

THE ALEXANDRIA DEMOCRAT

Dear Alexandria Democrats:

Last week offered Democrats the opportunity to witness two speeches by two of the finest public servants in America. Both **Barack Obama** and **Hillary Clinton** spoke from their hearts — and their brains. Each has a powerful and feasible vision to improve the quality of life for our citizens. Each has a viable plan to extract us from Iraq and to restore the national prestige that W frittered away. Each cares deeply about America and would make an outstanding President.

But only one could receive our party's nomination. The Democratic Party is honored to be represented by **Barack Obama**. We are about to embark on an exciting, history making excellent adventure, and we need every single Alexandria Democrat along for the ride. Moses only had 40 years in the wilderness — Virginia Democrats have waited **44** years to cast our electoral votes for a Democratic President. Barak Obama thought enough of our potential to hold not one, but **two** events in Virginia as soon as he became the presumptive nominee. Our time is **NOW** — if you help.

Our goal is simple — to find enough new Democratic votes in Alexandria to offset Republican votes in the rest of the Commonwealth. The votes are there. They are in the under-registered areas of the West End, in the Obama Republican households of Old Town and in every neighborhood in between.

We need you to work harder than you ever have before — to canvass, to register voters, to telephone to identify voters, to work at the Festivals and Farmers' Markets — to do more than you ever have. I hope and expect that each of you will volunteer as much time as you possibly can. Wishing will not get Barack Obama elected President, **Mark Warner** elected to the US Senate and our nominee elected to the US House of Representatives. Hard work and sacrifice will.

And some **money** would also be helpful.. Inside are the details on our exciting Jefferson — Jackson Dinner with Michigan Representative John Conyers as our Keynote Speaker. Mr. Conyers is the Chairman of the House Judiciary Committee. Join us at the Hilton Mark Center on June 26, 2008 for an evening of inspiration and camaraderie. We have held the line on our prices for the dinner, and we hope that those of you who are able will give at higher levels.

Thank you for all you do and will be doing,

Susan Kellom
Chair

June 2008



Exercise your right to vote on June 10. Polls open from 6am to 7pm.

Happening in June:

**** Primary Day, June 10****

Democracy at Work: The 8th Congressional District Convention



Delegates speak out for or against Resolutions



Hazel Rigby, left, and Allida Black, elected National Delegates for Clinton.



Margo Horner, 8th Dist. Chair, Senator Jim Webb, Congressman Jim Moran, await their turns to speak.



PJ Palmer Johnson, Credentials Chair for the Convention

Delegates, Alternates and Guests participated in a spirited exercise of grassroots democracy on Saturday, May 17, at the 8th Congressional District Convention. Resolutions were presented to the Convention, debated, and ultimately passed, and National Convention delegates for Obama and Clinton were elected.

Impressions of the Convention:

"During the 3 minute speeches, (before the election of national delegates) I was truly impressed by the caliber, fervor, and dedication of the women running for national Clinton delegate. Too bad they all can't go to the Convention! "
...Holly Wallace

"I attended my first convention (8th Dist convention) Saturday May 17. My short impressions... Lots of business done. It can look like chaos to the first timer for sure. Lots of very committed Democrats at the convention, especially given that the 17th of May was the nicest Saturday weather-wise of the year so far."
...Paul Vogel

"This was my first time, so I have nothing to compare it to. I could have done without all the speeches at the beginning and just gotten down to the business at hand. I think the objections to the rules and resolutions were sound and needed more treatment than they were allowed, especially with the large amount of support for the objections. It was my first time; still, I was disappointed in the process."
...Patricia Webb

"I thought that the 8th Congressional District Democratic Convention was an exceptional exercise in participatory democracy, enabling local Democratic voters to choose delegates to the Democratic National Convention."
...John Biechman

I am an Obama delegate from the Dranesville district. This season is my first involvement with politics at all, so last week's convention was my first. I offer my thoughts below:

What went well: Jim Webb? Are you kidding me? Brian Moran running for Governor? WOW. In the Dranesville Obama delegation, there was a former Clinton administration appointee, the daughter of Ethiopia's first President, and then little old me. I met 2 current delegates and 1 former delegate. I got to see why Jim Moran is so popular, despite his controversies. I got to see the democratic principles in action, namely giving every delegate a proper voice on business at hand.

(Editor's Note: The writer expressed concerns such as: no distribution of a printed agenda (even though there was one); resolutions and rules committees might have anticipated controversy and allotted more time; newcomers could have benefited from an "information booth".)

In summary, my overall experience was a positive one, and I count it an historical privilege to have participated.
...Jesse Fewell

Obama Delegates Caucus at 8th Congressional District Convention

On Saturday, May 17, 8th Congressional District delegates supporting Illinois Senator Barack Obama for President met together at Francis C. Hammond Middle School to select their representatives to the national convention in Denver. Chosen for the two male delegate slots were General Assembly Delegate Bob Brink (Arlington County) and Charles Keith Lutman (Fairfax County). The two female representatives to be sent are Cristina Chiappe (Fairfax County) and Bridgit Donnelly (Arlington County). Finally, only one alternate position was available to the 8th, and it was for a male. That slot went to Evan Day (Arlington County). Congratulations go out to them all. We will be depending upon them to stand firm for Barack come what may in August.

Special thanks go out to Councilman Rob Krupicka for holding a delegate meeting at his home, Shayna Englin, for organizing and running that meeting, Dorathea Peters for serving as Alexandria's Obama delegation chair at the local convention, and to all the delegates and alternates (including Vice Mayor Del Pepper and Councilman Ludwig Gaines) for attending the 8th CD convention and spending a beautiful day indoors doing the business of democracy.

The next step is the state convention, which will be held on Saturday, June 14 in Hampton Roads. At-large and other types of national delegates will be chosen on that day. In addition, resolutions and other party matters will be voted upon. In some particularly good news for Alexandrians, one of our own, Mayor Bill Euille, was elected Obama state delegation cau-

Clinton Delegates Caucus at 8th Congressional District Convention

Delegates from the 8th District who support Hillary Clinton met during the Convention on May 17 to elect the Clinton delegates who will represent them at the Democratic National Convention in Denver. Two females and one male delegate for Clinton were elected. (The number of delegates allowed for each presidential candidate is based on the number of votes each received in the February 12 primary.)

From a slate of dedicated, committed candidates running for the two female and one male slots, these three were elected: **Allida Black** of Arlington, **Hazel Rigby** of Alexandria, and **Paul Smedberg** of Alexandria. We three are now making plans to represent the 8th Congressional District's Hillary Clinton supporters, first at the Virginia state convention in Hampton, June 14, and then on to the national convention, August 25-28.

I appreciate the work and dedication of the many Hillary supporters in Alexandria and in the 8th District and I thank the Delegates and Alternates for all of their work and their vote of confidence in electing me. I am thrilled to be a National Delegate for Hillary and to go to Denver to support her. I will be with all her other pledged delegates on the floor to support her all the way.

Hazel Rigby

Marian Van Landingham Elected

Alexandria's own Marian Van Landingham was elected the 8th Congressional District's member of the Electoral College.

My Experience as a Candidate for National Delegate

by Diana Bedoya

"Last week I attended my first district convention as a proud member of the Alexandria Obama delegation. The sheer number of people, approximately 50, who ran for a national delegate position, was the most impressive sign of Democratic activism. It is the proof of what we already know. Ordinary people who care about the future get involved at the local level and make a difference. It sounds like a cliché but it is so true.

I was one of those who ran to be an Obama National delegate. I did not get selected but the experience was great. A young lady named Bridgit Donnelly left an indelible impression on me starting with my reading her late night e-mail about why she wants to be a national delegate. The next morning, I met her and her mother as I was distributing my fliers in support of my candidacy. I was happy to meet her and told her mother she should be very proud of Bridgit.

The national delegate selection process, the main event of the day for me, started after the convention business items. Bridgit and I were among the last speakers to make our case to the Obama crowd from Arlington County, Fairfax County, Falls Church and Alexandria. She spoke just before I did and gave the most heart-felt and emotional speech of anyone that day.

Bridgit won everybody's heart. She was a tough act to follow but I gave it my best try. She won one of the two female Obama national delegate slots. I am thrilled that she won because she best represents what Obama stands for and she

Resolutions Debated and Approved at 8th District Convention

Richard Hobson, Chair of the Resolutions Committee, reports that all 9 of the Resolutions brought to the Convention were approved and will now move forward to the Virginia State Convention. The 9 resolutions are listed here. Detailed information, background and action recommended, for each can be found on the 8th District website, www.va8thcddems.org.

Resolutions numbers are the original numbers assigned when the resolution was filed:

1. Resolution to End the United States Occupation of Iraw
2. A Fair and Balanced Energy Policy for the Commonwealth
- 3A. Repudiate Torture as an Instrument of U.S. Policy
5. Superdelegates to the National Democratic Convention
6. Health Care Resolution in Support of Federal Legislation
7. Restoring Ex-Felons' Right to Vote
8. Endorse the 21st Century GI Bill
10. Undocumented Immigration to the United States
13. Virginia Transportation Funding Resolution

There will be a phone call meeting of the State Resolutions Committee on Sunday, June 1, at 3:00 pm, to discuss many resolutions, including the nine from the 8th District. If you have an interest in learning more or participating, please call Dan Mark at

Mark Warner Announcement Tour— May 5, 2008

To the UTTER astonishment of everyone in the Commonwealth, especially we Alexandrians, our native son, **Mark Warner**, announced his candidacy for the United States Senate at the Carlyle Grand Restaurant on May 5, 2008. Working on Mark's campaigns is always a pleasure. He surrounds himself with good people who work with the



cal committees to the job done.



Primary Day: Tuesday, June 10

Yes, Virginia, (in many Congressional Districts) there is a Primary election in June. Voters in Alexandria and all of the 8th Congressional District get to choose between incumbent, Jim Moran and challenger, Matt Famiglietti. Their biographies and their websites are included on the following pages, 5 and 6, so that you have the information you need to make your decision at the polls.

All Alexandria polling places will be open from 6am to 7pm on June 10. You may also vote early (absentee). Get voter information from www.alexandriavoter.org, or by calling 703-838-4050, or simply go to 132 N. Royal St. and vote in person. The voter office is open Mon.-Fri. from 8am to 5pm. In addition, the office will be open, and you may vote, on June 2, 3 and 5 until 7:30pm. And, if you need another opportunity, you may also vote absentee, in person, on Saturday, June 7, from 8am to 5pm.

The Incumbent: James P. Moran**What is your educational background?**

- Master's in Public Administration; University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public and International Affairs
- B.A. in Economics; College of the Holy Cross

What is your public service background of the past 20 years?

- Alexandria City Council
- Vice Mayor, Alexandria
- Mayor, Alexandria
- Elected to Congress in 1990
- Del Ray Civic Association
- Chair, United Way
- Vice Chair, NoVa Association for Retarded Citizens
- Mental Health Retardation and Substance Abuse Services Board
- Chair, Human Development Committee, National League of Cities
- Chair, Aging Committee, COG
- Community Development Block Grant Board
- Volunteer Bureau
- Chair, Affordable Housing Task Force
- Chair, Forum for Social Service Agencies

What accomplishments of yours would you list as most meaningful or beneficial - (please limit this response to ten)?

- Established new bus transit services, including "TAGS" in Springfield, "REX" along Route 1, "George" in Falls Church, and the "Georgetown Connector" in Rosslyn
- Secured passage of the "V-Chip" requiring that all new televisions contain technology enabling parents to prevent minors from viewing sexually explicit and violent programs
- Protected key defense intelligence agencies from being relocated during recent BRAC process
- Provided \$750,000 in upgraded equipment for Alexandria Police Department
- Funding establishment of Four Mile Run restoration project
- Established a "One Strike and You're Out" requirement for drug dealers operating in public housing
- Funded expansion of Woodrow Wilson Memorial Bridge;
- Closed Lorton prison
- Shepherded \$900 million in federal funding for rail to Dulles
- As a senior member of the Appropriations Committee, secured millions more in federal dollars for local roads, educational programs, law enforcement, low income housing, and social services

What issues do you see as the most important in the next five years - (excluding the election of a Democratic President)?

- Protecting the Environment through promotion of renewable, "green" sources of energy
- Restoring our nation's tattered international credibility
- Middle East peace
- Balancing the budget
- Establishing universal healthcare

Contact Congressman Moran at www.jimmoran.org, or call 703-528-8588.

The Challenger — Matt Famiglietti

What is your educational background?

- B.A., Political Science, College of Charleston, SC
- J.D., University of South Carolina School of Law

What is your public service background of the past 20 years?

- Joined Young Democrats at age 13
- Volunteered in Carter, Dukakis, (Bill) Clinton, Clark, Gore, Kerry, Obama, Webb, (Mark) Warner, and many other campaigns
- Volunteer on Democratic Legal Team (Election Protection Program) Virginia (2002-present)
- Volunteer Legal seminars for non-profits including AARP's Legal Counsel for the Elderly & the Archdiocese Legal Network
- Guardian ad Litem for abused and neglected children

Memberships

- Council of Parent Attorneys and Advocates (COPAA)
- DC Bar Association
- DC Bar Association Lawyer Service Management Committee
- SC Bar Association
- National Rehabilitation Association

What accomplishments of yours would you list as most meaningful or beneficial - (please limit this response to ten)

- Helping to provide appropriate education to children with disabilities by advocating on their behalf.
- Providing pro bono legal services for low income individuals who otherwise would not have access to needed legal services.
- Advocating for the rights of individuals with disabilities.
- Serving as a Guardian ad Litem to protect children who had been abused and/or neglected.
- Fighting for an end to job discrimination.
- Working in campaigns of truly liberal Democrats

What issues do you see as the most important in the next five years - (excluding the election of a Democratic President)

- Ending the war in Iraq
- Providing a single-payor healthcare plan for all our citizens.
- Stimulating and sustaining economic growth
- Developing and using renewable sources of clean energy, as well as developing technologies to reduce our energy consumption
- Modernizing our national infrastructure
- Striving for full equality of all citizens, regardless of sex, race, gender, disability, national origin
- Ensuring that our government is both competent and compassionate

Sincerely,
Matt *The Democrat* Famiglietti
(202) 669-5880



Local Elections in November Rather than May?

Currently Alexandria elects its Mayor, City Council, and School Board every three years in May after party caucuses or primaries in January or February. In some years, like 2012, we will have five elections including separate Presidential and Senate/Congressional primaries and the general election in November. All told, during the next twenty years (2008 – 2027) we face 59 elections, 80% of which are mandated by Federal or State law. Each of these elections is expensive to administer and the amount of voter participation in each one varies radically.

It would be possible to reduce the total number of elections by almost almost 20% -- to 47 -- and increase eligible voter participation at the same time by moving local elections, which we can control, to the regular June (primary) - November (general) elections schedule that will happen in any event. To do this we need to increase local terms of service from three to four years and schedule them to occur in June/November of leap year plus three -- the quietest elections at the moment -- when only State Senators, State Delegates, and the Clerk of the Circuit Court are chosen. To get this new system in place, the local officials elected in May 2009 would serve a truncated term. The next local election would be in November 2011.

Proposals to do something like this have been around for years and there is little opposition to longer terms, but local elections in May have a strong appeal to some for reasons that are, in my view, either anti-democratic or trivial. Some say that May elections are important because only long-term residents are likely to vote then. Others argue that the proximity of the election to the date when final budget decisions must be made is important leverage for citizens groups and that such organizations, which don't get going till October each year, need several months to prepare their positions and questions for candidates.

In April, Council had a public hearing to consider whether or not to put an advisory referendum about this on the November ballot. Because this is a tough vote for several Council members, the issue was kicked down the road again on May 13 -- this time with provision for another public hearing (now scheduled for June 14) as well as a work session with the Board of Elections sometime in June concerning the actual language to be put on the ballot. Council recognizes that they must act before their summer break if there is to be something on the November ballot.

City Council further muddied the waters on June 6 by releasing two options for multiple questions to be included in the advisory referendum for discussion at the final public hearing. For reasons not clear to me, these options include the notion that, if the terms of Council and School Board are increased to four years with election in November, then we should also consider staggered terms electing half of each body every odd numbered year. The impact of adding the staggered term wrinkle is substantial since the first year after a Presidential year (leap year + 1) is also when the Governor, Lt Governor, Attorney General, Sheriff, and Commonwealth Attorney as well as state delegates are elected. Thus, city office candidates assigned to run in that year could well be drowned out by higher order races. If all city officials continue to be elected together in November of leap year plus 3, this problem would be avoided.

On June 14 the Council is also asking for advice from the public as to whether this advisory referendum could be placed on the May 2009 ballot as proposed by some current incumbents. But that would mean that only the smaller group of voters now participating in local elections would be deciding an important system change. And, if the matter appears on the May ballot, it would become a major debating subject for the contenders in that campaign with the risk of dividing local Democrats and providing the opposition party an issue which can be twisted to look like an incumbent power grab.

Consequently, I believe that the referendum should be proposed this year or postponed until November 2012. If the four-year delay is selected, the issue could be placed on the November ballot by the then outgoing Council (those elected to a three year term next May) and debated in the May 2012 local campaign but voting would take place when maximum participation is likely.

John Howard Eisenhour



The 2008 Alexandria Jefferson-Jackson Dinner



*The Democratic Committee of Alexandria, Virginia
Requests the Honor of Your Presence at The Jefferson-Jackson Dinner
Thursday, June 26th, 2008
Reception at 6:00 PM
Dinner at 7:00 PM
The Hilton Mark Center Hotel
5000 Seminary Road, Alexandria, Virginia*

*Honored Guest & Keynote Speaker
Representative John Conyers, Jr.
Chairman, House Judiciary Committee*



*And
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Thursday, June 26, 2008

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Please mail or deliver this form, with payment, to: Alexandria Democratic Committee, 618 North Washington Street, Ground Floor, Suite 2, Alexandria, VA 22314. For further information call the ADC office 703-549-3367. Reservation deadline is June 23, 2008.

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GET RID OF JUNK MAIL

By Carolyn Cason



Junk mail is a triple threat: It tries your patience, jeopardizes your identity and spoils the environment. But without too much effort, you can give yourself peace of mind and an uncluttered mailbox. Register with Direct Marketing Association's site www.dmachoice.org to remove your name from its national mailing list. The service is free if you register online, or \$1 by mail. Reject preapproved offers from credit card companies by visiting <http://https://www.optoutprescreen.com> or calling 888-567-8688. Sign up

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ActBlue!! (But Give Green Money!!)

by Holly Wallace

The ADC is now able to accept secure credit card donations online. As you will notice from the new "**Contribute**" button at www.alexdem.org, we are using the ActBlue service to provide the credit card processing and political donation information gathering. ActBlue was founded in 2004 for the purpose of enabling on-line fund raising for Democratic candidates and causes.

In addition to the general contributions anyone can make from www.alexdem.org, we will be debuting online JJ Dinner Ticket purchases also. If you go to the page, you will see the **Jefferson — Jackson Dinner** information at the top of the page. There are links to purchase tickets for the Dinner and to purchase ads in the program.

Credit cards accepted are: Visa, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover. And of course, the ADC gratefully accepts all checks and cash!

ADC Grassroots Award Nominations



Each year the ADC presents the Grassroots Award to a volunteer who has worked in the trenches to elect Democrats. The person may **not** be a current elected ADC officer, but may be a precinct captain. The person does not have to be an ADC member — volunteers may be nominated.

There is no formal nomination form, just email a brief description of why you believe the person deserves the award to SusanBKellom@aol.com by 5:00 PM on June 15, 2008.

Please help us to recognize one of your fellow Democrats who helps us to keep the City, the Commonwealth and the Nation on an even keel.

Many Opportunities – Easy Work – The Rewards are Great

by Diana Bedoya

The Alexandria Democratic Committee is going out on the weekends to recruit volunteers, new members, encourage Democratic spirit, and raise funds at the farmers' markets.

I worked at the Del Ray Farmers' Market a couple of weeks ago. In a two-hour period many people stopped at our table to buy presidential campaign buttons, and yard signs. Five women expressed interest in joining and/or volunteering for the committee. I will follow up with them to have them come to our next meeting. We raised approximately \$60.00 in that short time too.

Last week on Sunday, Charniele Herring and I worked at the Cameron Station Ben Brenman Park Farmers' Market.

It was the ADC's first appearance at this recently inaugurated market. It was a successful first time appearance for our committee.

Every place we go we are warmly received. People want to see the Democrats out there. This is the year to engage our city's residents and voters. My challenge to you good-hearted Democrats is to volunteer at one event this summer, be it a farmer's market or a festival.

Watch out for weekly e-mails for volunteer opportunities. (Or, email Amanda Ruff, Volunteer Coordinator, at amanda.ruff@verizon.net and tell her you will help one time (or more!) or call the ADC office at 703-549-3367.) come out and have fun while helping Democrats.

We'll tell you what to do to pick up the materials you need; where to set up the table, chair, and info and "sell" items; you already know why you are needed!

Thank you very much in advance.

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities

Jefferson Jackson Dinner, Thursday June 26

We now have a date and speaker and we're in need of your help. We need volunteers to help with planning, set-up, registration, clean up and other general tasks.

Farmer's markets, Saturdays and Sundays through November

Volunteers are needed to staff the ADC table at the Market Square, Del Ray and Cameron Station Farmer's markets. These markets are weekly and take place in the mornings. Please check your calendars for weekends where you can donate a couple of hours of your time.

If you can assist at any point during these events please email amanda.ruff@verizon.net or call the ADC office at 703-549-3367.

Got Memorabilia???? The JJ Dinner Needs YOU!

The Silent Auction was very popular at last year's JJ Dinner, so we're doing it again. We're looking for unique contributions, so dust off those posters, buttons, and other Democratic memorabilia. We're also looking for additional donations, such as event tickets, weekend getaways, spa visits, or other special items. Finally, we'd love creative personal contributions – a homemade meal for six delivered or a few bottles of wine from your personal collection. If it's fun and you would bid on it, chances are we'd like to have it! Please, on the political memorabilia, make it something special – something unusual and/or with historical value. We can't promise everything will make it to the auction table, but we promise that if we don't use it, we'll save it for future auctions or we can return it – your choice. Thanks in advance for your treasures and donations – let the bidding begin!

Contact Patty Donmoyer, pdonmoyer@aol.com or at the ADC office, 703-549-3367

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Alexandria Democratic Committee

No July meeting

August meeting, Mon. August 4
8:00 PM, Minnie Howard School

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