



August 22nd Dinner Meeting

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

Our Speaker this month:



Richard Coshnear

Immigration Attorney for

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Immigration attorney Richard Coshnear has been providing low-cost immigration law services, advocacy and community education since 2003 and is currently the staff attorney with the Vital Immigrant Defense and Advocacy Services, Inc (VIDAS).

Rules about who is eligible for asylum have recently changed. In addition, it appears that the Trump administration is taking a closer look at those who have become naturalized citizens and have begun to take away their citizenship. Mr. Coshnear will address some of these issues and update us on immigration problems here in our county.

Note: During our Business Meeting, Susan McDonough will give a presentation on the North Bay Rapid Response Network and Hotline and the training to become Legal Observers over ICE activities.

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.

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., 8/21, 10:00 AM

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

Menu

Appetizers:

Spanakopita & Dolmas

Main Course:

Lamb Gyros

[Vegetarian: Falafels]

Hummus with Pita Bread

Tabbouleh

Greek Salad

Tzatziki



Dessert:

Pistachio Ice Cream

August & September 2018 Events

Saturday, August 11th, 1-4 pm - RISE UP! A NOW Garden Party & Summer Social



Featuring Haute Flash Quartet (Gypsy Jazz Inspired Women). This is a Zero Waste event, so please use public transit, carpool and bring your picnic (and your own utensils). We'll have ice cream! Bring your ideas for the election, ERA and the 2020 Celebration of the passage of the 19th Amendment. Everyone welcome at this FREE event (donations gladly accepted). Free parking.



Location: Howarth Park Gazebo, 630 Summerfield Rd, Santa Rosa

More info: Contact Elaine Holtz, President Sonoma County NOW at info@nowsonoma.org



Wednesday, August 15th, 10:00 am – Noon - Sonoma County CARA

Monthly meeting of the Sonoma County CAT (CARA Action Team). Meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month. Works on strategies and actions on issues impacting the lives of Seniors. We will be preparing for the rally at the Social Security Office to follow immediately after the meeting.

Location: Glaser Center, 547 Mendocino Ave, Santa Rosa

Contact: CA Alliance for Retired Americans (CARA) at (510) 663-4086 or Shaun Dufosse at 707-239-0234



Wednesday, August 15th, 1:00 pm - Celebration of Social Security's 83rd Birthday & Rally to support Social Security Workers

Social Security turns 83 on August 14th and to celebrate, CARA is joining with Social Security workers, who are represented by AFGE (American Federation of Government Employees) with cupcakes and a rally at the local Social Security office. The Trump Administration is celebrating this milestone by cutting funding, closing offices and laying off Social Security workers in an effort to undermine the agency.

This will also be a rally in support of the workers at our local office. *Please Come Out and Show Your Support for These Workers and Help Celebrate One of the Most Successful Government Programs Ever!*

Location: Social Security Office, 2099 Range Ave, Santa Rosa

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



Wednesday, August 15th, 1:00 pm - Sonoma County NOW Monthly Meeting

The local chapter of the National Organization for Women (NOW) holds their monthly meetings on the 3rd 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>



Saturday, August 18th – 9:00 am-1:00 pm – Assemblymember Jim Wood's Community Day: "Sonoma, Get Ready to Roll Up Your Sleeves"

Join me and the Sonoma County Trails Council in repairing trails at Trione-Annadel State Park. We'll spend the morning doing trail maintenance, discussing state issues, and take in the beautiful scenery, plus lunch with Jim. Wear work clothes & shoes; bring gloves, if possible, and water.

Location: Trione-Annadel State Park, 6201 Channel Dr, SR – Meet at Richardson Trail parking lot.

RSVP [HERE](#) so we know how many FREE t-shirts to bring.

More info: Call 707-576-2526 or go to Assemblymember Wood's website: <https://a02.asmdc.org/>

Sunday, August 19th – 1:00-3:30 pm - CA State Senator Mike McGuire's Boots, Beans & Brews Chili Feed



A great event, with great food, music by Wonder Bread 5! And, of course, the never-ending energy of the Senator himself! Get your tickets before this sells out!

Location: Richard's Grove and Saralee's Vineyard 3575 Slusser Rd, Windsor

RSVP: [HERE](#)

Tickets: \$35 advance, \$40 at the door

More info: Contact Karlene at (707) 838-79 or Karlene@SenatorMikeMcGuire.com

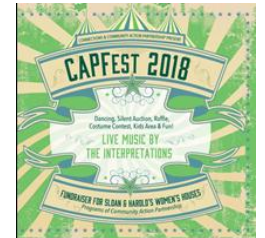
Tuesday, August 21st – 5:30-8:30 pm - CAPFest 2018

Annual Fundraiser to support Community Action Partnership's (CAP) Pathways housing programs. Includes Paella dinner with salad and dessert (hot dogs for kids) catered by Paella Del Reyes. Live music by The Interpretations.

Tickets: \$40 adults; \$20 under 21; kids 5 and under free;

Location: Lagunitas Brewery in Petaluma

Tickets/more info at: <https://www.capsonoma.org/> or on their facebook event page: CAPFest2018



Thursday, August 23rd, 7:00 – 9:00 pm – Windsor/North Sonoma County Democratic Club Monthly Meeting

Location: Windsor Round Table Pizza, 8499 Old Redwood Hwy, Windsor

Contact: Rick Massell, President, 707-838-7107 rickm@sonic.net

Monday, August 27th, 6:00 pm – Sonoma Valley Democratic Club Meeting

Program: TBA. Prior to the evening's presentation, there will be a potluck dinner and social time, and a brief business meeting. Please bring a potluck dish to share and your own place setting, if possible. Overflow parking is available at the Arroyo Veterinary Hospital, one block north at 18501 Hwy 12.

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

Friday, September 7th – 6-9 pm – Fundraiser for Congressional Candidate Josh Harder

Sponsored by the Oakmont Democratic Club, Harder is running against Republican incumbent Jeff Denham in Congressional District 10 (Modesto area). This is a fundraiser to help "flip the House" in November.

Location: Berger Center (Oakmont), 6633 Oakmont Dr, Santa Rosa

More info: Contact Tom Amato 209-601-4457 amatothompson@gmail.com

Friday, September 7th – 6-8 pm – "Connecting Labor & Community" – 3rd Annual North Bay Jobs with Justice Awards Celebration and Fundraiser – Featuring Cleve Jones!

Keynote speaker, **Cleve Jones**, is a nationally known human rights activist, author and lecturer who joined the gay liberation movement in the early 1970s, mentored by pioneer LGBT activist Harvey Milk as his intern in City Hall until his assassination in 1978. He is now the Community & Political Organizer for UNITE HERE.

Awardees include: Community Activist Sebastian Mendoza; the waste and recycling workers at Recology organized by Teamsters Local 665; & the Fair & Affordable Housing Coalition for Measure C campaign work.

Location: Santa Rosa Veterans' Memorial Bldg, 1351 Maple Ave, Santa Rosa

Tickets: \$35 advance; \$40 at the door Reserve your ticket online: <https://nbjwj.eventsmart.com/?p=6>

More info: northbayjobswithjustice.org Email: jwjevents@gmail.com or call (707) 293-2863

Sonoma County Democratic Party

12th Annual BBQ

Saturday, August 25, 2018 12pm-3pm

Gazebo in Howarth Park

600 Summerfield Drive, Santa Rosa



Please join the Sonoma County Democratic Party at our 12th Annual BBQ.

As always there will be great food, friendly conversations, and opportunities to chat with local elected officials and candidates. Vegetarian options are available.

Tickets: General Admission Ticket \$15 or Family Pack (2 adults and 2+ children) \$40

Sponsorships

\$500 St. Louis Style

\$250 Kansas City Style

\$100 Hickory Smoked

\$50 Oak Smoked

Tickets can be ordered online on SCDP website: <http://sonomademocrats.org/>

All Tickets can be claimed at will call.