

February 17 Wednesday

Hot Topics Luncheon: Palm Beach County Property Taxes - The Inside Story

Presenter: Dorothy Jacks
Chief Deputy Property Appraiser,
Palm Beach County

11:00am - 1.00pm

Lunch is served at 11:30

Palm Beach County has over \$217 Billion in property value, how is that derived? Learn about the responsibilities of the Property Appraiser and what tools and expertise go into the creation of Florida's third largest property tax roll. Dorothy Jacks, Chief Deputy Property Appraiser will discuss the office and trends in the Palm Beach County real estate market.



Property
Appraiser
Dorothy Jacks

Dorothy Jacks is the Chief Deputy Property Appraiser for Palm Beach County. She is responsible for the office's public services functions including overseeing the five Service Centers, ownership; exemption services; Information Technology, mapping/GIS sections, public records and PAPA, the Property Appraiser's award-winning Web site. She is a past-President of the Florida Chapter of the International Association of Assessing Officers and the current Vice President of the International Association of Assessing Officers, a 7,000 member organization that provides education and credentials to assessment professionals in 27 countries. She joined the Property Appraiser's Office in 1988. She is a member of the League of Women Voters.

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or send a \$20
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Estelle Friedman,
3820 S. 55th Ave.
Greenacres, FL 33463
561.968.4123
at the door \$30.

Atlantis Country Club
190 Atlantis Blvd.
Atlantis FL 33462
(561) 965-5788

Directions:

From I-95, exit 61 on Lantana Blvd.
Go west to Congress Ave. and go right
to the 2nd light (JFK Blvd.) and go left.
Go to the guard gate and say you are
going to Atlantis Country Club.
Take an immediate right and the club is
1/4 mile on your right.

Opinion

Ethelene Jones, MD., HealthCare Committee LWVPBC

Satisfy Voters; Expand Medicaid

Polls have shown that the majority of voters want the state to expand Medicaid to cover the nearly 1 million Florida adults who have no health insurance.



Ethelene Jones, MD

At present, Florida's Medicaid program covers adult parents of dependent children whose income is no greater than 30 percent of the poverty level.

Adults with no dependent children are not eligible for Medicaid, regardless of poverty — including 32,000 Florida military veterans.

On the other hand, the Obamacare Health Insurance Marketplace provides subsidies to adults who earn between 100 percent and 400 percent of the federal poverty level, to help make insurance affordable. The federal poverty level is \$11,770 per year for an individual; or \$20,090 for a family of three.

In Florida, non-pregnant adults with no dependent children and incomes below the poverty level, and parents with incomes between 30 percent and 100 percent of the poverty level, are not eligible for either the Health Insurance Marketplace subsidies or Medicaid. These estimated 948,000 uninsured adults fall between the cracks into the "coverage gap."

Florida legislators should close the coverage gap by approving Medicaid expansion, which will allow \$50 billion of federal funds to flow into our state over the next 10 years. The funds will pay for all of the expansion in 2016; then gradually decline to 90 percent in 2020 and continue at that level thereafter.

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Additional benefits of closing the coverage gap:

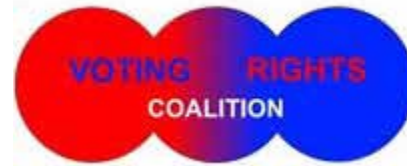
1. Stabilization of health care costs for businesses that are required to provide coverage to full-time employees and their dependents;
2. Reduction of the financial burden on hospitals that provide care to large numbers of low-income uninsured patients;
3. Reduction in uncompensated-care charges that hospitals pass on to insured Floridians and businesses.

Medicaid expansion is a state-based solution and good fiscal policy. The Florida Legislature should respond to the wishes of the voters. ###

League Factoids State Senate Terms

State senate terms are four years and each senator is term-limited after two terms. Half the Senate is up for reelection in any one election.

However, this year there will be difference. Due to the redistricting of the Senate districts and renumbering of the districts, all Senate seats will be up for election. In the November 2016 election, districts with even number will be elected for two years and those with odd numbers for four years. Therefore in future elections once again only half the senate seats will be up for reelection. ###



Voting Rights Coalition

Catch up on what we're doing in 2016:

- How the Money in Politics consensus meeting went and what we learned
- Florida Redistricting
- Pending bills in the Florida Legislature, and how to track bills online
- and a new focus: The Role of the Courts in Voting Rights

The Voting Rights Coalition meets the first Thursday of each month. Upcoming meetings are February 4, March 3, April 7, and May 5. We send weekly emails with important voting rights information.

Our next Voting Rights Coalition meeting is Thursday February 4 at 2 pm at Compass, 201 North Dixie, Lake Worth.

For more info, to join the VRC, or to get on our email list:

Nancy Cohen
nancyecohen1@icloud.com
 Linda Geller-Schwartz
ldngellerschwartz@gmail.com

The League of Women Voters of the United States believes that voting is a fundamental citizen right that must be guaranteed. ###

State House Happenings

PALM BEACH COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD asks the state to permit low performing public schools to be relieved of regulations in order to try new methods and techniques in teaching in PBC.

LWV opposes a bill which would permit GUNS ON COLLEGE CAMPUSES. The bill will remain in committee and not see action this year. Please write to Senate Judiciary Chair Miguel Dias de la Portilla of Miami and thank him for once again stopping this legislation. A win for LWV.

The LWV has joined with the SHERIFFS GROUPS opposing "OPEN CARRY" OF FIREARMS and is SUPPORTING THE COMPROMISE LEGISLATION that clarifies the visibility of arms by people with concealed weapons permits. A win for LWV.

The Florida Senate has chosen not to oppose the LWV DRAWN SENATE REDISTRICTING MAP. Consequently, the Florida legislative seats are now permanently drawn. There is still an outstanding law suit filed in regard to CONGRESSIONAL REDISTRICTING, but the LWV is confident that our adopted constitutional amendments (and maps) will prevail. A win for LWV. ###



CARE Issue Group Monthly Report

by Kathe Thompson

CARE is the League's Climate Action & Research Effort issue group focused on making Climate Change and its consequences a top priority for the public and public officials in Palm Beach County.

CARE's efforts include:

- Support for the Climate Action Coalition of PBC and South Florida;
- Research of disruptive climate issues affecting PBC;
- Speakers on climate issues and impacts; and
- A Climate Action Movie Series on selected Saturdays throughout the year.

CARE meetings/events are generally on the 4th Thursday of each month.

The month of February has no scheduled Saturday afternoon movies, but it does have an extremely important event: the CARE Planning Session for 2016-2017. Research? Speakers? Seminars? Actions? Movies? Theme for the year? Timely issues? Legislative action? Come with your passions, your personal idea, an idea you've just read about or an issue you want to learn about! Let's make a plan...together! (This is a change from the January Calendar!)

You can find all CARE events on the LWVPBC.org Calendar.

To keep abreast of the Climate Actions surrounding us and to keep in touch with what is happening around the world, please go to: www.FaceBook.com (You do NOT have to be a member of Facebook!) Place Kathe's March for Climate Action in the search box.

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**Don't Stand In Line
VOTE IN YOUR PAJAMAS
Request a Mail Ballot
561-656-6200**

Climate Action & Research Effort (Care)

announces:

2016-2017 Planning Session

Research? Speakers? Seminars? Actions? Movies? Theme for the year? Timely issues? Legislative action? Come with your passions, your personal idea, an idea you've just read about, an issue you want to learn about! Let's make a plan...together!

Thursday, February 25, 2016

2:00 - 4:00 pm

Compass HQ

201 N. Dixie Hwy

Lake Worth, FL 33460

Interfaith Forum

Our LWVPBC sponsored an INERFAITH FORUM which received the commitment by religious leaders to oppose terrorism. We thank member Mark Schneider for serving as the wonderful moderator.

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January Hot Topic

January Hot Topic had Dena Gross Leavengood give us an overview of what is happening with HEALTH CARE in Florida. It is not expected that the Florida Legislature will expand Medicaid in our state, but we suggest that members remember to question the candidates about this since it may be considered by the 2017 body. The LIP (low income pool from the Federal Government) which reimburses hospitals for indigent care may completely disappear this year because the Florida Legislature has refused to expand Medicaid.

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DAYTRIPPERS – DOCENT TOUR SOCIETY FOR THE FOUR ARTS AND LUNCH

Join us for 3 hours of Fun!

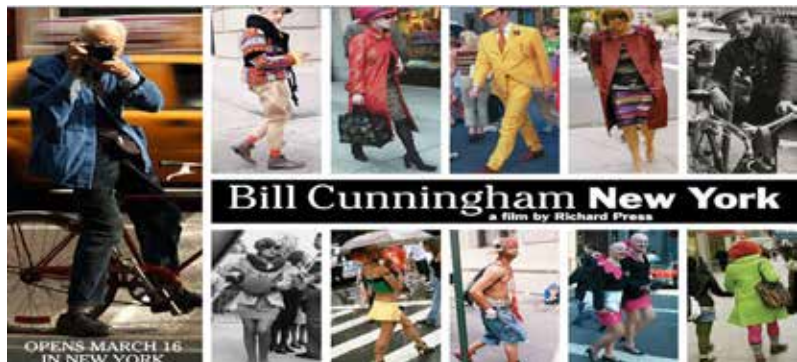
Submitted by: McCall Credle Rosenthal

Our Lady Atlantic Yacht Cruise was cancelled on January 17 by Captain Joe due to the high winds that day. All 25 passengers who were notified well in advance that morning were truly disappointed and had looked forward to sharing two hours of fun. The DAYTRIPPERS, however, have busily been planning our next day of fun to share with you. We hope that you will join us in Palm Beach at the Society for the Four Arts.

The next DAYTRIPPERS outing will be held on Thursday, March 3rd, 10 am at the Society for the Four Arts. Marjorie Merriweather Post and Bill Cunningham will be discussed in our informative docent tour. The life and collection of fabulous, fancy dresses that Marjorie Merriweather Post wore during her life at the Mar-a-La go in Palm Beach during the high society times of the 1920's will be exhibited through the prism of her fascinating life. The collection of dresses will include intricate dress costumes, headdresses, shoes (see below), fans and other accessories that she wore while attending elaborate charity balls. Marjorie Merriweather Post's life could be defined as a Renaissance Woman of our time, combining her pioneering business acumen, philanthropy, art collector and love of fashion.

If you love the NY Times Sunday issues, you have probably looked forward to Bill Cunningham's collage of fashion photography featuring people in New York City. The NYC Historical Society has organized a "Facades" exhibition of an eight-year project where Bill Cunningham documented the architectural combined with the fashion paired with fellow photographer, Editta Sherman. The photos will have period costumes with historic settings. This unique collection will reflect the late 1960's – 1970's when historic preservation and urban issues were quite prominent. This exhibit will showcase fashion and architecture, referencing architectural drawings from the NY Historical Society's collection juxtaposed to Bill Cunningham's photography.

Lunch, 12:15 pm at Michael R. McCarty's, just 5 minutes from the Society for the Four Arts. We will have our very own designed menu of 4 delectable items for you to choose from with separate checks. The restaurant has VALET parking. Location: 50 Cocoanut Row, Palm Beach.



Purchase tickets NOW – Limited tickets! [Click here for online registration.](#)
Last day for purchase is February 23, 2016.

Ticket Information-

\$20 check or online by check make payable to LWVPBC/4Arts and send to:
Mary Jane Range
715 Lyford Cay Drive
North Palm Beach FL 33410

Lunch information:

Michael R. McCarty's Restaurant
50 Cocoanut Row
Palm Beach FL 33480

5 minutes from The Four Arts and Valet Parking available.

Please send a separate check and indicate that you will be attending lunch.

If you are paying online, please check the box that you will be attending lunch.

Welcome To New Members

Please add these to your Membership Directory.

Darlene Kostrub,
Membership Chair
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Bradley Harper

Georgia & Robert Klemetsmo

Arthur Levin

Ann MacLeod

Karen Signell

Louise M. Malusis

Emily Slosberg

Kimberley Spire-Oh

Tiffanie Vendryes

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS!!

Two of our members, BEA PERKINS and DOROTHY WEISS just had their 90th birthdays. These two women are still very active League members, and we are grateful for their dedication.



English/
Spanish
Click here.

Membership Directory Updates

Please make these corrections to your blue Membership Directory

If you know of other directory edits needed, please contact Joan Karp at joankarp2800@gmail.com.

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Sondra Hirsch

Sympathy is extended to the friends and family of League member Sondra Hirsch who died recently. We are grateful for her service on the Nominating Committee and other areas of League activity.



Bunny Steinman

Bunny Steinman, a long time League member, died recently of complications from heart surgery. She will certainly be missed.

Election	Voter Registration Deadline	Election Date
Presidential Preference Primary	February 16, 2016	March 15, 2016
August Primary Election	August 1, 2016	August 30, 2016
November General Election	October 11, 2016	November 8, 2016

Do You Know If Your City Has A Municipal Election On March 15th?

CITY OF ATLANTIS

City Council Group 1:

Lauri Melear -R
Bill Pearson -R
Dan Peterson -R
Ron Reeg -R

City Council Group 3:

David Kintz -R (Unopposed)

City Council Group 5:

Catherine Higgins -R (Unopposed)

CITY OF BELLE GLADE - No 2016 election

CITY OF BOCA RATON - No 2016 election

CITY OF BOYNTON BEACH

Mayor At-Large:

Piotr Blass -R
Steven B. Grant -R
Carl "The Real" McKoy -D
David T. Merker -D
Jerry Taylor -R, Incumbent

Commissioner District 3

James M. Brake -D
Michael M. Fitzpatrick-D
Christina Romelus -NP

TOWN OF BRINY BREEZES - No 2016 election

TOWN OF CLOUD LAKE - No 2016 election

CITY OF DELRAY BEACH

Ballot Proposals

Question 1:

Charter Amendment: Authority to appoint an internal auditor

The charter currently does not provide for the appointment of an internal auditor. Under the proposed charter amendment, the City Commission would have the discretion to appoint an internal auditor to serve at the pleasure of the city commission, to review the business practices, procedures, internal controls and procurement practices of the City of Delray Beach.

Shall the charter amendment be adopted?

Yes ☐
No ☐

Question 2:

Repeal of special act creating the civil service code for City of Delray Beach employees

Florida statute currently requires a referendum of the electors in order to change any rights of municipal employees contained in a special law. The proposed repeal of chapter 25784, laws of Florida, subject to enactment by the Florida legislature, would allow the City Commission to amend its civil service code by ordinance rather than holding a referendum and submitting a local bill to the Florida legislature.

Shall chapter 25784, laws of Florida be repealed?

Yes ☐
No ☐

TOWN OF GLEN RIDGE - No 2016 election

VILLAGE OF GOLF - No 2016 election

CITY OF GREENACRES

City Council District II:

Peter Noble, -R, Incumbent
Toni Willey, -D

City Council District III:

Judy Dugo, -R, Incumbent
Bert Molow -D

City Council District IV:

Jonathan Pearce -D, Incumbent
Anderson Thelsume -NP

TOWN OF GULF STREAM - No 2016 election

TOWN OF HAVERHILL - No 2016 election

TOWN OF HIGHLAND BEACH - No 2016 election

TOWN OF HYPOLUXO - No 2016 election

TOWN OF JUNO BEACH - No 2016 election

TOWN OF JUPITER

Mayor (3-year term)

Keats Soder -R
Todd Wodraska -R

First District Seat (3-year term)

Mike Counts -NP
Jim Kuretski -R

First District Seat (1-year term)

Karen J. Golonka -D
Wayne R. Posner -R
Carol Watson -I

Second District Seat (3-year term)

Ron Delaney -R
Ben Klug -D

TOWN OF JUPITER INLET - No 2016 election

TOWN OF LAKE CLARKE - No 2016 election

TOWN OF LAKE PARK

Town Commissioner:

Erin Flaherty -NP
Kimberly Glas-Castro -R
Charles "Chuck" Hallden -R
Anne Lynch -D
Michael O'Rourke -R

CITY OF LAKE WORTH

Mayor:

Pam Triolo -R, Incumbent
Gary L. Antieau -R
Diane Jacques -D

Commissioner District 1:

Scott Maxwell -R
Ryan Hartman -NP

Commissioner District 2:

Andy Amoroso -D
Frank McAlonan -NP

TOWN OF LANTANA

Council Member Group 2:

Anthony Arsali -NP
Malcolm Balfour -R

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES

City Council Seat 2:

Todd McLendon -NP
Jim Rockett -D

City Council Seat 4:

Dave Browning -R
Thais Hagen Gonzalez -NP

TOWN OF MANALAPAN - No 2016 election

TOWN OF MANGONIA PARK

- No 2016 election

VILLAGE OF NORTH PALM BEACH -

-No 2016 election

TOWN OF OCEAN RIDGE

Council Seat (1-year term):

Lynn Allison -NP, Incumbent
Steve Coz -R

CITY OF PAHOKEE

Mayor:

Keith W. Babb, Jr. -D
Colin O. Walkes -D

Commissioner Group 1:

Deborah Royal Abner -D
Sanquetta Cowan -NP
Diane Harris Walker -NP

Commissioner Group 2:

Herbert J. Crawford, Jr. -D
Clara "Tasha" Murvin -D
Sara Perez -R

TOWN OF PALM BEACH

Ballot Proposal

Question:

Underground Utility Project General Obligation Bonds

To improve reliability, safety, aesthetics and avoid pole hardening, shall Town finance burying overhead utility lines for electric, telephone and cable service by issuing general obligation bonds not exceeding \$90,000,000, maturing within 31 years of issuance, bearing interest rate(s) not exceeding legal maximum, payable from Town's full faith, credit, ad valorem taxing power and non-ad valorem special assessments, with project review by a citizens advisory committee, as described in Resolution No. 201-2015?

For Bonds

Against Bonds

CITY OF PALM BEACH GARDENS

City Council Group 2:

Maria G. Marino -R
Takeata King Pang -D

City Council Group 4:

Kevin Easton -R
David J. Levy -D
Carl W. Woods -NP

TOWN OF PALM BEACH SHORES

Mayor:

Myra Koutzen -D, current Vice Mayor
Thomas R. (Tom) Mills -R, former Mayor

VILLAGE OF PALM SPRINGS**Ballot Proposals****Question 1:**

Palm springs charter amendments to address various housekeeping and administrative issues

Shall palm springs amend its charter to address various housekeeping and administrative issues relating to the legal description of the village boundaries, correcting grammatical errors, removing some references regarding an acting village manager, modifying qualifying periods, clarifying county-wide and statewide election conflicts and majority vote, modifying redistricting methods, changing a reference from "official" to "employee" and providing the date for charter changes to take effect.

Yes ____
No ____

Question 2:

Palm springs charter amendments clarifying various personnel matters

Shall palm springs amend its charter to provide the village manager with the authority to appoint, suspend or remove department heads on the same basis as other employees and repeal article viii to remove the requirements for merit and grievance systems as these provisions are already addressed in village policies and agreements.

Yes ____
No ____

Question 3:

Palm springs charter amendments to address council terms, vacancies and meeting procedures

Shall palm springs amend its charter changing council terms to four years, to hold fewer elections and to reduce costs, providing elections be held in odd numbered years, clarifying the appointment of vice mayor and mayor pro tem, clarifying absences of council members, vacancies and vacancies of candidates and shortening the required notice of special meetings from forty-eight hours to twenty-four hours, or less in the case of emergencies and/or natural disasters.

Yes ____
No ____

CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH**Mayor:**

Billie Brooks -R
Thomas A. Masters -D, Incumbent

City Council District 1:

Bruce A. Guyton -D
Lynne L. Hubbard -D
Tradrick McCoy -D
Horace L. Towns -NP

City Council District 3:

Sylvia Lee Blue -D
Tonya Davis Johnson-D
Tommy Lee Walker -D

City Council District 5:

Terence "TD" Davis -D
Elizabeth Pertee Robinson -D

If You Know Someone Who Would Be A Good League Member....

Please invite them to join LWVPBC either on the web site at www.lwvpbc.org or by mailing a check to LWVPBC, PO Box 6208, Delray Beach 33408-6208. Let them know that this is a great time to join so that they can be part of the April 16 New Member Orientation.

VILLAGE OF ROYAL PALM BEACH**Mayor:**

Fred Pinto -D
Martha Webster -R
Council Group 1:
Jeff Hmara -D
Lenore White -R
Council Group 3:
Selena Smith -R
Richard Valuntas -NP

CITY OF SOUTH BAY - No 2016 election**TOWN OF SOUTH PALM BEACH****Council Seat:**

Robert Gottlieb -NP
Stella Jordan -D
Robert Gargano -NP

VILLAGE OF TEQUESTA- No 2016 election**VILLAGE OF WELLINGTON****Mayor:**

Anne Gerwig -R
Bob Margolis -D

Council Seat:

Michael J. Drahos -R
John Greene -D

Ballot Proposals**Question 1:**

Inclusion of the equestrian preserve area within the charter

The original Charter makes no reference to the Equestrian Preserve Area. The proposed amendment would recognize the Equestrian Preserve Area in the Charter and permit landowners to apply to be voluntarily included in the Preserve Area upon majority vote by Council, but would prohibit removal of properties from the Equestrian Preserve Area unless approved by not less than four affirmative votes.

Shall the Charter be amended to include a provision protecting the Equestrian Preserve Area?

Yes ____
No ____

Question 2:**Village canvassing board**

The Charter provides that the canvassing board be composed of those members of the council not running for reelection and the village clerk. The proposed amendment permits the village council to appoint, by not less than four affirmative votes, a community member and an alternate to serve on the canvassing board when necessary to avoid single or even membership.

Shall Council appoint community members to the canvassing board to avoid single or even membership?

Yes ____
No ____

Question 3:

Certain land uses in the equestrian preserve area prohibited

The present Charter contains no restrictions on land uses within the Equestrian Preserve Area. The proposed amendment would prohibit motels, hotels, condo-hotels and apartments in the Equestrian Preserve Area.

Shall motels, hotels, condo-hotels and apartments be prohibited within the Equestrian Preserve?

Yes ____
No ____

CITY OF WEST PALM BEACH**Commissioner District 1:**

Sylvia S. Moffett -D, Incumbent
Martina Walker -D
Ricky J. Aiken -R

Commissioner District 3:

Paula J. Ryan -D, Incumbent
(Unopposed)

Commissioner District 5:

Sharon 'Shanon' Materio -D,
Incumbent (Unopposed)

Ballot Proposal**Question:**

The following referendum question will appear on the ballot:

"Shall the City Commission of the City of West Palm Beach, Florida be authorized to grant, pursuant to s.3, Art. VII of the State Constitution, property tax exemptions to new businesses and expansions of existing businesses that are expected to create new, full-time jobs in the city?"

Yes- For authority to grant exemptions.

No- Against authority to grant exemptions.

Please Keep Us Up-to-Date

Those of us who have email addresses are receiving updates with news and happenings so that we are "in the know." If you want to stay in this loop, or join it, please make sure to notify Joan Karp (joankarp2800@gmail.com) of any changes to your email address.

If You're Interested In How Your Local Schools Compare

The Palm Beach Post has published an invaluable set of interactive maps which compare:

- school profiles
- enrollment
- capacity
- school grades and demographics
- free and reduced lunch and race
- graduation rates for district-run high schools
- graduation rates for charter public schools

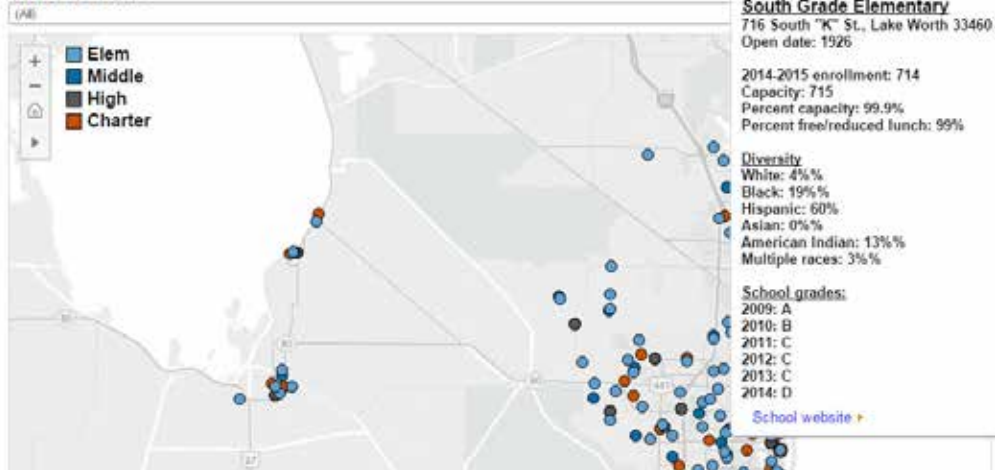
Sample map:

School profiles

Hover on dots to view school enrollment, capacity, demographics and grades.

FILTER BY CITY

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 - Middle
 - High
 - Charter




Once you click on the link: <http://www.mypalmbeachpost.com/school-maps/> I bet you'll be hooked! —ed.

Lost or Missing


Has anyone seen or have the paddles that the timers use at candidate forums?

There were three sets of them. Last seen they were in a fabric bag and there were index cards and other things used at forums.

If you have them could you contact Mary Jane Range at mjrange@comcast.net. Thanks, we have candidate forums coming up and we really need them.

 Cut on the dotted line and mail

☒ **Yes, I want to join the League of Women Voters of Palm Beach County**

 Cut on the dotted line and mail

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Fax _____

Subdivision _____ E-mail _____

City & State _____ Zip + 4 _____ Date _____

Membership Levels:

___ \$55 Individual Annual

___ \$25 Student Annual

___ \$85 Household Annual (2 people sharing an address)

___ \$100 Susan B. Anthony Individual Annual (includes \$45 donation)

(Dues include local, state and national membership and PBC VOTER subscription.)

___ LWVPBC Magnetic Name badge - \$10.00

Please make check payable to **LWV of Palm Beach County** and mail to:

Membership Chair LWVPBC,
PO Box 6208,
Delray Beach, FL 33482.

Also, please check any of these League activities in which you might be interested.

Advocacy _____	Climate Action _____	Communications _____	Domestic Abuse _____
Education _____	Finance _____	Fundraising _____	Gun Safety _____
Data Mgmt. _____	Health Care _____	Immigration _____	Internat. Relations _____
Juvenile Justice _____	Sex Trafficking _____	Voting Rights Coalition _____	Voter Services _____

HELP US GET TO KNOW YOU!

We are encouraging all members to get a magnetic name tag to wear at all LWV events. The name tag is just \$10 and can be purchased either online at lwvpbc.org or by sending a check to LWVPBC marking name tag in the note section. Mail check to LWV, PO Box 6208, Delray Beach, FL 33482-6208.



The
Palm Beach
County

FEBRUARY CALENDAR

February 2 Tuesday

PBC-LWV Board of Directors Meeting

6:00pm - 8:00pm

Lantana Public Library
4020 Lantana Road
Lake Worth, FL 33462

Karen E. Wilkerson
561-478-4115

February 3 Wednesday

Membership Outreach Meeting

For folks interested
in brainstorming about
membership and outreach
ideas.

12:00pm

124 Monroe Drive, WPB

Coordinator: Darlene Kostrub
RSVP or information
561.852.0496

dkostrub@aol.com

February 4 Thursday

Voting Rights Committee

2:00-3:00pm

Compass Community Center
201 N. Dixie Highway
Lake Worth, FL 333460

Coordinator: Nancy Cohen

February 11 Thursday

Registration Event

2pm-3pm

Gardens Library
11303 Campus Drive
Palm Beach Gardens

Coordinator: Harriet Diamon

February 17 Wednesday

Hot Topics Luncheon Property Taxes

Presenter:

11:00am - 1:00pm

Atlantis Country Club
190 Atlantis Blvd
Atlantis, FL 33462

February 25 Thursday

Registration Event

2pm-3pm

Boynton Beach Library
9451 Jog Road
Boynton Beach

Coordinator: Harriet Diamon

February 25 Thursday

Care Event: What Does Everglades Restoration Have to Do With Sea Level Rise?

Speaker, Tara M. Bardi, Director of
Education Outreach, Arthur R. Marshall
Foundation

Discussion What's next?
2:30pm - 4:00pm

Compass Community Center
201 N. Dixie Highway
Lake Worth, FL 333460

Coordinator: Kathe Thompson
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March 3 Thursday

Voting Rights Committee

2:00-4:00pm

Compass Community Center
201 N. Dixie Highway
Lake Worth, FL 333460

Coordinator: Nancy Cohen

Annual Meeting Notice

March 16, 2016 - Your League of Women Voters of Palm Beach County will be having its annual meeting on March 16, 2016. Registration will start at 9:00 a.m., and the business meeting will start at 9:30 a.m. It will be held at the Atlantis Country Club. The agenda includes the adoption of next year's budget and reports on the 2015-2016 activities.

The business meeting will be followed by a Hot Topic Luncheon at the same facility. No reservations are needed for the business meeting, but reservations will be required for the luncheon. ###

Presidential Primary Debate Schedule

Republicans

Sat Feb. 6, 2016:
Manchester, New
Hampshire (ABC
News/IJReview)

Sat Feb. 13,
2016: South
Carolina (CBS
News)

Fri Feb. 26,
2016: Hous-
ton (NBC/
Telemundo/
National Re-
view)

Democrats

Sun Jan. 17,
February or
March: Miami
(Univision/The
Washington
Post)

February or
March: Wis-
consin (PBS)

Primaries and Caucuses

2/1 - IA
Caucuses

2/9 - NH
Primary

2/20 - SC Rep.
Primary

2/20 - NV
Caucuses

2/27 - SC Dem.
Primary

3/1: AL Primary

3/1: AK Rep.
Caucuses

3/1: CO Dem.
Caucuses

3/1: AR Primary

3/1: GA Primary

3/1: MA Primary

3/1: MN Caucuses

3/1: OK Primary

3/1: TN Primary

3/1: TX Primary

3/1: VT Primary

3/1: VA Primary

3/1: WY Rep.
Caucuses

3/5: KY Rep.
Caucuses

3/5: KS Caucuses

3/5: LA Primary

3/5: NE Dem.
Caucuses

3/5: ME Rep.
Caucuses

3/6: ME Dem.
Caucuses

3/6: PR Primary

3/8: HI Rep.
Caucuses

3/8: ID Re.p
Primary

3/8: Michigan
Primary

3/8: MI Primary

3/12: DC Rep.
Convention

3/12: Guam Rep.
Convention

3/15: FL Primary

3/15: NC Primary

3/15: IL Primary

3/15: MO Primary

3/15: OH Primary

3/15: Northern
Marianas Rep.
Caucus

3/19: U.S. Virgin
Islands Caucus

3/22: AZ Primary

3/22: American
Samoa Rep.
Convention/
Caucus

3/22: ID Dem.
Caucuses

3/22: UT
Caucuses

3/26: AK Dem.
Caucuses



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