

Webinar: Introduction to Social Media for Civic Engagement

New Ways to Share Information, Influence & Ideas Using Instagram, Twitter, Facebook & YouTube

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Instagram

- Instagram is an American photo and video sharing social networking service owned by Facebook.
- A simple, fun & creative way to capture, edit & share photos, videos & messages with friends & family.







Twitter

- Twitter is an American microblogging and social networking service on which users post and interact with messages known as "tweets." Registered users can post, like, and retweet tweets, but unregistered users can only read them
- From breaking news and entertainment to sports and politics, get the full story with live commentary 280 characters at a time.







Facebook

- Facebook is an is an American social media conglomerate corporation.
- You can connect with friends, family and other people you know. Share photos and videos, send messages and get updates.







YouTube

- YouTube is an American online video-sharing platform headquartered in San Bruno, California. YouTube now operates as one of Google's subsidiaries.
- Enjoy videos and music, upload original content, and share it all with friends, family, and the world on **YouTube**.







Privacy Tips for Social Media

- Instagram: https://youtu.be/eZbr3-VI9cE
- Facebook: https://www.digitaltrends.com/social-media/five-ways-to-boost-facebook-privacy/
- Twitter: https://www.thewindowsclub.com/twitter-privacy-security-settings
- YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OmXvwabYJXs



#Hashtags

- Introduced by number sign, or hash symbol, #
- Commonly used on social networks such as Twitter & Instagram
- Lets users apply dynamic, usergenerated subject tagging
- Helps other users easily find messages with a specific theme or content
- See what's trending!

- #LWV
- #LWVNCSD
- **#LWVC**
- **/**#ELECTIONDAY
- **/**#NOVEMBER3RD
- #GOTV (Get Out the Vote)
- #CA49 (e.g.Congressional District)





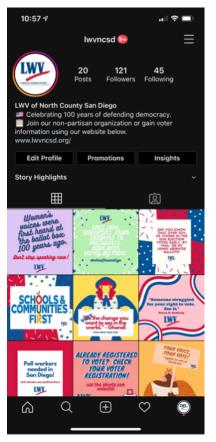
How to Actively Interact on Instagram



Follow Us and Our Sister Leagues!

- @LWVNCSD (that's us!)
- **@LWVSANDIEGO**
- **/**@LWVNYC
- **@LWVSTANCO**
- @LWVSANTABARBARA







Tag Friends and "Like" LWV's Posts

- Tag your LWV friends and your other friends in our posts to empower and educate them.
- "Like" our posts by clicking the to help spread the word





Put LWV Content on Your Personal Instagram

- Repost from LWV by taking a screenshot LWV's content to post.
- Share photos from past and future LWV activities
- Make your own graphics and tag #LWVNCSD







Post Our Content On Your Instagram "Story"

Goes to the top of your followers' newsfeeds for optimal exposure.

Goes away in 24 hours.







Tag Your Local Legislators in Your Posts

Get your representatives' attention by tagging them in your photos!







How to Use Twitter Like a Pro



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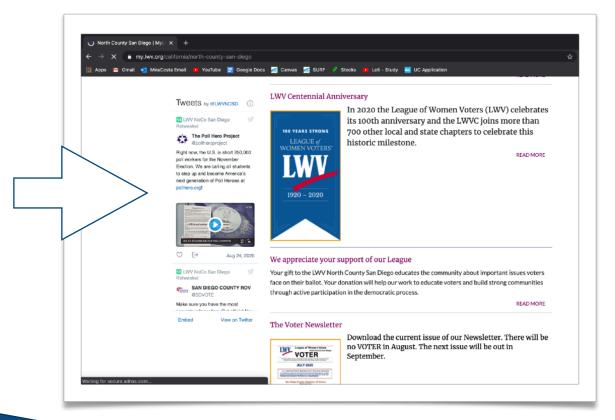
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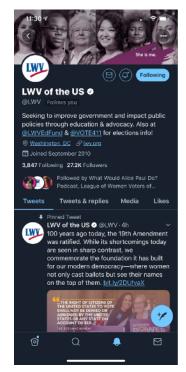
Check our Twitter Feed on our Website





Retweet and Like LWV's Content or Other Political Organizations

- Quick and easy way to share our message!
- Shared with all of your followers on their feeds and on your account.





Tag Legislators or Candidates in Your Tweets

- Easy way to get your Representative or candidate's attention!
- Share your thoughts, opinions, praise or questions with your reps candidates and followers. (You might be surprised with a response!)
- Different format than Hashtags: use their "handle" (e.g. @RepMikeLevin, @brianlmaryott)







Using Facebook for Civic Engagement



Join or Follow/Like Our Facebook Page

League of Women Voters North County
San Diego Group

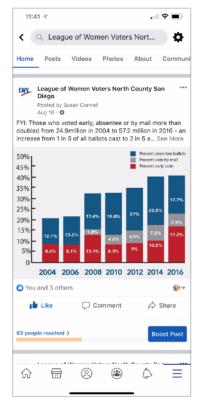






Like, Comment, or Share Our Posts

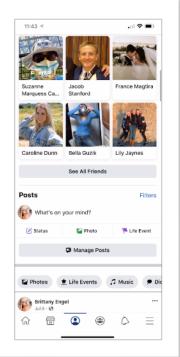
Quick and easy way to share our content with your friends.





Create Your Own Posts about LWV or Other Organizations You're a Part of

- Help increase our membership and promote our message!
- Let your friends know the organizations you're a part of!
- They could be intrigued enough to join!







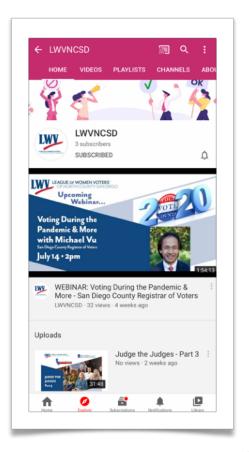
Using YouTube



Subscribe to Our Channel So You Don't Skip a Beat



Where a lot of important recordings of meetings are stored for your convenience.





Share Our Videos on Other Social Media Platforms!

- Share to any of the other social media we've previously talked about.
- Like our videos de to increase our rankings and help more people see our content





Please send us pictures or videos related to LWV

Send to: webmasters@LWVNCSD.org





Thank you for your time!