



Auburn Area Democratic Club

Auburn City Hall: The Rose Room
1225 Lincoln Way
Auburn CA 95603

AADC General Meeting -August 7th, 2025

Doors open at 5:30PM for \$5.00 Pizza & Soft Drinks and Mingle

Meeting Time: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM or earlier

I. Call to Order

- Meeting called to order at 6:30 PM

II: Introduction

- Neva Parker, Vice President
 - Welcome & Housekeeping

Vice President Parker announced the next AADC community forum on Healthcare Access set for 6:30PM, Sept. 25, at the Health & Human Resources community room.

She commended and thanked Rosie Wohlfrum, Susan Roughgarden, and Emily Gaber for their recent Letters to the Editor in the Auburn Journal.

III: Approval of Minutes

- July 2025 Minutes
 - A quorum was established.

Motion: Gail Bartlow moved to approve the minutes of the July 2025 Monthly Meeting. The motion passed with a voice vote.

IV: Committee Reports

- Membership- Sandy Floyd (Chair)
 - Chair Floyd reported 184 renewals and 56 members who still had not paid current dues. She thanked new members who joined AADC tonight.

- Community Events Committee- Dorian Seamster (Chair)
Committee Member Kimberley Bierley reported on upcoming events of interest:
 - AADC's forum on Healthcare Access on Sept 25;
 - Auburn Coop Street Faire on August 21 from 5-9PM (and encouraged members to volunteer at the AADC booth).
 - "One Million Rising" event, sponsored by Auburn Indivisible, on August 16 at 6:30PM at the Sierra Foothills Unitarian Universalist (SFUU) Church.

Bierley reminded members there will be no Community Events Committee meeting on Aug 8.

- Voter Registration- Gail Bartlow & Sandy Floyd (Co-chairs)
Committee Member Leslie Moonshine reported on the start dates for the Voter Registration teams' return to Sierra College campus for 2025-2026 school year:
 - Wednesday Team – Every Wednesday beginning August 20
 - Tuesday Team – Every other Tuesday beginning August 26

She reminded members that AADC will once again support the Sierra College Food Pantry with donations such as ramen, peanut butter, hygiene products, but NO CANS!

- Fundraising- Chair (vacant)
Leslie Moonshine noted that this committee is still in need of a Chair but continues to work on the next "local restaurant" fundraising opportunity.
- Communications- Susan Roughgarden (Chair)
Julann Brown reminded members they now receive a weekly update, usually sent out on Sundays, with links to pertinent information, events, etc.

Brown reported September's speakers will be from Jewish Voices for Peace. She reported that 29 young Democrats will be

attending the PCD Roosevelt-Kennedy dinner and she will network to get youth speakers for future AADC meetings.

Brown reminded everyone who uses any form of social media to help amplify the Democratic message by taking action: *See it, Like it, Share it, Comment!*

V. Speaker/Presenter

- CD3 Candidate- Tyler Vandenberg
Tyler Vandenberg introduced himself and his platform to the AADC community.
- Michele Vass - President of the Placer County Friends of the Library
Michee Vass explained the role and importance of the Friends of the Library program and encouraged everyone to join our local Auburn Friends of the Library.

VI. Old Business

- AADC Logo refresh
Vice President Parker shared visuals of both the old and new graphic.
- AADC Ad-Hoc By-Laws Committee identified and date for review set.
Vice President Parker announced that the ad hoc committee to review and revise the bylaws will be meeting on August 14 and encouraged members to share their ideas via the club email.

VII. New Business

- None at this time

VII. Member Announcements

Terry Rodriguez issued a Call to Action for AADC members to step up and help with whatever work is required to help give our rural community a voice.

Julann Brown explained the program, "Good Vibes – Great Causes" funded by a Contest Every Race grant that seeks to amplify the good work Democrats are doing within our community.

Neva Parker announced her "Showcase" event/fundraiser on August 22, from 7-8:30PM at the General Store and Refillery in Roseville, the first event in her 2026 campaign for Assembly District 5.

VIII: Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 7:35 PM