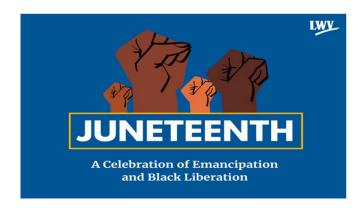


League in Action

19 June 2024

Presidents' Message

For today, pause and take a moment to learn about Juneteenth: Learn About Juneteenth.



Members: There's lots of new information below; check it out!

In-Person Voter Registration Training!

It's that time of year again!! Please join us in person for our Annual Voter Registration Training presented by the Arlington Elections Office. Sunday, July 14th 2:30pm – 4:00pm EDT. Training will take place at the Unitarian Universalist Church; 4444 Arlington Boulevard.

Please sign up so we can anticipate number of attendees:

Annual Voter Registration Training

Got questions? Email me at lwvarlingtonva@gmail.com

2024 LWVAAC Annual Meeting

Thank you to everyone that attended our Annual Meeting – and to everyone who made it possible behind the scenes!

We will be ensuring that all our members understand the impact of Transformation on our League. We'll be providing in-person and online training as the time for change-over draws nearer. In the meantime, this site is a resource for all things Transformation.

https://www.lwv.org/transformation

We'll also be keeping you apprised of our progress in streamlining our internal

and external communications (newsletter, webpage, and social media).

LWVUS Still Looking for Convention Volunteers:

All volunteers will receive complimentary access to all Convention activities (minus Lobby Day and the Saturday dinner) on the day that they volunteer. Plenary access would be as a non-voting observer only. If you intend to be a delegate you MUST register and pay. You can still volunteer for non-plenary positions. Delegates can't volunteer for plenary jobs. Discounted parking will be available for people coming in just to be volunteers. If you have any questions please email cdavis@lwv.org. Click on the Sign-Up Genius link to see what volunteer positions are available.

Convention Sign-Up (Sign-Up Genius)

<u>Interested in Fighting Mis/Disinformation</u>? Now you can actually GET INVOLVED!! The League of Women Voters of Virginia in partnership with <u>VerbaAI</u> has established a fact checking website which uses AI to find political statements and then check them against known and trusted sites. These include Snopes, PolitiFact, LeadStories, and Fact Check.org.

VerbaAI Election News

The website will be active through the November general election and beyond.

<u>League members are also active in locating and submitting</u>
<u>questionable stories for review</u>. If you want to join in, go through LWVVA website (here):

LWVVA Combat Mis/Disinformation

Virginia State LWV Wants To Hear From YOU!

Hey you! You...with the opinion! LWVVA is soliciting state-wide League members' input on 2025 legislative priorities. Your input will help inform the prioritization of LWV issues for the next General Assembly Session starting in January 2025. Have your voice heard; fill out the Google form here and submit:

2025 Legislative Priorities

Please submit your issue ranking no later than 5 July.

Critical Volunteer Positions Need Filling; Please Consider!

We need a <u>third person</u> to join our Voter Services leadership team. **Voter** registration is a key component of LWV activities. Voter Services leadership includes overall voter registration management, voter education, as

well as Get Out The Vote (GOTV) efforts and coordinating logistics and volunteers. Please contact me (pberg16@comcast.net) if you're interested.

We also need a <u>second person</u> for the Newsletter position. We have one person on-board and are looking for a second to share the workload and provide some depth/back-up in this important position. Please email me at above address if you're interested.

For both of these positions, note that we have people ready to get started. We're looking for extra folks to share the workload of these positions. This means you won't be by yourself in these positions. Workload sharing in these positions means there's more flexibility and support.

If you're interested, but maybe unsure still, let's have the conversation! I'm happy to talk with you about what's involved.

LWVAAC BOOK GROUP

Arlington/Alexandria City League Book Club is chaired by **Pam Berg**. Want to join? **Email Pam** at pberg16@comcast.net. Book Club meets every third Sunday at 2:00 PM via Zoom (link will be provided).

The next meeting is TBA.

Look for next newsletter July 3



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