



NEWSLETTER

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Happy New Year to all!

I am sure that many of you watched the circus going on in the House of non-Representatives these past few days. They finally came together after 15 votes, the most votes needed to elect a Speaker in nearly 180 years. It was a disgrace. That is the kind of disfunction that happens when the only concern is Power. Thank goodness for the Democrats sticking together. But what did that election cost? The news media is speaking about what McCarthy had to give away in order to win. They want to take the country back, but what they really want to do is take the country back-wards. That demonstrates why we have to regain control of the house in 24, retain control of the Senate, and, of course, reelect our great president.

We had a great 2022 – there was no red wave. But we cannot let up on our work in 2023 because it is not an election year. We need to work just as hard this year to lay the groundwork so that in 2024 we will again elect the people who will do the work. We need to elect people like Jeremy Spreitzer to replace Lesko, we need to elect a second senator who will work for us and support the Democratic agenda – for the people. We have a lot of work ahead of us, but we have the momentum. To accomplish this, we will continue working with LD28, continue to build our membership, and invite those candidates who will work for us to our meetings to demonstrate our support for them and help them get elected in any way we can.



NEXT MEETING

ZOOM & On-Site

Date: Feb 2nd

Time: 6:30 pm

Social begins at 6:00

General Session:

Monthly Club Business

This will be a joint meeting with LD28 to set an agenda for goals for 2024.

This is a very important meeting and your presence will make a difference!



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Also, to accomplish this, we need to have a full working board. As I have been saying, we need those people to step up to serve in these critical areas: Vice-President, Program Chair, and Web Assistant. I know that there are a lot of people among our membership who have served in some professional, managerial, technological capacities, who have served on other boards, and who have been politically active earlier in their lives. So, if you have any interest, please contact me at the email address below to discuss how you can best serve the Sun City Democratic Club and, more importantly, how you can best serve the needs of our people by keeping Arizona and the nation blue.

We had a great meeting last Thursday with Kathy Knecht, whom many of you know, presenting information about Ranked Choice Voting. I learned a lot about that voting process I did not know. She did a wonderful job as usual. You will be hearing more about it in the coming months. In February we will have a joint meeting with LD28 with detailed information about the election results and to begin setting agenda for our goals for 2023. In March we will be having Jeremy Spreitzer, Aspiring Candidate for the 8th congressional district. It is going to be an exciting year.

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Voter Choice Arizona aims to improve our elections so that voters have more choice and more voice, for better governance and a better Arizona.





Valley View Community Food Bank Facing Unprecedented Demand for Help

We are continuing to collect food at our meetings for the food bank. However, we will resume collecting money donations as soon as a volunteer is available to collect the money to bring to the food bank. In the meantime, you can mail your check direct to the Food Bank. For more information visit their website at <https://feedingaz.org/>

Weekend volunteers are needed. Call 623-933-3358. Walk-ins welcome. To volunteer to help pack boxes or deliver food in the Sun Cities, call Martha Ovalle, Volunteer Coordinator, at 602-486-4285.

Social Time

WEEKLY - MONDAY MORNING

JOIN US AT 9:00 AM IN STARBUCKS AT DEL WEBB BLVD & BELL RD EVERY MONDAY MORNING TO MEET INTERESTING PEOPLE AND ENJOY LIVELY DISCUSSIONS

MONTHLY - HAPPY HOUR EVERY THIRD TUESDAY

- COME JOIN US FROM 4:00 UNTIL 6:00 AT THE COPPER PENNY, 10765 W PEORIA AVE, SUN CITY, AZ 85351
 - PHONE: (623) 875-6672
- EVERY THIRD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH FOR FUN, FOOD, DRINKS AND MORE LIVELY CONVERSATIONS.

“An individual has not started living until he can rise above the narrow confines of his individualistic concerns to the broader concerns of all humanity.”

