



® League of Women Voters of Palos Verdes Peninsula

Voter

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September October 2017

Calendar 2017

Wednesday	Sept 6	County Board Meeting	9:30-1:00	LWVLA Office
Wednesday	Sept 13	PVP Board Meeting	Noon	Nell Mirels' House
Sunday	Sept 17	Master Plan PVPUSD	3-5	Ridgecrest Middle School Gym
Saturday	Sept 23	Tri-League Water Program	9:30-1	The Depot (Torrance)
Saturday	Sept 23	(County League Day) "All About Candidate Forums"	9:30-1	Carson Event Center
Tuesday	Sept 26	National Voter Registration Day		
Wednesday	Oct. 4	County Board Meeting	9:30-1	TBD
Wednesday	Oct. 11	PVP Board Meeting	Noon	Nell Muriel's House
Sunday	Oct 15	Port Program	2-4	San Pedro Library

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This Month's Presidents' Message

We hope you have all enjoyed most of your summer even though it is still with us for another few days. In August we had a relaxed opportunity to meet and greet some members at an afternoon garden social. My personal thanks to everyone who brought food, drinks and helped.

With the start of school we are starting off with three events. On September 17, a Sunday, join us at Ridgecrest Intermediate School to hear about the plans to improve the Palos Verdes Schools. On the next Saturday you have your choice of a program—either join us at the Depot Restaurant for Tri-League Day and a timely program on water, or you can attend County League Day at the Carson Center with a workshop on holding a forum. Flyers for all these events are in this issue. Although normally a County League Day is the last Saturday of the month—this year it was moved up due to the Jewish holidays. You are also welcome at any time to attend a board meeting held at Nell Muriel's home on the second Wednesday of the month.

September 26 is also National Voter Registration Day. We encourage any of our members who have been trained to register voters to consider setting up a station at a market or a high school near you to register new voters.

October is a month when will be meeting at the San Pedro Library on October 15. Pat Colby is arranging a program about the Port—always an interesting topic. The new research areas and the revitalization projects are under way and the port is a major point of entry for pacific trade. Look for more information soon!

Karen and her daughter have revived our Facebook page. Please check it out – search for League of Women Voters Palos Verdes Peninsula. We encourage you to “like” the page and share it with your friends. You will find posts of interest and information about upcoming events on the page. We encourage any of you to send new material you would like to see on the page. The League is now also on Twitter. Look for LWV OF PVP/SP (@lwvpvp) and follow us there! We could also use any help with updating our Web page. If you are a techie we need you—please let either Karen or I know of your interest. You can also pay for any event for our local league using Paypal. Paypal will accept any credit card.

If you have not yet sent in your dues please do so now. Remember your dues and any donations you wish to make are tax deductible and support the very important work we do.

Vi Jungerich (310-541-5092) and *Karen Buresh* (310)544-8272
Co-Presidents

Meet A Member

Katy Watkins

Katy Watkins has been a member of the League of Women Voters for 10 years as a result of meeting Nell Mirels through their combined volunteer work in the Peninsula Library. Born and raised in the Pacific Palisades, Katy's love for Los Angeles, California and living near the ocean, permeates her personality.



An experience that had a big impact on her life was living in England with relatives for a year at fifteen years of age and traveling in Europe in the 1950's. She later married and both her daughters were both born in Oahu, Hawaii. Then, she lived in Kansas for 15 years, half in a small town of 10,000 and half in Kansas City. During that time she became a single mother and moved back to Los Angeles in 1984.

Over the years, her careers involved working as a paralegal for a law firm, sales advertising for Yellow Pages, a construction project manager and as a project manager trainer for software which taught her how to speak to large groups of people

Katy is proudest of her 5 grandchildren who have all graduated from good schools. She also has 3 great-grandchildren.

Her interests have evolved in the League of Voters group whom she describes as "the smartest and nicest women I know." She has served as LWV Vice-President and Program Planning for four years and more recently, Co-President for two years. She likes the fact that the League keeps her abreast of political legislation and studies. Along with her varied experience, Katy's dedicated and honest approach to the importance of the League of Women Voters in the Palos Verdes/SanPedro area is a benefit to all of us.

Welcome to New Members Ann and Thomas Nye!!!

Please add them to your roster

Ann and Thomas Nye

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FALL LEAGUE DAY

All About Candidate Forums

September 23, 2017
Carson Event Center
801 E. Carson St.
Carson, CA 90745

9:30 am to 1:00 pm
A cold lunch buffet will be served

Come and learn everything you need to
know about how to organize and
present a candidate forum, including
how to be an effective moderator

Moderator training is excellent for public
speaking of all kinds!

Register online: <http://lacilo.ca.lwvnet.org/>

Please send form and check payable to **LWV/LAC**

Call Sandra for info: 310-479-7482

Mail to **LWV/LAC Arrangements, Sandra Trutt, 1508 Greenfield Ave., #207, Los Angeles 90025**

League Name: _____

Name (s): _____

Reservations Deadline is September 18 # _____ @ \$25.00 Total Enclosed: \$ _____



**LEAGUE OF
WOMEN VOTERS**

PALOS VERDES PENINSULA/SAN PEDRO

**THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF
PALOS VERDES PENINSULA PRESENTS**

COMMUNITY FORUM

**ON THE PVPUSD MASTER FACILITIES
PLAN**

**JOIN US FOR A CONVERSATION WITH PVPUSD
SUPERINTENDENT DR. DON AUSTIN ABOUT THE
DISTRICT'S MASTER FACILITIES PLAN.**



**COME LEARN ABOUT THE DISTRICT'S DEVELOPMENT OF A
COMPREHENSIVE MASTER PLAN DOCUMENT FOR EACH
SCHOOL SITE WITHIN THE DISTRICT IDENTIFYING
COMPREHENSIVE REPAIR AND RENOVATION PROJECTS,
BUILDING AND SITE ENHANCEMENTS PROJECTS, AND AN
ESTIMATE OF PROBABLE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH EACH
CAMPUS MASTER PLAN PROJECT.**

**WHEN: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2017
3:00 – 5:00 P.M.**

**WHERE: RIDGECREST INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
MPR
28915 NORTHBAY ROAD
RANCHO PALOS VERDES**



The League of Women Voters of the Beach Cities, Palos Verdes Peninsula/San Pedro and Torrance Area invite you to attend the

ANNUAL TRILEAGUE MEETING
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2017



Keynote Speaker

Harold Williams

President of the Board of Directors of West Basin Municipal Water District

Water, Water Everywhere - Protecting Against Water Scarcity

Location: The Depot Restaurant
Kimono Room
1250 Cabrillo Avenue, Torrance
(310) 787-7501

Schedule: 9:30 am - Registration
10:00 am - Brunch
11:00 am - Keynote Speaker

Cost: \$30/per person

Please make checks payable to LWV PVP/San Pedro
Mail to: LWV PVP/San Pedro, P.O. Box 2933,
Palos Verdes Peninsula CA 90274

Questions? Call (310) 200-1260 | Reservations Due September 15th



Join The League!

WHO ARE OUR MEMBERS?

Membership in the League of Women Voters, the most respected and effective grassroots organization in the country, is open to all men and women who are registered voters.

Our members make a visible difference by serving as community leaders using their experience to create positive, lasting change in our communities.

HOW DO I JOIN?

Just fill out the membership form below and mail it to:

LWV PVP, PO Box 2933, Palos Verdes Peninsula, CA 90274.

Please make checks payable to *LWV PVP*

Membership Form

Name _____

Name(s) of additional member(s) in household _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip Code _____

Phone (home) _____ Phone (work/day/cell) _____

Email address _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____

\$80.00 one member

\$40.00 additional member in the same household.

Dues are tax deductible. LWV PVP is a 501(c)(3) organization.

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