



**Coming Up**

**September 6, 2008**  
**Libertarian National**  
**Committee Reception &**  
**Fundraiser**  
 Hyatt Crystal City  
 Arlington, VA  
 7:00 pm

**September 6-7, 2008**  
**Libertarian National**  
**Committee Quarterly**  
**Meeting**  
 Hyatt Crystal City  
 Arlington, VA  
 09/06 - 8:00 am to 6:00 pm  
 09/07 - 8:00 am to noon

**September 12, 2008**  
**Bob Barr speaks at George**  
**Mason University**  
 Student Union Building 2  
 Patriots Lounge  
 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm

**September 14, 2008**  
**LPVA Table @ Richmond**  
**Homeschool Expo**  
 Children's Museum of  
 Richmond  
 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm

**September 20, 2008**  
**State Committee**  
**Quarterly Meeting**  
 Tuckahoe Branch Library  
 Henrico County Libraries  
 Richmond, VA  
 1:00 pm

**Sept. 25 thru Oct. 5**  
**LPVA Booth at Virginia**  
**State Fair**  
 Richmond Raceway Complex  
 Richmond, VA

**November 4, 2008**  
**General Elections**  
*Remember to Vote,*  
*and Vote Libertarian!*

**Will We Keep Our Booth?**

The Virginia State Fair is on from September 25 to October 5. This will be the last one held at the old Fairgrounds in Richmond. And the Libertarian Party of Virginia is going to be there -- thanks to our generous donors.

Last June, the Libertarian Party of Virginia decided to sponsor an information table at the Fair. We raised enough money to pay for the booth itself, along with a few other expenses.

But now comes the hard part. There are eleven (11) days of the fair, and if we don't staff the table the entire time, we can lose our space entirely. So, the finishing touch is that we need YOU. To be truly effective, we

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 703-715-6230 or [StateFairBooth@LPVA.com](mailto:StateFairBooth@LPVA.com)  
*To Donate, visit: [Contribute.LPVA.com](http://Contribute.LPVA.com)*  
*(or use the donation form on the back page of this issue).*

should have two or three people staffing the booth at all times. Booth volunteers will administer the World's Smallest Political Quiz, either in paper or computerized form, to fairgoers who stop by our booth; distribute LP, Redpath, Barr, and Larson literature; and ask people if they would like more information about the Libertarian Party mailed to them.

If you would like to invest some of your time helping us "spread the word", please call or write us as soon as possible, so you

can be placed on the volunteer schedule for any hours you are available.

If you are from out of town, there are one or two Richmonders who have either a guest room or crash space available to those who will help out at the booth for a full day.

For more information about the Fair, see: [www.StateFairVa.org](http://www.StateFairVa.org).

Please remember -- if we don't have enough volunteer staff to attend the booth at all times, we can LOSE the booth. Either donate some of your time, or contribute to the booth fund so that we can cover all hours for which we have no volunteers with a paid staffer.

**An Assault on Justice**



By Wm. Donald Tabor Jr., DDS

On January 17 of this year, Detective Jarrod Shivers of the Chesapeake Police was killed while serving a search warrant for a marijuana cultivation operation at the home of Ryan Frederick. Frederick is awaiting trial for capital murder, but there are a number of troubling questions in this case.

- The warrant was obtained on the statement of a confidential informant who claimed to have seen hydroponics equipment and marijuana plants in the unattached garage of the residence. We have since learned that the confidential informant burglarized Frederick's home prior to giving the statement on which



Ryan Frederick

the warrant was obtained, conducting an illegal search with police approval.

- Frederick was given no opportunity to accept the warrant peaceably, his door was breached as soon as movement was seen inside the house in response to the police knocking on the door and announcing. Frederick claims he heard no announcement and was awakened by the barking of his two large dogs and fired on what he thought was an intruder. The suspected marijuana plants were alleged to be in a detached garage and there was nothing easily destroyed in the home. No reasonable justification has been provided by the Chesapeake Police for serving the warrant in such a dangerous manner.
- Only enough marijuana was found in the

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**Your Neighbors Might Find Out!**

Wouldn't you like to see a Libertarian candidate in every spot on your ballot next election? Don't you want the chance to vote for your ideal candidate:

- Who truly understands the Constitution and the Bill of Rights?
- Who believes that freedom works and freedom is right?
- Whose stand on the issues matches your own: Pro-freedom -- on every issue -- all the time?

That ideal candidate is you! Yes, we are seriously asking you to run for office as a Libertarian candidate. But if you're interested in doing this, please decide now

-- because the next election season is just a few months away!

Since the Libertarian Party was formed, Libertarians have served between 1,000 and 2,000 elective office terms. As a result, those dedicated Libertarians have saved taxpayers millions of dollars and helped to incrementally roll back government interference in everyone's right to do as they please. The only reason that the government continues to get larger is simply that there aren't enough Libertarians serving in office. Changing that is up to you. The only way we can continue building on our past efforts is to relentlessly challenge the parties of fat government at the ballot box.

Wouldn't a Libertarian voice be important in your local or state government? That voice can be \*your\* voice! If you want to be a candidate, the Libertarian

Party of Virginia can help with petitioning information, finding volunteers in your own area, and can point you towards some of the best grassroots political training available.

At the local level, we often have the most impact. Almost all of the Libertarian Party's elected public officials are working on the local level, helping to enact real changes in their communities and building the stature and reputation of the Libertarian Party.

We're asking you now, in September of 2008, because the filing deadline for the May 5, 2009 elections is March 3 -- just 7 months away. The filing deadline for the November 3, 2009 elections is June 9, barely 10 months away. See the lists of offices up for election

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# Virginia LIBERTY

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And your federal, state, and local governments, which provide an endless litany of things to write about.

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# Justice (cont'd from Page 1)

home to justify a misdemeanor possession charge, but Frederick has been charged with manufacturing. The search inventory also states that three shell casings were recovered on the scene, two .380 ACP pistol cases from Frederick's handgun and one .223 rifle cartridge case. No explanation has been provided for the presence of the rifle round casing, nor did Mr. Frederick have such a rifle. The Chesapeake Police have denied that any of the officers there fired a round, though .223 rounds are commonly used

Leviathan wants to crush Ryan Frederick to avenge its own mistakes. Please donate to his legal defense fund:

[www.myspace.com/Ryan\\_Frederick](http://www.myspace.com/Ryan_Frederick)

in Police SWAT weapons. Frederick has been charged with premeditated murder, though no evidence has been advanced indicating he was aware police were at his door and he claims he believed he was defending his home against intruders. The refusal of the police to answer reasonable questions regarding the procedures used in that raid has eroded public trust in

our police and brought into question our justice system's dedication to Constitutional protections. Frederick has been held without bond since the raid, and will have been in jail at least a year before coming to trial.

The following blogs are closely following this case and will update information as it becomes available.

[TidewaterLiberty.com](http://TidewaterLiberty.com)  
[TheAgitator.com](http://TheAgitator.com)

# Run For Office! (cont'd from Page 1)

in 2009 at the bottom of this page.

Do the odds of winning seem daunting? They might. But an early start now can help you raise plenty of cash to advertise, get the training you need to run an effective campaign, recruit volunteers to walk your district with you -- and generally to put all the pieces in place to go for a win. Of course, winning is the primary desire of any political party, including ours, but even if you fail, you can take away other victories for yourself and the Party.

Time after time, we see that the more candidates the party runs, the more media coverage they receive, the better their average vote, and most importantly, the greater percentage of them win their races. In addition, working through the ballot box year after year tends to help us "grow" on the voters and paves the way for better market share in the next election. People need to be touched by new ideas several times before they will adopt them. What better opportunity to Libertarians have to promote those new ideas than through a campaign? Most Americans get their first exposure to Libertarian ideas through our campaigns. Without candidates and campaigns, we are invisible. Running for office is the single most effective way to promote the freedom

philosophy.

It's not too early to start organizing your run -- your campaign will be healthier with an early start!

What is the minimum we ask of a candidate? Here are some pointers:

- Good, informative web sites are not expensive. Build one. LPVA will even host your page once you're an officially-endorsed candidate!
- Produce at least one high-quality, professionally-designed campaign flyer on glossy stock. They're expensive, but worth it.
- Return media calls promptly. Don't miss an opportunity to let them tell your story!
- Promptly answer the questionnaires that you'll receive from various political and community groups.
- Attend any candidate forums to which you are invited.
- Have several high-quality photos taken to provide to the media. Offer a

selection of your photos on a "for the media" page on your website.

- Finally, comply with all contribution filing requirements and campaign ethics rules.

If you will do just the above, you will be a great asset to our efforts over the next year. And there is help available every step of the way. If you want to run for office or are seriously considering it, please fill out our candidate form at:

[Campaign.LPVA.com](http://Campaign.LPVA.com)

From there we'll send you more information about running for office as a Libertarian and put you in contact with your district or local chair. They can aid in finding volunteers to assist you.

With your help, we will bring more people into the Libertarian Party, enhance our legitimacy, and give voters a real choice when they go to the polls. The fight for our Liberty is here and now -- you can help make a difference!

We hope to hear from you soon.

## ARE YOU READY TO RUN FOR OFFICE?

The LPVA is eager to help you. The first step you should take is to fill out the prospective candidate form on our website:

[Campaign.LPVA.com](http://Campaign.LPVA.com)

The form requests basic information (your name, the office you're interested in seeking, and related data). Once you submit it, LPVA officers will contact you promptly to discuss how the state committee can help you.

Try it! You may also leave a message on the LPVA message line: 703-715-6230; or send a message to [SCC-All@LPVA.com](mailto:SCC-All@LPVA.com).

If you have questions about reporting requirements or qualifications, call the State Board of Elections at 800 552-9745, or visit them on the web: [www.sbe.state.va.us](http://www.sbe.state.va.us)

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### 11/4/2008: General election

- President (4-year term)
- U. S. Senator (1) (6-year term)
- U. S. Representative (11) (2-year term)
- Co. Board (Arlington) (4-year term)
- Co. School Board (Arlington) (4-year term)
- City Council (7 cities) (terms vary)
- City School Board (2 cities) (terms vary)
- Town Council (9 towns) (terms vary)

Note: Soil and Water Conservation District Directors are elected every four years in some counties and cities; see specific schedule for this office.

### 5/5/2009: General election

----- Primary (if held: March 3) -----

- Vienna Town Council (3 of 6 seats, 2-year term)
- Alexandria City Council, School Bd., Mayor (3-yr. term)

### 11/3/2009: General election

----- Primary (if held: June 9) -----

- Governor (4-year term)
- Lieutenant Governor (4-year term)
- Attorney General (4-year term)
- Co. Board (Arlington) (4-year term)
- House of Delegates (100 districts; 2-year term)
- City Commonwealth's Attorney, Sheriff, and Treasurer (4-year terms) Note: If a City shares Clerk of Circuit Court, Commonwealth's Attorney, Sheriff, and Treasurer with a County, then the City elects at same time as County.
- City Commissioner of Revenue (4-year term)
- County Board of Supervisors (51 Counties, 4-year term)
- County School Board (47 counties, 4-year term)
- City Council (Charlottesville, 4-year term)
- City School Board (Charlottesville, 4-year term)
- Town Council (3 towns, terms vary - set by charter)

# Appointed

By Marc Montoni

At its June 24th meeting, the Blacksburg Town Council appointed LPVA member Jonathan McGlumphy to the Blacksburg Greenway / Bike-way / Sidewalk Corridor Advisory Committee. Members of the citizens' committee are appointed to 4-year terms. The committee is charged to periodically review and make recommendations on existing bike-walkway, greenway, and sidewalk systems, plans, policies, and needs in the Blacksburg community.



**Jonathan McGlumphy**

Dr. McGlumphy and family have lived in Blacksburg for five years while he was pursuing an advanced engineering degree at Virginia Tech. "I became politically active with the LPVA shortly after moving to Virginia," he said. "We are very fortunate that we are able to remain in Blacksburg after finishing graduate school. I am even more fortunate to have been sufficiently involved within the community to be appointed to this citizens' committee. I cannot stress the importance of community involvement to my fellow Libertarians. Before we can gain the trust of enough voters to make serious headway in elections, we must demonstrate that we have the same concerns and interests as our neighbors. Serving on a committee that makes recommendations to the Town Council is an excellent way for Libertarians to show that we are the most mindful stewards

of the taxpayers' money."

Dr. McGlumphy was asked how he was able to secure the appointment.

"The only piece of required paperwork was a one-page Statement of Interest application. However, I believe that it was my previous community involvement that garnered the Council's attention. I had participated in the Blacksburg Citizens Institute, whereby anybody who lives and works in town may take weekly tours of each of the departments of town government. I also have

a good relationship with at least one member of Town Council, who told me that he would gladly persuade other council members to appoint me. It also helps that said council member knows I am an avid bicyclist, and that my knowledge would be put to good use on the committee."

"I urge my fellow lovers of liberty to pursue a similar course of action. Yes, it may not be as exciting as a rousing debate of political philosophy, but it does look very good on your resume should you ever choose to run for office. Who knows? You may even have fun in the process."

Dr. McGlumphy currently serves as the 9th Congressional District Chairman for the LPVA, as well as Secretary for the New River Libertarians. He also was a founding member of the Libertarians at Virginia Tech, which is still one of the most active campus organizations in Virginia.

# VL Hero Award

By Marc Montoni

This is the twenty-second in a series of articles designed to recognize the efforts of volunteers who are tireless in their work for liberty.

The intent is to change the culture many of our "best and brightest" face within the Party, to one which gives stellar volunteers the praise and appreciation they are due.

This issue, *Virginia Liberty's* editorial staff hopes all Libertarians will join us in a loud round of applause for:

## Jim Lark

Since returning to Virginia in 1986 to work on his Ph.D. in Systems Engineering at the University of Virginia, Jim has been a stalwart member of the LPVA.

He has been heavily involved in local politics, especially through his work as a founding member of the Jefferson Area Libertarians. He was senior advisor to the Arin Sime for State Senate campaign in 2007.

He has become known in the Charlottesville area as a spokesman for Libertarian ideas and the LP. He is a frequent guest on radio programs, and publishes op-ed pieces and letters to the editor in newspapers throughout Virginia.

He founded Students for Individual Liberty and other Libertarian groups at U.Va., and now serves as faculty advisor to those groups. He has assisted many other Libertarian campus groups, both in and out of Virginia. He has also helped many LPVA community organizations via his work as the Local Affiliate Parties Committee chairman. He travels around Virginia to support local organizations and candidates.

Jim has worked tirelessly to help place Libertarian candidates on the ballot. He is the 2008 petition drive coordinator, a role he also held in 2004. He gathered over 1,400 signatures this year to place the LP presidential ticket on the ballot in Virginia. He gathered nearly 2,200 signatures in 2004.

He has held many positions of responsibility in the LPVA, including his current position as vice chairman. He has served on the State Central Committee for several years. He has successfully organized four LPVA state conventions, including the 2008 convention in Richmond.

Jim's contributions to the liberty movement extend to the national and international levels. He has served several terms on the Libertarian National Committee; he is the regional representative for Virginia on the LNC. He served as national chairman of the LP during the 2000-2002 term; he has been widely praised for having helped the LP through a very difficult period. He is also a member of the Board of Directors of both the Advocates for Self-Government and the

International Society for Individual Liberty.

For his outstanding work and dedication, he is the recipient of many awards and honors from Libertarian organizations, including the 2008 Thomas Jefferson Award (the LP's highest honor) for lifetime achievement and the 2004 Samuel Adams Award (the LP's award for outstanding activism). In addition, he is

widely regarded as a scholar and a gentleman who is a credit to the Libertarian movement.

We salute Jim for his great work for liberty, and congratulate him on his receiving the Thomas Jefferson Award.



**Jim Lark.** Photo by Marc Montoni & Brian Babb.

## ARCHIVES 1997:

# "How To Get Appointed"

By Mark Tuniewicz

*[Editor's Note: This article was originally published in LP News in June 1997. It was originally titled "How to: Get appointed to a local board/commission." At a decade old, however, it still contains relevant hints on how to become a public official.]*

As Libertarians, we all tend to have strongly held opinions. Here is one of mine: Every Libertarian Party member should hold some public office, no matter how small.

Why? As many of you know, our growing list of officeholders is one of the key reasons we are increasingly garnering more legitimacy and attention as a political party. If just 10 percent of our membership held office, we'd enjoy the substantial prestige associated with having 2,000-plus officeholders, compared to about 200 today. I share the growing belief that this is something we should accomplish quickly, through member appointments to local boards and commissions -- the "farm team" for future elected campaigns. Why serve on a local board? If you're like most of our members, you've never held any type of public office before. Getting appointed allows you to gain this valuable experience, without the expense, organizing activities, and time demands associated with running a full-blown campaign. These types of positions generally involve just a few hours per month of your time, and give you the opportunity to actually have an

impact on the body on which you serve.

Determining what appointed offices are available in your town is simple! One quick phone call to your city clerk's office gets you specific information about which boards have vacancies, or when openings are scheduled to occur.

Be sure to ask how many members the board is allowed to have, since many commissions allow for an unlimited number of "alternate" members, who often become full members at the time of the next vacancy. Find out who makes the appointments (e.g. mayor, city council, board of selectmen), and when the board meets.

What type of board should you serve on? That depends on your own area of interest and expertise. Are you a local business owner? Try the economic development commission, or however they refer to a similar entity in your town. Enjoy the outdoors? Your conservation commission makes regular site visits to environmentally sensitive areas. Those with experience in real estate development often are appointed to local planning or zoning boards -- though these tend to be the offices with the fewest vacancies. Start by attending meetings of the board which interests you the most, and introduce yourself to its chair. Business attire and a friendly attitude are recommended.

Seeking out an appointment is a simple process. Write a brief letter to the appointing party expressing an interest in service. Mention several boards which currently have vacancies and ask to be appointed.

Give some background as to your education, professional background, related experience, and any other information which reinforces your qualifications and interests. Your letter should be kept to one page. Often, the best time to write is right after local elections.

Wait about a month, and if you haven't heard anything contact the city clerk's office again, pleasantly following-up as to the status of your letter. Often, the appointing body will copy your letter to the chairs of the commissions you've mentioned in your letter. You can now follow-up with them directly, expressing your interest in a more personal way.

Generally, you'll be asked to attend a meeting and meet the other board members. In the case of my own appointed office, they asked if I had any specific experience with conservation issues. Though I did not, I expressed a strong interest in learning more about what the commission did, and pointed to a recent event (the private purchase and protection of a large tract of old-growth forest) as something that had spurred my interest in serving on the commission.

Once you're appointed, remember -- you're the new kid on the block. Spend most of your time learning about what the board does, become familiar with the corresponding local ordinances, and try to learn by listening and observing.

After a year of service, you'll be ready to try and move things in a more Libertarian direction. Service on these panels is simple, gratifying, and the best way to begin building your political resume. I challenge my fellow Libertarians to take individual responsibility and get appointed locally -- and do it now! If every party member tries this over the next few months, I guarantee we'll have more than 1,000 officeholders by the end of 1997.

*Mark Tuniewicz served as chair of the Libertarian Party of New Hampshire in the late nineties, and represented New York and the New England states on the Libertarian National Committee during the same period. He served an appointed three-year term on the Milford (NH) Conservation Commission through 1997.*

# Around Virginia



*Smiling faces at a recent meeting of the Northern Virginia Libertarian Meetup, showing off yet another of their LP banners (see last issue). Among those in attendance was US Senate candidate and LNC Chairman Bill Redpath (back row, center). Photo courtesy of Chris Brookover, Coordinator, Northern Virginia Libertarian Meetup.*

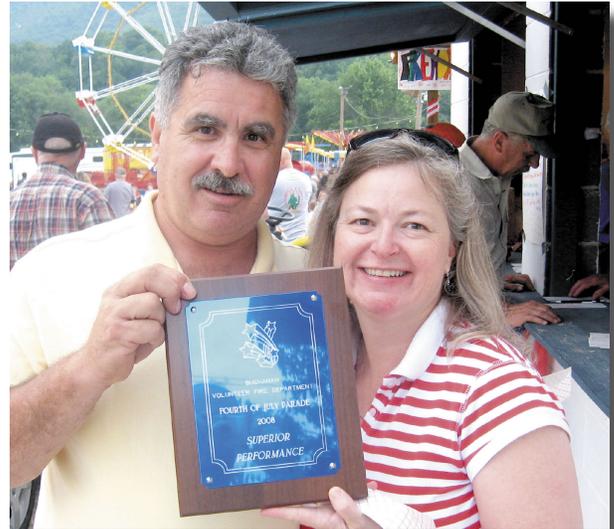


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*Above & Right -- Tidewater Libertarian Party breakfast meeting, held on August 8, 2008, at the Atlanta Bread Company, Virginia Beach. Guest speaker: Virginia Beach Senator Frank Wagner. Introduction of speaker: Va. Beach City Councilman Bill DeSteph. Topic: Drilling for gas off the Virginia coast. 55 in attendance. General consensus: Outstanding presentation; factual. Frank Wagner is available to speak to your group. Contact him at <fwagner21@aol.com>. Photos by Robert Dean.*

# Around Virginia



Above L -- LPVA Chairman Jeff Bowles displays the colors and a revolutionary sort of hat while driving the Libertarian Party of Botetourt County's parade entry at the Firemen's Independence Day Parade in Buchanan, VA on July 4, 2008. Above R -- Liz & Jeff show off the plaque their entry was awarded "for superior performance." Photos by Liz Bowles.

## The 'Respectable' Continue to Make War on the Rest of Us

By Robert Higgs

Scarcely any critical commentator on the "war on drugs" has failed to remark on the striking inconsistencies that permeate the current prohibitionist stance. Contemporary crusaders for social purity ardently seek to outlaw X (e.g., marijuana), yet they cheerfully abide Y (e.g., Chardonnay), whose consumption is at least as harmful and in some cases is manifestly more so. How are we to make sense of such blatant contradictions?

We can see a pattern in the apparent incoherence of the prohibitionists' position if we recall that the war on drugs, like all the preceding prohibitionist crusades in American history (some of them still continuing), amounts to a defense of bourgeois WASP conventions against persons and classes deemed less respectable. So, SSRIs, yes, ecstasy, no; Benzodiazepines, yes, heroin, no; a pleasant cocktail party, yes, reefer madness, no; and so forth. Everything turns on the sort of people who tend to consume the substance.

The better sorts have been waging war for centuries to keep the rabble in line. The self-anointed "respectable" people live in constant anxiety that their beloved way of life faces mortal menace from the disorderly masses, who may be disinclined to toe the line drawn for them. As David Wagner has written in *The New Temperance: The American Obsession with Sin and Vice*, "the Victorian and Progressive Period movements [to ban alcoholic beverages and tobacco cigarettes, among other things] were characterized by what scholarly observers consider an exaggerated . . . notion of their ability to change behavior, by a huge faith in



Robert Higgs

government's ability to regulate every aspect of private life, and by a strong ethnocentric belief in the correctness of white, Protestant, middle-class social norms." The Progressive Era ended, thank heaven, but this twisted puritanical obsession endured.

Combine this priggish insecurity and moral pomposity with the ideological appeal of the modern therapeutic state and the irresistible attractions of money and power to be seized when governments at every level throw their vicious violence onto the scales,

and you have an insoluble social problem – insoluble because the drugs are only a symptom of the underlying class warfare in which those with the bigger political battalions are constantly tempted to wage preemptive strikes against their "unruly" neighbors, especially if those neighbors are black, brown, red, yellow, poor, foreign-born, adherents of an "alien" religion, or in some other visible respect "strange."

I was struck most recently by this phenomenon while reading – of all things – a catalog sent by the University of Oklahoma Press, where I came upon the announcement of a book by James E. Klein, *Grappling with Demon Rum: The Cultural Struggle over Liquor in Early Oklahoma*, to be published in October (full disclosure: I was born in Oklahoma, and although my family emigrated from that place when I was seven years old, I am charmed by the idea that books are published there). Oklahoma banned liquor when it became a state in 1907, and it remained dry until 1959, long after national prohibition had been terminated in 1933.

According to the summary of Klein's book, prohibition's original proponents in the Sooner State "were largely middle-class citizens who disdained public drinking establishments and who sought respectability for a young state still considered a frontier society." They purportedly aimed "to raise moral standards, reduce crime, and improve the quality of life," among other things. Notwithstanding these uplifter's best efforts, however, the lesser sorts stood steadfastly by their booze. Klein points "to the large number of working-class Oklahomans who patronized saloons, whether legal or not, and focuses on class conflict in the

early efforts to control alcohol." The book's advertisement concludes: "In portraying this conflict between middle- and working-class definitions of social propriety, Klein provides new insight into forces at work throughout America during the Progressive Era."

I would go a bit further, to say that Klein gives us still another detailed account of a deplorable social phenomenon that prevailed throughout America before, during, and after the Progressive Era – the war of self-righteous busybodies against the rest of us. Sad to say, it ain't over yet.

Robert Higgs is a commentator with [LewRockwell.com](http://www.lewrockwell.com). This article was originally published at <http://www.lewrockwell.com/higgs/higgs82.html>. Reprinted with permission.

### Barr @ GMU September 12

Those who missed seeing Bob Barr when he appeared in Richmond a few weeks ago will be happy to know they have another opportunity to see their candidate.

This time, Barr will be speaking from 4:30 to 5:30 pm on September 12, at George Mason University. The talk will be in the Student Union Building 2 Patriots Lounge.

Please mark your calendar!

# June 28, 2008 SCC Meeting

Summarized by Marc Montoni

## The State Central Committee is the policy making body of the LPVA.

The most recent regular meeting of the State Central Committee (SCC) was held on Saturday, June 28, 2008, at the Tuckahoe Library, Henrico County, VA. The meeting was called to order by chairman Jeff Bowles at 1:10 pm. Vice Chairman Jim Lark and Secretary Marc Montoni were present; Treasurer Kevin McKenna was absent.

Treasurer Kevin McKenna was absent. Under LPVA rules, Libertarian Party Congressional District Committee Chairs are entitled to a voting seat at SCC meetings; or they can delegate the duty to any other LPVA member. District chairs (or designees) in attendance included: Nathan Larson (CD1), Mary Buzuma (CD2); Bob Lynch (CD3); James Curtis (CD5); Bryan Gilkerson (CD6); Roy Scherer (CD7); and Jonathan McGlumphy (CD9).

Unrepresented district committees (e.g., neither the chair nor his delegate attended) included Don Tabor (CD4); George Marchenko (CD7); Steve Dasbach (CD8); Bill Wood (CD10); and Scott Wakeman (CD11).

Guests at the meeting included Douglas Wright (LPVA member & webmaster), Brett A. Burnham (member), and Liz Bowles (member).

The following is a list of actions taken at the meeting.

- **Approved** the Proposed Agenda with no changes. Item PASSED without objection.

- **Approved** the Draft Minutes from the March SCC meeting with no changes. Item PASSED without objection. [Editor's Note: Official Minutes are available by download

from the LPVA web site or by requesting a printout from the Secretary.]

- **Approved** a motion to transfer \$6,000 from the General Fund to the Ballot access account. Item PASSED without objection.

- **Approved** a motion to "officially express our appreciation for the service of Kathy Mullin & Liz Bowles for their service to the SCC. We wish them all the best in their future activities." Item PASSED without objection.

- **Adopted** September 20 in Richmond as the date and general location for the next meeting. Item PASSED without objection.

## LPVA FINANCIAL CONDITION

- **Adjourned** at 2:34 p.m.

The Treasurer reported that as of the end of May, 2008, the LPVA's checking account held a balance of \$37,676.51. This amount included balances in several funds, as follows:

Ballot Access Committee	6,499.11
Business Services	199.00
Chair Discretionary	500.00
Communications	1,717.75
Financial Development	212.18
General Fund	10,399.16
Local Affiliates	7,687.29
Memb. Development	7,098.79
Payable to LNC	75.00
Political Development	760.89
Special Operations	1,506.30
State Convention	2,583.00
Targeted Contr - Holding	55.00
Virginia Liberty	287.34

The Treasurer also reported the following Revenue and Expenses for January through May, 2008:

## Revenue

Contributions For Party	395.03
Interest Income	353.23
LNC Membership	200.00
LPVA Membership Dues	645.00
Mailing List Sales	0.00
Pledge Program	125.00
State Convention Revenue	2,955.00
Targeted Contributions	157.75
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>4,831.01</b>

## Expenses

Advertising	50.00
Ballot Access Activities	3,498.50
Credit Card Processing Fee	165.75
Income Taxes	163.91
Internet Expense	199.95
Local Affiliate Activity	1,405.50
Office Supplies	14.69
Other Expense	50.00
Payments To LNC	100.00
Postage	829.24
Printing And Copying	16.86
Public Relations	375.00
State Convention Expense	464.00
Telephone	166.92
Virginia Liberty	443.34
Total Expense	6,523.47
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>1,692.46</b>

For the complete Treasurer's Report with the SCC, see the LPVA web site or request the Official Minutes from the Sec-

# Fundraising

Reviewed by Marc Montoni

Fund-raising by LP candidates and their opposition. Amounts are as of June 30, 2008, the most recent available as of press time. For federal candidates, see [www.FEC.gov](http://www.FEC.gov); for Virginia candidates, see [www.SBE.Virginia.gov](http://www.SBE.Virginia.gov).

Pty	Candidate	Receipts	Disb	Cash	Debt
<b>US House of Representatives District 1</b>					
(L)	Nathan Larson	-	-	-	\$0
(R)	Rob Wittman	\$684,467	\$515,077	\$169,389	\$64,000
<b>US Senate</b>					
(L)	Redpath, Bill	\$35,870	\$37,138	\$3,611	\$0
(D)	Mark Warner	\$9,300,791	\$4,193,411	\$5,107,379	\$0
(R)	Jim Gilmore	\$1,464,250	\$1,351,103	\$116,769	\$0
(G)	Gall Parker	\$10,589	\$10,589	\$0	\$4,907
<b>US President</b>					
(L)	Barr, Bob	\$648,749	\$572,079	\$65,509	\$1,000
(D)	Obama, Barack	\$401,311,983	\$35,483,890	\$65,837,809	\$915,894
(R)	McCain, John	\$177,042,173	\$144,746,412	\$32,768,214	\$2,003,356
(Rf)	Nader, Ralph	\$2,427,972	\$1,954,552	\$494,059	\$100,780
(G)	McKinney, CF	\$132,856	\$72,663	\$60,292	\$0
(C)	Baldwin, Chuck	\$96,079	\$86,590	\$9,489	\$10,162

\* NOTE: McKinney's numbers are from her previous report.

## LP Pre-Nomination Candidates for President

Barr, Bob	(no reports filed prenomination)	
Gravel, Mike	\$497,338	\$495,934 \$4,672 \$177,046
Imperato, D	\$88,995	\$89,233 \$605 \$77,945
Jingozian, M	\$249,424	\$291,973 \$3,447 \$336,850
Kubby, Steve	\$11,012	\$11,033 \$4 \$0
Phillies, George	\$210,748	\$212,964 \$2,705 \$20,000
Root, Wayne	\$74,291	\$51,984 \$22,307 \$29,845
Smith, Christine	\$17,583	\$17,582 \$0 \$0

NOTE: 1) Barr, Gravel, Kubby, and Smith's totals were mostly individual donations. The others mostly self-financed (Imperato raised \$250 from individuals other than himself; Jingozian raised \$910; Phillies raised \$15,748; Root raised \$15,449.

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Libertarian groups around the state

By Marc Montoni

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**CHARLES CITY COUNTY:** Charles City County Libertarians. Donny Smith, <CharlesCityCo@LPVA.com>.

**HENRICO COUNTY:** Meeting dates and times vary. For more information, contact Henrico LP chairman Louis Gifford, <Henrico@LPVA.com>, or **804-346-0332**.

**RICHMOND:** City of Richmond LP. Meeting time & location varies. Jon Walker, <RichmondLP@LPVA.com>, or **804-915-7175**.

## Tidewater Area

**ACCOMACK COUNTY:** Accomack County Libertarians. Bob Hutchinson <Accomack@LPVA.com>.

**GLOUCESTER & MATHEWS COUNTIES:** Local LP Now forming. Kevin Arden, 804-693-4004 or <Gloucester@LPVA.com>.

**NORFOLK:** Tidewater Libertarian Party. 2nd Monthly meeting, every third Saturday, 8:30 a.m. for breakfast, 9 a.m. for the meeting. The Atlanta Bread Company, 675 Phoenix Dr., Virginia Beach. See the TLP web site [TidewaterLP.com](http://TidewaterLP.com). Tom Cantrell, <Tidewater@LPVA.com>, or **757-460-4017**.

**SUFFOLK:** City Of Suffolk Libertarians. Ken Taylor, <Suffolk@LPVA.com>, or **757-923-1285**.

**VIRGINIA BEACH:** Tidewater Libertarian Party. 1st Monthly meeting -- every first Saturday, 8:30 a.m. for breakfast, 9 a.m. for the meeting, in the private dining room of the Atlanta Bread Company (corner of Phoenix Drive and Saber Street) in Virginia Beach. See the TLP web site [TidewaterLP.com](http://TidewaterLP.com). Call Tom Cantrell, **757-460-4017**, or write: <Tidewater@LPVA.com>.

**COLLEGE:** W&M Libertarians: <WilliamAndMary@LPVA.com>

## Shenandoah Valley

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**PAGE COUNTY:** Page County Libertarians. Dave Switzer <Page@LPVA.com>, or **540-843-2057**.

**SHENANDOAH COUNTY:** Shenandoah County LP. Meeting time & location varies; call or write for information. Nancy Young, **540-477-2520**, or

write: <ShenandoahCounty@LPVA.com>.

**WINCHESTER:** Winchester Libertarians. For residents of Winchester, Clarke/Warren/Frederick Counties. Monthly meetings normally held on the third Tuesday of each month. For precise location of each month's meeting, or for other information, call or write Bill Wood, **540-955-0733**, or <BlueRidge@LPVA.com>.

**COLLEGE:** JMU Libertarians. - see info for Harrisonburg (above) or write <JMU@LPVA.com>.

## Charlottesville Area

**CHARLOTTESVILLE:** Jefferson Area Libertarians. For residents of the cities of Charlottesville, Waynesboro, Staunton, and the counties of Albemarle, Augusta, Fluvanna, Greene, and Nelson. Quarterly business meetings and special meetings: time and location by announcement. Monthly "Happy Hour": at Mellow Mushroom restaurant (1309 W. Main St.), second Thursday of each month, 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Please call Arin Sime (**434-996-5226**) or Jim Lark (**434-973-5958**), or write <JAL@LPVA.com>.



**CUMBERLAND COUNTY:** LP of Cumberland County. Contact: Dwight Baker, <Cumberland@LPVA.com>.

**ORANGE COUNTY:** Orange County Libertarians. Don Ober, **540-672-2793**

**COLLEGE:** UVA University Libertarians. ALSO: UVA Students for Individual Liberty. Contact the Liberty Coalition, <Liberty@Virginia.edu>, or **434-982-5016** (voicemail).

## Northern Virginia

**FAIRFAX COUNTY:** LP of Northern Virginia. Steve Damerell, 703-851-4674, or <LPNOVA@LPVA.com>.

**FAUQUIER COUNTY:** Fauquier County Libertarian Committee. Walt Thiessen at <Fauquier@LPVA.com>

**LOUDOUN COUNTY:** Monthly meeting 4th Mondays. Location Vintage 50 reasturant, 50 Catoctin Circle NE #100 Leesburg, VA 20176. Contact David Englert at DMEnglert@gmail.com. Visit the group Meetup page at [Libertarian.Meetup.com/319/](http://Libertarian.Meetup.com/319/)

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**COLLEGE:** GMU College Libertarians: Meeting time & location varies. Write: <CollegeLibertarians@LPVA.com>

## Peninsula

**ESSEX COUNTY:** Northern Neck Libertarians. <NorthernNeck@LPVA.com>.

**FREDERICKSBURG:** Fredericksburg Area Libertarians. JR Stevenson, **540-775-7722**, or <Fredericksburg@LPVA.com>.



## Southwest Virginia

**LEE COUNTY:** Lee County LP -- email <LeeCounty@LPVA.com>.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY:** Contact Shawn Phelps via email at <hairborne2000@yahoo.com>.

**COLLEGE:** UVA-Wise: Libertarians at University of Virginia - Wise. Call Kenny Newberry, 276-870-4529, or write: <kenny\_newberry@yahoo.com>

## Lynchburg and Vicinity

**BEDFORD COUNTY:** LP of Bedford County. Rebekah Hoskins, 434-609-0729 or <BedfordCounty@LPVA.com>.

**LYNCHBURG:** Lynchburg Libertarians. For residents of Lynchburg and surrounding counties. Monthly meetings, 2nd Mondays, 6:30 p.m., Monte Carlo Restaurant, 3230 Old Forest Road (across from Applebee's). Dave Overstreet, 540-587-7597 or <Lynchburg@LPVA.com>

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**BOTETOURT COUNTY:** Botetourt County Libertarians. Liz Bowles, <Botetourt@LPVA.com>, or **540-473-2030**.

**CRAIG COUNTY:** Libertaran-Party of Craig County. Doug Lucas, <CraigCounty@LPVA.com>.

**FRANKLIN COUNTY:** Franklin County Libertarians. Charles Pasley, <FranklinCounty@LPVA.com>, or **540-721-2012**.

**MARTINSVILLE:** Martinsville Libertarians.

Re-forming. <Martinsville@LPVA.com>.  
**MONTGOMERY COUNTY:** New River Libertarians. For residents of Montgomery, Giles, Pulaski, and Floyd counties. Monthly meetings are on the first Tuesdays of even-numbered months, Bogen's Restaurant, 622 North Main St, Blacksburg at 7:00 PM (social hour starts at 6:00). Please contact Jonathan McGlumphy, <NewRiver@LPVA.com>, or **540-552-8891**. Also see the NRL web site at:

[www.NewRiverLibertarians.org](http://www.NewRiverLibertarians.org)

**ROANOKE COUNTY:** Roanoke Valley Libertarian Party. For members residing in Roanoke, Salem, and Roanoke County. Monthly meeting, 1st Mondays, 6:30 p.m., Roanoke County Public Library, Hollins branch, 6624 Peters Creek Rd. Directions: 540-561-8024. Scott Shreckhise <JscottShr@aol.com>, or **540-767-1776**.

**COLLEGE:** VWCC: Libertarians of Virginia Western Community College: <VirginiaWestern@LPVA.com>

**COLLEGE:** VT: Libertarians at Virginia Tech. Lindsey North, <VT@LPVA.com>, or **804-852-3916**.

## Southside Virginia

**BRUNSWICK COUNTY:** LP of Brunswick County. Mike Eck, <Brunswick@LPVA.com>

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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