



MONTGOMERY COUNTY

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

NOVEMBER 2020

2021 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE INCLUDES GIFTS

Your Montgomery County Democratic Party (MCDP) is working hard through the COVID19 pandemic to do everything we can to fire Trump in November.

As we get closer to the finish line, it has never been more important to show your commitment to flipping Montgomery County back to blue. By renewing your membership, we will be able to:

- Promote absentee mail-in ballots to help protect our election and poll workers
- Mail a Democratic sample ballot to at least 12,000 local voting households
- Hand deliver more than 26,000 sample ballots to voters on Election Day typically reducing down-ballot fall-off by 70 percent
- Maintain our county Democratic Party headquarters for daily voter assistance and sign pick-ups
- Provide valuable services to candidates including free socially distanced meeting/work spaces and internet access for campaign efforts
- Host valuable trainings for candidates and volunteers

Don't wait! A membership renewal form is enclosed with this newsletter. Renewal forms can be mailed to MCDP with a check. If you prefer to pay with a credit card, just visit our website MontgomeryDems.org/JOIN.

Help us turn Montgomery County blue and fire Trump this November.

RACISM IS A PUBLIC HEALTH CRISIS

Racism is not only morally wrong; it also physically hurts people.

Decades of public health research has clearly established the health damage that racism inflicts on its victims, and now COVID-19 has illustrated it for all to see.

African Americans have higher rates of heart disease, hypertension, diabetes, and coronavirus.

Across the country more than 60 local and state governments have declared racism a public health crisis. At least 17 cities and counties in Ohio have passed declarations this summer, including Dayton, Piqua and Montgomery County.

Now Ohio's governor and the Minority Health Strike Force have issued a report with 34 recommendations on attacking the problem.

The Montgomery County Democratic Party (MCDP) supports the declarations, but words, as they say, are cheap.

We stand with Dayton Mayor Nan Whaley and County elected officials who join the governor in recognizing the problem and demanding action.

Frankly, after the Republican-dominated Legislature's utter failure to address gun violence over the past year, we are skeptical that the radical right-wing lawmakers will do much of anything.

MCDP is calling for all people of conscience in Ohio to join us in working for racial equity, and for the voters to fire any lawmakers who refuse to join the fight.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Every Monday, Thursday, and Saturday

Phone Banking for Tims for Congress
mobilize.us/timsforcongress

August 17-20

Democratic National Convention
Virtual Convention, more info at
<https://www.demconvention.com>

Thursday, August 27

MCDP Virtual Meeting
Executive Committee meeting at 7 p.m.,
Central Committee meeting 7:30 p.m.

Monday, September 7, Labor Day

Wednesday, September 9, 11:30-1:00 p.m.

MCDP Virtual Ladies Luncheon
Featured speaker from Biden/Harris Team
More info:
Facebook.com/MontgomeryCountyDems

Thursday, September 10, at 7 p.m.

Northwest Dems Virtual Candidate Forum
More info: Facebook.com/NWMCDems

Sunday, September 13 at 3 p.m.

Virtual Fundraiser / Campaign Update for
County Commissioners Judy Dodge & Debbie
Lieberman. RSVP to erikamattingly@yahoo.com
or theobald9@gmail.com

Tuesday, September 15, 7-8 p.m.

Virtual Fundraiser for County Treasurer Russ
Joseph with special guest, Mayor Nan Whaley
<https://secure.actblue.com/donate/nan2020>

Wednesday, September 16 at 7 p.m.

South Dayton Democratic Club Virtual Meeting
More info: Alison Benford 937-301-4580

Friday, September 25

Paul Gruner's 25th Annual Montgomery County
Engineer Golf Scramble has been rescheduled
at Meadowbrook at Clayton golf club. Details to
follow.

Wednesday, September 30, 6:00-8:00 p.m.

MCDP Virtual Judicial Fundraiser
Honoring Judges Gorman and Froelich
More info:
Facebook.com/MontgomeryCountyDems

AUGUST MCDP MEETING

Thursday, August 27 at 7:30 p.m.

(Executive Committee meets at 7:00 p.m.)

Our August Executive and Central Committee meetings will be held via Zoom for all voting members. Others will have the opportunity to watch the meeting taking place via Facebook Live. Voting members will be required to log-in to Zoom and use a special link to participate in voting.

Executive and Central Committee members will receive a link to join the meeting by email.

Agenda

1. Treasurer's Report
2. Committee Reports
3. Club Reports
4. Candidate/Campaign updates: local and Biden/Coordinated, opportunities to get involved
5. Vote to approve a Proclamation: Racism is a Public Health Crisis
6. Ladies Luncheon - September 9
7. Judicial Fundraiser - September 30
8. Frolic for Funds update

Reminder: Early Voting begins Tuesday, October 6th! An absentee ballot application has been included with this newsletter to encourage you to send in or drop off your application soon.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT THE
MCDP WEBSITE, OR FOLLOW US ON
FACEBOOK AND TWITTER**

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Facebook.com/MontgomeryCountyDems

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