

# Northwest Democrats

## News

**25 YEARS**  
**And**  
**Still Kicking**



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## DECEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup> PROGRAM:

### GUESTS: Democratic Judicial Candidates

The candidates running in the Democratic primary for the judiciary in Bexar County will be our guests. Please join us for this important meeting at 8:30 am, Luby's at Huebner and Floyd Curl.

## DECEMBER SPECIAL PROJECT: Warrior and Family Support Center

The Warrior and Family Support Center provides for warriors who have incurred service-connected injuries or illnesses on or after September 11, 2001. The center also provides support for these families who find they are serving as supporters or care-givers. The items needed include: diapers, gift cards, small bags of chips, small boxes of cereal (school breakfast size), fruit (distributed right away), baked goods (cookies, cupcakes). Contact Gene Marck, 210-273-9201, if you would like to go with him to deliver the items or have any questions.

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## A Few JOYCE Words

**ELECTIONS MATTER!!!** These words should be written deep in our minds and hearts as we pay the price for the November 2016 General Election. Would Hillary Clinton have embarrassed and humiliated us as Donald Trump does? Can you imagine listening to the British Parliament excoriate our President for the stupidity of actions such as he tweets? Yes, we live in a red state. But, if we voted in the numbers we possess in Texas - those who are of the right age and political views which would lead them to vote Democratic, we could turn this state **BLUE!!**

**SO, LET'S TAKE** a poll. Were you and are you trained to register voters? Did you do all that you could in the summer of 2016 to identify and register everyone to vote that you could? Did you come to the office and get a walk list and materials to walk precincts and talk to voters? Did you phone bank at the office, or did you take a list home and call voters? Did you come to the office and assist however you were needed? And, during early voting or on Election Day, did you work the polls, call voters at the office, or anything else to help out?

**NOW I KNOW** no one can do all of these, but did you do any of them? How many? I certainly look back and know that I could have done more. But, I am determined to do more in 2018. No, that is not a presidential year, and there will be many candidates running for office. But there are two opportunities in Bexar County that should really call us to extraordinary action. Those are the defeat of the Republican candidates for Congress in Districts 21 and 23. There are two or three good Democratic candidates in each of those races, so you are free to support whomever you choose, as you may in any other race in the primary. Northwest Democrats does not take positions between Democrats. But, in the November election it is all hands on deck, and each and everyone of us needs to be active in supporting the entire Democratic ticket.

**STILL WE HOPE** that everyone will make an effort to support the Democratic nominees in these two Congressional Districts. As far as we know at this point, Congressmen Castro, Cuellar and Doggett do not have opponents in Bexar County. Why so much effort on these two campaigns? Because they are our opportunity to take two more Republican seats out of Congress and replace them with Democrats. We need to begin taking back the U.S. House of Representatives. Will you help?



# NWD Super Bowl Event

**February 4, 2018**

**Bigz Burger Joint**

**2303 N Loop 1604 W**



Level 1 Water Boy	\$35	(1 admission)
Level 2 Kicker	\$60	(2 admissions)
Level 3 Offense/Defense	\$100	(3 admissions)
<u>Level 4 Quarterback</u>	\$250	(8 admissions)
<u>Level 5 Coach</u>	\$500	(12 admissions)
<u>Level 6 Owner</u>	\$750	(18 admissions)
<u>Level 7 Commissioner</u>	\$1,000	(25 admissions)

**“Tickets” will be available at the meeting.  
Purchase can be cash, check or Act Blue.  
Receipts are available.**

## **NWD 2018 WALL CALENDAR**

2018 wall calendar will be available at the November and December meetings for a \$3 donation. You will also get a 2018 magnetic calendar and a pen to write on calendar.



## **2018 NWD MEMBERSHIPS**

Memberships are \$30/year. The membership includes all your family members. Remember: no membership, no newsletter.

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## **IMPORTANT DATES**

December 12-20	Hanukkah
December 16	Northwest Democrats Meeting
December 25	Christmas Day
January 1, 2018	New Year's Day
January 9, 2018	Voter Registration Class
January 20, 2018	Northwest Democrats Meeting
February 4, 2018	Super Bowl Event
August 9, 2018	Pat Maloney, Sr. Public Service Award Dinner