2019/2020 LWV Lake County Board

President: Sandra Luther
First Vice President: Glen Gross
Second Vice President: Carol Pred
Secretary: Phyllis Wilcox
Treasurer: Jeff Oviatt
Membership: Cyndi Oviatt
Directors: Joyce Grady
Beth Hutton
Bruce Hutton
Lauren Marchaza
Ann Radcliffe

All board meetings are on the first Monday of every month at 6:00 with the exception of one scheduled for September 9, 2019 due to Labor Day. All members are welcome to attend board meetings.

President’s Message

Our League has been busy! July 5th was Naturalization Day at James A. Garfield’s Home in Mentor. Fifty people from 38 different countries became citizens of the United States. Thank you League members, National Park staff and others who made it a success!

Please go to our website www.lwvlakecountyoh.org for articles about this great event. The next Naturalization Ceremony will be held on September 13th at 10:00am at the James A. Garfield Home.

Constitution Day Festival will take place at Lake History Center on Saturday; September 14th from 11am to 2pm. The LVW of Lake County will register new voters and provide information about the League at the event. There will be a re-enactment of the signing of the Constitution and “special guests” just to name a few activities. Food and beverages will also be available. Please join us in these festivities!

Meet the Candidates will be in September and October at Breckinridge, Concord, Kirtland, and Willoughby Hills.

The League is busily completing our programs, which will begin in October.

Please continue to follow us on our website and Facebook.

Sincerely,
Sandra L. Luther
President

New Members

Dorothy Blaha (Welcome back!)
Jane Kenneweg

Find us on Facebook at:
LWV – Lake County, Ohio
Upcoming Events
(Mark your calendars!)

September 13th: Naturalization Ceremony at Garfield Home at 10:00am

*September 14th: Constitution Day Festival – joint project with the LC Commissioners at Lake County Historical Society 11:00am-2:00pm.

September 24th: Willoughby Hills “Meet the Candidates” at 7:00pm at the Willoughby Hills Community Center

October 8th: Breckenridge Village “Meet the Candidates” at 7:00pm

October 16th: Concord Township “Meet the Candidates” at 3:30pm at Auburn Career Center in the main hall theater. (8140 Auburn Road, Concord)

October 16th: Kirtland PTA “Meet the Candidates” at 7:00pm at Kirtland Highschool

October 19th: General meeting at 10:00am

November 16th: General meeting at 10:00am on the US Census

December: TBD – Holiday Party

January 2020: Planning and Primaries

February 15, 2020: 100 years of LWV – History of LWV in Lake County

March 2020: Lake County Jail

April 2020: Global warming

May 2020: Annual Meeting & Luncheon

*This event was published in July Newsletter as September 17th. The correct date is September 14th as noted above. Sorry for the inconvenience!

Keeping the Great Lakes great

A number of Ohio members of Congress were among a bipartisan group that introduced legislation that would preserve and increase funding for the Great Lakes Restoration Initiative. The legislation would boost funding from $300 million a year to $475 million annually by fiscal 2026. In addition to Brown and Portman, the measure was introduced last week by Republican U.S. Reps. Dave Joyce, Steve Stivers, Bob Gibbs, Mike Turner and Gonzalez, as well as Democrats Marcy Kaptur, Marcia Fudge and Tim Ryan.

Sandra L. Luther (Source: Capitol Letter)