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The Gold Card glitters again

All that glitters IS gold as far as the Joint Campaign is concerned. The JC has now announced its three Gold Card events for the 2009 campaign and they represent the traditional and the new.

The Joint Campaign raises funds and works on behalf of all Democratic candidates for state and local office, thus maximizing resources. The 2009 co-chairs are County Board member **Chris Zimmerman**, **Krysta Jones** and **Kim Klinger**.

On Monday, September 7 (Labor Day) the traditional Great Chili Cook-off will be the first Gold Card event. Test your chili making skills against the 2008 reigning champion, **Libby Garvey's** "Red Hot and Very Blue Chili," prepared by **Dale Proctor**.

As always, the chili cook-off will be held from 4p.m.-6p.m. at Lyon Park. To volunteer to help with this ever-popular event, contact chair **Amaka Gossett** at amaka79@gmail.com.

The second Gold Card event introduces a hip and classy evening of "Vintages for Victory: A Virginia Wine Tasting benefitting the 2009 Joint Cam-

paign", Tuesday, September 22, 6 p.m.-8 p.m., at EatBar at Tallulah, 2761 Washington Blvd. The event will feature tastings of specially selected Virginia wines, including snacks of Virginia-sourced chacuterie and cheeses. Non-alcoholic options will also be available. For more information contact Chair **Kate Mesches** at mesches@aol.com.

And finally, don't miss the 2009 Golden Gala, Friday, October 23, 7p.m.-9 p.m., at the home of **Steve Cole and Martha Ware**, 5429 N. Carlin Spring Road. For more information contact **Krysta Jones** at krystanjones@gmail.com.

Gold Cards are \$125—but just \$100 for Roosevelt Society members [you ARE a member, right?] and Young Democrats. Order now by sending a check payable to ACDC Joint Campaign, Arlington County Democratic Committee, Attn: Gold Card, 2009 N. 14th Street, Suite 612, Arlington, VA 22201. Interested in sponsoring Gold Card events at the \$1000, \$500 or \$250 level? Contact **Krysta Jones** at krystanjones@gmail.com for details.



HARD WORK — Enough of those jokes about YDs only able to lift a beer can. Here's an action shot showing Arlington's YDs hard at work pulling up the English ivy (as in invasive species) at the Gulf Branch Nature Center. See page four for full details on what (from left) **Rene Carlos**, **Bryan Spoon**, **Karl Johnson** and **Sarah Godliewski** did for the environment.

There's gold in
 them thar cards!
 Sign up for a
 Gold Card
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Report from Chairman Peter Rousselot***A Palinoscopy for McDonnell***

Poor Bob.

Virginia's Republican nominee for governor, Bob McDonnell, is having a tough time trying to decide: **what to do about Sarah?** That's Sarah, as in Sarah Palin—on her way out as Governor of Alaska, but eager to capitalize on her strong standing in the Republican Party nationally.

Look carefully at what Bob has said about Sarah: she would be a "good spokesman"—if she still wants to come to Virginia to campaign for him this year. "She was a successful governor in Alaska," he said. "She was a popular governor in Alaska, got a lot of things done on taxes, and government regulation and ethics, and you know, those are some of the things that I'm interested in getting done here in Virginia. I think she...added a lot of enthusiasm to the Republican ticket with John McCain last year. I think she'll stay a voice in national politics to some degree," McDonnell concluded.

But, when pressed to say whether the McDonnell campaign actually has invited

Sarah to campaign for Bob in Virginia, or has any specific Virginia events with Sarah scheduled, the McDonnell campaign has said, in essence: none right now, maybe in the future. Notice, they haven't said: "thanks, but no thanks".

Poor Bob—he just doesn't know which way to jump.

And, that's no surprise, because Bob's dilemma in Virginia is also the dilemma of the Republican Party nationally: Sarah Palin is enormously popular with the Republican base, but the reasons for her popularity with them are the same reasons that energize the Democratic base in the opposite direction.

Poor Bob—he's going to alienate a lot of Virginia voters no matter what he decides to do about Sarah. Isn't that a shame?

So, here's my thought: let's keep asking Bob: Where's Sarah?

Let's give him a time-tested suggestion from many high school dating advice columns: Why haven't **you** invited **her**?

Bob's in a box no matter what he decides:

I have invited her; I haven't invited her; she is coming; she isn't coming; I don't know if she's coming.

Poor Bob.

County Fair kicks off fall campaign

Rather than Labor Day, the County Fair in mid-August has really been the traditional launch pad for the fall campaign in Arlington.

That's because the County Fair is the first event the party plans for and deploys volunteers to staff. It is the first big event where candidates for the fall election come out to shake hands and meet 'n' greet the voters.

ACDC has a booth at the County Fair each year from which bumper stickers, yard signs and assorted literature are distributed—but no longer any balloons. The balloons were big with the kids, but passed into history when the environmental impact was considered.

The Fair this year will be held from Thursday, August 20, through Sunday, August 23. The site is the same as always, the Thomas Jefferson Community Center.

The ACDC booth is traditionally set up and organized by the AYDs and is staffed during the 30 hours of the Fair by dozens of ACDC volunteers who usually come for two-to-three hour shifts. The staffing is being organized this year by Amanda Wolfe. She can be reached at partyrep@arlingtonyoungdems.org.

All that is required of volunteers is that they enjoy chatting up visitors to the booth, young and old, and have an interest in conveying basic information about the party, its candidates and the elections.

The Thomas Jefferson Community Center is technically at 3501 South Second Street, but it is more recognizable as being just east of Glebe Road and south of Route 50. Due to the absence of parking there, however, the real address one needs to know is the parking lot at the Career Center/Branch Library on Walter Reed Drive just north of Columbia Pike. Park there and take a shuttle bus to the fair. Both the parking and the shuttle bus are free—as is the Fair.

The Fair has dozens of booths inside with food and rides outside to keep the entire family entertained.

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**Next Monthly Meeting
All Dems Invited**

Wednesday, August 5, 2009, 6:30 p.m.
NRECA Building, 4301 Wilson Blvd
Corner of North Taylor and Wilson, just east of Glebe & Wilson
Free parking under building, enter from Taylor Street

Don't forget to bring cereal or canned goods to each month's meeting. Democratic Values in Action, the public service, non-campaign arm of ACDC, continues to collect these food items for the needy in Arlington aided by the Arlington Food Assistance Center (AFAC).

Careful! This page is live!!!!

Be careful where you put your cursor on this page—it's live!

All the webpage links and email addresses that you see printed in blue in *The Voice* are now live links. If an article says you can volunteer for a project by contacting so-and-so at such-and-such an email address, just click on that address and you'll get a blank email page and can reply instantly.

No more, "Oh, I should call those folks," or, "I'll get to that tomorrow." Click and sign up instantly.

If an article identifies a website with more information, just click on the website address and you'll go right there.

We've tested it, and it works with both Macs and PCs. It also works with AOL, which is sometimes pesky.

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Calendar items

To submit items for the calendar for the website go to <http://www.arlingtondemocrats.org/submitevent.phtml>.



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Arlington Chamber of Commerce

AYDs get out there and tackle the ivy

In addition to political action and civic engagement activities, each month the Arlington Young Democrats take on a different service project – and have been having fun while they do it! AYDs have logged nearly 120 volunteer service hours in the first six months of the year. “Service projects are a great opportunity to get outdoors, get involved in the Arlington community, and meet new people at the same time,” says **Mary Kate Francis**, community service director for AYD. “I consistently find that volunteers are glad that they came to the projects that we organize through AYD.”

Most recently, AYDs teamed up with the Arlington County Parks & Recreation Department and the Gulf Branch Nature Center to do some “invasive species removal” – also known as weeding. Tucked into a part of North Arlington inaccessible by Metro, 10 AYDs and a knowledgeable volunteer tackled the persistent spread of English Ivy, a non-native species that takes over and kills native area species. Armed with working gloves and pre-emptive poison ivy wipes, AYD volunteers ripped up the English Ivy, with its long, winding roots, for two hours – a rather therapeutic exercise which made quite a difference in the landscape. Fortunately, the shade of large trees provided relief from the sun on that hot day, and significant camaraderie was established.

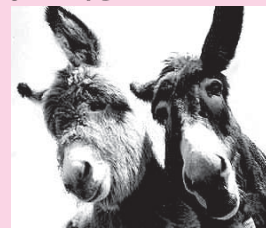
In addition to improving the landscape, AYDs have done everything from greeting inauguration visitors, to organizing a warehouse that benefits Habitat for Humanity, to entertaining children at a low-income housing residence to give their parents a break. AYDs have also been active with local community organizations, collecting and organizing canned goods for the Arlington Food Assistance Center and marking storm drains with Arlingtonians for a Clean Environment. Coming up, AYDs will partner with Arlington Community Residences to assist with yard work and painting, while the fall holds more opportunities for environmental and energy efficiency-related projects.

All are welcome to participate in AYD service projects. Please email Mary Kate at community@arlingtonyoungdems.org for details.

Donkey Ears

Listening to the doings of Arlington's Dems

**as overheard by
Dan Steen and Warren Nelson**



Off to the Sunday beaches: Geez, Donkey Ears has just learned how to pronounce her name and now **Melanie Ciolek** (seel-ik) is heading off to the left coast. Melanie has double-hatted as ACDC communications director and AYD secretary. But she's departing in August for USC to acquire a masters in public diplomacy. She assures us she will miss her old friends in Arlington, but we saw a gleam of beaches and sunshine in her eyes. What she'll really miss is Old Dominion beer, which doesn't make it past the Appalachians, let alone the Rockies. That'll bring her back to Arlington.

Investing money locally: Arlingtonians seem to know they live in a well-run county—they are willing to invest in it big time. For the first time ever, the county put its bonds on retail sale in July. Before that, the bonds were just sold in multi-million blocks to wholesalers, i.e., banks. So many Arlingtonians wanted to buy Arlington bonds retail that the bidders exceeded the available stock of 2014 bonds. For you numbers crunchers, the county marketed \$80.48 million in bonds with \$54 million going into retail sales and 39 percent of that going to Arlingtonians. Now, what we'd really like to know is how many of those bonds were bought by Republicans who spend their time dissing the county as ill-run. By the way, the county still receives the top AAA rating from all three bond rating agencies—in other words a triple triple-A

GOP road kill: Just in case you missed it, Dave Foster, who for a long time was Arlington's only non-Democrat in elective office, lost his bid for the GOP nomination for attorney general. Instead, the Republican Party Convention picked Ken Cuccinelli of Fairfax County, who ran for the nomination from the far, far right. In his acceptance speech in Richmond, Cuccinelli said, “We are in the minority in Washington and here in Virginia because Republicans abandoned their core principles.” Let us hope Virginia abandons Ken Cuccinelli and chooses Democrat Steve Shannon.

Passages: **Bill Graham**, who chaired ACDC in 1961-63 when the committee was starting its break with the Byrd Machine that had run the state for decades, died June 28 at Goodwin House.

Passages: **Geraldine Newman** died on the 4th of July. She is the mother of Judge William Newman, first African-American elected to the County Board. She was once the treasurer of ACDC.

Want to get married, change your name or just get a great view of D.C., see Paul

Former County Board member Paul Ferguson was elected Clerk of the Court in November 2008.

**by Paul Ferguson
Clerk of the Court**

The most frequent question that I am asked by friends on the Democratic Committee, besides do you like your new job (YES!), is what does the Clerk of the Court do?

The Circuit Court Clerk's Office manages civil and criminal cases, handles appeals from General District Court and state administrative agencies, issues marriage licenses, records deeds and other legal documents, probates estates, issues concealed weapons permits, processes adoptions, name changes and trade names, and handles many other legal matters that affect Arlingtonians in their every day lives.

Serving on jury duty is one reason many of you might be visiting our court. I enjoy conducting the orientation process and explaining how the court process works.

I am asked lots of questions during orientation, some having to do with county issues, but I gladly answer anything people want to discuss. Why I can't provide free parking is a frequent question. Now, I blame things on the County Board.

I do disclose, however, that I supported and still support the policy decisions encouraging mass transit and walking. Many jurors ride transit, walk, or bicycle to court.

It is fascinating to see the talent and diversity of the citizens called for jury duty. While in many jurisdictions people try to avoid jury duty, in Arlington, citizens appear eager to fulfill their civic duty and are genuinely interested in the process.

Since becoming clerk, I have added wireless internet access to the jury assembly area so that people can keep in touch with their offices or friends while waiting for a trial to begin.

As clerk, I don't make policy. By law, my office is tasked with carrying out a variety of functions established by the General Assembly and codified in the Code of Virginia.

(And now he can blame the County Board)

A group of same sex couples (and their supporters) came to the office to apply for marriage licenses. It was with sadness that I informed them that the Virginia Code prohibited me from issuing marriage licenses to them. Each couple told me their story and described the hardship of not being able to obtain legal certification for their relationships. They understood when I explained that I did not create the law but was obligated to

enforce it. They even gave me flowers!

Recently, the question arose whether a referendum could be called to establish a Housing Authority in Arlington. My office processed the paperwork necessary to determine whether the question could be included on the ballot this November. We had no policy role in whether that would occur.

Ultimately, a Circuit Court judge ruled that the General Assembly law which took effect July 1, 2009, permitting this type of referendum only once every five years, prevented the measure from being on this year's ballot as the same question was on the November 2008 ballot. Proponents for the measure had argued that because they filed the requisite documents before the law changed, the measure could still be included on this year's ballot. As with other rulings by the Circuit Court, this ruling can be appealed.

Navigating the state and county budget process is another of my responsibilities. I was disappointed when the state budget adopted by the General Assembly this year took money from circuit courts in urban localities by changing the formula used to allocate what is known as "excess fees." Excess fees are revenues generated by the locality through mandatory court fees that exceed the reimbursement provided to that locality's court system by the state. Generally, only the more urban jurisdictions generate these fees. These same jurisdictions, however, need additional funding sources to address substantially higher case loads and the constantly changing needs of the court system, to implement technology initiatives, to modernize and streamline court processes, and to comply with various unfunded state mandates. Adding insult to injury, Prince William County was exempt from these cuts.

I have a great view of the monuments from my office window, so if any of you would like to see for yourself what the Circuit Court Clerk does, or just see the view, please stop by.

I can also see the ACDC office from my desk—until they tear the building down. Maybe we should blame the County Board for that too?



PAUL FERGUSON
clerk of the court

Your Democratic activists

Carolina Espinal promotes outreach with a little help from Chico

ACDC's new vice chair for outreach, **Carolina Espinal**, was born in the car on the way to the hospital and, as precinct ops chair **Maureen Markham** has noted, "this symbolizes her enthusiasm for life!"

Espinal grew up in Falls Church, the youngest of three children in a large extended "blended" family of immigrants from Nicaragua, Dominican Republic and Mexico. Her family continues to be one of her greatest sources of support.



ESPINAL

Following graduation in 2000 from the University of Virginia with a major in foreign affairs, she moved to the Nauck community in Arlington. She later received her masters in education from Harvard.

Her "day job" segues nicely with her political job. As an associate with the Hispanic Strategy Group, a government relations firm in D.C., Espinal helps to build strategic partnerships to advance issues of importance to the Latino community, particularly in the areas of health care, education, telecommunications and global warming.

She also works as a political organizer/consultant, most recently as constituency director for the Terry McAuliffe campaign for governor. She has also been active in the campaigns of County Board member **Walter Tejada**, School Board member **Emma Violand-Sanchez**, Senator Mark Warner and President Obama.

Espinal's background in civil rights and advocacy work, primarily with communities of color on issues of education and civic engagement, make her uniquely suited for her new ACDC position. "I have come across so many [organizers and volunteers] that I have come to know and work with...who are committed to making a difference in their communities and who can make such an impact when they are partnered with like-minded individuals and groups who are working to-

wards the same goal," she says.

"Many of these new friends are not yet connected to established Democratic Party operations, so I would like to continue to work with them to ensure that we provide avenues and opportunities to integrate them into ACDC. Ideally, I'd like to help cultivate the continued diversification of ACDC, the DPVA and the DNC."

She has made a good start toward achieving this goal when she was recently elected to the 8th District Committee, which she represents on the Steering Committee of the Democratic Party of Virginia.

ACDC vice chair and chair of DLOV (Democratic Latinos of Virginia) **Alfonso Lopez** says, "Carolina is an extraordinarily talented young woman. We are very lucky to have her working as a member of the Arlington Democratic Committee."

Traveling is Espinal's major extra-curricular activity, especially to Latin America and the Caribbean, although she admits to a "weak spot for Italy."

The bulk of her spare time is spent with family and friends sharing food, music and the antics of her dog "Chico." But even then, she manages to merge her vocation and her avocation "making most of my family and friends volunteer for any one of the projects I'm working on at any given time. They are truly my volunteer base!"

Bumper Sticker of the Month

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Some candidates have it easy!

Not every candidate has to run hard every election. Two Democratic candidates on this fall's ballot drew no opponents and are thus already elected. But we don't want you to forget them. Here they are.

Adam Ebbin for delegate

Thanks to all who attended our May kickoff fundraiser with Governor Kaine and our July DC fundraiser. Both were great successes with old and new friends in attendance.

With no opponent but apathy, I have two top priorities for my re-election campaign. 1) To help win a Democratic majority in the House of Delegates by raising money to benefit the campaigns of other Democrats. 2) To increase turnout in the 49th District to benefit our state-wide candidates. Though the 49th is among the most Democratic in the state, turnout is not as high as it should be.

During the course of this campaign, I plan on sharing my accomplishments regarding Adult Protective Services, protection for low-income workers, consumer protection during the auto finance process, punishing human traffickers, establishing Arlington's Public Defender Office, working with Senator Whipple to facilitate up to \$1.5 billion in federal matching funds for Metro, and funding for the arts.

During the next legislative session, I plan on continuing my focus on conservation, including Green Buildings, and funding for the Water Quality Improvement Fund.

If you would like to help our efforts please e-mail us at ebbinoffice@gmail.com. Please become a "fan" on facebook at <http://facebook.com/EbbinForVirginia> and follow "AdamEbbin" on Twitter.

Be sure and mark your calendar for our 'Celebration of Diversity' on Tuesday, August 18 from 7p.m.-9 p.m. (Location TBA.)



James Lander for School Bd

Thank You Fellow Democrats for your support!

What a difference a year makes. The fact that I now head towards the November election as an unopposed candidate for the Arlington County School Board is due entirely to the support, efforts and commitment of so many of you who helped to make my campaign a success. I sincerely thank you.

Although school is out for the summer, this is no time to take a break from studying the issues and meeting with community members, parents and teachers. As a community we must maximize our dollars and be more aggressive in seeking funding for educational opportunities. We must continue to be strategically progressive to eliminate the achievement gap. We must have high expectations for ALL students, while continuing to be responsive to their needs. And we must ensure that Arlington's school facilities are prepared to support our children, with completing Wakefield High School construction by 2013 as a top priority.

Our best investment is in the education of our children. As I take office in January, I pledge to be a partner in progress with my fellow School Board members and the Arlington County Board. Together we can make a difference! We can build the brightest possible future for ALL of Arlington's children.

"The question is not whether we can afford to invest in every child; it's whether we can afford not to." Marian Wright Edelman.

Many Thanks.

Your statewide ticket

Deeds

Last month, the Deeds for Virginia campaign swung into full force after a come-from-behind victory in the primary. The campaign has expanded into Northern Virginia with an office in Alexandria and has hired additional staff to bolster the team working for victory this November.

The day after the primary, Deeds' primary opponents – Terry McAuliffe and Brian Moran – endorsed Creigh's campaign in a packed unity event at DPVA headquarters in Richmond. Later that week, Deeds appeared with Jody Wagner and Steve Shannon at a Democratic unity rally in Williamsburg.

Sen. Deeds has continued to address the issues that matter most to Virginians. On July 11, at the American Legion Virginia Convention, he rolled out a veterans plan and announced the formation of "Veterans for Deeds," chaired by Sen. Jim Webb.

Earlier this month, Sen. Mark Warner joined Creigh for the announcement of "Business Leaders for Deeds," chaired by Washington Capitals owner Ted Leonsis. Made up of business executives, this group will advise Creigh on how to take on the economic challenges facing Virginia and retain the label as the "best state for business."

In the last month the campaign has raised almost \$3.4 million. Through a wave of grassroots support, Deeds has almost doubled the amount raised by his opponent in June and continues to rely on donations of \$100 or less (68%) for much of his support.

Please join the effort to elect Creigh in November by contacting Becca Slutzky at bslutzky@deedsforvirginia.com to volunteer.



**For Governor
Creigh Deeds**

Wagner

Traveling throughout Virginia since the primary, I've been thrilled to see the excitement for our Democratic ticket. Everywhere I go, people tell me they can't wait to vote for our next Governor, Creigh Deeds, and our next Attorney General, Steve Shannon. It's a great honor to be running with two Democrats who I know will spend every day fighting for Virginia's families, and working across party lines to produce commonsense solutions to the problems facing our state.

I'm pleased to report that our campaign continues to pick up support across the Commonwealth. There is a true desire to keep Virginia moving forward in the spirit of the Warner and Kaine administrations, but also a realization of the task that awaits us. Priority number one is to create new jobs and grow the economy. Virginia needs to be positioned as a leader in emerging industries, such as renewable energy production and biotechnology. Second, we must keep our commitment to public education, so our students are prepared for the global economy. Third, we must fix the transportation problem once and for all, so Virginia remains an attractive place to live and work.

Over the next four months, there is much work to be done. We need to spread our positive message of continuing the Warner-Kaine record of success. So please, talk to your friends and neighbors, and sign up to volunteer, so we can keep Virginia moving forward for another four years. Thank you for your support, and see you on the trail!



**For Lt. Governor
Jody Wagner**

Shannon

With a little more than three months left until Election Day, Delegate Steve Shannon's campaign is on track to retake the Attorney General's Office for this first time in two decades!

In our quarterly fundraising filing with the Virginia State Board of Elections, we are proud to report that we raised \$278,733 for a grand total of \$1,255,658 cash on hand.

Speaking about the campaign Delegate Shannon remarked:

"I am grateful for the support the citizens of the Commonwealth of Virginia have shown for my campaign. I am running for Attorney General because I want to put my public safety experience to work defending Virginians from drugs, gangs, sexual predators, consumer fraud, and other criminal threats.

"I want to continue the Warner-Kaine tradition that has made Virginia the best state for business and the best state to raise a child. As a former criminal prosecutor I know I have the experience it takes to keep Virginia safe and moving forward as Attorney General.

"I am proud of the work we have done so far but we have a long way to go. I hope I can count on you to get involved and help us take back the Attorney General's Office this year."

To learn more about Del. Shannon's campaign please visit our website at <http://shannon2009.com>, call our campaign office (703) 218-3501 or email us at info@shannon2009.com.



**For Attorney General
Steve Shannon**

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Exciting times ahead! ACDC welcomes everyone to pitch in to elect our outstanding Democratic state ticket of Creigh Deeds, Jody Wagner and Steve Shannon, our Democratic delegates, and our local candidates. We need YOU for whatever time you have available. Contact Joint Campaign co-chair Krysta Jones at krystanjones@gmail.com, "51" campaign coordinator Kip Malinosky at kipmalinosky@gmail.com, or Volunteer Coordinators Marj Signer, Marge Epstein or Nancy Pilchen at arlnow@aol.com.

The Joint Campaign to Win State & County Seats

Debate Watch Coordinator-to coordinate a potential gubernatorial debate watch party

Farmer's Markets Liaisons (Columbia Pike, Courthouse, Clarendon, and Ballston) - to coordinate campaign materials for each of the Joint Campaign candidates at their respective Farmer's Market.

Median Sign Coordinators - to coordinate campaign median signs throughout Arlington.

Asian Pacific Islander Liaison - to build support for our candidates in the Asian Pacific Islander community.

East African Liaison - to build support for our candidates in the East African community.

Young Professional Liaison - to build support for our candidates among young professionals.

LGBT Liaison -to build support for our candidates in the LGBT community.

If you are interested in any of these positions or helping out with other areas of the Joint Campaign, please contact co-chair Krysta Jones at krystanjones@gmail.com

"51" Campaign to Win the Majority in the House of Delegates

The plan is to target districts in NOVA that are winnable. Arlington Democrats will be calling into those districts once a week (Mondays) with 9 phones from ACDC HQ and door-knocking every other week.

We are starting July 13. We'll be calling from 6:30-8:30. On July 18, we begin door knocking in the targeted districts and need a minimum of 20 people. We will carpool from ACDC HQ at noon. Plan to be back for appetizers by 4 p.m.

Contact "51" Campaign Co-ordinator Kip Malinosky at kipmalinosky@gmail.com or (202) 841-8636.

Open Doors to Win!

You know all those locked buildings and hi-rises with all those Democratic voters we need to reach? Building Ambassadors live in those buildings and are the precinct communication persons for their own address. Please contact Maureen Markham at mbmarkham0111@gmail.com