



NEW JERSEY LIBERTARIAN

NEW JERSEY LIBERTARIAN PARTY, P.O. BOX 56, TENNENT, N.J. 07763

* * * AUGUST 1983 * * *

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 7-- NJLP State Committee Meeting, 2 PM, Dick Siano's home in Frenchtown. Swim party and refreshments--OPEN TO GENERAL MEMBERSHIP. Call Dick for directions 201/996-2469 or 4836.

August 26- September 5-- Flemington State Fair will have a Libertarian Party booth. If you have time to volunteer or would like more information call John Schafer (609/466-2754) or Dick Siano (201/996-2469).

August 29- September 5--PRESCON--1983 Libertarian Party Presidential Nominating Convention. Sheraton Center, New York City. (212/226-6483)

Second Thursday of each month--Constitutional Freedom Committee meeting, 8 PM, Ollie's Restaurant, Route 9 and Tilton Rd., Northfield, NJ. Guest anti-tax speaker at each meeting. Call 609/927-2320 after 5 PM for details.

Every Thursday-- PHILAVOID anarchist study group meeting, 8 PM, Community Education Center, 3500 Lancaster Ave., Philadelphia, PA. Call 609/962-8238 for details.

LIBERTARIAN ASSEMBLY CANDIDATE

Hello everybody. Allow me to introduce myself. My name is Rick Hoegberg, and amongst other things that I do, I'm running as a Libertarian in this November's elections for State Assembly (17th district). This covers New Brunswick, Highland Park, Piscataway, Middlesex, Dunellen and South Plainfield.

Since you are most probably a Libertarian by dint of subscribing to this newsletter, you'll already know and agree with my positions on the myriad issues standing between us and a free society. What you might need to know however is that my campaign's policy is to run as professional, energetic and high profile a campaign as funds will permit; which is where I'd like to bring you into the picture.

As one of only two Libertarians going for an Assembly spot, I suspect the ratio of potential contributors to candidates is pretty good. So, if you feel like putting some unbacked Federal Reserve notes or equivalent check in our direction, and/or know of any other people and organizations who may be similarly inclined, please don't hesitate to exercise your generosity towards the:

Libertarian Campaign Fund
98 Suydam St.

New Brunswick, NJ 08901

In other words, please PLEASE send what you can. Your contribution will be greatly appreciated and used to maximum effect; we recognize that the course to freedom is too precious to squander resources.

Yours in liberty,
Rick Hoegberg

* NOTE SPECIAL NJLP INSERT ... *
* LET YOUR VIEWS BE KNOWN ! *

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ALTERNATE HOTELS FOR PRESCON

A number of NJLP delegates and other members have indicated that they would be unable to attend the 1983 LP National Convention unless more economical lodging could be found, so Bill George investigated and came up with the following alternatives--each only two blocks

away from the Sheraton Centre:

Hotel Wellington
7th Ave. & 55th St.
\$46s, \$56d; 212/247-3900

Taft Hotel
7th Ave. & 51st St.
\$45s, \$55d; 212/247-4000

A day's lodging will hold a reservation for you at either hotel. Contact the Reservation Desk soon, before both of these places fill up.

Bill is also planning a trek to ConStellation, the World Science Fiction Convention, which will be held in Baltimore Sept. 2-5. Anyone interested in going to the con for a day (Saturday or Sunday) should contact Bill at 201/233-4082 for full details on train fares and admission.

ATW COCKTAIL PARTY

Randy Corman, NJLP member and Vice-President of the Sayreville Board of Education, will be the guest of honor at a cocktail party celebrating the 11th anniversary of Against the Wall (ATW) magazine. The event will take place during the 1983 LP Presidential Nominating Convention at a time and place to be announced.

NJLP SPEAKERS AT PRESCON

Several NJLP members will be among the speakers at PRESCON. Ginny Flynn will take part in a panel discussion on "Children's Rights in a Free Society" on Tuesday, Aug. 30th at 10:30 AM. On Thursday, Sept. 1st at 12:00 Noon, attorney Ralph Fucetola will conduct a class on "Churches and Taxes." The same day at 3:15 PM there will be a panel discussion on "Libertarians in Office" with Dick Siano, Randy Corman and others. Finally, former State Chair Bob Steiner will give a workshop on "Public Speaking" Friday, Sept. 2nd at 12:00 Noon.

NJLP QUESTIONNAIRE

1. Name _____ 2. Town _____ 3. County _____

4. How do you describe yourself politically?
 - a. Limited-government libertarian
 - b. Anarchist
 - c. Other

5. Before you joined the NJLP, what was your political philosophy?

6. When and why did you join the NJLP?

7. What is the function of the NJLP in your life right now?

8. What should the function of the NJLP be?

9. Do you feel the NJLP is an effective political force in New Jersey?

10. If not, how long do you think it should take the NJLP to become such a force?

11. What image do you think the NJLP has in the minds of most people?

12. Do you feel the NJLP has an anarchist image that damages its chances for political success, or do you think the NJLP appears too moderate?

13. Do you feel the NJLP should emphasize any particular issues and its positions on those issues? If so, which issues?

14. Should the NJLP focus on running candidates for public office, or should it focus on educational activities, or should it have no focus?

15. Assuming the NJLP runs candidates, should those candidates concentrate on winning elections or on consistently promoting libertarian principles?

16. Do you feel your County Committee (if you have one) helps you in any way? If yes, explain.

17. What function should the County Committees have in conducting NJLP activities?

18. Do you feel the County Committees should play a greater role, or should the Steering and State Committees coordinate most NJLP activities around the state?

19. What particular strategies do you think the NJLP would be well-advised to employ in promoting libertarianism?

Comments:

Please fill out and mail to Dan Maiullo, 334 Suydam St., New Brunswick, NJ 08901.

Scalpers perform a service

The News last month printed a letter by Salvatore Cannata calling for the end to ticket scalping at all events. I must dissent.

So-called ticket scalpers perform a service, which people are willing to purchase, otherwise there would not be any ticket scalpers. Most of us don't want to take off time from work to go

buy concert tickets or else we just plain hate to stand in line. Here is where the "scalper" performs his function by giving up his or her time and purchasing tickets for resale. They are actually saving us time and money we otherwise would have to do without. The "scalped" price is simply the service fee we pay for avoiding lost time and long lines.

Buying a scalped ticket is a purely voluntary, peaceful act between two willing people in the best traditions of laissez faire. The last thing we need is another round of Big Brother helping us protect us from ourselves.

MARK RICHARDS

West Milford

Convention Hotel Rates

PRESCON '83 attendees will receive a special flat rate at the Sheraton Centre Hotel. This means that all rooms except suites will be available at the rates listed below. Normally, rates for singles and doubles fall into ranges, so that some people would pay higher prices than others for same sized rooms.

When making reservations, you must mention that you'll be attending the Libertarian Party convention in order to receive

these special rates.

Prices are:

Singles\$69/night

Doubles\$82/night

An additional charge \$20/night will be charged for each additional person in a room, above two.

In order to receive these rates, reservations must be made no later than August 17. For hotel reservations, call the Sheraton Centre at 800-223-6550 or 212-581-1000.

** This deadline is being extended.*

BE AN EARLY BIRD AND SAVE A BUNDLE

If you reserve one of our special convention packages before July 31, 1983, you'll save a substantial amount of money. Why not fill out this coupon and save?

	Quantity	Total
The Complete 8-Day Package includes five tax seminars, four breakfasts, banquet, cocktail parties, and all speaker and entertainment events		\$295

The Thursday Through Monday Package includes three tax seminars, four breakfast plus all other events which occur from Thursday morning on	\$250
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The 8-Day Foodless Package includes all eight days of speakers, panels, workshops, and admission to the general sessions. Does not include tax seminars	\$150
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Payment must accompany reservations. Prices do not include hotel ad transportation.

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED

NAME _____

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Make checks payable to: PRESCON '83, P.O. Box 429, Canal Street Station, New York, NY 10013

NJLP STEERING COMMITTEE

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Material must be received by the 23rd of the month to be in the following issue.

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City/State: _____ Zip _____
 Telephone: (a) () _____ (b) () _____

Occupation: _____

- I am eligible to vote in _____ County
- I am registered to vote in NJ
- Please do not include my name if the NJLP list is rented to other Libertarian organizations

"I hereby certify that I do not believe in or advocate the initiation of force as a means of achieving political or social goals."

Signature _____ Date _____
 (Signature indicating acceptance of above statement required for membership)

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| NJLP Dues | Membership Category |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$250.00 | Lifetime Sustaining |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 150.00 | Lifetime |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 35.00 | Sustaining |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 15.00 | Regular |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5.00 | Student (School) |

A subscription to the members' newsletter, the NJ Libertarian is included with the above dues.

- Monthly pledge for each of the next 12 months:
 \$100 \$50 \$25 \$10 \$5 Other
- \$10 Libertarian National Committee 1 year dues
- NJ Libertarian Subscription only, \$10.
- I am not the first member at this mailing address, and do not wish to receive a copy of the newsletter. (\$10 may be deducted from Regular membership dues only.)

Make checks payable to "NJ Libertarian Party" and mail with card to PO Box 686, Far Hills, NJ 07831.

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TO:



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