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Calendar (League activities in bold)

| EVENT/ACTIVITY | DATE | DAY | TIME | LOCATION |
|---|---------|-----|-----------|---|
| R&W Training session | April 5 | Tu | 7-9 pm | Bobbie Porter's house, 1 Millhouse Lane, Cherry Hill. (Call 856-429-1415 for directions). For people working at the <i>Running & Winning</i> event. |
| LWVCC Board Meeting | Apr 6 | W | 7 pm | Vogelson Library. |
| Last day to register for Board of Ed Election | Apr 6 | W | All day | Municipal buildings etc... |
| Cherry Hill Board of Ed forum | Apr 11 | M | 7:30 p.m. | Rosa International Middle School on Browning Road in Cherry Hill. The LWVCC will be moderating. |
| Running & Winning | Apr 13 | W | Morning | Eastern High School |
| Freeholder Caucus | Apr 19 | Tu | 6 pm | Freeholder Conf. Room, 16th Floor, Courthouse, 520 Market St, Camden |
| Freeholder public meeting | Apr 21 | Th | 7 pm | Lindenwold High School |
| Board of Ed Election | Apr 27 | W | Varied | Check local times. Wednesday in 2011 |

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Board Report

At its Mar 2, 2011 meeting, the LWVCC board:

1. Decided against a March meeting on immigration.
2. Discussed locations for the Annual Meeting, possibly Lamberti's.
3. Developed several plans for the Fall Kickoff. The Trolley Tour is now plan B. We prefer to partner with another organization and have a speaker.
4. Decided to apply for a collaboration award in the LWVNJ Convention awards list.
5. Discussed the LWVUS Member Recruitment Initiative and whether we should participate.

League of Women Voters of Camden County

Co-Presidents' Message:



Hello Fellow Members!

Spring is almost here, and that means *Running & Winning*, our exciting workshop for high school girls, is upon us: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13th at Eastern Regional High School, in Voorhees. The topic this year is Bullying and Cyber-bullying.

By now, all of our loyal volunteers should have been notified of the necessary details for the training session on April 5th (7-9 pm at Bobbie Porter's house) and for the day of the program. If you want to participate but have not been contacted, or if you have any questions, please contact Karen Avenick (856-784-8977) or one of us.

Our nominating committee—Donna Lawrence & Renee Robbins (co-chairpersons), Martha Kaplan, & Annette Dorf-Hills-- has been charged with presenting a slate of candidates to our annual meeting. If one of the committee members calls you, please consider serving in some capacity. WE NEED YOUR TALENT & YOUR IDEAS!

We are delighted to report that Riletta Cream, who recently resigned from the Camden County Board of Freeholders after a long & distinguished career as an educator & public official, has accepted our invitation to speak at our annual meeting and luncheon, so SAVE THE DATE: SATURDAY, JUNE 11th.

In League, Winnefred Rowell-Bullard & Harriet Snyder
Co-Presidents

The League of Women Voters, a nonpartisan political organization of men and women, encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy.

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Getting there - Directions!

Camden County Courthouse: Take 676 north to Mickle Blvd. Flow right at the fork (don't go on Campbell Place), then turn right onto 5th street in a few blocks. The courthouse is at 5th and Federal, a block up from Mickle.

Camden, Federal Courthouse: 4th and Cooper, but we generally car pool. Call 856-795-7878 if you're interested. *About 3-4 blocks from the City Hall PATCO station.*

Lindenwold High School: 801 Egg Harbor Rd. Take Route 30 (WHP) south past the Echelon Mall area to Gibbsboro Road. Turn left at that intersection (with traffic light). In a bit less than a mile, cross Egg Harbor Road and see the school on your right.

Voorhees: Eastern Regional High School (1401 Laurel Oak Road). On Route 561 southbound, Laurel Oak is 1.3 miles below Evesham Road. Turn left at the light, see the school in 0.5 miles.

Voorhees: Vogelson Regional Library: Driving south on 30, turn left onto Somerdale Road (gas station with red horizontal stripes on your left, Cunningham's Cleaners on the right), just above the Echelon Mall. Go under the train bridge in about a half mile, then turn right onto Burnt Mill (at the light). Soon turn left onto Laurel Road at a light. (There is a kind of small park with grass and trees on your left just before the turn and a flower-decorated median on Laurel itself). The library is on your right as you pass the mall. Burnt Mill Road also crosses 544 (Evesham Road) north of the library and White Horse Road (an extension of Springdale) south of it. If you know where the Echelon Mall is, you're home!

March is Women's History Month!

Check out some of the Women's History Links on the LWVCC web site:

<http://www.lwvnj.org/camdencounty/Links.html#Women>

- [Women's Guide to Rights and Resources in NJ](#) -- A bit dated, but overall, an excellent resource.
- [New Jersey Women's history](#). A thorough and comprehensive site on women's history in New Jersey, maintained by the Alice Paul Institute.
- [National Women's History Project](#). A fine coverage of women's history and issues at the national level. Check out the [resource center](#) link on the left. One resource is a detailed [timeline of women's rights](#).
- Then the highest level: [Women in World History](#).
- There are a wide variety of resources at the LWVNJ web site: [LWVNJ Women's History and Issues](#).

2011 Edition of *NJ CITIZENS GUIDE TO GOVERNMENT* is **HERE** **Place your Order Now!**

The 2011 edition of the *New Jersey Citizens Guide to Government* is now ready for delivery. As an information resource this guidebook is invaluable.

The *Guide* is filled with information about registration and voting procedures, political parties, county, state, and local government, the New Jersey courts, and legislative districts. It lists state administrators and the names, addresses, and telephone and fax numbers of the New Jersey congressional delegation and all state legislators. The *Citizens Guide* explains how to address elected officials and provides tips on communicating with them. It also lists resources to contact about legislation and provides an election/registration calendar

The price for League members is \$3.00, and shipping and handling are free! Sales tax included too. League members can use the simple form below.

Non-League members pay more. Please see http://www.lwvnj.org/guide/CG_OrderForm11_Final.pdf

*Why not buy copies for friends, family, co-workers?
They make excellent gifts for teachers.
Civic groups and social agencies find them useful.*

Part of the purchase price benefits the League of Women Voters of New Jersey.

To place your order, **League members** please **send the form below** to League of Women Voters of New Jersey, 204 West State Street, Trenton, NJ 08608. Non-League members please visit the web site above.

Make your check payable to **LWVNJ**.

2011 NJ CITIZENS GUIDE TO GOVERNMENT - League member order form

Name _____ Quantity _____ (\$3.00 each for League members)

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# LWVNJ Nominating Committee Report

## 2011-2013 Slate

Submitted by: Judy Schachter, Minna Greenberg, Dawn Clarke, Toni Zimmer

| Office                                                                                                                                                              | Nominee                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
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| <b>President</b><br><b>Secretary</b><br><b>Treasurer</b><br><b>VP Development</b><br><b>VP Membership</b><br><b>VP Program/Advocacy</b><br><b>VP Voters Service</b> | Toni Zimmer (Sussex County)<br>Ed Gracely ( <b>Camden County</b> )<br>Ann Armstrong (MAL)<br><i>--Open--</i><br>Anne Maiese ( <b>Camden County</b> )<br>Nancy Hedinger (Morristown Area)<br>Dawn Clarke (Union Area)                            |
| <b>Director</b>                                                                                                                                                     | Michelle Bobrow (Maplewood/South Orange)<br>Bernadette Jusinski (Chatham-Madison)<br>Elizabeth Santemaro (Montclair Area)<br>Ann Saunders ( <b>Camden County</b> )<br>Lisa Sciancalepore (MAL)<br>Catherine Sorge (MAL)<br>Terry Thompson (MAL) |
| <b>Nominating Committee</b><br>(Off-Board)                                                                                                                          | Chair – Regina Leslie (Somerset Hills MAL)<br>Member – Winne Rowell-Bullard ( <b>Camden County</b> )                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>Budget Committee</b><br>(Off-Board)                                                                                                                              | Chair - Roberta Spray (Mountain Lakes)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |

Take note that Camden County is providing a Vice President, Secretary, Director, and member of the Nominating Committee.

"MAL" is a member at large -- usually someone who lives in an area without a local League.

If You Are Interested In:

- *Learning about government and the political process.*
- *Getting involved in the political process in nonpartisan ways.*
- *Meeting and working with other citizens who care about good government.*



**Join the League Of Women Voters of Camden County**

**Call 856-795-7878 or send this form to: PO Box 245, Voorhees, NJ 08043**

Annual membership is \$60 (plus \$30 for each additional household membership). To join, or for more information, send this form or call the number above.

I want to become a member of the LWV of Camden County: \_\_\_\_\_ (Check enclosed for \$\_\_\_\_\_)

Please send me information on membership in the LWV of Camden County \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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