

# WINE TASTING AND SILENT AUCTION FUNDRAISER!

The League of Women Voters Juneau is holding its first ever Wine Tasting and Silent Auction Fundraiser on Oct. 2, 2015, at the Hangar Ballroom!

The event will feature an assortment of wines from local distributors, an array of silent auction items (including a framed Rie Munoz print commemorating women's suffrage), the smooth musical stylings of Tom Locher, door prizes, and more! Tickets are \$30 (\$50 for two) and can be purchased from any LWVJ board member.

WE NEED YOUR HELP: We are seeking people who have connections with silent auction donors, who are skilled at arranging silent auction baskets, or who want to help set up our silent auction items at this event. To sign up to help or arrange an auction item donation, contact one of the following members:

#### Kim Andree

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#### **Chris Niemi**

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#### **Marianne Mills**

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**LEFT:** League members (front to back) Marie Olson, Marianne Mills, Hetty Barthel and Bridget Smith register voters and test their U.S. citizenship knowledge during the 2015 Fourth of July festivities in Douglas. **ABOVE:** Hetty Barthel staying cool in the sun. **BELOW:** Juneau Marching Band.



**August 2015** 

# YOU'RE INVITED: 2015 CANDIDATE FORUM!

Wednesday, Sept. 23, 2015

Program: 7-9 p.m. • CBJ Assembly Chambers

Setup: 6-6:30 p.m. • Meet-and-greet, snacks: 6:30 p.m. Coffee, tea, and light refreshments provided by LWVI.





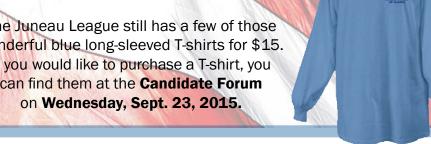
#### WINE TASTING (cont.) ...

We are aiming for silent auction items which will bring in top dollar. Below is a list of auction item ideas. Contact us to volunteer to bring in an item:

- Taku Glacier Lodge trip
- Whale watching trip
- Loren Jones dinner
- Margaret Pugh dinner
- Annie Kaill's items or gift certificate
- Salt/Saffron/Tracy's Crab Shack gift certificate
- Baranof (dinner, room)
- · Grandma's Feather Bed
- Cycle Alaska bike tune-ups
- · Rejuvenation or other spa (gift certificate/ pamper basket)
- Rainforest Yoga passes
- · Eaglecrest, Tram passes
- · Auto shop detail, basket
- Paradise Cafe gift certificate
- Alaskan Dames donation
- Native Alaskan artwork
- Yoga Massage

## **HAVE YOU PURCHASED YOUR** LWV ALASKA T-SHIRT YET?

The Juneau League still has a few of those wonderful blue long-sleeved T-shirts for \$15. If you would like to purchase a T-shirt, you can find them at the Candidate Forum



#### **LWVAK NEW POSITIONS**

The state League has adopted new postitions — **Voter** Registration and Election Processes and Procedures. These positions are available online at:

lwvalaska.org/positions-bylaws





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**ABOVE:** League board members Chris Niemi and George Brown register new citizens to vote after the naturalization ceremony on Aug. 21, 2015, at the Federal Building in Juneau. Thirty one voter registration forms were completed, and additional forms were given to audience members. LEFT: LWVJ President Geny Del Rosario speaks during the ceremony.

# Mark your calendar!

LWVI will be registering voters at the fifth annual UAS Campus Kickoff:

> 3 to 6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 4, 2015 UAS Mourant Courtyard

#### **EARLY VOTING**

Early Voting (in-person) for the Municipal Election begins at 10 a.m. Monday, Sept. 21, 2015, in the Mendenhall Mall.

Hours for Early Voting:

- 10 a.m.-6:30 p.m. **Monday-Friday**
- Noon-4 p.m. **Saturday and Sunday**

If you will be out of town during the entire voting period, you can contact the City Clerk for an absentee by-mail ballot.

Last fall the voter turnout was 29 percent. The League urges you to encourage all your family and friends to get out to the polls for this year's elections!

### **VOTER'S GUIDE**

It is Municipal Election time again, and the League of Women Voters of Juneau is working on the Voter's Guide in collaboration with the Juneau Empire. The Guide will be published on Sept. 20, 2015, or shortly after.

Thank you, **JUDY ANDREE LWVAK LEGISLATIVE LIASON**