

# Agenda November 2, 2021

Johnson County Democratic Party Meeting

November 2, 2021 at 7:00 PM

Bomber Mountain Civic Center, Rm 108

Also on Zoom! [Register first](#), please!

## Agenda

7:00pm Call to order

7:04pm Minutes & Money & Chair Announcements

7:08pm Business, old, but new again

2022 Election:

- Candidates, Trainings, Offices
- Precinct Committee Seats w/Guest Ted Hanlon

Platform/Position Paper Top Five Priorities

7:52pm Announcements from the Floor

Upcoming Meetings

Other?

7:59 Adjourn

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# Agenda August 3, 2021

Johnson County Democratic Party Meeting

August 3, 2021 at 7:00 PM

Bomber Mountain Civic Center, Rm 108

## Agenda

7:00pm Call to order

7:04pm Minutes & Money & Chair Announcements

7:08pm Announcements from the Floor

7:15pm Old Business

Sheridan/JC Kearney Hall event June 26 update

State Central Committee Meeting

7:25 New Business

Guest Speakers, Meeting Schedule

August Special Election

- Test date for election equipment: Aug 6 @ 9:30am
- Information and opinions

Other?

7:55 Adjourn

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# Kick Up Your Heels

Sheridan/Johnson County Dems "Round-Up"

**Sat., June 26th, 4-8 pm at Kearney Hall, Banner, WY**

(Just 15 min. from Buffalo)

Suggested Donation of \$10.00 for folks 13 years and up to help cover band and hall rental.

The June 26th Democrat Round Up is less than 2 weeks away. Let's show the WY State Democratic Party and Sheridan County Dems that Johnson County Democrats are active and know how to have a good

time.

The event offers games for kids and adults, raffles, a silent auction, good food, live music, and even the opportunity to dance, if you are so inclined. And the venue is beautiful! Kearney Hall, located just 15 minutes from Buffalo, has been newly remodeled and the scenery from the large new veranda is stunning.

Several JC Dems have volunteered to help with set up and some are helping by bringing side dishes to share. We can always use more help with clean-up so if you can stay a bit after 8 pm to help with that, [please let us know](#).

*To help the most, please call all your JC left leaning friends and ask them in person to join you at Kearney Hall on June 26th. A lot of work has gone into planning and preparing this event, so please come and join us!*

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## **Agenda June 1, 2021**

**Johnson County Democratic Party Meeting**

**June 1, 2021 at 7:00 PM**

**via Zoom.us, [register by Clicking Here](#) to receive invitation.**

### **Agenda**

7:00pm Call to order

7:05pm Introduce Guest Speaker

7:06pm Guest Presentation

“Learn more from long-time staff Shannon Anderson about the work Powder River Basin Resource Council does to conserve

Wyoming's air, land, water, and wildlife, and protect our quality of life. Shannon will focus on current issues in Northeast Wyoming and briefly touch on the organization's state-wide priorities, including at the Wyoming legislature."

7:30pm Apologies from The Chair

7:32pm Minutes & Money

7:35pm Old Business

Sheridan/JC Kearney Hall event June 26 update

7:47 New Business

July 6 Meeting

Other?

7:55 Adjourn

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# Minutes May 4, 2021

Johnson County Democratic Party

Business Meeting

May 4, 2021

Meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm by Greg Haas, Chair.

Attendance in person: Lorajane Kessler, Mitch Black, Suzi Black, Jim Shell, Bill McIntyre, Mary Van Auken, Lois Petersen, Sharon Case, Dudley Case, Greg Haas

Attendance online: Vikki Chenette

Greg lead the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Treasurer Report – Suzi Black

As of May 4th, there was \$1,764.59 in the bank account. There is

also a check from Act Blue for \$96.05 and an anonymous donation of \$100.00.

#### Secretary Report – Dudley Case

Lois Petersen made a motion to approve the minutes for the April 6th business meeting. Mary Van Auken seconded the motion. Motion passed.

#### Chair Announcements – Greg Haas

All the JC Dems officers have signed the signature cards at the bank.

If you are interested in attending the WDP Labor Caucus meeting by Zoom contact Greg Haas for details.

The Bighorn National Forest Steering Committee will be holding a virtual meeting on May 5<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 am to 3:15 pm via Microsoft Teams. If you are interested in attending the meeting contact Greg Haas for details or visit the Bighorn National Forest website. *[Correction: Was the BLM, not Nat'l Forest. My mistake. -Greg]*

On Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm (Pacific Time) the National Democratic Training Committee is holding the Western Regional Boot Camp training if you are running for office or working on a campaign in 2021 or 2022. If you are interested in attending contact Greg Haas for details.

#### Old Business:

##### 1. June 1<sup>st</sup> JC Dems Business Meeting – Greg Haas

In lieu of the 7:00 pm June 1<sup>st</sup> JC Dems Business Meeting Greg has arranged for Shannon Anderson from the Powder River Basin

Resource Council (PRBRC) to make a presentation about the PRBRC.

Mary Van Auken made a motion to approve Shannon Anderson as a speaker in lieu of the normal business meeting. Vikki Chenette seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Vikki Chenette made a motion to hold this meeting at the Johnson County Public Library in the large conference room and have it open to the general public. Lois Petersen seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Suzi Black made a motion to allow the JC Dems Central Committee to find an alternate venue should the public library room not be available. Lorajane Kessler seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Vikki Chenette, Greg Haas and Lois Petersen volunteered to work on the publicity (community calendar, flyer, press release, etc.) for this event.

## 2. May 19<sup>th</sup> JC Dems Luncheon Forum – Bill McIntyre

The luncheon forum will be held at noon at the Par & Grill restaurant at the Buffalo Golf Course.

Thirteen democrats attended the April 21<sup>st</sup> luncheon forum at the Par & Grill.

## 3. Sheridan County and Johnson County Democrats Concert Update – Lois Petersen

This event will be held on Saturday, June 26 at Kearney Hall from 4:00 to about 8:00 pm. There will be a live band, dancing, a raffle, food and outdoor activities. The hall is located on old Highway 87 and may be accessed from the Piney Creek exit off of I-90.

Lois Petersen asked that items for the raffle be given to her

before June 1st.

The hall and band will each cost \$200, and tables may need to be rented. There will also be publicity costs for such things as postcards, and food costs for such items as sloppy joes and hot dogs. Therefore, a \$10 donation will be requested from each attendee.

Attendees are asked to bring a dish to pass around.

On June 1<sup>st</sup> there will be a planning meeting at 3:00 pm. If you are interested in attending, please contact Lois Petersen.

Volunteers will be needed for cooking, desserts, recycling, set up and clean up.

There will be an effort to get young people to attend this event.

Lois Petersen made a motion for the JC Dems to financially help with this event up to \$200. Jim Shell seconded the motion. Motion passed.

#### 4. Precinct Highlights – Dudley Case

Democratic members in precincts 2-14, 5-9 8-11 and 9-12 were contacted.

Dudley called 21 members and got two new email addresses and discovered three wrong phone numbers.

There were two suggestions for guest speakers. One, was to have someone talk on the issue of lack of access to Wyoming public lands, and, two, to have someone talk about the transition from fossil fuels to renewable energy.

Several Democratic members also said that they would try to make

one of the luncheon forums.

#### New Business:

Greg Haas mentioned that Erin O'Doherty has started a Wyoming Dems Book Club. There will be a meeting of the club on May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 4:00 pm. The first book that will be discussed is Harvest the Vote by Jane Kleeb, which is about how Democrats can win back rural America.

If you are interested in more information about the book club, please contact Greg Haas. Mitch Black, Vikki Chenette and Bill McIntyre expressed an interest in getting more information about the club.

#### Announcements from the floor:

Lois Petersen stated that a Sheridan Committee Action Team has been formed. The committee will be lobbying local officials on Medicaid expansion in Wyoming. They will be formulating a script for calls made to officials.

Greg Haas announced that he had attended the WDP precinct committee training. As part of the training the instructor said that Dems should not be afraid to wear Democratic hats and t-shirts.

Jim Shell stated that he still has some copies of the book On Tyranny by Timothy Snyder if anyone would like a copy.

#### Announcements of upcoming meetings:

1. June 1<sup>st</sup> JC Dems Guest Speaker meeting at 7:00 pm. Location: TBA
2. May 19<sup>th</sup> Luncheon Forum at the Par & Grill restaurant at the

Buffalo Golf Course at noon.

3. June 26<sup>th</sup> Sheridan and JC Dems Concert event at Kearney Hall at 4:00 pm.

4. July 6 JC Dems Monthly Meeting.

Lois Petersen made a motion that this meeting should be a business meeting in part to talk about future guest speakers for our meetings. Bill McIntyre seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Next Monthly Meeting:

June 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 pm. Location: TBA

Adjournment:

Greg Haas adjourned the meeting at 7:56 pm.

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## Agenda May 4, 2021

**Johnson County Democratic Party Meeting**

**May 4, 2021 at 7:00 PM**

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### **Agenda**

7:00pm Call to order

7:05pm Pledge, Check in, introduce, announce as needed, approve/amend agenda

7:15pm Treasurer, Secretary and Chair Announcements

Minutes, money, Luncheon, Bank, WDP Labor Caucus Elections,

Bighorn NF Steering Committee Virtual Meeting  
7:20 Old Business  
    June 1st Speaker Event  
    Sheridan/JC Kearney Hall event June 26 update  
    Precinct Highlights  
7:40 New Business  
    [Book Club](#)  
7:45 Announcements from the floor  
7:50 Announce upcoming meetings  
    Next Monthly Meeting: ???, 2021  
    Other?  
7:55 Adjourn

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## Agenda April 6, 2021

**Johnson County Democratic Party Meeting**

**April 6, 2021 at 7:00 PM**

*via Zoom.us, [register by Clicking Here](#) to receive invitation.*

### **Agenda**

7:00pm Call to order  
7:05pm Pledge, Check in, introduce, announce as needed,  
approve/amend agenda  
7:15pm Treasurer, Secretary and Chair Announcements  
    Minutes, money, etc.  
    Notary Public  
7:20 Old Business  
    Elections  
    Luncheon  
    Precinct Highlights  
7:35 New Business

Groups/Clubs  
Book, Movie, Activism  
WDP April Trainings  
7:45 Announcements from the floor  
7:55 Announce upcoming meetings  
Next Monthly Meeting: ???, 2021  
Other?  
8:00 Adjourn

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# 2021 Reorganization Meeting

## Johnson County Democratic Party

### For Immediate Release

Date:

February 10, 2021

Contact:

Greg Haas, Chairman

307-684-7398

[email](#)

### Johnson County Dems Leadership Election

*Buffalo, WY*— Over the next few months the Johnson County Democratic Party and the Wyoming Democratic Party will be electing leaders to forge the way to 2022 elections.

The Johnson County Party elections will take place on March 20, 2021, online, starting at 10:00am. Invitations can be obtained by registering on the Johnson County Democratic Party's website:

<https://jcdemswyo.org/zoom>.

Election of county leadership will take place in March and state leadership in April. In March, those who make up the voting members of a county's central committee, will vote for their county's Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary, Treasurer and a State Committeeman and Committeewoman. Any registered Democrat may run for an officer position.

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## **Agenda March 2, 2021**

**Johnson County Democratic Party Meeting**

**March, 2 2021 at 7:00 PM**

***Bomber Mtn Civic Center – Room 108***

***ALSO via Zoom.us, [register below](#) to receive invitation. (the form scrolls in the box)***

### **Agenda**

7:00pm Call to order

7:05pm Pledge, Check in, introduce, announce as needed, approve/amend agenda

7:15pm Treasurer, Secretary and Chair Announcements

Minutes, money, etc.

7:20 Old Business

Campaign contributions

County Reorg Meeting – March 20, 2021

Precinct Highlights

MiniVAN

7:45 New Business

County Officer Election (docs)

7:55 Announcements from the floor

8:05 Announce upcoming meetings  
Next Monthly Meeting: April 6, 2021  
Other?  
8:15 Adjourn

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## Agenda February 2, 2021

**Johnson County Democratic Party Meeting**  
**February, 2 2021 at 7:00 PM**  
***Bomber Mtn Civic Center – Room 108***  
***via Zoom.us, find link in email***

### Agenda

7:00pm Call to order  
7:05pm Pledge, Check in, introduce, announce as needed, approve/amend agenda  
7:08pm Special Business  
Zoom upgrade account/expense – Accept motion from the floor to pay for month to month zoom account.  
7:15pm Treasurer, Secretary and Chair Announcements  
Minutes, money, etc.  
Trainings: WyoDems, NDTC, ESPC  
7:20 Old Business  
Precinct Questions  
Precinct Highlights  
Guest speakers for meetings this year (Speaker club?)  
Local candidates  
7:40 New Business  
County Convention:

- [Bylaws](#) – Share those paragraphs pertinent to the County

## Convention

- Chair will accept motions from the floor to decide time, date and location/method of County Convention.

7:55 Announce upcoming meetings

Next Monthly Meeting: March 2, 2021

Other?

8:15 Adjourn