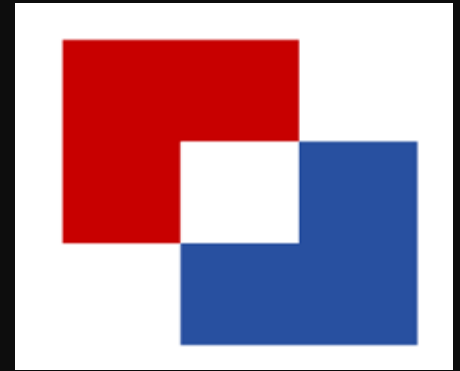




Democratic Club of Willow Valley

General Meeting
April 29, 2025

Guest Speakers



Ted Borek and Terry Webb

Discussing **Braver Angels**, a non-profit that offers workshops, events and online conversations to help Americans across the political spectrum bridge their differences and find common ground.

Treasury
Membership
Scholarship
Advocacy
Website Demo



Obituary



Treasury

- **Current Balance** **\$ 2,522.22**
- **Amount “owed” to Scholarship Fund** **\$ 3,432.00**
- **Difference** **\$ 909.78**

Membership

Current 2024 Membership 284

Membership drive to start later in May.

Scholarship



**Successfully added second scholarship
for a technical-school applicant
commencing in 2025.**

**Two \$ 1,000 scholarships to be awarded
in May.**

Advocacy

Jimmy Carter 2025 Campaign



President Carter receives the 2002 Nobel Peace Prize for:

- Decades of finding peaceful solutions to international conflicts
- Support of democracy and human rights around the world
- Promotion of economic and social development

In 2025, there are more than 100 armed conflicts around the world. Women/men like Jimmy Carter are needed more than ever.

Advocacy (cont'd)

VoteRiders offers critical voter ID info and free, one-on-one help to secure an ID.

Over 21 million do not have proof-of-citizenship documents.

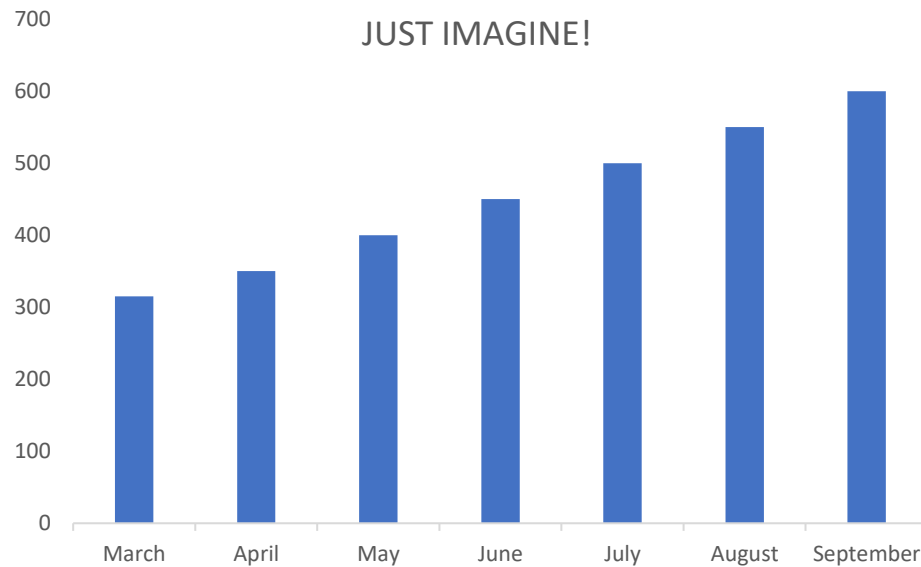
Write letters to new voters to make sure that they are prepared to vote for the first time. www.VoteRiders.org

Donate to VoteRiders:

- \$35 funds cost of securing a vital document for 1 voter
- \$50 pays for directly contacting 100 voters

Advocacy (cont'd)

March Dems WVC contacts made: 315



Advocacy (cont'd)

Need Letter-Writing Committee Chair

- Contact management
- Organizational skills
- Recognizes well-written letters

*Any
volunteers?*

Signup sheets in back of room.

Advocacy (cont'd)



Visitation Advocacy Group

Small groups making face-to-face calls on legislators.

Sign-up sheets in back of room.

Advocacy - Recent Events

March 29th How Federal Cuts Threaten Lancaster County Schools and What We Can Do; Manheim Township Public Library

April 3rd Rally for Trans Rights at UPMC; UPMC Outpatient Center

April 5th Hands Off! Lancaster Fights Back; Penn Square

April 15th Church World Services: What's Happening With Immigration; Understanding Our Democracy forum @ Willow Valley

April 16th Lancaster Medicaid Rally: Come Fight for Medicaid; Penn Square

April 19th Rally for an Inclusive Society; Binns Park

April 24th "You Are Not Alone" Town Hall; W. Lampeter Twp Bldg

April 26th YWCA's Race Against Racism; Lancaster City

April 26th "Stop the Cuts"; Penn Square

April 27th Education Justice Town Hall; Church of the Apostles

April 27th Indivisible Lancaster Together; Lancaster Quaker Meeting Hall

Website Status

Met with developer Mar. 12th to review the development process.

Demo'd the website to the Board on Mar. 17 and submitted requested changes.

Testing will be done in late April.

Implementation planned May 1st.

Delay due to Ross' vacation April 5-21, 2025.

New Business

Writing thank-you notes

New Business

May 20th Primary


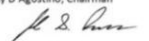
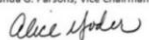
Need for assistance with greeter coverage at all the Lampeter-Strasburg precincts

Need for a strong voter turnout for the primary in these trying times.

Our candidates on the ballot ...

Sample Ballot (Lakes)

Lampeter-Strasburg Democratic Committee Voter Guide

OFFICIAL DEMOCRATIC BALLOT		PAPELETA OFICIAL DEMOCRATICO	
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COUNTY OF LANCASTER, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA		Precinct 5206 W Lamp-Lak	
CONDADO DE LANCASTER, ESTADO DE PENNSYLVANIA		Precinto 5206 W Lamp-Lak	
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Upcoming Events

Understanding Our Democracy

Thursday, May 22nd @ 10 - 11:30 am

Cultural Center Education Room

**Susan Spica (Education Voters PA) and
Erin Small (Hempfield School Board candidate)
will talk about federal and state education funding.**

Everyone is welcome.

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Understanding Our Democracy

Thursday, June 12th 1:30 - 3:00 pm

Cultural Center Education Room

**Members of the Lancaster Quaker Meeting
will share with us their advocacy efforts
with our elected officials.**

Everyone is welcome.

Upcoming Events

May 27th

General Meeting

Chris Baxter

CEO and President

SpotlightPA



Thank you for
coming!



See you on

Tuesday,

May 27th