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WELCOME TO SANITY

IT'S GOOD TO BE A DEMOCRAT

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Cornbread & Beans Lunch: Friday, October 2, 2015, noon to 1 pm. One hour only. Held at our party headquarters at 610A SW Lee Blvd., Lawton. Bring some beans and cornbread, or some other goodies, or nothing at all. We're still learning how to eat beans without talking at the same time. **Join us in an eating fest---and bring something with you besides your mouth!**

Also on Friday, October 2, 2015, from 4 pm to 8 pm: Lawton's Open Streets event on C Avenue from 2nd-5th Streets (across from Central Mall). Glenda Stewart's putting together a Democratic presence at this event which drew 4,000 people last year. It's all about giving our kids a good time. Call Glenda at (580) 284-4033 to help her make this a success! Come to our meeting this coming Monday, September 21, to learn more about this!

Attend our monthly meeting this Monday, September 21, 2015, at 6 pm at the Great Plains Technology Center, 4500 SW Lee Blvd., Lawton, in Building 100, Room 118 (auditorium). Your presence at these meetings makes us feel loved! There will be lots of news and activities announced that'll make you feel good about being a Democrat.

We're looking for Democrats who will run for office. Besides needing Democrats for OK House seats, there's a OK Senate seat being vacated by Don Barrington, as he's terming out. Plus, there are four Comanche County offices up, some of which are already occupied by good Democrats, but we need your input! One thing's for sure: we won't win seats just complaining.

Contact Mark Ashton at (580) 647-4955 to sign up to run for office. Time's a-wasting!

Hopefully, you've already heard of the tremendous victory of Cyndi Munson, a Democrat who won OK House District 85's seat that had been held by a Republican for 50 years, including when the seat was held by Mary Fallin. Cyndi attributes her victory to door-to-door canvassing; a lesson we've got to learn here in Comanche County.

On a sad note, we lost two good Democrats recently: Stanley Haywood, who held the Ward 7 council person's seat for many years, and Delores Myles, who was a regular attendee at our meetings, a precinct chair, and a very active Democrat until her health prevented her.

For some reason, the Comanche County Commissioners recently

drastically cut the funds for the Comanche County Election Board. This has hurt the operation of the voting process here. Call your county commissioner to express your thoughts on this cut.

Plans for our annual banquet on Saturday, November 14, 2015, are moving along. As with all our efforts, we need volunteers to help make this event a success. Please come to the meeting Monday, September 21 and raise your hand---it's not really that heavy a body part!

We still need Democrats to step forward to be Election Officials. The positions are permanent until you resign or are replaced. These are the people who sit behind the table at the polling place who check you in and give you a ballot. It pays \$84.00 each election. Contact Charles Kolker, our party's Chair, at (580) 351-7265 to be nominated by our party.

WE STILL NEED VOLUNTEERS! PLEASE CALL,
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