LWV DC MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

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My last chance to make this a January Update!!! Thanks to ALL for all the hard work discussing the State Positions both in December and in January!

"Group Order Being Placed" - The LWV DC Board is placing a group order of the LWV US publication, Impact on Issues 2012-14 A Guide to Public Policy Positions, A brief excerpt from the booklet's Foreward: "Impact on Issues is designed to help League members use LWV US public policy positions at the state and local levels. It not only includes the official statements of position for each program area, it also briefly traces significant past actions and achievements and indicates links among positions. This is a great resource! A clear understanding of LWV US positions, how they interrelate and how they complement and reinforce state, local and Inter-League Organization positions strengthens the League's "Impact on Issues" at all levels of government.

Please let Sandy Brown know if you want to order a copy; the cost is \$10.00 per booklet.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Next Board meeting will be Friday, Feb. 14 at 11:30 at the Sturgeon Bay library.

Our next Door County LWV meeting will highlight school funding. It is scheduled for Feb. 19, 6-8 PM in the library Jane Greene Room. We will take part in a learning simulation, facilitated by Patti Vickman (a league member and Southern door Administrator, Linda Underwood (Sevastopol Administrator) and Sue Todey, Sevastopol school board member. Kathy Rhode from Bayland Educators Association will be joining us as a facilitator, too.

There are a limited number of seats at the tables, 24 to be exact. Reservations are required, contact Barb Graul at <u>tgraul@sbcglobal.net</u> or 743-6842. This is a commitment as you will be taking a space. If there are still open slots after Feb. 4, we will open it up to others.

HELP!! We are doing 3 Candidate Forums! <u>SPRING ELECTION CYCLE HELP NEEDED!!!</u> <u>See attached.</u>

Feb. 11, 7 pm, So. Door School Board Forum, S.D.H.S.Lib.,

Mar. 8, 10 am, Co.Bd., Sup. Dist. 16 Forum, Jacksonport Town Hall,

Mar. 22, 10 am, Liberty Grove Town Board, Liberty Grove Town Hall

Feb. 20, Thursday, 6:00 PM - 6:00 PM AIRPORT & PARKS COMMITTEE MEETING -- LIBERTY GROVE TOWN HALL - 11161 OLD STAGE ROAD. Sandy will be going, anyone want a ride?

Full calendar also attached.

TerraCycle – Sustain Door is collecting: ink cartridges, old worn out computer mice and keyboards, dead cell phones, dental care items of all kinds (even old tubes!), scotch tape related items: cores, dispensers, dairy tubs, solo cups, ball point pens! Ask your nearest LWV Board member if they will take them and we will get them to Sustain Door!

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