

The **investment** to participate is \$400 and covers meals, programs, materials, and travel to Madison. The actual program cost is **over \$1,000**. Thanks to the generous support of donors, we have been able to continue to offer the program at a very low cost.

Financial Assistance is available – see application for more information.

“I really enjoyed LWC, it brought me out of my introverted shell. It taught me a lot about our interworking as a county and even more about myself and my interests”

“I plan to use the resources from this class and my connections with my classmates to improve my career goals!”

“As a result of LWC I am more involved with my community. I have stayed connected with my (project) group members”

--Leadership Waupaca County Participants

Class XVII Workshops

Dates

2016	2017
September 8	January 11-12
October 13	February 9
November 10	March 9
December 8	April 13
	May 11

Topics*

Leadership Styles	Sustainability
Personality Styles	Natural Resources
Conflict Resolution	Youth,
Effective	Families and Education
Communication	Land Use
Agriculture	Economic
Economics	Development
Local Government	Project
County Government	Presentations &
State Government	Graduation Ceremony
(Madison)	

***Complete topic schedule will be available before July 31, 2016.**

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Applications available at:

<http://fyi.uwex.edu/leadershipwaupacaco/apply-now/>



**LEADERSHIP WAUPACA COUNTY
CLASS XVII 2016-2017**

**Applications due
7/31/16**

**Early Bird Special
Apply by July 15th and
the cost is only \$375!**

(Cost is \$400 after July 15th)

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has. - Margaret Mead



UW-Extension provides equal opportunities in employment & programming including Title IX and ADA.

The LWC Experience

7 one-day sessions

1 two-day trip to Madison

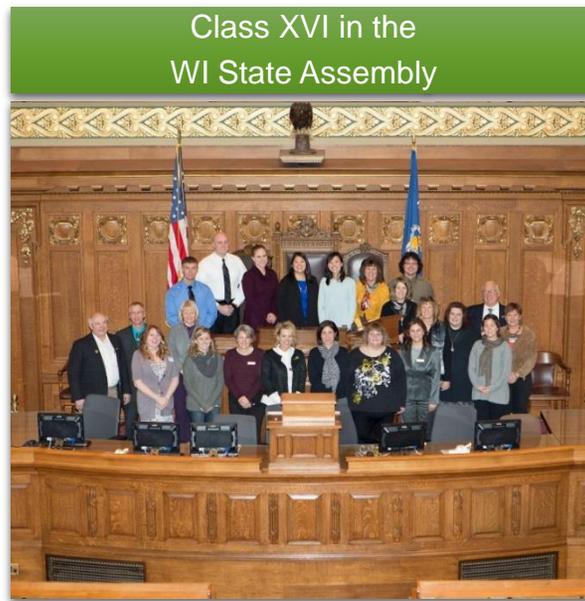
14+ topics & skills

**Many new relationships
to build and networks
to form.**

Our Focus

Sessions focus on different aspects of personal, professional, and community leadership and are taught by local, regional, and statewide specialists. LWC utilizes an interesting and practical learning process that empowers participants to implement what they learn immediately. The program culminates with presentations of class community based projects and a formal graduation ceremony.

You are eligible to apply if you are 15 years old or older, live or work in the Waupaca County area, and are interested in improving yourself and/or your community.



LWC's mission is to develop informed, civic-minded leaders who are committed to the future of Waupaca County and its communities.

Our motto: Anyone can lead!

Participants Will:

- discover leadership styles of themselves and others
- practice personal & interpersonal leadership skills
- learn to develop organizations and communities
- implement facilitation and strategic planning tools
- understand how to effectively manage conflict
- examine local, county, and state government
- investigate community issues and opportunities related to sustainability, natural resources, agriculture, land use, family development, youth development, generational leadership, and economic development
- develop a network of friends throughout the county

LWC Benefits...

The Individual

- Participants benefit from interaction with peers who share a passion to develop leadership skills and positively impact their community.
- LWC creates a positive environment in which public speaking, conflict management, and other fundamental leadership skills are learned.

The Workplace

- Employers increasingly seek out leaders who can be taught a particular profession rather than experts at the job who must learn leadership. LWC teaches skills to be a workplace leader.

The Community

- LWC creates an active network of leaders equipped to effectively address community issues and opportunities.
- Graduates are equipped with methods to diagnose societal needs, ideas to develop communities, and tools to confidently provide leadership.

Class XVI learning from a panel of experts

