



The Voter

THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF DARKE COUNTY – MAY 2013
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Dues were due by July 1; do you still owe yours?

Please remit to:
Mitzi Marshall

611 Fair Street

Greenville, OH
45331

548-9643

\$55.00 per person



MEETINGS

Usually held the first Tuesday evening of the month @

5:30 p.m.

at the

Greenville Public Library.

Upcoming:

June 4th

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

MONDAY, MAY 20, 2013
6:00 P.M.

THE PRIVATE DINING ROOM
BRETHREN RETIREMENT COMMUNITY
750 CHESTNUT ST., GREENVILLE

Menu:

Pork Roast with Apples

Spinach Salad

Augratin Potatoes

Broccoli

Black Forest Cherry Delight

Cost per person: \$9.50

RSVP Jan at 548-1916 by May 17th



Entertainment -

“Body Language”
with Anne Vehre

2013 CALENDAR

<u>JANUARY</u> State Program Planning Jan. 8, 2013 5:30 p.m.	<u>FEBRUARY</u> Movie Night Gasland Feb. 26, 2013 5:30 p.m.	<u>MARCH</u> Fracking Forum March 18 th First Presbyterian Church 7:00 p.m.	<u>APRIL</u> "Glad Rags & Old Bags" Fundraiser April 27 th
<u>MAY</u> Annual Meeting BRC Private Dining Room May 20, 2013	<u>JUNE</u> 2 nd Fracking Meeting June 24, 6:30 p.m. Lighthouse Center	<u>JULY</u>	<u>AUGUST</u> Membership Meeting



DARKE COUNTY LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS ANNUAL BUDGET FOR 7/1/13 - 6/30/14

ACCOUNT	TL BUDGET
EXPENDITURES	
BOARD & ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE:	
STAMPS, SUPPLIES	\$85.00
FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS	
NATIONAL PMP	\$965.00
STATE PMP	\$825.00
MONTHLY PUBLICATION- VOTER	
VOTER/STAMPS/COPYING	\$200.00
EDUCATION & FUND-RAISING	
PROGRAM COMMITTEE	\$100.00
VOTER SERVICE	\$550.00
FUND RAISER EXPENSES	\$770.00
MEMBERSHIP PARTY	\$125.00
ANNUAL MEETING EXPENSES	\$75.00
CHRISTMAS PARTY	\$50.00
MISCELLANEOUS	\$200.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$3,945.00
INCOME	
DUES	\$1,950.00
SPECIAL EVENTS	
Fund Raiser	\$1,990.00
MISC. DONATIONS	\$0.00
INTEREST INCOME	
INTEREST CHECKING	\$5.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$3,945.00

**League of Women Voters of Darke County
2013
Nominating Committee Report**

TO BE ELECTED:

OFFICERS

(Two-year Term)

Co-President Janey Christman (2013-2015)

Secretary Rebecca Reier (2013-2015)

ELECTED DIRECTORS

(Two-year Term)

Shirla Neff (2013-2015)

Anne Vehre (2013-2015)

Kathleen Schmidt to fill unexpired term-Elisa Ricketts (2012-2014)

PREVIOUSLY ELECTED:

OFFICERS

(Two-year Term)

Co-President Karen Brooks (2012-2014)

Vice-President Loretta Etzell (2012-2014)

Treasurer Mitzi Marshall (2012-2014)

ELECTED DIRECTORS

(Two-year Term)

Joan Klein (2012-2014)

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Mary Bankson, Chair

STUDY POSITIONS:

The League of Women Voters of Darke County has three ongoing study positions. They are concerning Land Use, Health and Education. A vote to continue each of these positions will be taken at our upcoming Annual Meeting.

LAND USE STUDY POSITION:

1. The Darke County LWV favors a countywide system of land use planning compatible with the resolutions available to all political subdivisions.
2. The Darke County LWV favors regional planning.
3. The Darke County LWV favors land use policy that would encourage preservation of prime farmland.

HEALTH STUDY POSITION:

1. The Darke County LWV believes that a public health commissioner candidate should possess administrative and leadership ability, have knowledge of public health issues and previous experience.
2. The Darke County LWV supports the right of every person to have access to quality health care.

EDUCATION STUDY POSITION:

1. The Darke County LWV favors the income tax option as a supplemental method of funding local school districts.
2. The Darke County LWV membership is not satisfied unless superior standards are being met for educational programs and services.
3. The Darke County LWV supports local funding for superior educational programs and services.
4. The Darke County LWV supports evaluation methods providing more time for conferences, more time and space to write narratives and grading systems reflecting student efforts.