

The VOTER MAY 2026

Dear League Members and Friends,

Thank you to those who reached out with interest in becoming more involved. It's not too late! If you're interested in helping out with a piece of what we do, please reply to this email.

We especially need more help with coordinating our voter services since that's our core mission.



Please join us on June 13th for our in-person Annual Meeting (details and RSVP link below)! You can keep up with all upcoming events on our calendar -- the link and upcoming member meetings are listed at the bottom of the newsletter. Other events of note include the two Equal Ground 2026 Florida Legislative Session Debrief campaign stops in Hillsborough and Pasco.

- Pasco County (flyer below): May 21 6PM-8:30PM - Wiregrass Ranch Sport Campus
- Hillsborough County: May 30 10AM-2PM - C. Blythe Andrews, Jr. Public Library
- RSVP <https://www.mobilize.us/equalground/>

Please also note below the many calls to action regarding transportation, health care and other important topics. Also, see the opportunity to attend a reproductive rights event on May 6th and/or support the Tampa Bay Abortion Fund in their fundraising efforts.

Lastly, please let us know if you can represent our league at either the LWV of the United States Convention (June 25-28 - Ohio) or the LWV of Florida Council (July 11-12- Orlando). All members should receive information from both state and national directly so please reach out if you aren't.

In League,
Teresa Potter & Diana Pecha
Co-Presidents



LWV of Hillsborough & Pasco Counties

ANNUAL MEETING



DATE

13 June, 2026



TIME

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM



Seminole Heights Public Library
4711 Central Avenue, Tampa

REGISTER NOW

Please join us for our Annual Meeting
Saturday, June 13th 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Seminole Heights Public Library
4711 Central Ave., Tampa.

Doors will open at 10:30 a.m., so plan to come early (and stay afterward) to enjoy refreshments and visit with other members. The Annual Meeting is when we share the accomplishments of the past League year and plan for the coming 2026-27 year. We will approve a program (aka our priorities), elect officers and a board, and approve a budget. We will also have opportunities to ask questions, share feedback, and spend time with each other in person.

Refreshments will be served, and there is no charge to attend. Click on the graphic above to RSVP.

Plant City Elections

Plant City is holding municipal runoff elections on **May 26** for two City Commission seats. See the sample ballot [here](#).

If you live in Plant City, check your voter registration and mail-in-ballot status at VoteHillsborough.gov. The deadline to request a vote-by-mail ballot is May 14, and ballots must be received by the Supervisor of Elections (*not postmarked*) by 7 pm on May 26. Visit VoteHillsborough.gov/VoteByMail or call (813) 612-4180 to request your ballot and for ballot drop-off locations.

Early voting is Friday, May 22 and Saturday, May 23, 9 am to 5 pm, at City Hall.

On **Election Day**, vote 7-7 at City Hall. Vote-by-mail ballots cannot be dropped off in Plant City on Election Day, but voters can vote in person instead.

Ride with Vote Riders

LWVFL has partnered with **VoteRiders** to help people register to vote, from assisting them in filling out forms to obtaining the documents needed for an ID. VoteRiders will pay for the paperwork, ID, and transportation to get an ID. HCLWV member Deana Turnipseed participated in a training webinar and is psyched! Deana reported that we can volunteer with VoteRiders on their helpline, writing letters, text banking, tabling and more.

Floridians, many of you know that since July 2024, drivers renewing their licenses are being given new numbers. The SOE only receives the new numbers if you provide them. This affects your ability to vote by mail and to sign petitions. What to do?

1. At the time of renewal there is an option to update your Voter Registration. Make sure that you check this box; or
2. Call your SOE office or go to <https://registertovoteflorida.gov> to update your driver's license number by requesting a new voter registration card.

Serious Potential Hiccups in Florida, aka Voter Suppression:

- **NOTE: Proof of citizenship is NOT REQUIRED for the 2026 elections. This law does not go into effect until January 1, 2027 and is being challenged in court.** But it's a good to start early gathering documentation to be prepared for 2027-2028 elections.
- Supervisors of Elections will receive citizenship information from the FLHSMV (captured during the 'gold star' process). However, If the SOE does not receive confirmation that there is proof of citizenship on file, they will send would-be voters a letter and the recipients have **30 days to provide proof** or be removed from the rolls.
- For Citizens born in **Puerto Rico**, **only birth certificates issued from 2010 on are accepted for proof of citizenship**. So any voter born before 2010 (which is all

- voters) will need to request a reissued birth certificate to be eligible to vote in FL.
- Birth Certificate reissues can take days to months to receive. In Florida, it takes just 7-14 business days, but in New York City it takes 6-8 months. Request birth certificates, marriage licenses, and/or divorce records NOW. The website vitalchek.com makes it easy. Get a certified birth certificate, marriage license, and divorce record via this website, but **expect delays!**
 - **Adoptees** will be affected if their birth certificates don't list their adopted names.

Messaging for the 2026 Elections in Florida

- Voting requirements will not change in Florida this year.
- The deadline to register to vote in the primaries or change party affiliation is July 20.
- Ask everyone if they have an ID. If they do not, direct them to www.voteriders.org.

For more information about VoteRiders and voting in Florida, please contact [Deana Turnipseed](#).

Let Floridians Decide

Expand Healthcare!

Right now, up to 3.7 million Floridians are uninsured or losing coverage as costs rise and protections disappear. We have a chance to fix that -- not through politicians but directly through the ballot.

Florida Decides Healthcare is working to put Medicaid expansion before the voters, once again. If it passes, hundreds of thousands of working Floridians would gain access to affordable life-saving care.

**It's time to let the people decide.
Not politicians.**

Request a petition at FloridaDecidesHealthcare.org.

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Free Space

Anyone want to say something about VR at Goodwill? VR in general?

Third Trimester Abortion Care is Health Care

An Evening With Dr. Shelley Sella

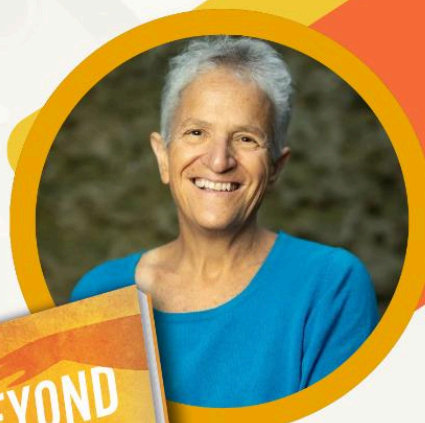
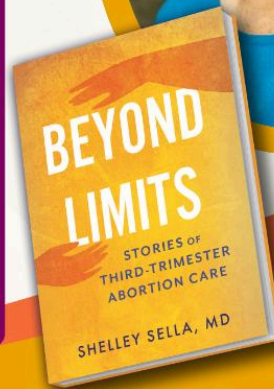
Wednesday, May 6 from 7 - 9 p.m.

Join the League of Women Voters of the St. Petersburg Area and Progress Florida for a special evening with Dr. Sella, physician and author of *Beyond Limits*.

Dr. Sella is the first woman in the United States to provide third-trimester abortion care and has spent her career on the frontlines of reproductive healthcare. Dr. Sella will share reflections from *Beyond Limits* and discuss the realities facing patients and providers today.

Tickets are free, but registration is required. Due to limited capacity, please only register if you are certain you will attend. Space is very limited, and we expect this event to fill quickly.

For security and capacity reasons, only registered attendees will be admitted, and anyone not on the list will be turned away at the door.



LWV LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS'
OF THE ST. PETERSBURG AREA

PROGRESS **FLORIDA**

[Here](#) is the link to register. Please contact voter@hclwv.org if you would like to carpool from South Tampa.

Pasco LWV Goes Green

The Pasco Action Group participated at the annual Earth Day Celebration, Saturday, April 25, at Crews Lake Park. League volunteers Donna Earnest, Elaine Kabat, Nancy Sardinas Lambert, and Christine Bright had the opportunity to provide voting information, voter registration forms, and vote-by-mail request forms to over 100 Florida voters. And four women requested League member applications!

Beautiful day, friendly family crowd, a plant sale, the Sierra Club, garden workshops, animal petting stops, and recycling collection.



A great day on the Planet!

Tampa Road Design: Safety First or Popularity Contest?

When the City of Tampa Mobility Department launches road safety projects, the design process is rigorous, demanding traffic counts, field studies, budget hearings, and public outreach and meetings, all before implementation. Traffic safety is not achieved on a

whim.

But then there's the flurry of community complaints as projects commence. And sometimes, our elected officials confuse a handful of angry letters with a community consensus.

The El Prado project is a critical example. Fully vetted, studied, and promised, this project should begin within a few weeks. However, a few residents are demanding the City halt the project, and they're getting attention. These letters should not be taken as representative of public opinion. If city officials intend to rule by popular opinion, they need to take the time to poll a wider range of the public than the social media warriors who share project disinformation.

In the absence of such a poll, please contact Mayor Castor and the Tampa City Council to tell them to proceed with the El Prado Sidewalks and Bikeway Project as planned.

- Sample letter - *Dear Mayor Castor and Tampa City Council, Please support the El Prado safety project. We need sidewalks, crosswalks, better signal timings, slower speeds, and a safe space to bike on this important route.*
- Email addresses: jane.castor@tampagov.net, tampacitycouncil@tampagov.net

Also, please plan to attend the City's open house for the project on **May 13, 6:30-8 pm**, at Jan Kaminis Platt Regional Library, 3910 S. Manhattan Ave., Tampa.

Can Tampa Be More Like Paris?



Celebrate bicycle-friendliness and walkability in Tampa! Hear all about Paris's transformation to a bikeable, walkable city during a panel discussion with Audrey Chapuis, the new CEO of the Tampa Bay History Center at Walk Bike Tampa's National Walk and Bike Month event. Audrey lived in Paris before coming to Tampa and she's embracing alternative transportation here in her new hometown. **Tuesday, May 12, 5-7 pm at TBHC.** Click on the logo for more information.

Member Focus



HCLW Transportation Chair Emily Hinsdale is the President of Sidewalk Stompers, a nonprofit focused on helping more kids safely walk and bike to school. She also serves on the Walk Bike Tampa board of directors, on the Hillsborough TPO's Livable Roadways Committee, and as vice chair of the FDOT Hillsborough Community Traffic Safety.

Listen to Emily's appearance on Garrett Greco's Tampa Bay Developer podcast as she explains:

- Why Tampa's roads are so dangerous for pedestrians, bicyclists, and families;
- How safer sidewalks, crossings, and school routes could dramatically reduce traffic;
- What Florida and local governments are getting wrong about street safety;
- Where Tampa is getting walkability right and where it's still failing badly;
- Who has the power to change unsafe roads; and
- What voters should demand next.

Find the podcast at [Tampa Bay Developer](#).

Step Up for Sidewalks



Tampa's sidewalk ordinance needs changes! Last month, Tampa City Council voted to delay work on an change that would require new home construction to install sidewalks. The delay was to consider the South Tampa neighborhood Culbreath Bayou's demand to opt out of this citywide ordinance.

Tampa has 1,300 miles of roads without sidewalks, including along critical routes to parks, schools, hospitals, and businesses. The city budget permits up to 3 miles of new sidewalk installation per year. Mandating that developers install sidewalks in front of their projects is an essential tool in growing the community's sidewalk network, especially in historically underserved neighborhoods.

Contact Tampa City Council to tell them to eliminate sidewalk ordinance loopholes now, not later.

- Sample email: *Dear Tampa City Council, please support the closing the sidewalk ordinance loophole. We need more sidewalks to for us walk and bike to school more safely.*
- Email address: tampacitycouncil@tampagov.net

"Of the people, By the people, for the people"



The LWV of the St. Pete area held its annual luncheon in April and your Voter editor attended. The room was filled with enthusiastic if not die-hard fans of democracy and voting. The first part of the meeting was a review of the LWVSPA's events over the past year and the second part was remarks by Dianna Wynn, the president of the USLWV. I felt honored to be in her presence.

After reviewing the recent decline of the U.S. from flourishing democracy to flawed democracy to endangered democracy, Ms. Wynn outlined the need for a national civic action uprising, which, to be effective, necessitates 3.5% of the population to take part. She was adamant that women need to be involved and delighted that women are leading so much of the movement now.

One necessary piece of change, according to Ms. Wynn, has to be finding ground with the other side. Extremists on both sides get all the attention, we demonize each other, and we stall out. The LWV's solid experience and reputation as a non-partisan organization makes us very relevant now. Ms. Wynn described us as being political, but not partisan nor beholden to any party or politician.

The key to our success is keeping up our volunteer structure working with partner organizations, and bringing more young people in. Ms. Wynn also said that we should focus this year on GOTV (getting out the vote) more than on VR (voter registration), which is something to keep in mind as we start organizing for the August and November elections.

When asked about white Christian nationalism and its related misogyny, Ms. Wynn replied that there are more of us than there are of them and we will win.

When asked for her definition of democracy, Ms. Wynn responded with nine words from the Gettysburg Address.

Fun fact: The LWV apparently initiates or joins about 50-70 lawsuits each year and wins somewhere between 75-80%.

Anyone who wants a partial list of LWVSPA activities this past year can send an email to the [Voter](#). It's inspiring.

The National Popular Vote



It's been a while since we have written anything here about the National Popular Vote, but in April, Governor Abigail Spanberger signed a bill making The Commonwealth of Virginia the 19th jurisdiction to enact the National Popular Vote Interstate Compact (NPVIC). The bill was passed by the Virginia House of Delegates during the 2026 legislative session.

The NPVIC is a constitutional alternative to the current Electoral College system of electing the president of the United States. The states that are part of the Compact have committed to casting all their Electoral College votes to the presidential candidate that wins the nation-wide popular vote. Under the current system the presidency is the only elected office out of 519,000 elected officials where the plurality does not rule. The person who wins the most votes is not guaranteed to win the presidency.

Adoption of the NPVIC would offer many advantages over the way electors currently cast their votes. Presidential candidates would have incentive to campaign in every state because every vote would count. Today, candidates campaign only in the 5 to 7 battleground or "swing" states. When Florida is considered solidly Republican, our state and the concerns of its citizens are ignored during presidential campaigns.

NPVIC would likely increase voter turnout in all 50 states since every vote would count equally.

NPVIC has bi-partisan support among voters. A [Pew Research Study](#) conducted in 2024 indicated that 63% of Americans favored the NPVIC over the current system. Similarly in Florida a poll conducted by [Florida Atlantic University](#) resulted in 57% of Floridians in favor of the change.

It would take just 48 more votes for the Compact to be implemented as early as the 2028 or 2032 presidential election.

"The Pitt" Highlights the Pits

If you watch "The Pitt", you might know that women are less likely than men to receive CPR from a bystander in public, and we are less likely to receive defibrillation. Read more at [The Epidemiologist](#).

Countering Health Fallacies

There are SO MANY false health claims on the internet, and chasing them down one by one is not possible. Instead, if you can learn to recognize these common errors in reasoning and manipulative patterns, you can be prepared to discern unreliable information when you encounter it in the wild.

Research has shown prebunking works: teaching people logical fallacies helps them discern what information is reliable, and what is not.

Alright, now to the fallacies, courtesy of [Your Local Epidemiologist](#).



Registration for LWVUS 2026 National Convention is now open!

Save the Date: The 57th Biennial League of Women Voters National Convention will take place in June 25-28, 2026.

Join us in Columbus, Ohio or virtually for this powerful multi-day event where League members from across the country come together to network, learn, and chart the course for the next two year\.

The National Convention is an experience unlike any other, as delegates representing state and local Leagues attend dynamic presentations, train for practical activities, and receive inspiring content that supports our mission of empowering voters and defending democracy. Attendees will also vote on the

LWVUS Board of Directors, Nominating Committee, bylaws amendments, budget, and League priorities.

In-person attendees will have full access to plenary sessions, trainings, and networking opportunities. Virtual attendees can fully participate in live-streamed plenary sessions from anywhere.

[Register here](#)

Please let us know that you are going by clicking [here](#).

Make Your Opinion Count!

The City of Tampa is now accepting applications from residents to serve on a non-partisan board that will advise the Mayor and other officials on how best to implement development projects.

In 2023, City Council approved the Community Benefits Agreement (CBA) program to create a process that considers the social and community impact of upcoming development plans. But the program came with a caveat: it required developers to provide community benefits for projects that receive public funds, through the help of an Advisory Council.

Members of the council will advise the Mayor, City Council, the Developer and the City of Tampa residents on how to best impact the community with ongoing development projects. Learn more at [TampaGov.net](https://www.tampagov.net).

Summer Camps and Internships

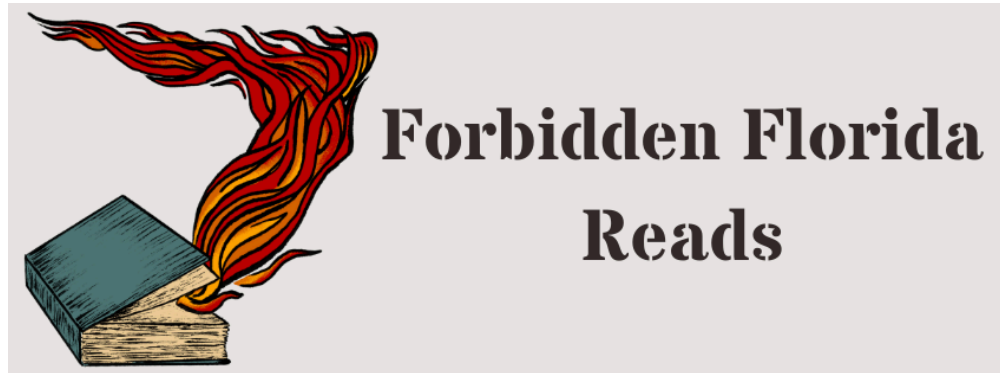
Among the institutions and organizations offering summer camps are Stageworks, the Tampa Fringe Festival, Tampa Bay Watch, the Humane Society, the Museum of Fine Arts in St. Pete, the Tampa Museum of Art, American Stage, the Morean Art Centers, and the Tampa Theatre.

Pasco County offers scholarships to its residents for the county's summer day camps.

Hillsborough County's [summer camps](#) offer hours of indoor and outdoor games and a variety of recreational and team-building activities. Camps are offered for kids ages 6-12, and from 12-15, and adaptive recreation for kids ages 5-18. The camps are open from

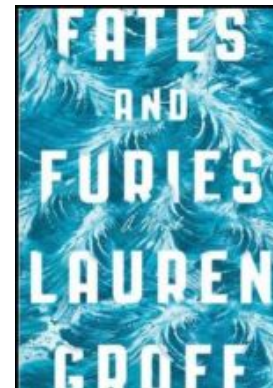
7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday, from June 9 to Aug. 8.

In addition, the City of Tampa offers a variety of [internship programs](#) that provide meaningful skills that help turn jobs into careers. [Rising Explorers](#), for students ages 16-19, focuses on exposure, early workplace learning, mentorship, and building foundational skills. [Emerging Professionals](#), for college students, focuses on skill application, advanced career readiness, and transition to professional employment while featuring public sector careers as an option of choice. Learn more and apply today at tampa.gov/jobs.



May's edition of Forbidden Florida Reads by Izzy Miletic is a short one, featuring Lauren Groff and her novel *Fates and Furies*. For more information about the book and on why and where *Fates and Furies* is banned in Florida, click [here](#).

BTW, Florida NOW recommends checking out and reading a banned book from the public library. It may seem counterintuitive, but public demand for these books helps show their literary, artistic, scientific, or political value.



Suffs



Broadway's Best returns with "Suffs," premiering Friday, May 8 at 9/8c on PBS. Will you be watching?



Tiger Bay

Check the Tiger Bay website for the April program. The nonpartisan lunch will take place on Friday, May 15. Click on the tiger for more information.



An HCLWV member won the Garfield prize for the best question at the April Tiger Bay lunch. Let's make this a regular occurrence!

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Free Space Here



EDUCATE. EMPOWER. ENGAGE.

PASCO COUNTY



**Thursday
May 21, 2026**



**6:00 PM -
8:30 PM**



Wiregrass Ranch Sport Campus
3021 Sports Coast Way,
Wesley Chapel, FL 33543

Join us for an update about what took place during Florida's 2026 Legislative session and learn how the new laws will impact you. This event is free and open to the public.

Sponsoring Partner Organizations



TO RSVP | WWW.EQUAL-GROUND.COM



ADVOCACY IN ACTION

Thursday, May 21 • 5:30 p.m. • Tampa Club

Join us for an inspiring evening of connection, conversation, and community impact as we focus on how to deepen your impact in shaping a stronger future for women and families across our region.

Sponsored by:  Suncoast Credit Union



Former Tampa Bay Times Columnist
Sue Carlton



Pinellas School Board Chair
Laura Hine



Palmetto City Councilwoman
Sunshine Joiner



Tampa City Councilwoman
Naya Young



Host: Ty Russell,
WFLA-Ch. 8 anchor



The topic at Café con Tampa on Friday, May 1, is Antisemitism and the speaker is Jonathan Ellis, chair of Tampa's Jewish Community Relations Council.

Café con Tampa is a 501(c)(3) organization that holds community fora to discuss important issues facing Tampa Bay. The weekly gatherings of neighborhood and community leaders take place on Fridays at 8 am at The Portico at 1001 N. Florida Ave., Tampa. Doors open at 7:30 am.

To learn about future speakers, visit [Upcoming Events](#). Speakers are usually not announced until early in the week. If you are interested in becoming a speaker, visit [Speaking at Café con Tampa](#).

OLLI Summer Open House

Attend the OLLI USF Summer Open House on Thursday, May 7 and learn about the classes offered this summer.

Bring your friends to this informative and fun event where you may:

- Meet instructors
- Preview exciting summer courses.
- Check out upcoming travel programs



- Explore shared interest groups.
- Enjoy coffee and snacks.

Bring a friend and expect to meet a few new ones.

It will be held on Thursday, May 7th, 10:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M., at the Embassy Suites by Hilton on the USF Tampa campus at 3705 Spectrum Blvd. Parking is free.

Register by clicking [HERE](#).

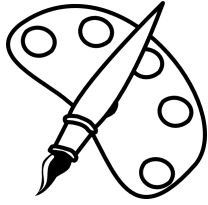
Problem Solved

How many of us struggle to find infant clothing with meaning? How about this? [Order yours here](#).



Since 2022, the University of Florida Center for Landscape Conservation Planning and 1000 Friends of Florida have partnered on a series of economic studies to understand better how sea level rise and community design can impact Florida's lands, waters, and economy. The latest report, "Spotlight on Florida's Future", is available [here](#).

Tampa Bay Abortion Fund Activities



**PAINT
A
PINT**

**\$25
DONATION**

A fundraiser for Tampa Bay
Abortion Fund hosted by
Julia Heinke Lawrence

Come out and paint a pint glass to
support the Tampa Bay Abortion Fund!
Class includes a pint or wine glass
to paint, guided instruction and all
materials needed to create your own
masterpiece! All proceeds go to
support TBAF.

MAY 9TH, 6-8PM
SHUFFLE, 2612 N TAMPA ST

TICKETS: [HTTPS://DONORBOX.ORG/EVENTS/924469](https://donorbox.org/events/924469)

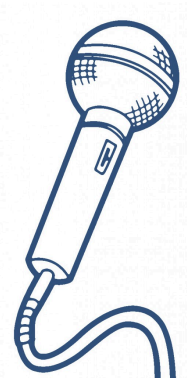
A colorful poster for a 'Paint A Pint' fundraiser. The title 'PAINT A PINT' is written in large, multi-colored letters. A QR code is in the top left, and a pink circle with '\$25 DONATION' is in the top right. The text describes the event as a fundraiser for the Tampa Bay Abortion Fund, hosted by Julia Heinke Lawrence. It details that the class includes a pint or wine glass to paint, guided instruction, and all materials. The event is on May 9th from 6-8 PM at Shuffle, 2612 N Tampa St. Tickets are available at a specific URL. The background features various art supplies like paint cans, brushes, and a palette.

BLACK ENGLISH BOOKSTORE
TAMPA BAY, FL
MONDAY, MAY 11
7:00 PM

Renee Bracey Sherman
Co-Author, *Liberating Abortion*

Kris Lawler
Tampa Bay Abortion Fund

liberatingabortion.org/events

A promotional poster for a book event at Black English Bookstore in Tampa Bay, FL, on Monday, May 11 at 7:00 PM. The event features Renee Bracey Sherman, co-author of the book 'Liberating Abortion'. A portrait of Renee Bracey Sherman is shown. The book cover for 'Liberating Abortion' is displayed, with the subtitle 'CLAIMING OUR HISTORY, SHARING OUR STORIES, AND BUILDING THE REPRODUCTIVE FUTURE WE DESERVE' and authors 'RENEE BRACEY SHERMAN & BEENA MAHONE'. A portrait of Kris Lawler from the Tampa Bay Abortion Fund is also included. The website liberatingabortion.org/events is listed at the bottom. The background is light blue with yellow flowers.



karaoke & movie night

Sat May 16th
Corner Club Patio Karaoke: 6:30-7:30pm
1502 E Sligh Ave, Tampa Movie: 8-10pm

Concessions available for purchase.
*Merch from TBAF

\$10 Tickets
Admission to both karaoke & movie and a raffle ticket.
*You can choose to attend both or just one.
Link to tickets in bio

unpregnant

fundraiser for tampa bay abortion fund

BRUNCH FUNDRAISER
TAMPA BAY ABORTION FUND

SUNDAY • MAY 17 • 12-4PM

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RAFFLES

\$5.00
SUGGESTED DONATION

Hosted by Subterranean Tampa DJs
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SHUFFLE THE HEIGHTS

Shuffle • 2612 N Tampa St

Talk Therapy Available in Hillsborough

Hillsborough County Children's Services reminds parents and caregivers that free support is available through its Community Counseling program. Offered at no cost for youth ages

6 to 17, the program provides individual and family counseling to help address challenges such as anxiety, behavior concerns, school stress, family conflict, and more. Find out more [here](#).

Self-Help Redux

This event has been rescheduled to May 27! The discount code for HCLWV members remains WWW26-LWVHC.

3RD ANNUAL Wit, Wisdom & Women



Advancing the Status of Women Through
Equality, Acceptance, Education, Opportunity

At Wit, Wisdom & Women, you'll leave with tips to set your own rules, identify ideal opportunities, collaborate for good, fuel your passion, and stay motivated.

Join Athena Society for a casual, fun and informative day of professional and personal wisdom for today's women.

Wednesday, May 27, 2026 - 4-8pm
Chester H. Ferguson Law Center - 1610 N. Tampa St. - Tampa



KEYNOTE
Jane Castor
Mayor,
City of Tampa



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Villa Resa Distinctive Linens



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CEO,
The RBI Group



Sandra Braham
President/CEO,
Gulf Coast JCS



Patti Breckenridge
Career Consultant,
Lee Facht Harrison



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Managing Partner,
Ballard Partners



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The Lightning Foundation



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The Rydberg Law Firm



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Tampa Bay Partnership



Miriam "Mimi" Stamps
Associate Professor Emeritus,
Marketing Dept. USF



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Child Welfare
Leader



Joanne Sullivan
Community Engagement,
USF Health

Tickets: bit.ly/Athena-WWW26

For more information, visit:
Athena-Society.com

Tickets for Wit, Wisdom, and Women [here](#).

Everyone Else is After Your Money

It seems as if every email message these days is really just a request for money. This newsletter isn't and has never been. However, if you wish to make a donation to the HCLWV above the cost of your membership dues that stay with the local league, you may make a donation [here](#). Your donation will be used mostly for supplies for voter education events.

Upcoming Member Meetings

May 6, 6-7 pm, [HCLWV Board Meeting](#)

May 19, 7-8 pm, [HCLWV Monthly Issues Meeting](#)

June 13, 11 am-1 pm, [HCLWV Annual Meeting](#)

Check the League's website [calendar of events](#) throughout the month for new meetings and events.

Want to know what's coming up? You can now subscribe to our HCLWV Events Calendar so our events show up on your online calendar! Find the subscribe link just below the calendar heading [here](#).

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