

ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE?

This is a critical election year for everybody, including persons with disabilities. The next four years will affect issues such as attendant care, transportation, employment and housing. Pennsylvanians will be electing a U.S. Senator, U.S. Congressmen, our Governor and Lieutenant Governor.



People are urged to register. The General Election is on November 7. To be eligible you must:

- Be a U.S. citizen for at least one month before the election
- Reside in your district for at least 30 days before the election
- Be at least 18 years of age on the day of the election

Contact Keith or Rory at the CIL if you need any information about voting.



STAMP CAMP USA of Tioga County has been awarded a grant by NEPACIL and has developed an educational module about **disability** stamps through history which will be used in their program. STAMP CAMP USA is a collaborative educational program used by the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, 4H and other organizations. Campers learn stamp collecting basics and through the study of the wide variety of postage stamps are motivated to explore subjects they may otherwise have little interest in. STAMP CAMP USA was first introduced in 1995 in Tioga County by Postal Service volunteers. It encourages participants to combine their artistic and creative talents with organized philately, stamp exhibiting and open exhibit competition.



Pictured above: Don Schurr of the Scranton Stamp Club, Sharon Quinn, Cheryl Edgecombe, program coordinator, Annette Palutis, representing TV Channel 61 and Timothy Primerano, Scranton Postmaster.

An announcement ceremony was held at the Lackawanna County Children's Library on September 23. STAMP CAMP USA personnel will now distribute this module which will provide one more opportunity to break down barriers for persons with disabilities and help increase awareness of the strong history of the disability rights movement. STAMP CAMP USA is looking for additional volunteers and adult leaders. For additional information, please contact Cheryl Edgecomb at (814)326-0810.

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