

LWVGGB NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR of EVENTS

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October 2 6:30 PM	<i>Access to Justice</i> a public meeting: UWGB's Christie Theater
October 9 5:00 PM	LWVGGB Board Meets City Building Room 210
October 9 6:30 PM	Migration Advocacy Meets Ken De Groot Hall - St. Willy's
October 10 9:30 AM	Health Care Committee Meets 825 East River Drive #31, De Pere
October 18 6:00 PM	Fair Maps Committee Meets City Building, Room 210
October 19 4:00 PM	Education Committee Meets BC Library Board Room
October 25 5:30 PM	LWVGGB Kickoff dinner with Speaker Michael Kraft
October 28	LWVWI Issues Briefing, Madison Details TBA
November 7 10:00 AM	Achieve Brown Co KI Center Ballroom D
November 9 3:00 PM	LWVLMR Annual Meeting/Dinner at Hyatt with Lynn Utesch speaker
November 20 5:00 PM	Title IV Anniversary Program w/ AAUW and YWCA in YWCA Baer Room



League of Women Voters of Greater Green Bay
FALL MEMBERSHIP DINNER MEETING

Wednesday, October 25, 2017
Holiday Inn Stadium, 2785 Ramada Way, Green Bay

Michael Kraft

Emeritus Professor, UWGB

CIVILITY IN POLITICS

5:45 Social; 6:30 Dinner with Speaker to follow

Dinner Selections

Honey Pecan Chicken: with Wild Rice Pilaf and Sweet Honey Carrots

**Veggie Alfredo: Creamy Alfredo Sauce over a bed of Fettuccine Pasta
with a variety of colorful vegetables.**

Entree includes: Salad, Baked Rolls with Butter, Beverage, and Gratuity

**Send your dinner choice along with a check for \$24 made out to LWVGGB
before October 18 to: LWVGGB, P.O. Box 1023
Green Bay, WI 54305-1923**



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Two important LWVGGB events which you should not miss this month are *Access to Justice* on October 2 at UWGB and Michael Kraft's presentation of *Civility in Politics* on October 25 at our League's fall kickoff dinner. Read more about both of these programs in this newsletter. Also, circle November 9 on your calendar. This is the date LWVLMR will have their annual meeting in Green Bay. After dinner Lynn Utesch will speak about CAFO's and how they affect our local waters and Lake Michigan. Yes, the public is welcome to attend.

A special thank you to the members of the Education Committee and Chair Judy Crain, for organizing *Turbocharge* to inform our members and the public about an innovative education program in the GBAPS. Those present were extremely fortunate to hear the Turbocharge developers discuss the program and answer questions.

LWVWI Issues Briefing will be held in Madison on October 28. Check the LWVWI website for additional information and registration <http://www.lwvwi.org/Home.aspx>

Julie Arneth

ACCESS TO JUSTICE

Learn about the issue; Ask questions; Make your voice heard

Access to Justice a public hearing on Monday, October 2 will be held in UWGB's Christie Theater. The event will run from 6:30 to 8pm.

Four excellent speakers will address the topic *Why more effective recusal rules are needed for judges at all levels who receive campaign contributions*. The speakers include: Former State Supreme Court Justice JANINE GESKE; Former Manitowoc County Court Judge PATRICK WILLIS, Common Cause in Wisconsin Executive Director JAY HECK, and UWGB Democracy & Justice Studies Assistant Professor, KRISTINE COULTER.

Common Cause in Wisconsin is sponsoring this public hearing; LWVGGB, LWVWI, and UWGB Political Science Dept. is co-sponsoring.

For more information contact Sandra Miller: smiller@commoncause.org

LEADERS NEEDED

Help steer the direction of the LWVGGB and grow its impact in our community by signing up for the Membership, the Events Planning, or the Fundraising Committee. These are crucial committees that help our organization and impact grow. Community leaders have asked us to sponsor numerous events for the next six months, including an environmental film festival, a Local Women Trailblazers program, running for local office training, and forums on poverty. We hope to meet these committees before December 2017. Please email lwvggb@gmail.com today to help

LWV LAKE MICHIGAN REGION ANNUAL MEETING

Every state and local League that is a member in good standing of LWVLMR is entitled to one voting delegate to our 2017 Annual Meeting.

3:00 PM, Thursday, November 9

Grand Hyatt Green Bay, 333 Main Street, Green Bay, WI

The business meeting will be followed by a reception and dinner that evening. All League members and guests are invited!

Lynn Utesch of Midwest Environmental Advocates will speak about Confined Animal Feeding Operations (CAFO's) impact on Lake Michigan.

The cost of the dinner is \$32 (Attending the annual meeting is free). Register for either or both on our website

<http://www.lwvlmr.org/annual-meeting-2017.html>

The LWV Lake Michigan Region is an Inter-League Organization made up of 50 local Leagues and the state Leagues of Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana and Illinois. With member Leagues in the watersheds of 4 of the Great Lakes, we advocate on national policies impacting the Great Lakes at the federal level and seek to assist

state and local League advocacy on these matters.

TITLE IX ANNIVERSARY

2017 is the 45th anniversary of Title IX. AAUW, LWVGGB, YWCA, and the Women Service Center were all a part of the first Task Force on implementing Title IX. Therefore a joint meeting is planned in the YWCA's Baer Room on Monday, November 20. There will be a 5:30 social and the program will start at 6:00.

Sue Todey who was the Title IX Coordinator for the Green Bay Area Public Schools will present a program on the history of Title IX in the Green Bay School System. She has recently attended training on implementing Title IX for transgender students and will also discuss these changes. Todey is retired and presently serves as a Door County school board member.

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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](#)

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