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**Empowering Voters. Defending Democracy.**

**Greetings!**

Circle these dates on your calendar:

**MARCH 2020 Calendar of Events**

**HEALTH COMMITTEE  
MEETING**

March 11, 2020  
9:30 AM  
825 East River Dr.  
Apt. 31  
De Pere, WI  
Sue Whittemore  
at 920 632-7079

**REDISTRICTING  
COMMITTEE MEETING**

February 27, 2020  
4:30 PM  
1659 Riverbend Ter. #7  
Green Bay, WI  
m.hschwartz13  
@gmail.com

**ENVIRONMENT  
COMMITTEE  
MEETING**

March 16, 2020  
2:30 PM  
Brown County Central  
Library Board Room.  
515 Pine St., Green Bay  
Kathy Lefebvre  
kutz2du@gmail.com

**EDUCATION COMMITTEE  
MEETING**

March 5, 2020  
4:00 P.M.  
Brown County Central  
Library Boardroom  
515 Pine St., Green Bay

**LWVGGB BOARD  
MEETING**

March 9, 2020  
5:00 P.M.  
Room 210  
City Building  
115 N. Jefferson St.  
Green Bay, WI 54301

**TIME  
TO  
RENEW**

**DISTRICT OF GREEN BAY  
SCHOOL BOARD FORUM**

March 3, 2020  
6 P.M. to 7:30 P.M.  
Brown County Central  
Library  
Auditorium  
515 Pine St., Green Bay

**100th ANNIVERSARY  
CELEBRATION**

March 18, 2020  
5:39 P.M.  
Resurrection Church  
333 Hilltop Ave.  
Allouez, WI

**FILM "SUSTAINABLE"  
MARCH 28, 2020**

1:00 P.M.  
Brown County Central  
Library, lower level  
515 Pine St., Green Bay

**IMPORTANT YEAR FOR ELECTIONS**

April 7, 2020---Spring General & Judicial Election and Presidential Primary

August 11, 2020---Fall Partisan Primary

Nov, 3, 2020---Fall Presidential Election

**Please mark these important dates on your calendar and VOTE!!!**

Election Observers Needed for the April 7 and Nov 3, 2020 elections!!! If you can help please contact the Voter Election Manager---Eileen Newcomer ---

[enewcomer@lwvwi.org](mailto:enewcomer@lwvwi.org) or 608-256-0827. The election observer training will be done via an online webinar.

## LEARN ABOUT THESE CANDIDATES

A School Board Forum for the Green Bay School District is planned for Tuesday, March 3 from 6:00 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. at the Brown County Central Library in the auditorium. The public is invited to attend and submit questions to the candidates. Jean Marsh will be moderator.



The following candidates will be on the April 7, 2020 ballot running for the two open seats.: Paul Boucher, Jason Davies, Laura McCoy and Dawn Smith.

## 19th AMENDMENT CELEBRATION

On Wednesday, March 18, 2020 the AAUW has invited the LWVGGB to co-sponsor a Centennial Celebration at Resurrection Church, 333 Hilltop Dr., Allouez, WI. The speaker will be Helen Bannon, doing an interpretation of Jesse Jack Harper. The event begins at 5:30 p.m. and should last 1 hour.

If you have questions please contact Sara Ramaker, AAUW or  
Karen Schley, LWVGGB.. [ahmail54303@gmail.com](mailto:ahmail54303@gmail.com)

## THINK GREEN

*Sustainable* is a documentary about the economic and environmental instability of America's food system, and what must be done to transform and sustain it for future generations. It includes interviews with forward thinking farmers who challenge the ethical decisions behind industrial agriculture, addressing issues such as soil loss, water depletion, climate change, and pesticide use, as well as the ways in which commercial food products are advertised and marketed to us, the consumers. Following the film showing, there will be a panel discussion with several local experts who can address these issues in our own community.

See *Sustainable* on March 28, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.

Brown County Library, lower Level

## League of Women Voters 100th Anniversary Event

On February 14, the League of Women Voters of Greater Green Bay celebrated the 100th Anniversary of the League of Women Voters and the 19th Amendment with a Call To Action event at City Hall in the City County Chambers.

KUDOS TO ALL WHO MADE THIS EVENT SO IMPRESSIVE.

"An inspiring celebration at Green Bay City Hall February 14 for the League's 100th Anniversary, the 100th Anniversary of the 19th Amendment giving women the right to vote, and a recognition of all women in Brown County who have served in elective office both historically and right now! Thanks to Mayor Eric Genrich and County Executive Troy Streckenbach for their joint proclamation making the day, February 14, League of Women Voters Day!" Kathy Lockhard

"It was wonderful to see the many women who had served our community over the years gathered together to celebrate the occasion." J. Sweetland

"An inspiring event that will energize us all!" Judy Crain

"Hillary Clinton was right- it takes a village to raise a child- it also takes one to produce an event. I've so enjoyed this year on the LWV Board. It has been interesting, challenging, energizing and has really refocused me to know that helping to empower, inform and energize women to "be part of the conversation" is right where I'm supposed to be. Thanks Village! It was fun!" Denise Gaumer Hutchison

## TIME TO RENEW

In March you will receive a friendly reminder to renew your commitment to the LWVGGB for the year beginning April 1, 2020. With that reminder you will be asked to complete a form to submit with your dues. The form is an important piece of communication used to keep our roster current as well as tell us how you are willing to help in the up-coming year. It also gives you an opportunity to tell us what we are doing well and what you would like to see change.

The Board and Committees value your input.

Also you will be asked to add to your basic dues an amount for the operating expenses of our local league. The basic dues amount for individuals and households almost covers the cost of national (LWVUS) and state (LWVWI) assessments. When you join the LWVGGB you are automatically a member of the LWVUS and LWVWI. As a member of all three organizations you get information on national, state and local issues. The national and state league organizations assist our local league with legal matters and provide tools and opportunities to enhance our local Program. Basic dues do not cover LWVGGB operating expenses. Any amount over the basic dues is greatly appreciated.

The LWVGGB is a tax-exempt organization under section 501 (c) (3) of the I.R.S. Code. Dues and donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

**A BIG THANK YOU FOR YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT !!!!**

**Volunteer Opportunity**

Our League has been asked to provide an informational table for an event being given by the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women in April. They expect about 80 women. The group is especially interested in the 100th Anniversary of the 19th Amendment and voter registration information.

**Event: Assembly of the Bay Area Catholic Women**  
(includes Brown, Kewaunee Counties)

**Date: April 18, 2020**

**Place: St. Louis Catholic Church in Dykesville**

**Time: Set-up at 7:30 am, event 8:00 am to 2:00 pm, with a lunch break.**

I expect we can divide the day up so that no one would need to be there the entire time. Please let me know if you are able to attend.

Linda Bartlett [lbartlett097@gmail.com](mailto:lbartlett097@gmail.com) 920-445-9757

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

The LWVGB welcomes the following new member. Please introduce yourself when you see her at one of our future League events:

**Barbara A Dorff**

You can contact Barbara Dorff: [badorff1@gmail.com](mailto:badorff1@gmail.com)

Please add this new member's contact information to your Membership Directory and Annual Report.

P.S. If you did not receive a copy of the Annual Report and Membership Directory, please notify a member of the board.

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## DONATE TO THE LEAGUE

Your contribution to the League of Women Voters of Greater Green Bay, a 501(c)(3) organization, helps make democracy work in your community! Make your tax-deductible contribution today. [Donate Here](#)

## JOIN THE LEAGUE

You too can become a member of the dynamic League of Women Voters of Greater Green Bay where hand-on work to safeguard democracy leads to civic improvement. [Join Now](#)