Carroll County Democratic Club

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A Brief Word on the Election (NEW)

Congratulations and thanks to all the Dems who voted and/or worked on the recent elections. Team Blue did much better than expected, and the Red Wave turned out to be a Red Ripple. Wes Moore led the Maryland ticket to some resounding, if not universal, victories. And while some local contests, and a few national ones, still hang in the balance, we can breathe a sigh of relief that at least for now, big-D Democracy has survived. Well done all, and keep working for the better days we all want.
- Mark

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Club Holiday Dinner (UPDATED)

The CCDemClub annual Holiday Dinner will be Thursday, December 8, at 7pm, at Oscar's in Eldersburg, with a "Happy Hour" beforehand, starting at 6:30.

You can now sign up! We're limited to 40 spaces, so sign up soon.

https://ccdems.wufoo.com/forms/carroll-county-dems-holiday-dinner-2022/

The signup page has the details, but basically it's ONE reservation per signup, so couples need to fill out TWO signups. That way, each signups has its own entree.

Follow the instructions on the page, and we hope to see a lot of you at Oscar's in December!

We have **TWENTY-ONE** slots spoken for, but so far only **SIXTEEN** of those have paid and been confirmed!

So if you HAVE signed up, and have NOT received an email saying your reservation(s) are confirmed, make sure to pay soon, or check with Mark (wilsoncpu@gmail.com) if you think you _have_ paid.

And if you have NOT signed up yet, now's the time! **The deadline to sign up and pay is December 7.**

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UPCOMING CLUB MEETINGS

Note: unless otherwise noted, these are ALL currently set to take place from 6pm to 7:30 in the large meeting room at Exploration Commons (in the Westminster Library). All of these dates are subject to change, but this is the current plan.

* Thursday, December 8
  HOLIDAY DINNER - replaces the December regular meeting. Note that this is a joint event of the Club and the Carroll County Democratic Central Committee. See the article above.

No meetings in January or February, due to weather.

* Monday, March 6
* Monday, April 3
* Monday, May 1

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About the Club (UPDATED)

We work to promote Democratic ideals and candidates. We also present speakers on topics of interest to voters at our meetings.

We're based in Westminster. Our email address is **ccdemclubmd@gmail.com**
FACEBOOK Page: **http://www.facebook.com/CarrollCountyDemocraticClub**
General information about the club is on our web page: **https://ccdems.com/clubs/**
Your club in action: **http://ccdems.com/your-cc-democratic-club-in-action/**
Meeting information: **http://ccdems.com/events/**
Officers and other club information: **http://ccdems.com/clubs/**
The meeting minutes are posted in our Google Group folder: **https://drive.google.com/open?id=0ByGlJGvA6lW3bGlfdUlJTTVpcGs**

If you have any problem accessing the minutes, please let Mark know at **wilsoncpu@gmail.com**

The newsletter will always have the LATEST information on upcoming meetings.

We are now in the 2022-2023 club year (club years run May-May). We now have 28 FIRST-TIME MEMBERS (including family memberships) and 75 (was 72) members in 50 (was 48) memberships overall.

To join by check OR PayPal: **http://ccdems.com/dues/**

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About the Newsletter

We send out a weekly newsletter listing all the news and upcoming events for the next month or so, emphasizing the newly-added or updated events. NEW and UPDATED items are marked and highlighted. For information on joining the club, see "About the Club" at the end of the newsletter. Any problems, or to submit items for the newsletter, email **wilsoncpu@gmail.com**. For new items, include a URL if possible.

As always, you can also go to **http://ccdems.com/events** at any time to see the full calendar and details.

The newsletter was first published on February 25, 2017. The CCDemClub newsletter archives can be found at **http://ccdems.com/newsletter-archive/**

Archived links are at **http://ccdems.com/archived-links**

- Mark

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Standard Links

- ACTBLUE has a page where you can give to six different charities helping the people of Ukraine. You can choose to split your donation equally among the six, or specify how much to give to each particular charity. Give here: **https://secure.actblue.com/donate/dkukraine**
- To sign up for info from the Maryland Democratic Party, go to **http://mddems.org** . You'll get on the newsletter, and all sorts of info.
- Jamie Raskin: Contact his district staff at **301-354-1000** if you need any assistance.
- Moving Forward Podcast: **http://moving-forward.libsyn.com**, with host Kate Sanner.
- To get on the Carroll County Democratic Central Committee's mailing list, email **ccmddemocrats@gmail.com**.
- Resources, Grassroots Activist Groups and Nationwide Activist Groups information has been moved to **http://ccdems.com/resources/**
- To give DIRECTLY to the local food bank, Carroll County Food Sunday, go to the CCFS donation page: **http://ccfoodsunday.org/how-to-help/** This page is always available, and ensures your donation directly benefits folks here in Carroll County.

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From the Carroll County Democratic Club