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Calendar (League activities in bold)

EVENT/ACTIVITY	DATE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION/INFO
Voter registration	May 1	F	10 a.m.	After the naturalization ceremony, Camden. May 1 is Law Day -- the biggest naturalization event of the year. Contact lwvcc@hotmail.com or call 856-795-7878 to help.
LWVNJ Awards Ceremony	May 1	F	Evening	Hilton Garden Inn, Hamilton, NJ Also some workshops and a cocktail party. This event is a fundraiser for the LWVNJ. See page 5.
LWVNJ Convention	May 2	Sa	All day	Conference Center at Mercer. See page 5.
LWVCC Board Meeting	May 4	M	7-9 pm	Haddon Township Library, Story Room. League members welcome: Please let us know you are coming in case of a change.
LWVCC Annual Meeting	May 30	Sa	1-4 pm	Sakura Springs in Cherry Hill. Speaker on immigration reform. See flier on page 4.
LWVCC Board Meeting	June 1	M	7-9 pm	Haddon Township Library, Story Room. League members welcome: Please let us know you are coming in case of a change.

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Board Report April 6, 2015

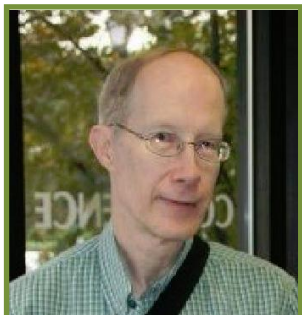
The board:

1. Discussed and developed plans for annual meeting PR.
2. Learned of a successful completion to our local participation in the LWVNJ's Callathon.
3. Made plans for the fall Kickoff in late September.
4. Decided on distribution of the 2015 Camden County Guides to Election and Government.
5. Made plans for posting a membership flier.
6. Learned that Running & Winning 2016 is proceeding!

League of Women Voters of Camden County

Board Message

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Dear fellow League members and other readers:

The March board meeting, like February, was cancelled, but the board met in April!

The reorganized *Running & Winning* committee is continuing to meet and expects to hold our program for high school girls once again in Spring of 2016. Additional volunteers are always welcome!

Our Camden County Citizen's Guides were given to the Camden County library for distribution to its branches. Board members took additional sets for distribution to communities and libraries near them. The good news is that in the new format (3-fold, legal sized paper), anyone can make their own copies! Check our [home page](#) -- on the Voter Information column note: "Printable version" followed by links to [page 1](#) and [page 2](#). Bookmark our home page or make it a favorite. If you tweet, follow us... See right hand side.

Our Annual Meeting & Luncheon will be held on Saturday, May 30th (see the flier in this issue for more details: [page 4](#)). Please R.S.V.P and send in your checks for \$25 to hear a knowledgeable speaker on issues in immigration, enjoy good fellowship, hear about our plans, and savor a tasty Chinese meal.

Ed Gracely
For the Board

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!

Haddon Township: Rohrer Library: Take 295 to Route 30 north. On 30, pass King's Highway. In about a mile after King's Highway, just after Nicholson Road on the left, you'll see Cuthbert Road on the right. Turn right onto Cuthbert from 30. Stay on Cuthbert for about half a mile. Just past Hopkins, turn right onto MacArthur. The library is at that corner. // This is the same Cuthbert Road that becomes Cuthbert Blvd further north at routes 70 and 38, so you could take it south from there. MacArthur is about 0.8 miles south of Haddon Avenue on Cuthbert Blvd.

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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Freeholder Meetings

We **encourage League members to observe Freeholder meetings** when they are convenient for you. Just show up with a LWV button to let them know we are watching! Don't make any statements -- you aren't entitled to speak for the League (or even yourself after wearing a League button). You can ask a neutral/informative question, however. Meetings start at 7. It's good for Camden County!

The **April meeting is April 16** in the Barrington Municipal Bldg, 229 Trenton Avenue, Barrington. The list for the year is online at <http://www.camdencounty.com/your-government/public-information/2015-freeholder-meetings>

May's meeting is **May 21** in Berlin Township.

Take a look -- see when they are near you and observe the meeting!



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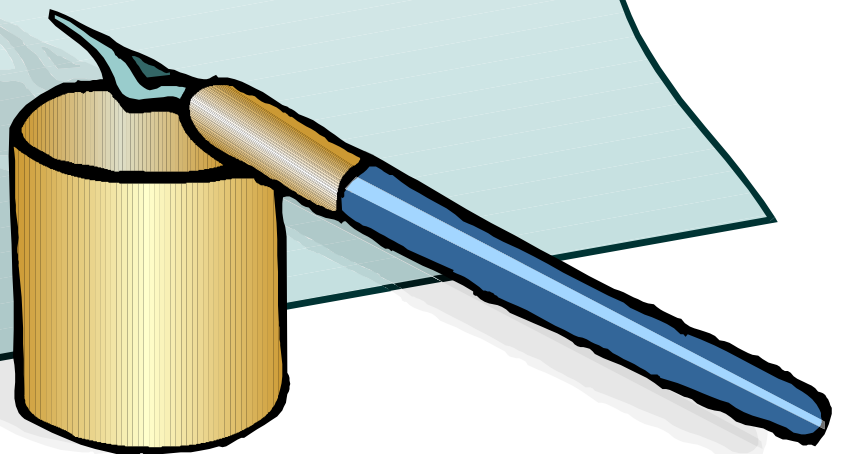
Annual Meeting/Luncheon

May 30, 2015, 1-3:30 p.m.
Sakura Spring in Cherry Hill
Featuring

Shereen C. Chen
of law firm Hyland Levin



"Issues in Immigration Law "



Sakura Spring is at 1871 Marlton Pike (Route 70) East in Cherry Hill, about a block east of Greentree Road. Cost is \$25 per person. Luncheon included. Check to LWVCC, PO Box 245, Voorhees, NJ 08043

95 Years of Making Democracy Work Cocktail Reception & Awards Ceremony

The League of Women Voters of New Jersey Education Fund cordially invites you to celebrate "95 Years of Making Democracy Work" at a cocktail reception and awards ceremony on **Friday, May 1, 2015 at 7:00 pm at the Hilton Garden Inn in Hamilton, NJ.**



The evening will include an open bar, heavy hors d'oeuvres, music, a silent auction, and an awards ceremony.

The League will be presenting our **prestigious "Making Democracy Work" award** to honorees in celebration of their efforts to engage, educate, and protect New Jersey voters.

Please join us for a wonderful evening as we celebrate these worthy honorees and the 95th anniversary of the founding of the League of Women Voters.

In addition, we will hold our 61st Biennial Convention on the day following the cocktail reception (Saturday, May 2 from 8:00 am - 4:30 pm at the Conference Center at Mercer). [Learn more about the Convention here.](#) We hope that you will join us for both and we are offering a special discounted price (a \$50 savings) when you register for these events together using the option available during the registration process. Tickets for the cocktail reception alone are \$125.

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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. **First time new annual membership** is only \$25! This also applies to student and household members (for an entirely new household membership).

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 _____

e-mail: _____

Address _____

Phone: _____

(Please include area code)

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