

WILTON DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE
May 8, 2007 Meeting
APPROVED MINUTES

ATTENDEES: Eric Fanwick, Troy Ellen Dixon, Richard Creeth, David Borglum, Tom Burgess, Charlie Lewis, Fred Herot, Ernie Loser, John Kalamarides, Sharon Grace, Ted Hofstatter, Jon Tan

Absent and Excused: Deborah McFadden, Kathleen Warner, Toni Lee, Alice Ayers, John Gardiner, Scott Kimmich, Ernie Ricco, Brian Lilly, Hallie Wofsy, Art Shulman, Barbara Massy Bear, Margaret Reeves, Lois Alcosser, Margaret Derose

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m.

MINUTES APPROVAL

The minutes from the April 3, 2007 DTC meeting is unanimously approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Wilton DTC has a balance of \$1,031.92, but we have an insurance premium of \$930.80 due.

CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Voices in Conflict WHS reflections. There was a very balanced Letter to the Editor in the last edition of The Wilton Bulletin. The author had seen the play in NYC.
2. DTC Breakfast Fundraiser w/Ned Lamont, Susan Bysewicz, Jim Himes, and Jim Shapiro, Sat. May 19th. 37 tickets have been sold. Pls continue to sell tickets.
3. There is a Norwalk Dems Pot Luck Supper on May 20th, 5-8pm at Bayley Beach Park, Rowayton. Each ticket is \$30 (\$25 if you bring a dish). Pls RSVP if you want to go (203) 838 2912.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership

No update

Nominating

The DTC is looking for nominations to the Energy Commission. Please let Toni Lee or Ted Hofstatter know if you have any thoughts.

Platform

The DTC Platform will be distributed before the next meeting. It will be discussed in the June DTC meeting and approved at the Caucus in July.

Finance

Fundraiser Breakfast—hand out more tickets.

The 4th Congressional District's DTC's are enthusiastic about holding a joint fundraiser. The thought is selling tickets for the Bluefish Game. Each town's DTC contingents will be separate. Tom Burgess volunteered to lead this effort, for July or August.

Campaign

The DTC is looking for a new Campaign Chair.

It is put forward to have Kathleen Warner be the new Campaign Chair.

By-Laws

No report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Adopt 100 Dems Plan Update

- Please email your 107 names in to Jon Tan. We have 830 of the 2,658 names picked by DTC members.
- Troy Ellen Dixon proposes a phone script for all to use on the first call
- The objective is to make only 2 phone calls per week

2. Senator Dodd Presidential Endorsement

There will be a vote taken at the next DTC meeting on whether we would endorse Dodd for the Democratic Presidential nominee.

Pros:

- Dodd is a very experienced Senator
- Dodd is personable
- Dodd is our home-town Senator

Cons:

- It is early in the season
- Dodd is not in the top tier of Presidential nominees

The meeting was adjourned at 9:05 pm.

END OF MINUTES