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BLOOMINGTON, III. — Tuesday, Sept. 22 is National Voter Registration Day, and several campus organizations are encouraging Illinois Wesleyan students to register ahead of the upcoming Nov. 3 election.

Organized by Illinois Weselyan's Student Senate in partnership with the Athletics Department, the "Titan Votes" initiative is hosting a campaign launch event on Tuesday from 2 to 4 p.m. on the Eckley Quadrangle which will feature information about the voter registration process and mask tie-dyeing.

Civic Engagement Commissioner Wah Chook '22 is lead organizer of the "Titan Votes" campaign. She



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said, "I created the campaign because it's a way to bring the whole IWU community together, whether it's students, faculty, staff, or alumni to all engage in our civic responsibilities. It's a way to get everyone excited and empowered to have their voices be heard."

On Tuesday evening, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity will host a virtual "Voter Registration Couch Party" via Webex from 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Meanwhile, the Athletics Department is in the process of hosting several Zoom calls to help educate studentathletes about the voter registration process. Their goal is to get every eligible student-athlete registered to vote in the upcoming election, while also providing them with educational opportunities regarding the positions of government.

Information about voter registration can be found at <u>vote.gov</u>.



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