](mailto:molly@ffrsf.com)



**Thursday, April 19th, 6:00 – 7:00 pm - League of Women Voters’ Candidates’**

**Night: 3 Candidates for Clerk-Recorder-Assessor-Registrar of Voters**

Deva Marie Proto, Ray Leonard, and Rod Marusic will meet in a candidates’ night. Event is FREE and questions from audience will be welcome.

**Location:** Santa Rosa City Council Chambers, 100 Santa Rosa Ave, Santa Rosa

**Contact:** [lwvsonoma.org](http://lwvsonoma.org) 546-5943



**Saturday, April 21st, Noon – 4:00 pm – Earth Day OnStage Celebration**

Earth Day OnStage at Courthouse Square is an outdoor showcase of Santa Rosa’s performing arts scene and other activities at the Earth Day Festival in Courthouse Square. FREE.

**Location:** Courthouse Square, Santa Rosa

**For More Info:** <https://www.srcity.org/calendar.aspx?CID=31>



**Monday, April 23rd, 6:00 pm – Sonoma Valley Democratic Club Meeting**

Prior to the evening’s program, there will be a potluck dinner and social time, and a brief business meeting. Please bring a potluck dish to share. Everyone is welcome at no charge.

**Location:** Sonoma Springs Community Hall, 18627 Hwy 12, Boyes Hot Springs

**More Information:** email Beth at [bethh@sonic.net](mailto:bethh@sonic.net) Also more info at: [northbayjobswithjustice.org](http://northbayjobswithjustice.org)



**Saturday, April 28th, 3:00 – 5:00 pm – Citywide Meeting of Neighborhood & Block Organizers in Santa Rosa**

Join us to get to know each other, share ideas, and find ways to support and strengthen our neighborhood communities. **District-based elections:** What will they mean for our neighborhoods and blocks? Explore the new Santa Rosa districts and what they mean for our neighborhoods and blocks, meet neighbors from your district, and identify and map your district neighborhoods.

**How healthy is your neighborhood or block?** What does a healthy neighborhood or block look like? Explore the strengths, resources, needs, and emergency preparedness of your neighborhood or block; help create a neighborhood checklist. *Sponsored by a group of neighborhood and block organizers and Santa Rosa Together.* English and Spanish Speakers Welcome!! Translation Available

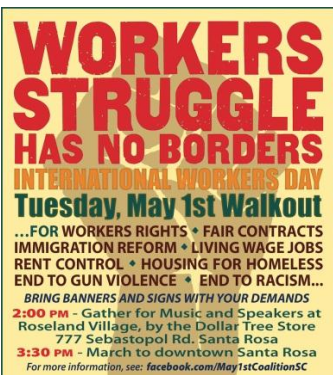
**Locations:** Centro Cristiano Evangelístico, 1589 Hampton Way, Santa Rosa



**Tuesday, May 1st, 2 pm – International Workers’ Day Walkout, March & Rally**

“Workers’ Struggle has No Borders” is the theme of this year’s march in honor of International Workers’ Day. Many organizations working on issues that impact working people will be represented.

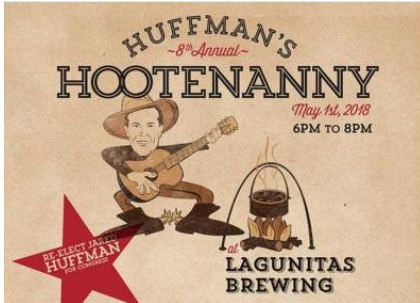
2 pm: Gather at Roseland Village Center; 2:30-3:30: rally and music; 3:30: Aztec Dancers will lead march; 4:30: march arrives at Hyatt Vineyard Creek to rally with hotel workers who are negating for better working conditions; march continues to SR City Hall for final rally



**Location:** Starts at Roseland Village, Sebastopol Rd, Santa Rosa, rally at Hyatt on 3<sup>rd</sup> St, end at city hall  
**For more information:** [facebook.com/May1stCoalitionSC](https://facebook.com/May1stCoalitionSC)



## **Tuesday, May 1st, 6:00 – 8:00 pm – 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Huffman Hootenanny**



Kick up your heels with Congressman Jared Huffman at the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Huffman Hootenanny. This fundraiser sells out early so get your tickets now.

Tickets: \$40 purchase tickets online [HERE](#)

**Location:** Lagunitas Brewing Co. Beer Garden, [1280 N. McDowell Blvd., Petaluma, CA](#)

More Info: Call Elizabeth Howland at (707) 364-4567 or email: [campaign@jaredhuffman.com](mailto:campaign@jaredhuffman.com)



## **Wednesday, May 2nd, 7 pm – “A Day’s Work” a film about day laborers**

Panel discussion including local day laborers and others will follow the showing of the film.  
Free and open to the public.

**Location:** Rialto Cinemas, Sebastopol



## **Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 9 am - noon – So. Co. Jail Industries Plant Sale**

**100% of revenue from the plants sales fund the nursery vocational education program** operated by the Sonoma County Sheriff's Office in partnership with the Sonoma County Office of Education. All plants are grown and nurtured by inmates. **No pesticides or fertilizers are used.** Bring your own wheel barrow or wagon to transport your plants.

**Location:** [2254 Ordinance Road @ Airport Boulevard](#)

**For a list of plants for sale/more info:** <http://sonomacounty.ca.gov/Services/Plant-Sale/>