



NEWSLETTER



100 DAYS OUT - House Party

Sunday, 31 July

Sunday, July 31st marks 100 days from Election Day. To commemorate the occasion, we are having a BBQ at the Overbook residence on County Road TT! State Assembly candidate Lynn Utesch will be in attendance and we will discuss ways to get involved -- see details and RSVP [here](#). Got questions, please contact Marie Talarico (mtalarico@wivictory2016.org) or Mitchell Schield (mitchell.schield@gmail.com)

Sign Planning & Design

Thur, 4 Aug

Help decide what to do with our 4' x 8' wooden signs that need repainting. We need a new message; maybe replace some of the signs. Also Russ Feingold Campaign has provide 8 or 10 more large signs. Come to the Door Dems office (7 Second Ave, lower level off Michigan St) at 6:30 pm

Annual Potluck Picnic - in review

The 2016 DPDC Picnic was a success in all respects; 78 people attended including many newcomers; net profit of \$1000 including donations from sponsors; \$1200 raised for Tom Nelson's campaign. The social hour had a new feature, music by The Small Forest (Parker Palmer, Jean Kuhns & Mary Beth Mattson) - loud enough for many, too loud for some, generously donated and appreciated. In Potluck tradition, there was a surplus of excellent food, after which we got to greet, meet and listen keynote speaker Tom Nelson, our candidate for the 8th Congressional.

LOOKING AHEAD

Sept & Oct

We will get together to watch and discuss the Presidential Debates in September and October. We had a lot of fun at the Primary Debates. Plan on having a fun time again this fall. Look for future announcements of dates, times and locations.

Call for Volunteers

WANTED PHONE CALLERS

Help reconnect with members whose email address has changed. Work at home. Choose your own hours. Calling script and list provided. No training required. You are needed NOW. Call Ron Maclean at 920-493-7657

WANTED CANVASSERS

Knock on doors to distribute campaign literature and invite residents to support Democratic candidates. Choose your own hours. Walking map, and script provided. Call Ron Maclean at 920-493-7657

TEAM HILLARY OPPORTUNITY

Hillary For America may provide another staff person for our area. Colin Oldenburg of Hillary's staff recently wrote to us saying:

“Now that the primary is over, we’re organizing all over the country -- and many of my friends are looking for a great place to stay, just like the one I had. [Do you have a spare room, couch, or a futon that a volunteer or staffer could use to rest?](#) It will mean so much to staffers and volunteers to have a place to go to after a long day of working to elect Hillary.”

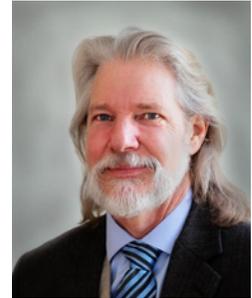
If you can help, click on the blue link above



Eye On the Candidate

Wisconsin 1st District Assemblyman

Lynn Utesch's campaign to represent the First Assembly District is in full gear with 17 people attending last week's Steering Committee and Task Forces' meeting. Door and Kewaunee Counties were both well represented with some tasks assigned as specific to each county. This past week Lynn has been from Fish Creek to Kewaunee City to Brussels attending listening sessions, parades and events. 100 personalized Fund Raising letters are being sent out each week and the first batch of yard signs have arrived. Carol Olson and Laurel Brooks are scheduling house meetings if that is something you would consider doing. Our key issues are: Clean water; Local Control; Jobs and Education. Check UteschforAssembly on Facebook for current information on issues and on events near you.

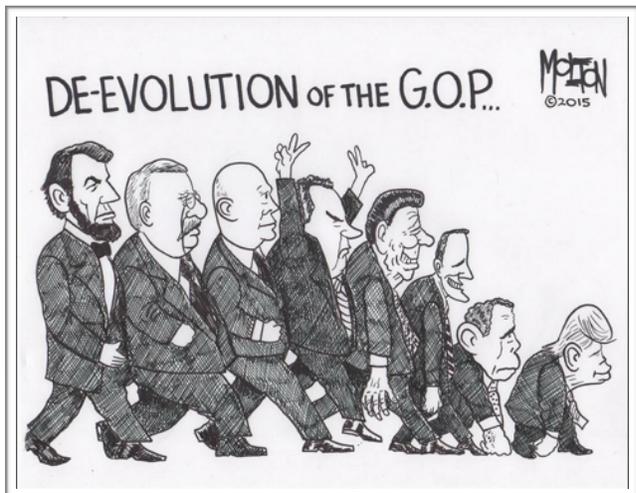


Famous Quote

"We should do together as a Government what we can't do as well individually."

Abraham Lincoln

Humor for the Day



NOTE FROM THE CHAIR

Before the convention started with uplifting and heartwarming speeches, we heard about the massaging of delegates and super-delegates and how slanted the system is by using a method that feels coerced and not quite on the up and up. Then our hearts sank when the DNC chair stepped down when it was found out the system, our system, the one with our name on it was purposefully working against Bernie. Regardless of which candidate we favor, we wanted to know that we would never do that, we negotiate, we listen, we play fair, we root for an even playing field. So where do we put this knowledge that we aren't perfect and as humans, given the situation, we aren't above doing anything? Does this color everything we do from this point forward?

Well I guess it could but let's choose to look at the big picture in front of us, let's look at what's at stake. Ask people to vote for the candidate that will make sure Trump doesn't win. Admit that what the DNC did was underhanded. Don't fight it, Take the bluster out of the conversation by admitting it happened and then move on to what we must do next to stop an even bigger mess.

Bernie and Elizabeth Warren need a progressive president to get their ideas implemented. Let's move towards their agenda. Let's get Clinton elected so Bernie's platform has a chance of seeing the light of day. That's how we can stay loyal to Bernie, by voting for and working toward getting Hillary elected. Please get in touch with the Democratic Party office to find out what you can do to make this happen.

Kathleen Finnerty,

Co-Chair, Democratic Party of Door County

this newsletter ends on the next page

Executive Board:

Kathleen Finnerty, Co-Chair
(920) 333-0185,
FinnertyKathleen29@gmail.com

Maryann Zjala, Co-Chair
(920) 743-4392, maryannzjala@gmail.com

Bill Perloff, Vice-Chair
(920) 839-9282, wperloff@me.com

Suzanne Holvenstot, Secretary
(920) 743-1089, calico007@yahoo.com

John Franz, Treasurer
(920) 854-9312, johnfranz1@charter.net

Ron Maclean, IT Director
(920) 493-7657, ron.m@doordems.org

Dean Hoegger
(920) 824-5127, dhoegger@centurytel.net

Cal Holvenstot
(920) 743-1089, calico007@yahoo.com

Josiah Robben, (920) 746-7713,
mrsparkledoorco@gmail.com

Joseph Lopez, (920) 746-7713,
robbensnestfarm@yahoo.com

Charolette Baierl, (920) 495-7239,
charolettebairerl@centurytel.net

Taylor Havel
(920) 737-3497, happyhavels@gmail.com

Marybeth Mattson
(920) 256-1873, mb.dcmusic@gmail.com

Calendar of Coming Events

JULY

31 SUN - BBQ, 3:00-4:30 pm
Overbeck Residence,
details and RSVP [here](#)

AUGUST

4 THU - Sign Design 6:30-8:00 pm,
7 S 2nd Av, lower level

11 THU - Exec. Board 6-8:00 pm,
7 S 2nd Av, lower level

25 THU - Gen'l Meeting 6:30-8:30
Topic: "Black Lives Matter"
location TBD

SEPTEMBER

8 THU - Exec. Board 6-8:00 pm,
7 S 2nd Av, lower level