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Recommendations for CA Ballot Propositions

The Propositions

Y=Yes, N=No	Proposition	1A	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
<i>Organization</i>														
	Los Angeles Times	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	
	San Francisco Chronicle	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	
	Amer. Assoc. of Univ. Women-CA (AAUW-CA Federation of Teachers (CFT)	Y		Y	N	Y	N		N	N	N	N	Y	
	CA Retired Teachers Assoc	Y												
	CA Teachers Association (CTA)			Y	N		N		N	N				
	CA Democratic Party	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N		N	Y	
	CA Republican Party	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N		Y	
	Green Party of CA		Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	
	CA Libertarian Party	N	N	N			N	N	N		N	N	N	
	Peace and Freedom Party		Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N		
	League of CA Cities					N		N		Y		Y		
	CA League of Women Voters (LWV)	Y		Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y		
	CA Labor Federation (AFL-CIO)	Y			N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	
	CA Chamber of Commerce	N	N	Y		N		N			N	Y	Y	
	Consumer Federation of CA	Y		Y		Y		N			N		Y	
	CA Common Cause								N			Y		
	CA Council of Churches		Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	
	Capitol Resource Institute (Christian Coalition)	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	
	CA Friends Comm. on Legislation (Quakers)		Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y		
	NAACP		N											
	CA ACLU				N	Y	N		N	N				
	Sierra Club CA	Y	Y		N			N			N			
	Planning and Conservation League		Y											
	CA Farm Bureau Federation	N	N	N		N	N	N		Y	N	Y	Y	
	CA Nurses Association (CNA)				N	Y					N			
	CA National Organization for Women (NOW)				N				N					
	CA Planned Parenthood				N									
	Congress of CA Seniors		N					N						
	CA Assoc. of Retired Persons (CA-ARP)											Y		
	Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Assoc.	N		N							N	Y		
	CA Taxpayers Assoc.							N			N	Y		
	My Vote													
	Proposition	1A	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	F/J

- 1A:** Safe, Reliable High-Speed Passenger Train (Bond Act)
 - 2:** Standards for Confining Farm Animals (Initiative Statute)
 - 3:** Children's Hospital Bond Act. Grant Program (Initiative Statute)
 - 4:** Waiting Period and Parental Notification Before Termination of Minor's Pregnancy (Initiative Constitutional Amendment)
 - 5:** Nonviolent Drug Offenses, Sentencing, Parole and Rehabilitation (Initiative Statute)
 - 6:** Police and Law Enforcement Funding. Criminal Penalties and Laws (Initiative Statute)
 - 7:** Renewable Energy Generation (Initiative Statute)
 - 8:** Eliminates Right of Same-Sex Couples to Marry (Initiative Constitutional Amendment)
 - 9:** Criminal Justice System. Victims' Rights. Parole (Initiative Constitutional Amendment and Statute)
 - 10:** Alternative Fuel Vehicles & Renewable Energy. Bonds (Initiative Statute)
 - 11:** Redistricting (Initiative Constitutional Amendment and Statute)
 - 12:** Veteran's Bond Act of 2008 (Bond)
- Measure F in Arcata and Measure J in Eureka** would prohibit within the City of Arcata or Eureka, respectively, any United States government employee from recruiting for the military, or initiating contact for the purpose of recruiting for the military, any person who is under 18 years of age. These measures are endorsed by the Humboldt County Green Party, Redwood Chapter of the ACLU, the Redwood Peace and Justice Center, and Veterans for Peace, Chapter 56.

See LWV's www.smartvoter.org for complete Pros & Cons on propositions, your polling place, candidate statements, voter registration qualifications, sample ballot, & other info.

Last Day to Register to Vote: Oct. 20, '08

Last day registered voters can **pick up** absentee ballots at the Humboldt County Office of Elections, 3555 Harris St, Eureka 707-445-7678:
Monday, Nov. 3, 2008

Last day county elections officials will receive applications for absentee ballots to be **mailed to** registered voters: **Oct. 28, '08.**

Election on: Tues. Nov. 4, '08

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Where do I vote? For info on your registration status & polling place, call the Humboldt County Elections Office 707-445-7678.
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 PO Box 385, Arcata, CA • hopecoalition@igc.org • www.hopecoalition.org
 Contributions in support of this educational effort can be made to the above address.



Descriptions of CA Ballot Propositions

<p>1A. Safe, Reliable High-Speed Passenger Train (<i>Bond Act</i>) To provide Californians a safe, convenient, affordable, and reliable alternative to driving and high gas prices; to provide good-paying jobs and improve California's economy while reducing air pollution, global warming greenhouse gases, and our dependence on foreign oil, shall \$9.95 billion in bonds be issued to establish a clean, efficient high-speed train service linking Southern California, the Sacramento/San Joaquin Valley, and the San Francisco Bay Area, with at least 90 percent of bond funds spent for specific projects, with federal and private matching funds required, all bond funds subject to an independent audit?</p>	<p>8. Eliminates Right of Same-Sex Couples to Marry (<i>Initiative Constitutional Amendment</i>) Shall the California Constitution be changed to eliminate the right of same-sex couples to marry providing that only marriage between a man and a woman is valid or recognized in California?</p>
<p>2. Standards for Confining Farm Animals (<i>Initiative Statute</i>) Shall certain farm animals be allowed, for the majority of every day, to fully extend their limbs or wings, lie down, stand up and turn around?</p>	<p>9. Criminal Justice System. Victims' Rights. Parole (<i>Initiative Constitutional Amendment and Statute</i>) Shall notification to victim and opportunity for input during phases of criminal justice process, including bail, pleas, sentencing and parole be required? Shall victim safety be a consideration for bail or parole?</p>
<p>3. Children's Hospital Bond Act. Grant Program (<i>Initiative Statute</i>) Shall \$980,000,000 in general obligation bonds be authorized for construction, expansion, remodeling, renovation, furnishing and equipping of eligible children's hospitals?</p>	<p>10. Alternative Fuel Vehicles and Renewable Energy. Bonds (<i>Initiative Statute</i>) Shall \$5 billion in bonds paid from state's General Fund be authorized to help consumers and others purchase certain vehicles, and to help research in renewable energy and alternative fuel vehicles?</p>
<p>4. Waiting Period and Parental Notification Before Termination of Minor's Pregnancy (<i>Initiative Constitutional Amendment</i>) Shall the California Constitution be changed to prohibit abortion for an unemancipated minor until 48 hours after physician notifies minor's parent, legal guardian, or, in limited cases, substitute adult relative?</p>	<p>11. Redistricting (<i>Initiative Constitutional Amendment and Statute</i>) Shall the authority for establishing state office boundaries be changed from elected representatives to a commission comprised of Democrats, Republicans, and representatives of neither party selected from the registered voter pool in a multilevel process?</p>
<p>5. Nonviolent Drug Offenses, Sentencing, Parole and Rehabilitation (<i>Initiative Statute</i>) Shall \$460,000,000 be allocated annually to improve and expand treatment programs?</p>	<p>12. Veteran's Bond Act of 2008 (<i>Bond</i>) Shall a nine hundred million dollar (\$900,000,000) bond be issued to provide farm and home aid for California veterans?</p>
<p>6. Police and Law Enforcement Funding. Criminal Penalties and Laws (<i>Initiative Statute</i>) Shall of minimum of \$965,000,000 of state funding be required each year for police and local law enforcement?</p>	<p>Initiative Measures F and J would prohibit within the Cities of Arcata and Eureka, respectively, any United States government employee from recruiting for the military, or initiating contact for the purpose of recruiting for the military, any person who is under 18 years of age. The Measure would not prevent persons of any age from voluntarily visiting a military recruitment office or specifically initiating a request to meet with a recruiter. Nor would the measure prevent non-United States government employees from encouraging persons under 18 years of age to join the military.</p>
<p>7. Renewable Energy Generation (<i>Initiative Statute</i>) Shall government-owned utilities be required to generate 20% of their electricity from renewable energy by 2010, a standard currently applicable to private electrical corporations? Shall all utilities be required to generate 40% by 2020 and 50% by 2025?</p>	<p><i>Last day to register to vote:</i> <i>October 20, 2008</i></p>

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Election on: Tuesday November 4, 2008

Where do I vote? For info on your registration status & polling place, phone the Humboldt County Elections Office 707-445-7481

PEACE NEWS

Thursday, October 16: "Soldiers of Conscience" on PBS. This award-winning documentary follows the stories of both conscientious objectors and those who criticize them, transcending politics to explore the tension between spiritual values and military orders. 9 pm on KEET Channel 13. Info: 445-0813,

The Redwood Peace & Justice Center Board is creating a long-term plan and will be launching a fundraising campaign soon for a new, larger space that will better serve the community. Watch this newsletter for further updates. Info: 826-2511 or www.rpic.net.

ENTERTAINMENT, CELEBRATIONS, & CULTURE

Thursday - Saturday, October 16 - 18: Live Music, Silent Movie with the ArMack High School Orchestra. Harold Lloyd's "Shy Girl" accompanied by a full orchestra. At McKinleyville High, 7 pm each night with a 2 pm matinee on Saturday. \$5. Info: 825-7727.

Thursday - Saturday, October 16 - 18: Q-Fest Cross Cultural Queer Film Festival at HSU featuring a variety of films. Each film will be followed by a facilitated discussion by a staff or faculty member and/or student. Free. Complete schedule at <http://studentaffairs.humboldt.edu/multicultural/qfest/index.php>. Info: 826-5752.

Friday, October 17: HSU Opera Studio Recital: Italian Improv; 8 pm in the Fulkerson Recital Hall, HSU. Free. Info: 826-3456.

Saturday, October 18: Friends of the Arcata Library Book Sale. Paperback and hardcover books, videos, and CDs. All books a buck a bag from 2 - 4 pm. Info: 822-5954.

Saturday, October 18: This Shining Night--A Musical Celebration, the Humboldt Community Breast Health Project's fall benefit concert featuring Brad Curtis, Elisabeth Harrington, Annette Gurnee Hull, Dr. Luther Cobb, and Darius Brotman. 7 pm at the Arkley Center for the Performing Arts. \$25. Info: 442-1956.

Sunday, October 19: Quarterly Breakfast at the Bayside Grange; supports the repairs and improvements at Bayside's historic community center. Live music and a gourmet breakfast menu including: meat and veggie options. 8 am to noon. Info: 822-9998.

Sunday, October 19: NorthCoast Co-op's Annual Membership Meeting. 1 - 4 pm at the Adorni Center. All members welcome. Pick up tickets in advance at either Co-op. Election results for the Board of Directors, findings from the Member Survey, and a review of the state of the Co-op. Refreshments provided. Info: 826-8670 ext. 132.

Thursday, October 23: Energy, Environment & Society Lecture Series: "Economic and Social Considerations for Wave Energy Development in California," presented by Dr. Steven Hackett of HSU. 5:30 pm at Founders Hall, room 118. Info: 826-4345.

Thursday - Saturday, October 23 - 25: Live Music, Silent Movie with the ArMack High School Orchestra. Harold Lloyd's "Shy Girl" accompanied by a full orchestra. At Arcata High, 7 pm each night with a 2 pm matinee on Saturday. \$5. Info: Linda at 825-7727.

Friday, October 24: HSU Music Dept. Guest Artist: Katarzyna Mycka, Marimba. 8 pm in the Fulkerson Recital Hall, HSU. \$10, \$5. Info: 826-3456.

Friday, October 24: Eureka Chamber Music Series: Carducci String Quartet winners of the 2007 Concert Artists Guild International Competition. 7:30 pm at the Cavalry Lutheran Church, 716 South Ave, Eureka. \$30. Info: 445-9650.

Friday and Saturday, October 24 and 25: HSU Writer's Conference: Storytelling, Place and Community with keynote speaker Richard Van Camp, an accomplished author and proud member of the Dogrib (Tlicho) Nation from Fort Smith, Canada. Both days' events take place in Founders Hall, HSU. Info: 826- 5109 or www.humboldt.edu/~rwp/FESCUE.htm.

Saturday, October 25: Arcata Interfaith Gospel Choir's Annual Harvest Concert with special guests AkaBella, a local a cappella ensemble. 7 pm at the Arcata Presbyterian Church, 11th and G St., Arcata. \$10, \$8. Info: 822-4444.

Saturday, October 25: HSU Music Dept. Faculty Artist Series: Ching-Ming Cheng, Piano; 8 pm in the Fulkerson Recital Hall, HSU. \$8, \$3. Info: 826-3456.

Tuesday - Thursday, October 28 - 30: Haunted Kinetic Lab of Horrors. See the Kinetic sculptures in a new light. 7 - 11 pm at the Kinetic Lab, 820 N St in Arcata. Info: 822-4805.

Friday, October 31: HSU Music Dept. Halloween Cabaret, a Music Club fundraiser. 8 pm in the Fulkerson Recital Hall, HSU. \$5. Info: 826-3456.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Saturday and Sunday, October 18 and 19: Halloween Harvest Festival with handmade crafts, local musicians, a pumpkin patch, and family friendly activities. Help non-profits raise awareness and funds through interactive activities. Costumes encouraged. Saturday 10 - 5 and Sunday 10 - 4 at Redwood Acres Fairgrounds. \$1. Info: 443-8267.

Wednesday, October 22: Family Literacy Night: "Carpathian, the Gentle Ghoul," providing thrills and chills for the whole family, with stories to make you giggle, tremble, and wonder. 6:30 pm at the Humboldt County Library, 1313 3rd St., Eureka. Info: 269-1910, www.humlib.org.

Friday, October 24: 23rd Annual Science Night at C/R featuring fun for all ages and including demonstrations, hands-on activities, experiments, and lectures. Free. 5 - 9 pm at College of the Redwoods. Info: 476-4211.

Saturday, October 25: Owl Discovery Afternoon. Humboldt Wildlife Care Center volunteers bring live, education owls to the Museum for a visit. See special owl education displays and take part in owl crafts and activities set up around the museum. 1 - 3 pm at the HSU Natural History Museum. Free with admission. Info: 826-4479.

Sunday, October 28: Boo at the Zoo, with Halloween treats for the animals and activities for the kids. Costumes encouraged. Games, arts and crafts and prizes. Free with zoo admission. 11 am - 2 pm at Sequoia Park Zoo, Eureka. Info: 442-5649.

PROTECT THE EARTH & ITS LIVING CREATURES

Saturday, October 25: Electronic Waste and Auto Battery Collection. Items with circuit boards such as T.V.s, computer monitors, towers, stereos, microwaves with digital screens, cell phones, items with digital clocks and other electronics that are programmable as well as batteries may be dropped off at Redwood Acres. 10 am - 2 pm. Free. Info: 268-8030.

Saturdays, Ongoing: Free tours of the Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary. Rain-or-shine, docent-led field trips. Meet with binoculars in the parking lot at the south end of I Street in Arcata at 8:30 am.

Saturdays, Ongoing: Friends of the Arcata Marsh Docent-Led Walks. A 90-minute, docent-led walk focusing on different topics of the marsh. 2 pm at the Interpretive Center on South G St. Info: 826-2359.

WORKSHOPS, CLASSES, MISCELLANY

T Time on Tuesdays. Every Tuesday at 5:30 pm we at Democracy Unlimited will be dedicating our staff time to doing the nuts and bolts organizing needed to mobilize the community into action. Be part of the effort! Info: 269-0984.

Catalysts For Change Seeks Volunteers. Looking for volunteers to help mobilize local youth leaders to work towards youth suicide prevention. Info: 443-9659.

Ongoing: Volunteer Center of the Redwoods (VCOR) The Drop of a Hat Brigade connects volunteers of all ages with one time and short-term events. RSVP provides benefits such as limited mileage reimbursement for volunteers ages 55 and older. DOORS lends support to volunteers with disabilities. Info on these and other volunteer opportunities: 442-3711 or www.a1aa.org/VCOR/.

Fridays, Ongoing: Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance: Arcata Support Groups; free, voluntary, and open peer-support groups for those experiencing depression (seasonal, situational, or chronic) and/or mood swings. Open to the public. Family and friends are also welcome. 6 pm at the Arcata Library Conference Room. Info: 443-9659 or dbsahumb@sbcglobal.net.

MEETINGS

Women's Int'l League for Peace and Freedom will have no monthly meeting for September. October's meeting will be in the Arcata library conference room on Monday, October 27.

ELECTION INFO

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CANDIDATE FORUMS On KEET-TV:

Monday, October 20: U.S. Congress, 1st District, 7 pm.

Wednesday, October 22: Fortuna City Council, 7 pm.

Monday, October 27: Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District Divisions 1 & 3, 7 pm.

Wednesday, October 29: Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District Division 2, 7 pm.

TALK SHOWS, COMMENTARY, & MEDIA SPECIALS

Regularly scheduled programs are now listed in the insert. Special programs or specific guests will be listed here.

Bill Moyers Journal Interviews and news analysis on a wide range of issues. PBS, KEET TV Channel 13 on Fridays at 9 pm and Wednesdays at 11:30 am, or on the Internet at www.pbs.org/moyers/journal.

Access Humboldt (Channels 10 & 12, public access TV, was ACAT, was APEG, was HCMC). For program schedule, submission policies and program request forms, go to www.accesshumboldt.net. Info: 476-1798.

Thursdays at 1:30 pm: **Econews Report** is on the air with hosts Greg King and Erica Terence; on KHSU, 90.5 FM. Info: 822-6918 or www.yournec.org.



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Newsletter, **Oct. 14, '08**. Vol. 14, Number 19. Published semi-monthly on 2nd & 4th Tuesdays; **next Oct. 28, '08**. For calendar items PO Box 385, Arcata 95518 or e-mail to hopecoalition@igc.org. **Next deadline. Oct. 24, '08**. Write or e-mail for sample newsletter. Newsletter staff: Mayer Segal, Michael Welch, Dave Keniston, Mara Segal, Paloma Orinoco. Web site: www.hopecoalition.org.

"Chaotic Action is Preferable to Orderly Inaction"—Will Rogers

Potluck/Letter Writing Monthly: First Friday, next Nov. 7, 6 pm at 2322 Golf Course Rd., Bayside. Bring change for postage and optionally info on issues. For more info: call Wendy at 822-9377. For monthly reminders: mobilmed@igc.org.

Corporate Media Censors Global Warming Ad

The ABC network is accused of censoring an ad scheduled for 20/20 the same night as last week's presidential debate. The ad is part of the "We Campaign" of the Alliance for Climate Protection. The ad asks, "So why are we still stuck on dirty and expensive energy?" Then it answers, "Because Big Oil spends hundreds of millions of dollars to block clean energy," then goes on to explain the problems of "Lobbyists, ads, even scandals, all to increase their profits, while America suffers."

The ad has run on several other major networks, so why did ABC find it objectionable? They say because it used an image of Congress superimposed with "BIG OIL SPENDS HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS TO BLOCK CLEAN ENERGY," and apparently that is against their rules.

ABC said, "Per our Guidelines, national buildings may be used in advertising provided the depictions are incidental to the advertiser's promotion of the product or service. Given the messages and themes of this commercial, the image of the Capital building is not incidental to this advertising. Please replace the image with one that is not of another national building or monument. Thank you."

But replacing the ad would be expensive and time-consuming, according to the Alliance.

You can view the ad here, and use the online request form to insist that ABC run the ad on the next 20/20 news show, where it was next scheduled to run.

www.wecansolveit.org/page/s/ABC

When questioned, ABC told *The Guardian*, "All of our advertising is reviewed on a case-by-case basis, and the context of this particular ad was determined not to be acceptable per our policy on controversial issue advertising."

- - - HOPE Coalition Needs Your Support - - -

The Objective of the HOPE Coalition:

To synthesize & promote the individual visions of the organizations that make up Humboldt's environmentally & socially just community. These include, but are not limited to, the following organizations: Environmental, Social Justice, Peace, Labor, & Human Service.

Yes, I would like to help support the HOPE Coalition's newsletter and other efforts:

- \$25 \$50 \$100
 \$500 \$15 \$_____ other

Name _____

Address _____

Make checks to payable to: HOPE Coalition.

Email _____

I wish to receive newsletter by

- US mail Email Both

Phone _____

The HOPE Coalition - PO Box 385 Arcata, CA 95518 - hopecoalition@igc.org - www.hopecoalition.org

The HOPE Coalition Newsletter is available in Arcata at: the Co-op, & the Northcoast Environmental Center; at the main Humboldt, Arcata, McKinleyville, and Trinidad libraries; and at the Senior Center in Eureka.

HOPE Coalition Newsletter Insert—this insert contains regularly scheduled events. For special happenings and one-time events, see the regular calendar that follows the page one editorial.

PEACE NEWS

Peace Vigils Fridays 5 - 6 pm on the Arcata Plaza. Mondays at 4 pm at the Courthouse in Eureka, 445-5100 ext. 215, ask for Jack.
Vets for Peace Silent Vigil; Fridays, 5 - 6 pm: SW corner Arcata Plaza.
Vets for Peace, Humboldt Bay Chapter 56 meets 1st Thurs. at 7 pm: at the Arcata Marsh Commons. Info: 826-7124.
Women in Black stand in silent vigil every **Friday 5 - 6 pm** at the **Arcata Plaza**, 8th & G, at the **Humboldt County Courthouse** (also Saturdays at noon), the **McKinleyville Shopping Center** on the grassy area out front, and **Fridays 4 - 5 pm** in **Trinidad** at the intersection of Scenic Dr. and Main St.

TALK SHOWS, WORKSHOPS & COMMENTARY

Access Humboldt (Channels 10 & 12, public access TV). For program schedule, submission policies, and program request forms: www.accesshumboldt.net. Channel 12 schedule posted weekly in the Arcata Eye. Info: 476-1798.

COMMENTARY on KEET TV Channel 13 445-8013: **Wide Angle** Tues. at 9 pm

NOW with David Brancaccio. Fri. at 8:30 pm:

COMMENTARY on KGOE 1480 am, 442-2000: **Thom Hartmann**, weekdays 9 am - noon.

Peter B. Collins, weekdays 3 - 6 pm. Progressive talk show from San Francisco.

COMMENTARY on KHSU, 90.5 fm, 826-6089. **Democracy Now!** with Amy Goodman: weekdays 9 - 10 am.

The Econews Report with Greg King. 1:30 pm Thursdays.

A World of Possibilities locally produced syndicated public affairs program. 1:30 pm Wednesdays. Info: 826-9111 ext. 18.

COMMENTARY on KMUD, 88.3 fm, 923-2513. **Counterspin**, Sunday 1 - 1:30 pm.

Alternative Radio, Mondays 9 am. Boulder-based award-winning weekly series with David Barsamian.

Animal Advocate, 2nd Thursday, 7 - 8 pm. Animal welfare issues. Info: Barbara Shultz at 986-7835, animaladvocate4@yahoo.com.

A World of Possibilities locally produced syndicated public affairs program. 9 am Tuesdays. Info: 826-9111 ext. 18.

Democracy Now! with Amy Goodman; noon, Mon. - Fri. Also 4 pm Access Humboldt Channel 12. Also 11 am on KIDE 91.3 fm. Also on Free Speech TV (FSTV) Mon. - Fri. midnight, 8 am, noon, or 7 pm.

Civil Liberties Monitoring Project Report; 1st Wednesday, 7 - 8 pm. 923-4646.

Politically Correct Week in Review, call-in radio show, 2nd, 4th, & 5th Mondays at 7 pm 923-3911.

All Things Reconsidered with Eric Kirk. 3rd Thursday at 7 pm.

Global Stuff call-in talk show with Jimmy Durchslag, last Friday, 7 - 8 pm.

PROTECT THE EARTH & ITS LIVING CREATURES

Adopt-the-Bay. Participate in a number of tasks aimed at maintaining a healthy Humboldt Bay. All welcome. Info: 443-0801.

Audubon Society Field Trips; Free field trips through the Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary every Saturday at 8:30 am at the Klopp Lake parking lot (foot of I St. in Arcata). Bring your binoculars. Rain or shine. Info: 268-8052 or 822-3613.

Campus Center for Appropriate Technology; info: 826-3551.

Friends of the Dunes; Restoration workdays the first 3 Saturdays every month, 9 am - 1 pm. Info: 444-1397 or info@friendsofthedunes.org. Complete calendar: www.friendsofthedunes.org.

Friends of the Marsh guided interpretive walks every Saturday 2 pm at the Interpretive Center on South G St., Arcata. Info: 826-2359.

Redwood Alliance Climate Action Project. (Public meetings temporarily suspended until after the election.) Info: 822-6171, climatechange@redwoodalliance.org; www.redwoodalliance.org.

Wild Urban Gardeners! Meets Wednesdays at 7 pm, 1552 Spear Ave. in Arcata. Promoting food & native plant species, information about compost, greenhouses, seed banks, and community gardens. Info: 822-5861.

ARTS

Arts Alive! Eureka; first Saturday of the month at venues around town. Art, music, dance, refreshments. Info: 442-9054.

Arts! Arcata; second Friday of the month at venues around town and at HSU. Art, music, dance, refreshments. Info: 822-4500.

The Ink People; 411 12th St, Eureka. Hours: Tuesday - Saturday, 11 am - 4 pm. Info: 442-8413 www.inkpeople.org.

Arcata Artisans Cooperative Gallery; H St. on the Plaza. Mon. - Sat. 10 - 6, Sun. 12 - 5. Info: 825-9133, www.arcataartisans.com.

Westhaven Center for the Arts; 501 S. Westhaven Dr. Info: 677-0860, www.westhavenarts.org.

First Street Gallery; 422 First Street, Eureka. Tuesday - Sunday from noon - 5 pm. Info: 443-6363 or www.humboldt.edu/~first.

Clarke Historical Museum; 240 E St., Eureka. Info: 443-1947 or www.clarkemuseum.org.

Morris Graves Museum; 636 F St., Eureka. Wed. - Sun. 12 - 5 pm. www.humboldtarts.org

MEETINGS

Arcata's Nuclear Weapons Free Zone and Peace Commission; 1st Tues. 6:30 pm at Arcata City Hall, 736 F St. Info: 822-5951.
Commission on Status of Women meets 3d Tuesday at 6 pm. Call for place: 822-2502 or www.co.humboldt.ca.us/commissions/csw/.
Eureka Greens meet 3rd Saturday of every month. 3:30-5pm. 321 Coffee (321 Third St. in Old Town). Info: www.EurekaGreens.com.
Green Wheels; Mondays 6:30 pm at the Northcoast Environmental Center. Info: mail@green-wheels.org or www.green-wheels.org.
Humboldt County Human Rights Commission meets 2nd Tues. City Courthouse, Rm. B, Eureka, 6 pm. Info: 268-2548.
Humboldt Democratic Central Committee; 2nd Wednesday at 7 pm. 129 Fifth St. Info: 445-3366 or www.humboltdemocrats.org.
Humboldt Exchange Community Currency Project. Call for meetings: 269-0984.
Humboldt Watershed Council at NEC, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7 - 9 pm. Info: sheds@humboldt1.com.
Mother Jones Club & Humboldt Communist Alliance. Call for meeting times: ncalview@igc.org or 839-3824.
NAACP; Regular 3rd Sunday at 3:30 pm, **PAC** at 2:30 pm, Cooper Gulch Ctr., 8th & Myrtle, Eureka. Info: 268-8287 or 442-2638.
North Coast IWW, the Wobblies meets every 3rd Wed. 6:30 - 8 pm at the Labor Temple, 840 E St., Eureka. Info: 725-8090.
Northern Humboldt Greens meet 2nd Tuesday of the month, 7 - 8 pm. Info: Shaye, 237-2790 or email arcata@greens.org.
Redwood Chapter ACLU meets 3rd Thursday at noon at 917 Third St. in Eureka. Blog at redwoodaclu.blogspot.com. Info: 215-5385.
Sequoia Greens of southern Humboldt. Call for meetings: 923-4488 or encimer@hotmail.com.
Veterans for Peace (SoHum Chapter); 1st Tuesday of Each Month at 7pm at Haynes Vets Hall, Garberville.
Vets for Peace (Humboldt Chapter 56); 1st Thursday at 7 pm in Arcata. Info: 826-7124.
Women's International League for Peace and Freedom (WILPF); meets the last Monday, 7 - 9 pm at the Arcata Public Library, 500 7th St., Arcata. Info: Carol at 668-1901.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Arts in the Afternoon; a free art studio for teens (6th - 12th grade). Open week days during the school year, 3 - 6 pm at Arcata Community Center. Sponsored by City of Arcata's Recreation Division. Info: 825-2028.
Cyber Tribe; a local non-profit business where youth can use and gain knowledge in computers. Open to age 12 - 19. Info: 826-1160.
HSU's Natural History Museum, 1315 G St. Arcata. Free drop-in programs on Saturdays at 1 pm. Program info: 826-4479.
Humboldt County Library in Eureka Story Hour: 10 am Fridays & other programs. Info: Jo Ann Bauer, 269-1900.
Humboldt County Teen Court is looking for teen volunteers. Info: 444-0153.
Mondays, Fridays, & Saturdays: PULSE, new Teen Recreation Center; regular programming from 6 - 9 pm at the John Ryan Youth Center, 1653 J St, Eureka. Info: 268-1858.
Raven Project Queer Coffee House for Youth; Tuesday, 6:30 - 9 pm. Also, girls & women 10 - 24 years meet Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:30 pm, 523 T St., Eureka, 443-7099.

COMMUNITY & WELL-BEING SERVICES

Buddhist Queers (lesbian, gay, bi, transsexual) Vipassana, Zen, etc. Beginners welcome. phone 269-7044.
Health Insurance and Advocacy Program (HICAP) provides objective information, help, and advocacy for people relying on Medicare. Info and appointments: 444-3000.
Humboldt Community Switchboard can direct anyone to services in Humboldt County. Info: 441-1001 or www.theswitchboard.org.
Humboldt Domestic Violence Services Support Groups; all services are free. Info & child care: 444-9255. 24-Hour Crisis Line: 443-6042 or toll free 866-668-6543.
Humboldt Literacy Project, to improve adult reading skills necessary to function on the job, in the family, & in the community. Free & confidential. Info: 445-3655 or www.humlit.org.
Nature-Based Spiritual Queers (GLBT) pagan, Native American traditions, etc. Newcomers welcome. phone 269-7044.
North Coast Rape Crisis Team; 24 hour crisis line: 445-2881. Business phone: 443-2737.
The Area 1 Agency on Aging sponsors many senior programs. Info: 442-9591 or www.a1aa.org.
The Emma Center Advocacy, support, referral services, library, and classes for trauma and abuse survivors. 920 Samoa Blvd. Suite 207, Arcata. Info: 825-6680 or info@emmacenter.org or www.emmacenter.org.
Vision Loss Services; Lighthouse of the North Coast, solutions for living with vision loss. Info: 268-5646 or www.lighthouse-sf.org.