



**LONGBOAT KEY
DEMOCRATIC CLUB**

Join Us!

For Our 2019-2020

Luncheon Programs

Sarasota Yacht Club

1100 John Ringling Boulevard, Sarasota, Florida

Luncheon Timing:

Registration: 11:30 am Program: 11:45 am

Lunch: 12:30 pm Followup Q/A: 1:00 pm Adjournment: 2:00 pm

You can sign-up for all luncheons on our website www.lbkdem.com within 30 days of the event.

**Friday,
October 4,
2019
11:00 am
start time**

Dale Anderson

Preserving Democracy: Protecting our Election Process

Dale is a physician whose career has included: the practice of internal and emergency medicine, CEO of a large medical group practice, hospital executive in large health systems and consultant with a health care strategy company. He has presented locally on a variety of subjects including "The Rise of Kleptocracy", "Is America Safe for Democracy", "A Scorecard for America" and "How Fascism Works".

**Tuesday,
Nov. 5,
2019**

Wendell Porter

Climate and Energy: Where do we go now?

Wendell is a Senior Lecturer and Undergraduate Advisor with the Agricultural and Biological Engineering Department at the University of Florida. Wendell has been a professional engineer since 1987 earning his PhD in Engineering in 2003. His energy engineering work includes water and wastewater facilities, renewable energy systems, food processing and residential housing.

**Tuesday,
Dec. 3,
2019**

Jay Rixse

The Role of Intelligence Today: Has it Changed?

Following a career in the U.S. Navy Jay served on the National Security Council staff and as the special assistant to the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of Defense. At the CIA Jay served as NSC and Presidential Briefing Coordinator for the Director of Central Intelligence; responsible for current intelligence including the President's Daily Brief, and as Executive Secretary of the CIA.

**Tuesday,
Jan. 7,
2020**

Bill Cotter

Racial and Political Gerrymandering in the Supreme Court

Bill graduated from Harvard College and Harvard Law School and was formerly President and Professor of Constitutional Law at Colby College, 1979-2000. He was then President of the Oak Foundation in Geneva, Switzerland. Prior to Colby he was President of the Africa-America Institute, and a Ford Foundation Representative for Venezuela and Colombia.

**Tuesday,
Feb. 4,
2020**

Bruce Maggin

Disrupted Media: Disrupted Democracy

Bruce is Founder and Managing Partner of the H.A.M Media Group, an international investment and advisory firm specializing in the media, entertainment and communications industries. He was formerly Executive V.P. and head of the ABC Multimedia Group responsible for directing ABC's activities in the digital world including a broad range of ventures for emerging media platforms.

Tuesday,
March 3,
2020

Ray Lombra

Trump vs. Jerome Powell: Lessons Unlearned

Ray is Professor of Economics and Senior Advisor to the Dean at Pennsylvania State University. He has served as a senior staff economist at the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. He is a specialist and award-winning teacher in monetary economics and macroeconomics, with a focus on central bank policy and international finance. He is the author of seventy-five articles and six books.

Tuesday,
March 31,
2020

Dean Snow

The Lessons of Prehistoric and Early Historic Migrations

Dean is an archaeologist who has worked in North America, Mexico, and Europe. He earned his PhD in 1964 and then taught at the University of Maine and the University of Albany. In 1995 Dean became head of the Department of Anthropology at Pennsylvania State University. He retired from teaching in 2013. Dean has published 16 books and over 100 chapters, journal articles, and site reports.

Message from the LBKDC Club President



For decades the Longboat Key Democratic Club has provided means for local residents to support Democratic candidates, to hear from knowledgeable and stimulating speakers, to link to other Democratic Party efforts, and to impact government decisions based on our values. And now, for the 2019-20 program year, we are setting our sights on being more effective than ever before!

Our Club meets for lunch and discussion on the first Tuesday of the month, from November - April. Our luncheons are held at the Sarasota Yacht Club, 1100 John Ringling Boulevard, Sarasota. Our guest speakers give presentations that are stimulating, relevant, and humorous. The presenters include local and state officials, candidates, political pundits, journalists, and entertainers. Our new luncheon format has Registration at 11:30, the Speaker at 11:45, Lunch and Club updates at 12:30, an extended Q&A with the Speaker at 1:00, and adjournment at 2:00.

Increasingly, we host luncheons, receptions, and Meet & Greet events from May through October. We also coordinate our activities with the captains for Sarasota and Manatee precincts. And our members work hard to keep voters informed, educated and involved, even in off-years. Most Longboat Key residents are already registered to vote so our volunteers register voters elsewhere in both counties. For years we have strongly supported Democratic Party efforts in the Newtown neighborhood in north Sarasota.

Most of these efforts will require Club funds. We need your strong support now. Please complete the form on the next page and return it with your check today. **THANK YOU** for helping your Longboat Key Democratic Club make a difference!

Ken Marsh
President

It is the mission of the Longboat Key Democratic Club to support the election of nominated Democrats at the local, state and national levels of elective office. We cannot accomplish our mission without your help. 2020 is a critical year in our nation. Please join us and help retake the White House and other important elections. Last year, we created new categories of financial support to assist Democrats in their campaign efforts. Please cut out and complete the renew/new member forms below and return with your annual dues to P.O. Box 8025, Longboat Key, Fl. 34228 or go to our website www.lbkdemocrats.com and follow the link on the Home Page to complete online forms and use Paypal or a credit card



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MEMBERSHIP JANUARY 1, 2019 - DECEMBER 31, 2019

To support the club's election year efforts, I would like to (check one)
renew now _____, or become a new member _____.

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OTHER ADDRESS _____

OTHER PHONE # _____ ALT EMAIL _____



MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES FOR ANNUAL DUES PLEASE CHOOSE ONE AND CHECK THE BOX

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PLATINUM MEMBERSHIP FOR ENTIRE FAMILY () \$500.00

GOLD MEMBERSHIP FOR ENTIRE FAMILY () \$300.00

SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP FOR ENTIRE FAMILY () \$250.00

REGULAR MEMBERSHIP () \$30.00 () \$50.00 PER COUPLE

MY ANNUAL DUES CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF _____ IS ENCLOSED

MY CONTRIBUTION OF () \$25.00 () \$50.00 () \$100.00 FOR CLUB'S ACTIVITIES IS ALSO ENCLOSED

THANK YOU

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