



1st Annual Democratic Party Local Convention

University of the Antelope Valley

Banquet & Conference Center

44055 N. Sierra Highway, Lancaster

Saturday, January 23, 2010

Hosted By:

**The Inspiring Values
Democrats Club**



2010 Local Convention

Revised Registration Packet

661- 267-1088 - www.iv-dc.org

Registration Deadline: January 15, 2010

Dear Fellow Democrats:

Thank you for allowing me to serve as your Chair of the 1st Annual Democratic Party Local Convention, representing Region 11. I am humbled and honored by your confidence in my abilities and expertise.

The Committees of the Democratic Party Local Convention (DPLC) have worked together with a sincere commitment and success with Democratic Clubs located throughout Assembly Districts 34, 36 and 59 and the voters within the communities of Region 11 to accomplish a professional kick off of our Annual Democratic Party Local Convention that each of you will be proud of for many years.



Alvin Campbell, Chair
Democratic Party Local Convention

We are the Democratic Leaders in Region 11 who are paving the way for our registered voters to get involved to insure positive change and for Democratic Leadership Trainees to continue to develop their skills and work hard for Democratic victories. United we stand, divided we fall.

The DPLC is committed under my direction to recruit, train and support our new Local Democratic Leaders who have already taken possession of the Local Democratic Party baton and have embarked on a journey to restore Democratic order to our region, to encourage respect, dignity for all Democrats of our region and above all else, **to accomplish what have not been achieved in over 8 years**, significant financial support for our Democratic Candidates, to elect and maintain Democratic victories in this Region.

With your help, our Local Democratic Clubs, voters, County and State Democratic Parties will move forward as one strong united team and elect a Democratic Governor, Constitutional Officers, maintain a majority in the State Legislature, City Council, and Mayoral races in our local communities in 2010.

Therefore I place a 'call to order' now to all officers of the state and county Democratic Party officers, delegates, caucus leaders, democratic councils, democratic clubs, political committees and candidates to join with us and organize a wider democratic base in this region which will echo throughout the State. The DPLC also serves notice to democratic candidates statewide that our votes in Region 11 makes a difference, we have a voice of which we will continue to develop with our current skills and expertise. Your frequent visits to our region is therefore welcomed and encouraged.

A new chapter in our Democratic Party history books will be written when the 1st Annual Democratic Party Local Convention is held Saturday, January 23, 2010 at The **University of the Antelope Valley** in Lancaster, California; hosted by the Inspiring Values Democrats Club, one of the youngest and fastest growing Democratic Clubs in Region 11. Convention activities will take place, including: celebrating historic victories, 1st Annual Endorsement of Statewide and Local Democratic Candidates, the Chairman's Welcome / Endorsement Luncheon, Democratic Rally and more.

Disregard the original packet you received earlier this year. You will find everything you need in this packet to assist you in getting involved on various levels including, but not limited to: Convention Registration, Convention Rules, Souvenir Program Book, and the Convention Agenda.

Please adhere to the posted deadlines. Expect a call from our committee members. You may contact us online or by phone with your questions: www.iv-dc.org, Alvin@iv-dc.org or 661-267-1088.

Democratically yours,

Alvin Campbell

Alvin Campbell, Chair,
Democratic Party Local Convention
President, Inspiring Values Democrats Club

2010 Democratic Party Local Convention Rules

1. The primary purpose of the annual Democratic Party Local Convention (DPLC) is to organize and widen the Democratic voter base in this region. To place a 'call to order' to all Democratic Clubs, Caucuses, Councils, Committees, State, County and Local Democratic Parties to support this effort from every level to insure its annual success.
2. Alvin Campbell, the President of the Inspiring Values Democrats Club (IVDC) which is the Host Organization of the DPLC, shall serve as the Chair of the 1st Annual Democratic Party Local Convention and appoint members, officers, executive board of directors and/or volunteers as deemed appropriate to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the DPLC.
3. No one will be admitted to the convention floor or to the podium to speak without verbal or written permission from the Chair of the DPLC. Each speaker must be a registered Democrat and all fees must be paid.
4. Registration times are posted in this packet. Registration tables will close as scheduled. Be prepared to show valid ID at registration table, the cocktail bar and to receive discounts as a IVDC member, be prepared to show your IDVC membership card. To become a member of the IVDC, please do so online at www.iv-dc.org.
5. No one is allowed to participate in any functions of the DPLC unless they have fully registered in advance, or at the posted times at the DPLC registration tables and have paid the posted fees. IVDC membership is not required. No refunds. All sales, contributions, donations and/or registrations of any kind are deemed final. No exceptions.
6. **Fee Exemptions:** The Keynote speakers are exempt from registration and meal contributions - providing that each individual registers in advance. Special credentials to enter all aspects of the convention will be issued upon receipt of completed registration packets. Hotel accommodations are not included.
7. Decision of the Endorsements committee will be announced at the 1st Annual Endorsement Luncheon (not decided at the event) on Saturday, January 23, 2010 for State, County, and Local candidates, as well as measures, propositions and other political issues brought before the Endorsement Committee on or before the posted deadlines. The decision of this committees are final. Results of the Endorsed Candidates and Candidates approved for funding by the Inspiring Values Democrats Club shall be submitted in a sealed envelope to the Chair of the DPLC during the Endorsement Dinner Ceremony only for announcement to candidates if present only if funding is available or funds will be mailed.
8. All children must be accompanied at all times by a parent or legal guardian. DPLC staff and the University of the Antelope Valley (UAV) reserve the right to remove and refuse services to anyone who are disruptive.
9. **Return Check, Credit, Debit Card Charge Back Policy:** Individuals and/or organizations will be held responsible for all returned checks or chargeback's. All transactions returned for any reason will be subject to a \$30.00 return check or chargeback fee. Replacement funds including the returned check or chargeback will be required. Cash in excess of \$99.00 are not permissible under FEC/FPPC regulations. This applies to current or past debts owed to DPLC or IVDC.

D.P.L.C. - Tentative Agenda

Saturday, January 23, 2010

9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Registration: Check In and Purchase Tickets to Event

11:00 p.m. - 2 p.m.

Chairman's Welcome / Endorsement Luncheon
(No eating on the Democratic Convention Floor)
Lunch Location within the convention will be announced.
(Keynote Speaker to be announced.)

2 - 5 p.m.

Democratic Convention Rally

Includes Candidate and Political Official Speeches.
You must have a credential for admission. Credentials are available to registered Democratic voters. Credentials must be displayed to enter the Democratic Convention Rally.
Early Registration highly encouraged.

5 p.m.

Convention Adjournment

5 p.m. Until Closing

Social / Cocktail Hour

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Name: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phones: (H) () _____ (C) () _____ Email: _____

Organization's Name: _____

Organization's Address/City/State/Zip: _____

Website: _____ Phone: () _____

Assembly District: [] Senate District: [] Region: []

Democratic Party Local Convention Registration Fees

	<u>Discounted Fees</u>	<u>At the door</u>
_____ Early Democratic Party Convention Registration	\$ 5.00	\$10.00
_____ <u>Full Convention Registration (Non Candidate) Includes: Luncheon, Program Book Ad, Rally Presentation</u>	\$ 100.00	\$150.00
_____ <u>Full Convention Registration Democratic Candidates Includes: Luncheon, Program book Ad, Rally Stage Presentation Time Slot, Candidate Poster Placement, Placement of giveaways in gift bags</u>	\$ 100.00	\$150.00

Democratic Candidate & Vendor Hospitality Suites: Limited suites.

_____ 1 Hour Time Slot	\$ 350	\$650
_____ 2 Hour Time Slot	\$ 850	\$1,400
_____ 3 Hour Time Slot	\$ 1,250	\$1,950
_____ 4 Hour Time Slot	\$ 2,050	\$2,500

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Special Event & Meal Reservations

Suggested Contributions

Enter number of Seats you are reserving.
Contributions per person as listed.

_____ Chairman's Welcome / Endorsement Luncheon Only	65.00
Saturday, January 23, 2010 @ 11:00 a.m. - 1 p.m. No eating on the Rally Floor, drinks ok. (Includes: Keynote Speaker to be announcement elected official speeches, announcement of official endorsements, special awards, and gourmet dinner)	
_____ Democratic Convention Rally Admission Only	\$5.00
Saturday, January 23, 2010 @ 2 - 6 Social / Cocktail / Networking: 6 until closing	

PLEASE BE PREPARED TO ADD \$10.00 PER CONTRIBUTION FOR RESERVATIONS MADE AT THE DPLC EVENT REGISTRATION TABLE.

_____ Number of Vegetarian Meals or _____ Number of Diabetic Meals

Meal Totals \$ _____

List the Names Individuals You are Registering For In Your Party:

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2010 Souvenir Program Directory

The 2010 Democratic Party Local Convention Souvenir Program Directory is a professional printed and online E-Magazine. The E-Magazine will be uploaded to the IVDC website and sponsors are permitted to upload the E-Magazine on their website. Extra copies will be placed in restaurants, in neighborhood stores, and distributed at special events until the next convention.

Advertisers are given one (1) free book.

<u># of Pages</u>	<u>Location in Directory</u>	<u>Suggested Contribution</u>
_____	Front Cover	<u>SOLD</u>
_____	Back Cover	\$500.00
_____	Inside Front Cover	<u>SOLD</u>
_____	Inside Back Cover	\$250.00
_____	Middle Page Spread (two full pages in the center of Directory)	\$400.00
_____	Full Page	\$100.00
_____	Half Page	<u>SOLD</u>
_____	Oversized Business Card	<u>SOLD</u>
_____	Democratic Clubs Region 11 (Full Page)	\$ 50.00

Deadline to pay for advertisements and to turn in graphics: January 15, 2010 by the close of the business day or until book is sold out. Don't delay.

Upon receipt of your order, advertisement specifications will be emailed to you.

Advertisement Totals \$ _____

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Promotional Opportunities

Vendor Booths Outside the Convention Building \$50.00

Vendor Booths Inside the Convention Building \$100.00

Vendor Booths Inside the Banquet / Convention Floor \$200.00

Vendor Booth Totals \$ _____

_____ Gift Bags will include your flyers, gifts and/or brochures \$50.00
in the bags which are distributed free to the public.

_____ Democratic candidate's request to display professional posters \$30.00
banners, campaign literature at the event in advance. \$40.00 at the door.

PowerPoint Stage Presentation

_____ PowerPoint presentation of the speakers, candidates \$50.00
Businesses or individuals seeking advertisement, press releases
and PSA coverage. PowerPoint presentation rotates constantly
throughout the convention except when a speaker is on the stage.
Deadline to submit your PowerPoint files: January 15, 2010

Extra Privileges Totals \$ _____

The Convention is event is Free to the public except where noted in this packet.

Vendors must bring their own supplies, signs, banners, items for sale and accessories. Advance permission is required before hanging posters, banners or signs.

Vendors must secure copyright approvals before distributing and selling any items created by someone other than their team or the vendor. The Inspiring Values Democrats Club, its employees, volunteers and associates shall not assume any responsibility for copyright infringements in this regard, or for lost, stolen or misplaced merchandise or funds related to sales of merchandise. Vendors areas and tables should be maintained and monitored by the vendors and their staff at all times.

Deadline to request exhibit booths is: **January 15, 2010** by the close of the business day or until space is sold out. Upon receipt of your requests, specifications will be emailed to you.

There no refunds. No exceptions.

Grand Totals and Payment Processing Form

Registration Total: _____ \$ _____

Meals Total: _____ \$ _____

Souvenir Program Book Advertisement Totals: _____ \$ _____

Promotional Opportunities Total: _____ \$ _____

GRAND TOTAL: _____ \$ _____

Important Information needed from Payee:

State law requires political committees to report the name, street address, occupation and employer for each individual whose contributions aggregate \$100.00 or more in a calendar year. WE CAN NOT PROCESS YOUR REGISTRATION WITHOUT THIS INFORMATION.

Payee's Occupation: _____

Payee's Employer: (If self employed, please note the name of your business: _____)

Please make checks payable to: Inspiring Values Democrats Club (IVDC). The amount of your check or credit or debt card with Visa logo should include all fees, meal costs, program directory, and advertisement, and extra requests. Payments that are written for less than the amount of your requests maybe returned to you. Partial payments not accepted. If you wish to pay by credit or debit card, please complete the following information:

The IVDC have permission as outlined below to charge the following amount: \$ _____

- My permission to charge my personal credit card
- The organization listed below - charge the organization's credit or debit card.
- The business name listed below - to charge the business's credit or debit card.

Name Listed on the Card: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Print Name of Signer above: _____

_____ CVV / CID# _____ Expiration Date: _____

Card Number

Important Disclaimers

Contributions to the Inspiring Values Democrats Party are not tax deductible for federal income tax purposes. All contributions are final and there are no refunds.

The Inspiring Values Democrats Club has provided the Democratic Party Local Convention Souvenir Program Directory as a courtesy to its members, supporters and fellow Democrats. The IVDC does not endorse or recommend any business services, products and/or personal services outlined and advertised in the directory, nor will the IVDC assume any responsibility in the accuracy or legitimacy of the claims represented in the advertisements and/or detailed therein. Unless otherwise noted in writing in the directory by the Inspiring Values Democrats Endorsement Committee and announced during the 1st Annual Endorsement Dinner and Ceremony on January 23, 2010, the IVDC does not endorse any candidates or political issues listed in the Directory.

Your participation in the registration, attendance in part or in its entirety certifies that you have read all of the details of this registration packet and agree to adhere to the rules, regulations, the process and procedures as fully outlined herein as well as the rules, regulations, policies and procedures as outlined to you upon check in by the University of the Antelope Valley.

You understand that children are allowed at this event, however, you must supervise your children and those left in your care and keep your children with you at all times. Children are not admitted to the event free or at a reduced cost nor are they permitted on the Democratic Convention Rally Floor, as to gain attendance you must be a registered Democrat.

I understand that the staff of the DPLC may refuse services to anyone who proposes a danger to others or become disruptive before or during the convention activities.

Your contribution will be used in connection with activities of the Inspiring Values Democrats Club and the Democratic Party Local Convention operating expenses. Contributions may be submitted to the Inspiring Values Democrats Club to support candidates of statewide and local elections and are subject to the limitations and prohibitions of the California Campaign Act.

Corporate and union contributions are acceptable under California Law to be used in connection with non-federal elections. California law permits contributions up to \$32,400 per calendar year for use in supporting state elections. California law imposes no limit on contributions used for purposes other than supporting state candidates.

We reserve the right to modify, correct and/or add information to this disclaimer, the policies, rules and procedures and the agenda of DPLC convention at any time, with or without notice.

Thank you very much for your support.

INSIDE CONVENTION
Building 1st Floor
Vendor Spaces Available
Floor Plan Not to Scale

Glass Entry Way Doorways and Glass

**Bar &
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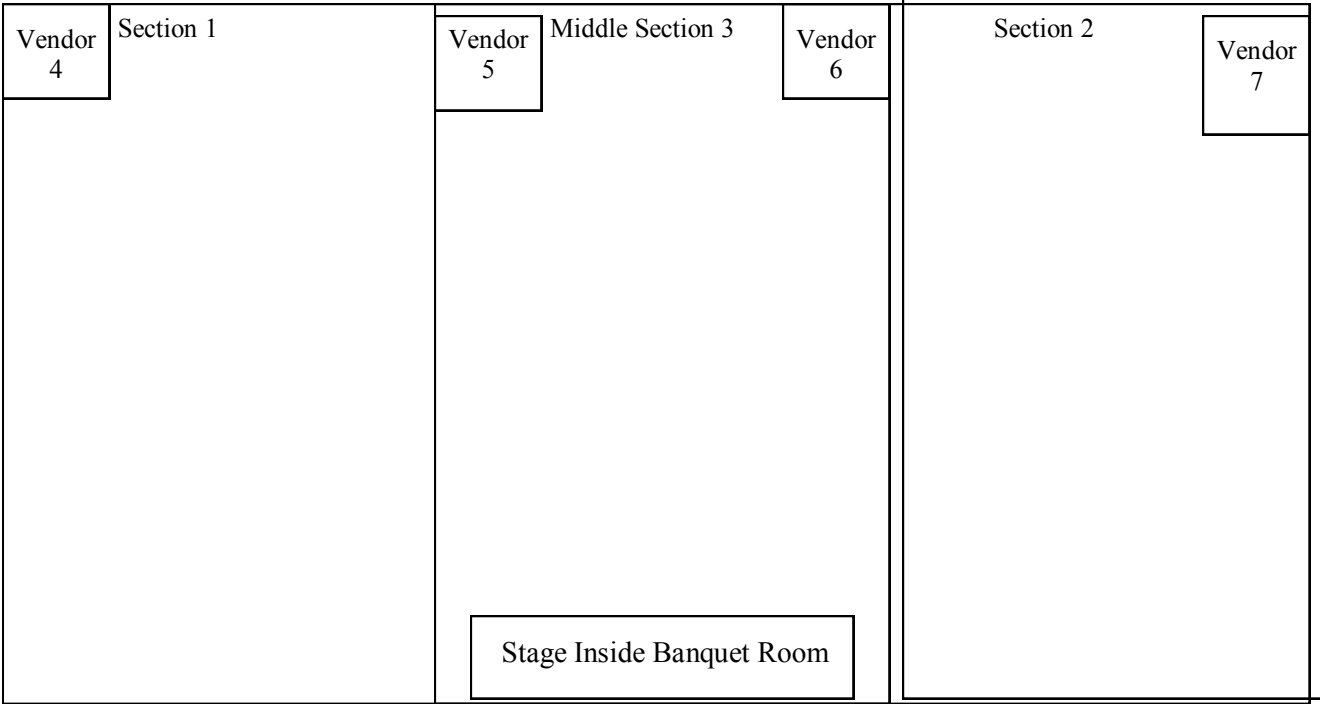
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Chef's Kitchen - Hidden behind Banquet Room

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OUTSIDE CONVENTION
 Around Building & Parking
 Lot - Vendor Spaces Available
 Floor Plan Not to Scale

Vine Covered Fences (North)

Vendor Space 20

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