



November 8, 2023

Letter From the President

Hello LWV Hudson!

Another election is on the books and literally in Ohio's constitution!

Congratulations to all LWWH members who worked so hard to pass **Issue 1**. Your selfless efforts have changed reproductive care for generations to come.

Congratulations to member **Patricia Goetz** in her successful bid to represent Ward 1 on City Council! Your knowledge, dedication, and perseverance will be terrific assets to Hudson. Observer Corp will see you at the meetings!



Member **Madeline Lepidi-Carino's** bid for city council fell short after miles and miles of shoe-leather campaigning. On behalf of LWWH, Madeline, we applaud your endeavor to engage in local representation and wish you well.

One of the reasons we all are members of LWV is our interest in politics and governmental workings. It's wonderful when we use what we have learned in League then decide to run for office, petition and support issues, become election workers, or just generally become a source of voting information.

Quick housekeeping detail: **Please pay your dues ... SOON!**

Mark your calendars! Here's what we have coming up in the next few months:

Thursday (tomorrow), November 9th at 10:30 am at the Library, we will hear from ASIA (Asian Services in Action) and learn about their community outreach and how LWVH may incorporate their strategies to reaching the Asian population in northern Summit County.

Thursday, December 14th at 6:30 pm, we will dine together at D'Angelos in Twinsburg. There is a dinner fee and reservations are required. RSVP information available next week.

Monday, January 29th at 7:00 pm, we will chat with the Mayor and City Manager at my home: 5230 Knollshire Drive. This is a members only event and reservations are also required.

Thursday, February 8 10:30 am at the Library, Chief Perry Tabak will join us to talk about safety and security in Hudson.

Thursday, March 14th 7:00 pm, the Climate Sustainability Committee will update and educate us on their latest work.

Thursday, April 11th 10:30 am, we are going to hold a Facilitator Training. LWVH often needs skilled facilitators; let's hone our skills so we are sharp for the next climate or candidate roundtable. Who knows? These skills may even come in handy when conversation-hog Aunt Ethel comes to Sunday Dinner.

Enjoy Thanksgiving!

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PS. Next Board Meetings: Monday, December 4th 7:00 and Monday, January 8th 7:00 pm at 5230 Knollshire Drive.

**Next Monthly Member Meeting is Nov 9,
10:30am at the Library**



At our next meeting will have a speaker from ASIA, Asia Services in Action. We will hear about their organization and mission and the issues the Asian community face. And we'll hear ways that LWV can support outreach to diverse voters. To learn more about their organization, click [here](#). Come prepared with some good questions! See you Nov. 9 at 10:30am at the library.

Save the Date! Holiday Social is on Dec. 14, 2023



D'Angelo's Ristorante
7995 Darrow Rd.
Twinsburg, Oh

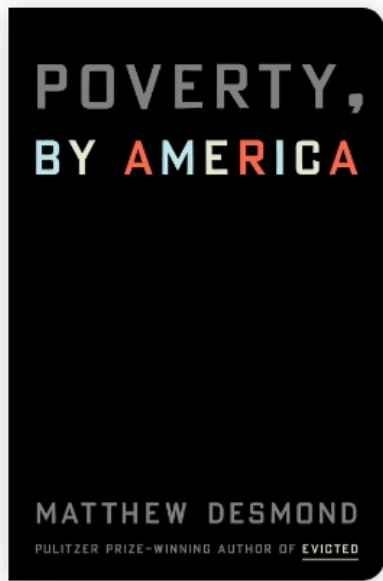
We'll gather again at the same place we have for the past few years with delicious food and celebrate the holidays together.

Next Book to Read for Book Club

Poverty, by America
by Matthew Desmond

Next meeting will
be on Nov 16
at 7pm
Place to TBD

Bring a friend.
Non-members are invited!



The Pulitzer Prize–winning, bestselling author of *Evicted* reimagines the debate on poverty, making a new and bracing argument about why it persists in America: because the rest of us benefit from it.

The United States, the richest country on earth, has more poverty than any other advanced democracy. Why? Why does this land of plenty allow one in every eight of its children to go without basic necessities, permit scores of its citizens to live and die on the streets, and authorize its corporations to pay poverty wages? Desmond builds a startlingly original and ambitious case for ending poverty. [RSVP](#) please.

Our Website Name Has Changed

Don't forget to check out our website with the new name. It's even easier to remember-- lwvhudson.org! The website content has not changed, it still lists all our events, photos and news for both the public and our members. Check it out:

[Visit L WVH website](http://lwvhudson.org)

Make Your Own L WV T-shirt



Proudly display our LWV logo! Great to wear when registering voters or volunteering for events. You can make your own t-shirt at the Akron Public Main Library. Call the library at 330 643-9000 to make an appointment. Bring a new unwashed cotton t-shirt, or a hoodie and \$7. If you want to print on both sides, it's \$14. The Tech Advisor will help you. Bring the LWV logo on a thumb drive, which you can get from [Inge](#). Or, ask her or Barbara Bos to make one for you!

Are You a Teacher? Know a Teacher?



Did you know there is a FREE statewide online curriculum designed to civically engage students? It's called **Voting and Civics: Know Your Ohio Government**. To learn more go to LWV Ohio's [website](#). This dynamic program is built with flexibility and versatility in mind — adaptable across grade levels, learning abilities, and teaching environments.

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