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Calendar (League activities in bold)

EVENT/ACTIVITY	DATE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION/INFO
LWVNJ Fall Workshops	Sept 21	Sa	9 am -3 pm	How young women enter politics, plus other workshops and training opportunities
LWVCC Kickoff	Sept 28	Sa	11:30-2	Beneficial Bank, corner of Route 70 & Springdale Rd, Cherry Hill. Cherry Hill then and now.
LWVCC Board Meeting	Oct 7	M	7-9 pm	Haddon Township Library (15 MacArthur Boulevard, Westmont), Story Room. Confirmed
LWVCC Consensus - Human Trafficking	Oct 21	M	7 - 8:45 pm	Haddon Township Library (15 MacArthur Boulevard, Westmont), Story Room. Confirmed. All League members and prospective members welcome.

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Board Report

At its Aug 28 Pot Luck and Board meeting the board:

1. Finalized Kickoff Plans for Sept 28.
2. Began organizing fall voter registration drives.
3. Chose Oct 21 for our Human Trafficking consensus.
4. Chose Dec 11 at the Porter residence for our Program Planning/Holiday Party.
5. Tentatively planned a big spring event with a major speaker (details later).
6. Pearl Friedman, Joe Friedman, Audrey Miller, and new member Stephne' Coney agreed to join the board and were welcomed.

League of Women Voters of Camden County

Board Message:



Hello Fellow Members,

The August 28 potluck/ meet and greet was a great success! Not only did we have a good dinner, but we accomplished a lot, including doubling the size of the board! See the board report above.

Still to come: the LWFNJ fall workshops on Sept 21 and the LWVCC fall Kickoff on Sept 28. I hope you'll be able to join us for both.

See page 4 (click [here](#)) for the flier for the Kickoff.

The workshops are described online. It's not too late to sign up! Go to the LWFNJ web site or click [here](#).

We are also planning a number of voter registration events in the next few weeks: September 17th at CCC Blackwood (oops, too late - sorry), September 18th At CCC in Camden, Sept 19th at the Naturalization Ceremony, Sept 25 at CCC, Blackwood.

In League,

Ed Gracely
Member of the Board

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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.*

Cherry Hill, Beneficial Bank 1901 Marlton Pike East. Going north on Springdale (from Kresson towards 70) the bank is on your right just before 70 (one floor building, kind of reddish bottom part, steeply sloping black roof). Also easy to reach on 70 E (just *past* Springdale). You can't get there from Route 70 west. You'd have to turn at Springdale (go past it, see turnoff on the right).

Voorhees: Vogelson Regional Library: Driving south on 30, turn left onto Somerdale Road just above the Voorhees Town Center. 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. The library is on your right as you pass the mall.

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Voter Registration Activities

Tues, Sept 17, 2013	10-2. Two shifts	Voter registration. Camden County College, Blackwood. Tentative -- depends on enough volunteers. Contact the League at lwvcc@hotmail.com or call 856-795-7878 if you are interested in helping register.
Wed, Sept 18, 2013	10-2. Two shifts	Voter registration. Camden County College, Camden. Contact the League at lwvcc@hotmail.com or call 856-795-7878 if you are interested in helping register.
Th, Sept 19, 2013	10 a.m.	Voter registration. After the naturalization ceremony, 401 Market St., Camden. Contact the League at lwvcc@hotmail.com or call 856-795-7878 if you are interested in helping register.
Wed, Sept 25, 2013	10-2. Two shifts	Voter registration. Camden County College, Blackwood. Contact the League at lwvcc@hotmail.com or call 856-795-7878 if you are interested in helping register.



League of Women Voters of Camden County Annual Kickoff 2013!

Michael Sommeling
Cherry Hill Historic Commission
"Cherry Hill Then and Now"

Saturday, September 28, 2013
11:30 - 2 p.m.

Beneficial Bank, corner of Route 70 & Springdale Rd., Cherry Hill.

Pot luck luncheon.



We hope you all can join us.

Cherry Hill is a key part of Camden County. Our speaker will show us some of the history of Cherry Hill, and implicitly our region. Everyone will enjoy the talk, even if they don't live in Cherry Hill!

Plus we'll hear about what the Camden County League is up to this year.

League members and friends will bring a wide variety of dishes... it's always a treat to see what people prepare!

Location: Cherry Hill, Beneficial Bank: 1901 Route 70 (Marlton Pike) East. The bank is at the corner of Springdale Road and Route 70, just past Springdale going E on 70.



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Fall Election Deadlines at a Glance

[A PDF with all of these dates is available here.](#)

Special General Election for Senator: Wednesday, October 16, 2013

- **Deadline to register to vote or change address:** September 25, 2013
- **Deadline to apply by mail for mail-in ballot:** October 9, 2013 - Note: County Clerk must receive application by this date.
- **Deadline to apply in-person for mail-in ballot:** October 15, 2013, 3:00 pm

The winner of the Oct 16 election will fill Frank Lautenberg's seat and hold that position until January 2015. Thus there will be new elections in 2014 (primary and general) for the same seat.

November General Election for Governor and other seats: Tuesday, November 5, 2013

- **Deadline to register to vote or change address:** October 15, 2013
- **Deadline to apply by mail for mail-in ballot:** October 29, 2013 - Note: County Clerk must receive application by this date.
- **Deadline to apply in-person for mail-in ballot:** November 4, 2013, 3:00 pm



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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