



November 6th, 2023

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Welcome / Introductions

Approval of Minutes & Financial Statement:

- [Minutes](#)
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Announcements:

- New Meeting Date: 2nd Tuesday of the month
- Fall Fest Social: Date/Time TBD

Officer Reports

- Treasurer – Tamme Adams
- Secretary - Melinda Lou Hensley
- 1st Vice Chair – Laura Butler
- 2nd Vice-Chair – **TBD**
- Chair – Bailey Morgan

Committee/Caucus Reports *(To join/form a committee email saline@arkdems.org)*

- Hot Springs Village Democratic Club - Nita Brown
- Candidate Recruitment Committee - Dustin Parsons
- Community Outreach Committee - Felix Stacy
- Voter Outreach Committee - Melinda Lou Hensley

Action Items

- Election for 2nd Vice Chair

Discussion Items

- GoodChange presentation
- Candidate introductions
- Reintroduction of VAN Nights

Next DPSC Monthly meeting

- Next meeting will be December 12, 2023 at 6:30 p.m.

Motion to Adjourn

[Scan here for the latest DPSC “Blue Review” Newsletter:](#) ->





**THANK YOU TO OUR MONTHLY
“FRIEND OF THE PARTY” DONORS!**

Good Neighbors:

Randy Haun
Beth Mathys
Gene Smith
Sally Smith
Felix Stacy
Suzy Velez
Greg White

Tanya Williams

Party Partners:

Lela Chism
Jerri DeLamar

Friends of the Party:

Melinda Hensley
Helen Neely
Diana Roberts
Steve Rittenmeyer
Janet Taylor
Judith Wimberly

We are just ***just dollars*** away from
sustainability!

Go to
salinedems.com/friendoftheparty
to enroll, receive a thank you in our next
newsletter & agenda, and much more!

Community Partners:

Tamme Adams
Helen Denison
Donna Landreth
Delois Moore
Bailey Morgan
Dustin Parsons
April Reisma
Glen Rider
Sam Stueart

Life of the Party:

Charles Bear
Nita Brown
Gary Fults
Grace Hauser
Luke Juneau
Fred McGraw



Join a Committee:

Help us be a stronger party!

Community Outreach Committee:

The DPSC has been working hard to put ourselves out into the community and let the people of Saline County know that we *are* here, and that we *are* working hard toward a better Saline County. A MASSIVE part of that effort has been put together by our Community Outreach Committee. With Felix Stacy serving as the newly appointed chair of the committee, we need more volunteers than ever to help us man booths at events, plan fundraisers, and much more. If you're interested in serving on the committee, please reach out to Felix at (501) 944-1995!

Voter Outreach Committee:

In our September meeting, we formally established the Voter Outreach Committee, to be chaired by Melinda Hensley! This committee will be dedicated to more remote, online work in support of the party. Volunteers for the Voter Outreach Committee will help Melinda in updating VAN, the Voter Access Network, to make sure that folks around Saline County have their voter registration information up-to-date, and to help collect data on where the Democratic Party's efforts should be most focused! If you're interested in serving on this committee, please reach out to Melinda at (501) 249-5010!

But wait! There's more!

There are LOTS more committees in need of volunteers; you can ***absolutely*** serve on more than one committee if you're interested, so don't be shy about being a part of the team! For more information on all of the committees of the Democratic Party of Saline County, go to salinedems.com/committees, then reach out to us at saline@arkdems.org for help starting/joining some!



Democratic Party of Saline County

COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday, October 2, 2023/ 6:30 PM /101 S Market St, Benton AR 72015

ATTENDEES: Nita Brown, Ana Mejia, Teresa Dannaway, Carl Frank, Susan Beshears, Larry Beshears, Hanah Morgan, Fred McGraw, Pat Edwards, Bailey Morgan, Martha West, Mike Gorden, Mary Gorden, Felix Stacy, Alexis Agnew, Dustin Parsons, Samuel Brazell

Minutes

Call to Order

Bailey Morgan, Chair called the meeting to order at at 6:30 pm

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes & Financial Statement

1. Minutes from 9/11/23 approved. Melinda Hensley motioned to approve and Pat Edwards seconded the motion and all approved.
2. Financial statement was not available.

Action Items

Discussion/Informative Items

Bailey announced that Alexis Agnew, Second Vice Chair, is resigning and we will vote at the November 6th meeting for a new Second Vice Chair.



Bailey announced that Brews and Brats tickets are \$25 and invited everyone to attend this fun get together.

Bailey announced that Saline Dems will have a table at the Clark County Clinton dinner and asked who wanted to attend.

Melinda Hensley gave an update on a meeting the SCWAR group is having. It is a Women's Forum and will include representatives from UAMS, St. Vincent and Period Poverty Project.

Bailey gave an update on recruitment outreach.

Nita Brown invited everyone to hear Austin Bailey at the Arkansas Times in Hot Springs Village on October 27th at 4:30 p.m.

Community Outreach activities will be put on the calendar on the website.

Bailey spoke of the need for volunteers and asked anyone interested to please reach out to him, Felix or any officer.

Tamme Adams explained the role of Election Commissioner.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.



Financial Report				
		Checkbook		
Beginning Balance 10/1/2023	\$9,162.13			
	<i>Description</i>	<i>Credits</i>	<i>Debits</i>	
	Act Blue	\$705.42		
	Donations by check/cash	\$200.00		
	Luke Juneau		\$425.00	
	Fidelity		\$125.74	
	ActBlue		\$231.72	
	Website Go Daddy		\$26.99	
	Saline County Council on Aging (booth at Old Fashioned Day)		\$50.00	
	Signature Pins Winter Park		\$270.00	
	Office Depot		\$49.37	
	Square Up		\$91.00	
Ending Balance on 10/31/2023	\$8,797.73			



Democratic Party of Saline County - Membership Form

Please mail all forms to Melinda Lou Hensley at 4904 Hensley Road, Benton, AR 72019 or email form to saline@arkdems.org.

Name: _____ Age: _____ Gender Identity: _____

Residence Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____
(Residence) (Business) (Cell)

Date of Birth: _____ Employment: _____

Email: _____

Please circle your preference in notification: Email Mail Both

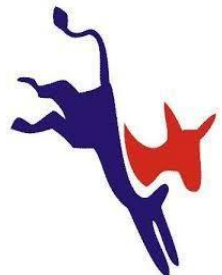
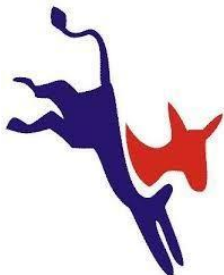
Please circle the committee/caucuses you wish to join:

Black/Latino	Senior Democrats	Stonewall
Young Democrats(16 - 36)	Democratic Women	Community Activism
Community Outreach	Voter Outreach	Candidate Recruitment
Labor		

Would you be interested in becoming a Chairperson of a Committee? If so, which committee/caucus?

I agree to abide by the rules of said committee and support the Principles of the Democratic Party. I am eligible and legally qualified to file for the office under the Rules of the Democratic Party of Arkansas.

Name: _____ Date: _____





Saline County “Friend of the Party” Program (Monthly Sustainability Program)

Purpose: Our party has set a goal of recruiting more candidates, becoming more engaged in the community, and proving our viability to the rest of the county. While our annual Kickin’ Blue dinner helps offset fixed costs, we must get serious about sustainability.

Giving Levels:

Good Neighbor Tier: \$5/month

Includes monthly “Thank You” postcard & thanks by name in the DPSC Blue Review Newsletter!

Friend of the Party Tier: \$10/month

Includes the above + 1 free ticket to our new “Donor Dinner!”

Community Partner Tier: \$15/month

Includes the above + 1 free Kickin’ Blue ticket & a DPSC enamel pin!

Life of the Party Tier: \$25/month

Includes the above + 1 extra Kickin’ Blue ticket, 1 extra Donor Dinner ticket, and 1 free DPSC yard sign *or* t-shirt!

Party Partner Tier: \$50/month

Includes the above + 1 *extra* yard sign, t-shirt, or enamel pin; a signed personalized thank you letter from DPSC officers; sponsor status at Kickin’ Blue & Donor Dinner; and named thanks in DPSC event brochures!

Sign-Up Link:

Scan the QR Code



or go to

<https://secure.actblue.com/donate/democratic-party-of-saline-county-2>

Once you select your sustainable amount, then look for the place that says “Make it Monthly” and click “Yes, count me in!” After that, click continue with credit or debit card and you will be prompted to put in your information. You can always choose to give more, but each of the above levels are the minimum for their respective tiers!



BRAND-NEW

“FRIEND OF THE PARTY”

REWARDS!

GOOD NEIGHBOR: \$5/MONTH

- MONTHLY MAILED “THANK YOU” POSTCARD
- NAMED THANKS IN DPSC’S “BLUE REVIEW” NEWSLETTER

FRIEND OF THE PARTY: \$10/MONTH

- EVERYTHING IN “GOOD NEIGHBOR” TIER
- 1 FREE TICKET TO ANNUAL DPSC “DONOR DINNER”

COMMUNITY PARTNER: \$15/MONTH

- EVERYTHING IN “FRIEND OF THE PARTY” TIER
- 1 FREE “KICKIN’ BLUE” TICKET
- 1 FREE DPSC ENAMEL PIN

LIFE OF THE PARTY: \$25/MONTH

- EVERYTHING IN “COMMUNITY PARTNER” TIER
- 1 EXTRA “KICKIN’ BLUE” TICKET
- 1 EXTRA “DONOR DINNER” TICKET
- 1 FREE DPSC YARD SIGN OR T-SHIRT

PARTY PARTNER: \$50/MONTH

- EVERYTHING IN “LIFE OF THE PARTY” TIER
- 1 EXTRA YARD SIGN, T-SHIRT, OR ENAMEL PIN
- SIGNED PERSONAL THANK YOU FROM DPSC OFFICERS
- KICKIN’ BLUE SPONSOR STATUS
- NAMED THANKS IN DPSC EVENT BROCHURES



2024 Election Cycle Candidate Filing Fees and Information

The Democratic Party of Saline County will be open during the following times for filing, as well as by appointment as-needed. Once forms have been completed, you must then file the forms with the Saline County Clerk's Office at the Vote Center (220 N. Main, Benton, AR 72015). You may not file *before noon* on Monday, November 6th and *after noon* on Tuesday, November 14th.

Filing Fee Office Hours (AND BY APPOINTMENT)

Monday, November 6th
5:00 - 7:00 P.M.

Wednesday, November 8th, 2023
5:00-7:00 P.M.

Friday, November 10th, 2023
5:00 - 7:00 P.M.

Monday, November 13th, 2023
5:00 - 8:00 P.M.

To schedule an appointment or for any questions, please call/text
Chair Bailey Morgan at (501) 420-4729 or
1st Vice Chair Laura Butler at (501) 580-4605.

Filing Fees for County Positions

Justice of the Peace - \$50
Constable - \$25

Forms and information will be available at the Democratic Party of Saline County Headquarters, located at 101 S. Market St in downtown Benton.

Representatives of the Democratic Party of Saline County will be available at the above times to distribute filing forms and collect filing fees.