



Castro Valley Democratic Club Newsletter June 2011

****Meeting Time Change**** President's Message: "Time Off or Time Out?"

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www.pdamerica.org (Progressive Democrats of America)

www.911truth.org

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www.democracyforamerica.com

www.afterdowningstreet.org

www.liveearth.org

I figured that this month the club could either meet and talk about how the news has been buried under the "noise" that mainstream media prefers to distract the public with, or we could take some meaningful action. One action that begs all others is to grow the club and empower local Democrats to get more involved. To that end we will be holding a precinct walk membership drive in lieu of our regular meeting. During the last election cycle many enthusiastic Democrats were identified in Castro Valley. With our picnic coming up in July, the time is right to bring them with an invitation to join our club while experiencing local Democratic enthusiasm at its best.

The decision about which precinct lists to use will be driven by the number of members we can count on to participate. We will meet at 2pm on Sunday June 26th at Sonya's Howes house, 4890 Seaview Ave, Castro Valley. From Approx. 2:30 to 4:30 we will walk precincts, then follow up with refreshments and informal social time to discuss our experiences. Please RSVP to Karl Hodges at cyc1ist@comcast.net or call 510-889-8132 by Tuesday, June 21st. If you cannot walk a precinct you can still participate by telephoning people in the precinct. Scripts and hand-outs will be provided. Karl Hodges, President CV Democratic Club

SAVE THE DATE**** Saturday June 25th 1:00 to 3:30
Showing of the Documentary: "Economics of Happiness" at the Castro Valley Library. This film explains the problems of structuring our economy on the global economic model and the advantages of localized economies. Part of the program will be information on local organic farming and developing support for the Castro Valley Farmers Market.