

#### August 13, 2024

# THE HUDSON VOTER

#### Hello LWVH!

Streets were closed, basements were flooding but 36 guests attended LWVH's Annual Social.

This year will be remembered as EPIC! (For those of you dealing with issues from the storm, your League family is here if you need anything!)

At the Social, Inge videoed members answering the question: "Why is Voting Important?" Inge says she got some great footage and will be looking to video some more of us soon to make a video to reach out to younger voters.



Tracey Mackay, Hudson LWV President

Voting is important to me because the people we elect into positions of power make decisions, enact laws, and create a society that will affect the lives of our children and grandchildren for decades. Let's give them a positive future that is educated, safe, and healthy.

The Hudson City School Open Houses are coming up. Please check out this <u>Sign-Up Genius</u> to find a date to volunteer. The Open Houses are a terrific way to introduce LWVH to the public and offer voting information to busy parents. (Plus, I *love* seeing the kids! That's why I do what I do!)

New Voter Kits will be available by 8/14. Call, text or email me to get yours! Two great ways to learn to register voters is 1) sign up and register with an experienced member 2) go our <u>website</u> and login to see the Member Only page on the menu. Click on it and you will see the PPT on How to Register Voters. You'll also see photos from our August Social.

The Citizens Not Politicians Campaign has begun! ContactLorann Murphy

if you can help! See below for more details. Imagine how great it will feel if we FINALLY end gerrymandering in Ohio after fighting for fair elections for so many years.

Mark your calendars!

LWVH Book club is this week on Thursday, Aug 15. More below.

**Sept. 12th at 6:30pm** at the Hudson Library. LWVH will invite the public to join us as we present the facts of Citizens Not Politicians to end gerrymandering in Ohio.

October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm LWVH will present a Candidate Forum for the public at the Hudson Middle School. Volunteers needed for this event. Please mark your calendars. More information to come.

November 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm The Climate Sustainability Committee will host an event focusing on transportation at the Hudson High School.

See you soon!

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## We Need Volunteers for Hudson Schools' Open Houses for Parents Aug-Sept



Meet newcomers to Hudson! Join us at a Voter Registration Table at the Hudson School Open Houses. It's a great way to advertise our League, explain what we do, recruit new members, and register (or update) voter registrations. We'll be at all the schools in the coming weeks- 8/19 to 9/4. Please sign-up by using this LINK. You can sign up with friends. Even if you are new to our League, please sign up and learn how to register voters from another member.

CITIZENS

POLITICIANS

**Citizens Not Politicians Campaign Needs Your Help!** 

It's time to volunteer! We need to educate the public about this very important amendment that will be on the ballot. Here's how you can help:

- Attend the Sept 12, 6:30pm meeting at the library and bring friends, neighbors, family member to the presentation about the amendment.
- Hold a house party where you invite your friends and neighbors to your home, provide a few refreshment and introduce one of our trained CNP speakers to talk about the amendment and answer questions.
- Sign up here to register voters and at the same timetalk to them about voting for this amendment and how important it is.
- Join the CNP Speaker's Bureau and get training on how to present the PPT presentation.
- Volunteer to distribute literature, knock on doors, write postcards, etc. Choose what you prefer to do and let <u>Lorann Murphy</u> know.

## Next Book for LWVH Book Club Is Your Choice



LWV Hudson Book Club August 15 , 7pm Kathy Battaglia's Home

At our last book club meeting we decided that for August's meeting we would have everyone choose their own book to read and tell the rest of the club about it. The topic is "disinformation" and there are many books on this topic. We can't wait to hear what you learned! So, attend our LWV Hudson Book Club and tell us about your book. Bring a friend! Non-members are welcome. Please <u>RSVP</u>.

### Have Your Own Postcard Party!

Invite all your friends over to your house and have them write



postcards urging women to vote.

It's easy. Just go to this <u>LINK</u> and order 20 (or 100?) postcards. They are pre-printed and prestamped. If you want to invite other LWVH members to your party, let <u>Inge</u> know and she'll put it in this newsletter.

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