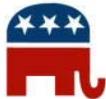




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2004 Election Events Calendar



Debates

September 30: First Presidential Debate; University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida
October 5: Vice-Presidential Debate; Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland
October 8: Second Presidential Debate; Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri
October 13: Third Presidential Debate; Arizona State University in Tempe, Arizona

Election Day: November 2, 2004

Electoral College

December 13, 2004

The electors in each state meet to select the new president and vice president.

January 6, 2005

Congress meets in joint session to count the electoral votes.

Inauguration Day

January 20, 2005

The President-elect takes the Oath of Office and becomes the U.S. President.



Internet Sites

U.S. Elections 2004
<http://usinfo.state.gov/dhr/democracy/elections.html>

Campaign 2004 – Foreign Policy in the
Presidential Election
<http://www.cfr.org/campaign2004/>

Commission on Presidential Debates
<http://www.debates.org/>

The Cook Political Report
<http://www.cookpolitical.com/>

Electoral Vote Predictor
<http://www.electoral-vote.com/>

Federal Election Commission
<http://www.fec.gov/intext.html>

Center for Responsive Politics
<http://www.opensecrets.org/index.asp>

PollingReport.com
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Democratic Party Online
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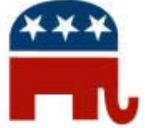
BALLOT-BOX BLUES, by Eliza Newlin Carney. National Journal, September 11, 2004, pp. 2720-2726.

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THE LONG AND WINDING ROAD TO THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, by Andrew Kohut. Miller Center Report, Spring/Summer 2004, pp. 35-40.

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FOR BETTER OR WORSE? How political consultants are changing elections in the United States, by David A. Dulio. State University of N.Y. Press, 2004. 289 p. 324.7097 DUL

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PATCHWORK NATION: sectionalism and political change in American politics, by James G. Gimpel. University of Michigan Press, 2003. 480 p. 324.973 GIM

PULP POLITICS: how political advertising tells the stories of American politics, by Glenn W. Richardson. Rowman & Littlefield, 2003. 159 p. 324.7309 RIC

VOTING FOR WOMEN: how the public evaluates women candidates, by Kathleen A. Dolan. Westview Press, 2004. 184 p. 320.082 DOL

YOU CALL THIS AN ELECTION? America's peculiar democracy, Steven E. Schier. Georgetown University Press, 2003. 166 p. 324.6209 SCH

New Videos

VOTE FOR ME: Politics in America. Part 1: Politics 101 (50 min.), Part 2: Making a Big Noise (61 min.), Part 3: Political Junkies (25 min.), Part 4: The Political Education of Maggie Lauterer. (85 min.)

ELECTING A PRESIDENT: The Process (Part of series "Our Federal Government") (26:59 min.)

FRAMEWORK FOR DEMOCRACY. Part 109: Voting and Political Participation, Part 110: Political Parties, Part 111: Candidates and Campaigns, Part 112: Interest Groups, Parts 114-115: Congress I & II, Parts 116-117: The Presidency I & II. (29:30 min. each)



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