



# The Voter

LWV Wimberley Valley Mal Unit Newsletter  
Number 2

## The President's Corner

As the League year winds down, LWV-WV has accomplished most of the goals we set for the 2009-2010 year. The board participated in Board Training, the League conducted three voter registration drives, hosted two Candidate Forums, held a meeting on the Constitutional Amendments that appeared on the November ballot, participated in the LWV-TX study on Voting Procedures in Texas, participated in LWV-TX Program Planning, raised funds to keep us afloat and helped LWV-San Marcos Area plan the LWV-TX State Convention in April. The Annual Holiday Brunch added some gaiety to our lives!

We proposed a water study to the State League as part of the Program Planning process. Parts of our proposal were combined with proposals from other local Leagues, in particular LWV-Comal Area. We feel that parts of the proposal going before the convention delegates need to be amended. We will work with Comal Area to word the amendments to be presented to the convention. Dorothy and I will be our delegates to the convention.

League members interested in attending the State Convention are encouraged to do so. The LWV-TX Convention 2010 that you received on March 8<sup>th</sup> contains all the convention information. Guidelines for participation are: to register as a visitor, and to choose the events/meals you wish to attend. These include the Jacobs Well Tour, A Night to Remember, the Environmental Awareness Awards Luncheon and the Saturday Evening Banquet. Checks should be sent to the address provided. A registration fee is not required in order to attend events and meals. If you have questions, call me at 847-9850 or send an email to: [cpino@hughes.net](mailto:cpino@hughes.net).

Looking forward to seeing you at the annual meeting.

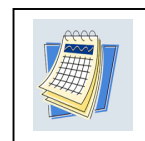
*Carol*

## YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO

**The League of Women Voters  
Wimberley Valley Annual Meeting  
and  
Pot Luck Dinner**



**Thursday, May 6 at 6:30 p.m.  
At the home of Cookie Hagemeier  
35 Persimmon Drive  
Social Hour: 6:30-7:00  
Dinner: 7:00  
Business Meeting: 7:45  
RSVP: 847-7177**



## LWV-WV MAL UNIT CALENDAR 2010

**April**  
09---Board Meeting  
13---Candidate Forum  
23-25---LWV-TX State Convention  
**May**  
06---Annual Meeting  
08---Local Election Day

# VOTE

## League's State Convention offers three days of non-stop action

Beginning with the LWV-WV sponsored tour of Jacob's Well on the first day of the convention and keeping up the pace right through the final plenary session, the League of Women Voter's state convention in San Marcos will offer attendees a chance to participate in a variety of events, workshops and social gatherings where they will be able to meet and network with members from all over the state.

On Saturday the convention will hear addresses by Mary Wilson, President of LWV-US and by Al Armendariz, Regional Administrator for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6. Saturday evening's schedule includes a 90th Birthday Celebration honoring Maxine Barkan as well as a live auction. On Saturday plenary sessions and discussions will be held concluding with the adoption of the state program and budget on Sunday morning.

ATTEND OUR LEAGUE'S JACOBS WELL  
EXCURSION AS PART OF THE  
LWV-TX STATE CONVENTION

Longest known underground cave in Texas  
Artesian spring is habitat for aquatic species  
Learn history of natural area and how WV  
Watershed Association is restoring  
and conserving the land  
Enjoy film of underwater exploration during  
lunch

MEET GROUP FROM SAN MARCOS AT 8:45 am  
COFFEE AT CAMP JACOB

SEND YOUR CHECK FOR \$20 PAYABLE TO LWV-  
WIMBERLEY VALLEY TO  
JOY MODEN, 1111 THOMPSON RANCH ROAD,  
WIMBERLEY, TX 78676 BY APRIL 19

## LWV-WV celebrates 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary with forum, cake and proclamation

In February, our League combined a celebration of the anniversary of the founding of the League Women Voters in 1920



with a forum for county candidates. Voters who attended took the occasion to assess candidates, pose questions and learn the candidates' aims for the various positions they were seeking to fill.

A birthday celebration followed the forum with cake and coffee for everyone.



Prior to the forum and celebration, Mayor Tom Haley presented a proclamation making February 14<sup>th</sup> "LWV Making Democracy Work Day" in honor of the League of Women Voters 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and urging all residents of Wimberley "to pay great tribute and respect to the League of Women Voters for all they do to make our community healthy, vibrant and strong".

Along with President Carol Pino, officers of the LWV-WV attended the presentation. From left to right above, are: Dorothy Knight, Joan Jernigan, Linda Lang. Carol Pino, Mayor Haley and Joy Moden

## Staying Connected

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