

LWV DC MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

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PLANNING POTLUCK:

Thank you to all the members who helped with planning the LWV DC's calendar of events for 2013-14 at a potluck luncheon on Friday, July 19th. Great food and ideas!

The League of Women Voters is a co-sponsor of Wisconsin Women's Network's annual celebration of National Women's Equality Day on Monday, August 26th! Join powerful and inspiring women leaders from across the state to honor 93 years of women's suffrage in the U.S. and look together towards a future of full equality for all. For more information go to <http://wiwomensnetwork.org/news/wed2013> or call (608) 255-9809.

FALL ACTIVITIES - MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

The first activity for the 2013-14 LWV DC year will be Thurs., Sep. 19 at 6 pm at Crossroads. Peter Sigman, our new Board Director, will share results of a water study carried out over the past few years in Southern Door. Jim Olson will present the Kewaunee County data from the Kewaunee Cares water testing that has been gathered for about a year. Keep watching for more details on upcoming events! You are always welcome to attend Board meetings. Our next Board meeting will be Fri., Sep. 13, 11:30-1 pm in the Sturgeon Bay Library conference room upstairs.

STORAGE SPACE:

Would any member have accessible storage space for several boxes of LWV materials that we use on a regular basis? We are still in need! If so, please let me know by email or phone.

Thank you's to all those who participated in the Silent Auction. Don't forget to collect on your purchases (baked goods, etc.) Remember that donations are formally acknowledged after the first of the year for your tax records.

A note I received from Susan McAninch: "Would you please pass along my gratitude to Shirley Senarighi and the LWV membership for the recent acknowledgment at the annual meeting of my continued connection with Azerbaijan. I must admit to some embarrassment in accepting any "award," since this ongoing relationship is one of those wonderful serendipitous things in life; the stars aligned by meeting Anar two years ago when the Azerbaijani delegation visited Door County, then his inviting me to contribute a sort of "Dear Abby" column (based on Western psychological theory) for the readers of the magazine he publishes. And well, it has stuck. But to the extent that this warm relationship reflects in some small way the goals of the LWV and the Library of Congress Open World program to promote democratic values, I accept the League's award and thank you very much. I feel honored to be a part of the League of Women Voters."

LWV FORWARD newsletter from LWV WI - mine came today. Particularly new members, if you don't get yours in the next week let me know!

Congratulations and best wishes to newly married Dawn (Kuelz) VandeVoort, our new Treasurer!

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