

# NEWSLETTER

**The Young Democrats of Chippewa County Networking Event at the Fill-Inn Station was a good start to the growing organization!**

**The Northern Wisconsin State Fair runs from July 12 -16. We will need some volunteers to work the booth on the following dates and times. If interested please contact Al Holle.**

**Thursday, July 13, 2016**

**11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
3:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.  
6:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.**

**Saturday, July 15, 2016**

**11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
3:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.  
6:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.**

**Any suggestions for changes to the fair booth or how we have done things in the past at the fair are welcomed!**

**If you have time to work in the office anytime between June 12 and June 20 please contact Al Holle!**

**Enjoy all of your summertime activities!**

**Democratic Party of Chippewa County  
Monthly Meeting  
June 8, 2017  
6:30 pm  
103 North Bridge St. Suite 310  
Chippewa Falls, WI 54729**

**Please join us!**

**Agenda:**

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Attendees/Guests**
- 3. Secretary's Report**
- 4. Treasurer's Report**
- 5. Chairs Report**
  - a. Office Update/Membership**
  - b. DPW Office Grant**
  - c. Northern Wisconsin State Fair**
  - d. DPW State Convention**
  - e. Pure Water Days Parade**
- 6. Other**

**The Pure Water Days Parade is Saturday, August 12. Any interest in doing something different - a float, antique car decorated, more walkers, etc?**

**Our Chippewa County Democratic Dinner will be held April 14, 2018 at the Heyde Center for the Arts. Save the Date!**

**2017 DPW State Convention  
June 2-3, 2017**

**A special thank you goes to our newly elected officers of the Democratic Party of Wisconsin:**

**Martha Laning and David Bowen were re-elected as Chair and Vice Chair!  
Mendela Barnes was elected as 2nd Vice Chair!  
Meg Andrietsch was re-elected as secretary!  
Randy Udell was re-elected as Treasurer!  
Khary Pennebaker was elected as a new DNC Delegate from Wisconsin!**

**The Democratic Party of Chippewa County Position Statement:**

**From the outset let's be clear that the Democratic Party of Chippewa County stands ready to support and assist any initiatives that will promote progressive ideas in the surrounding area and beyond, including, but not limited to, resistant type of activities.**

**Thus far, there have not been any requests from members about taking specific resistant actions here in Chippewa County, so our position has been to encourage those members who are interested in doing something to get involved in other area organizations, whether political or not, whether resistant type groups or not, whether social or not, but get involved and speak from your heart about what is important to you when discussing the President, the Political Parties, or what is best for America.**

**We all know that as we get closer too the 2018 State Supreme Court, Gubernatorial, and US Senate elections there will be more and more political activities organized by candidates and the party here in Chippewa County.**

**Some of the organizations you might like to get involved in are: Citizen Action Organizing Cooperative - Western Wisconsin, Sierra Club, Indivisible Chippewa Valley, The League of Conservation Voters, ACLU - Chippewa Valley, Our Revolution, Organizing for America, The League of Women Voters, or any of the other local activist groups.**

**While the Democratic Party itself will focus more on getting progressive candidates elected, building alliances with all of these other groups is absolutely necessary to getting more people out to vote in future elections. That's where your help is needed most.**

**Calendar of Events 2017****June 8, 2017**

**Monthly Meeting - 6:30 pm at the Office**

**July 12- 16, 2017**

**Northern Wisconsin State Fair**

**July 13, 2017**

**Monthly Meeting - 6:30 pm at the Office**

**August 10, 2017**

**Monthly Meeting - 6:30 pm at the Office**

**August 12, 2017**

**Pure Water Days Parade**

**September 14, 2017**

**Monthly Meeting - 6:30 pm at the Office**

**Executive Committee for 2017**

**Al Holle - Chair  
Carol Gehl - 1st Vice Chair  
Sherry Jasper - 2nd Vice Chair  
Dawn Totzke - Secretary/Treasurer**

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