

CONVENTION 2013 WEEKEND IN BRIEF

PLEASE NOTE: ALL VOTING WILL OCCUR ON SUNDAY, JUNE 9th

REGISTRATION

Friday starting at 12:00pm for Workshops and 4:00pm for Convention;

Saturday and **Sunday** starting at 7:30am; closed during Plenary sessions

WORKSHOPS

Friday, 1:00-2:30pm or 2:45-4:15pm

- Anatomy of a Public Meeting Fiasco
- Women Candidates and Fundraising
- Building Leadership and an Effective Board
- *Citizens United*: Now What?
- Flat Doesn't Work: Graduated Income Tax in the State of Illinois
- Water, Water Everywhere: Is it Safe to Drink?

Saturday, 12:15-1:45pm

- Evanston Women and the Battle for Suffrage in Illinois
- Flat Doesn't Work: Graduated Income Tax in the State of Illinois (Claire McIntyre and Kathy Tate-Brandish)
- What happened at the Polls in 2012? (J.E. Meyers & Voting Rights & Election Reform Coalition)

CHATS

Saturday and Sunday

- Social Media: One-on-One Mentoring
- Issues
- Redistricting
- Voter Service

PLENARY SESSIONS

Saturday Morning

- Roll Call of Leagues
- Budget, PMP and Bylaws Motions
- Nominating Committee Report
- Discussion and debate begins

Saturday Afternoon

- Recommended program motions
- Introduction and consideration of non-recommended program items
- Introduction of Will of Convention motions
- Discussion and debate continues

Sunday Morning

- Discussion and Votes on all motions
- Election of the 2011-2013 Board
- Directions to the Board

Throughout the Plenary Sessions

- Executive Director's, Member Services, Development, Communications, Voter Service and Issues Committee Reports and Updates
- President's Report
- Q&A sessions on recommended and non-recommended items will be scheduled

FUN STUFF AND MORE...

Friday Evening

- Community Impact Award; Spotlight on League Achievement
- Jenny Riddle performing "Famous First Ladies"

Saturday Evening

- Loose Gravel (folk rock/blues band)
- Carrie Chapman Catt Leadership Award

Ongoing

- Silent Auction
- Exhibit: Ballots, Babes, and Beer
- Electric Car Demonstrations
- Walking tours of nearby trails
- New transportation center tours
- Shopping