



GERMANTOWN DEMOCRATIC CLUB

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**“WE’RE NOT GOING
BACK!”**

- *Vice President
and future
Madame
President Kamala
Harris*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**OUR MEETINGS ARE HELD
AT COLETTA’S RESTAURANT
2850 Appling Rd, Bartlett**

**WEDNESDAY, AUG 28, 2024, 6:30 PM
GET INVOLVED IN A CAMPAIGN!**

We will have representatives from several campaigns to tell us how we can help flip some seats in Tennessee. If you can’t wait, check out our CALL TO ACTION section in this newsletter.

**GERMANTOWN FESTIVAL
SATURDAY, SEP 7, 9:30 am-6:00 pm
SUNDAY, SEP 8, Noon-6:00 pm**

Germantown Dems will have a booth, please stop by, or even better, sign up to work a shift (link on reverse).

**GERMANTOWN INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL
AGRICENTER, SATURDAY, SEP 28**

We will have a booth at the International Festival this year. Stay tuned to our Facebook page as more details become available.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 4-7 PM
CAMERON BROWN PARK
8628 FARMINGTON BLVD, GERMANTOWN
ANNUAL ALL-AMERICAN PICNIC**

We will be gathering once again at the big pavilion for food and fellowship. We will be grilling hot dogs, and will provide buns, condiments, chips, and beverages. Bring your lawn chairs. Side dishes welcome.

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 6:30 PM
MEMPHIS CITY COUNCIL CHAIR, JB SMILEY**
JB Smiley will be with us to discuss City Council issues and to answer questions.

Meetings start at 6:30 pm, but if you wish to dine before the meeting, please make sure to arrive and get your orders in before 6:00 pm to cut down on the traffic during the speakers’ presentations. Thanks!

GERMANTOWN FESTIVAL

The Germantown Festival is the weekend of September 7-8 this year. Working our booth at the Germantown Festival is a fun way to get to know other members. If you have a couple of free hours, please consider signing up to work a shift. To sign up, click on this link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4CACAC29A5F9C70-50346349-gdcatgermantown>

If you can't click on the link, you may contact Jeff Etheridge at 901-258-7915.

NEWSLETTER

This is my last newsletter for the Germantown Dems. I have been doing this now for several years and am ready to pass the baton to **Amy Mulroy**, who will be taking over with our next newsletter (which will be coming out in January). I will still be managing the membership database and sending out email notifications.

- Diane Cambron

CALL TO ACTION

Most of our races have already been decided. These are competitive races we have here in Shelby County that need our help.

Harris/Walz

Go to <https://kamalaharris.com/> and sign up to volunteer. Many, many opportunities for texting, phone banking or traveling to battleground states to knock doors. Our mid-term goal – let's make Tennessee a battleground state by 2030. What we do this fall helps us reach that goal.

Gloria Johnson – US Senate

The Shelby County Office is at 2877 Poplar Avenue, the shopping center at Poplar and N. Humes. It is in the corner, the suite with the black & white striped awning over the door.

Office Hours: Tues, Wed, Thurs: 10 am - 8pm / Fri: 10 am - 7pm / Sat: 9 am - 7pm / Sun: 11 am - 8pm

Canvassing/door-knocking is the primary means of voter contact. The campaign's field team will do a brief training on best practices and the "script" before launching canvassers & phone bankers. Daily canvassing and phone banking events are at 10 am, 1 pm, 4 pm, and 6 pm.

In addition, opportunities will include helping to staff events and recruit attendees. And of course, all campaign offices appreciate snacks and drinks for their volunteers.

Sarah Freeman – 8th US Congressional District

Sarah is putting together her volunteer team. She asks that any volunteers text her at 901-240-3961 or email at ocracoke28@gmail.com. Sarah has 20 counties so she's spending a lot of time on the road – she advised that texting would be the best way to contact her.

Noah Nordstrom – TN House District 83 -

Germantown, East Memphis, South Cordova
Pancakes and Politics – every Saturday from 11am to 3pm at 6220 Forest Grove Dr. Get together for discussion, training and then your choice of canvassing or phone banking. *Oh yeah, there's pancakes!!!!*

Additional opportunities are also organized and publicized on Noah's FB page – Noah Nordstrom.

Jesse Huseth – TN House District 97

East Memphis, North Cordova

Jesse and team are knocking doors every Saturday at 10 am, and most weekday evenings at 5 pm. Neighborhoods vary so check Jesse Huseth for TN-97 FB page or call 901-258-7915 to get involved.

Statewide

Here's a way to get involved statewide. When you sign up for TNDP's GetThru program you'll be texting and calling into target races across the state.

You can now sign up to start texting and dialing using TNDP organizing tools for this election cycle. Register now so that when texting and phone banking start you can be notified.

Step 1: Sign-up at

<https://www.getthru.app/join/1086630973415364127>

Step 2: Share this link with your friends

Step 3: GET OUT THE VOTE!

The time has arrived for you to help deliver wins in TN this year- so let's GO!