

MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR

February 2012

One million signatures to recall Walker!! Almost two million total! The fight continues. Let's keep the energy going as we begin a campaign year in which we will re-elect President Obama, oust Gov. Walker, elect Tammy Baldwin as senator, Re-elect Congressman Kind, Senator Shilling, Rep. Doyle, and Rep. Billings.

We want to grow our membership in this very important election year! **Chris Kahlow** will chair the **Membership** Committee. Please contact her at <u>c_kahlow@yahoo.com</u> or (608) 785-0134, if you would like to serve on that committee.

Paul Kruse will chair the **Candidate Recruitment** Committee. Please contact him to serve on this committee: (608) 783-6206 or pwk54@yahoo.com

Rocky Huber will chair the **Fundraising** Committee. Please contact her, if you wish to serve on this committee: (608) 783-4824 or gghrsh@aol.com

Members will be receiving a notice from the State letting them know they should renew. You may renew with the local party or with the State. We would appreciate your renewing with the local party. Your membership year will be determined by the date you join or renew. A membership form can be found at www.laxdems.com. Or you may send in your payment. The membership amounts are listed on the next page. Please send the amount with your name and address to La Crosse County Democratic Party, P.O. Box 1861, La Crosse, WI 54602-1861

Vicki Burke Chair, La Crosse County Democratic Party

Upcoming Party Events!

General Party Meeting March 20, 7:00 p.m. Democratic Office 116 5th. Ave S, La Crosse

Third Congressional District Convention Saturday, March 24 Lincoln High Auditorium 124 S. School St. Alma Center. See article for details.

Selection of Delegates for the Democratic National Convention Sunday, April 15 Doors open at 11:30 a.m. Registration 12-2 p.m. Democratic Office 116 5th Ave S, La Crosse NO ENTRY PAST 2 p.m.

County Caucus for

Wisconsin State Convention June 8 & 9 at Radisson Paper Valley Hotel 333 W. College Ave. Appleton, WI 54911, Hotel Phone: (920) 733-8000

Democratic Party of

Contribute Now to The LCDP Walker Recall Fund

www.actblue.com/page/recallwalkernow

2012 Membership InformationPlease renew your memberships!!

Our goal is to push party membership over 400. A form can be found at our website: www.laxdems.com

Membership rates as established by the Democratic Party of Wisconsin are as follows:

\$25	General Membership
\$10	Senior, Student, Limited Income
\$35	Pairs (up to two members)
\$75	Family (all immediate family members)
\$120	Supporting Membership
\$250	Friend
\$600	Patron
\$2400	Benefactor

Half of the above membership dues go to the State party, with the exception of the Family membership, where \$45.00 of \$75.00 goes to the local party. Those who join at the higher levels of membership (\$120.00 and above) should remember that only \$50.00 of those memberships will stay with the local party.

If your intention is to become a new member or renew your membership with the Democratic Party and you want more of your contribution to go to the Local County Party, please consider joining at the single \$25 or \$75 Family membership level and making additional contributions to the county party directly.

Recall Walker Help Needed!!

Help is needed immediately at the office, 116 5th. Ave. S., La Crosse. We are doing data entry and need many volunteers. Please contact **Sheigh** if you can help: **Sheigh Freeberg**, Field Organizer, Democratic Party of Wisconsin Cell: (316) 213-8118 Office: (608) 692-2059

In the next few months we will concentrate on **party building and voter information**. Since there is likely to be a Democratic primary, we will work equally with all candidates seeking to oust Gov. Walker.

Tammy Baldwin has been endorsed by the State Democratic Party as our candidate to replace Senator Herb Kohl. **Please give her your support.**

Want To Be a Delegate to the Democratic National Convention?

This year's Democratic National Convention is quickly approaching and the DPW is planning "How to be a Convention Delegate" trainings all over the state. These trainings will provide people with information about the Democratic National Convention in Charlotte, NC and help ensure active participation in the delegate selection process.

Training in La Crosse "How to be a Convention Delegate"

Sunday, March 11 at 3:00 p.m. at the Dem Office, 116 5th. Ave. S., La Crosse.

PAC, Party & National Campaign Information

Democratic Party of Wisconsin (DPW)

110 King Street, Suite 203 Madison, WI 53703 (608) 255-5172 (608) 255-8919 Fax www.wisdems.org

Wisconsin State Senate Democratic Committee

www.SSDC-Wi.org

Wisconsin Assembly Democratic Campaign Committee

www.AssemblyDemocrats.com

3rd Congressional District Democratic Party

Melanie Franklin, Chair (715) 659-4964 www.3rdDems.net

Democratic National Committee (DNC)

430 S. Capitol St. SE Washington, DC 20003 (202) 863-8000 www.Democrats.org

Democratic Leadership Council (DLC)

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Senator, Herb Kohl (D) 330 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510 (202) 224-5653

Congressman, Ron Kind (D)

(202) 224-9787 Fax

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State Senator, Jennifer Shilling (D) Room 106 South, State Capitol (608) 266-5490

94th Assembly Rep, Steve Doyle (D) Room 126 North, State Capitol rep.doyle@legis.wisconsin.gov

95th Assembly Rep, Jill Billings (D)

(608) 266-0631

(608) 282-3572 Fax

Room 216 North, State Capitol rep.billings@legis.wisconsin.gov (608) 266-5350



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The Newsletter is now online. If you don't receive the online newsletter and have not received online updates through the campaign, please update your address by sending an email to: laxdems@yahoo.com or visit us online at: www.LaxDems.com

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\$75 Family	
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\$250 Friend	
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I would like to support the LCDP with a	
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Make checks payable to:	contributions exceed \$200 in a calendar year.
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