

## LWVNEW AUGUST 2022 NEWSLETTER

### FROM YOUR CO-PRESIDENTS

*August is usually a relatively quiet month on the League calendar. This year, however, voters in New York State have a primary election to contend with. This second summer primary date was necessary due to delays caused by contested congressional district maps and contested state senate district maps.*

*In our area, we don't have any primaries for state senate. We do have Democrat and Republican primaries for Congress. Perhaps you "attended" the LWV of Westchester's virtual candidate forums to learn more about your congressional candidates. If not, read on for information on how to access video recordings of the events.*

*And, of course, you can check out [Vote411.org](http://Vote411.org) to learn more. There are lots of resources available to help you make an informed decision.*

*Please give some thought to how you'd like to help with September and October voter service activities.*

*Take care,  
Susan & Lisa*

### VOTER SERVICE

#### **AUGUST 23 PRIMARY CONGRESSIONAL & STATE SENATE**

#### **EARLY VOTING**

Early voting is underway for the August 23 primary and runs through Sunday, August 21. The closest EV polling places are in Mt Kisco, Pound Ridge & Somers, but we can vote at any EV polling place in Westchester County. *Editor's note: I did it today, over in Pound Ridge; it was quick & easy and I love knowing that it's DONE.* The Early Voting schedule and list of EV polling places are on our website: [www.LWVNEW.org/elections-voting](http://www.LWVNEW.org/elections-voting).

#### **WATCH THE CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE FORUMS**

The League of Women Voters of Westchester (LWVW) held two virtual candidate forums for the congressional District 17 primaries: one featuring the Republican candidates and one featuring the Democratic candidates. Videos of each can be found on the *News & Events* and *Elections & Voting* pages of our website, [www.LWVNEW.org](http://www.LWVNEW.org)

#### **VOTE411.ORG**

Enter your address at Vote411 to find the races and candidates on your ballot. If you have a question about voting, you can find the answer at [www.Vote411.org](http://www.Vote411.org)

**REMAINING DEADLINES RE:**

**AUGUST 23 PRIMARY ELECTION**

**August 13-21:** Early voting is available

**August 22:** Last day to apply in person for primary absentee ballot

**August 23:** Primary Election Day, polls open from 6 am until 9 pm

**August 23:** Last day to postmark absentee ballot or drop it off at poll site or BOE office by 9 pm

**LOOKING AHEAD TO THE FALL ELECTION**

It's never too early to start planning the voter service activities for the fall. We reached out to other local leagues who share our state senate and assembly districts, in the hopes of collaborating on virtual candidate forums. We are in the initial stages of planning; more to come as things develop.

**MEMBERSHIP**

**ONLINE DUES PAYMENT**

New and current members alike can pay their annual dues at the *Membership* page of our website:

[www.LWVNEW.org/membership](http://www.LWVNEW.org/membership)

If you prefer to pay by check, send your payment to:

**LWVNEW, PO Box 385, Cross River 10518.**

*Many thanks to those of you who have renewed. If you've received a renewal notice and have not yet re-upped, please do so ASAP.*

Our new Membership Liaison is Lisa Pizzurro. Contact her with ANY questions:

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*A warm  
welcome to our  
Newest Member  
~ Anice Mills ~*

**WEBSITE**

We regularly update the website's *Elections & Voting* and *News & Events* pages. During election season, our *Elections & Voting* page is frequently updated in an attempt to provide the latest information and links pertaining to the upcoming election. We highly recommend that you visit the page often during election season. And we ask that you recommend it to friends and neighbors; help us to make it an online election season destination.

Check it out: [www.LWVNEW.org](http://www.LWVNEW.org)

**SOCIAL MEDIA**

We are on Facebook at *League of Women Voters of North East Westchester* and on Twitter *@LWVNEW*.



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