

Election of Officers and Awards Ceremony

The GCBA Election of Officers and Awards Ceremony is Monday, May 16, 2011, Masonic Temple, downtown Flint, 12 noon; \$15 per person; Sustaining Members free. Slate of proposed officers and directors: President **Karen L. Folks**; Vice President **James J. Wascha**; Treasurer **Erwin F. Meiers III**; Secretary **Jeffrey J. Himelhoch**; and Directors **R. Paul Vance**; **Morgan R. Cherry**; **Leo P. Carey**; and **Michael J. Kotarski**. Awards will be bestowed upon the 2011 Herbert Milliken, Jr. Civility Award, TBA; Pro Bono Attorney of the Year, TBA; and Jerome F. O'Rourke Advocacy Award, **Dennis R. Lazar**.

Free Legal Advice Seminars For The Public

Three more free community legal seminars are scheduled at the Flint Public Library. Members may mail or drop off business cards to be distributed at each event. The next seminar is April 14th "The Americans With Disabilities Act: Employment & Housing; The Family and Medical Leave Act."

Condolences

. . . to **Glen Lenhoff** on the death of his mother, Myrtle Lenhoff who passed away March 20, 2011.
. . . to **Hon. Michael Hluchaniuk** on the death of his son, Bryan Hluchaniuk who passed away March 31, 2011.

Genesee County Bar Foundation

Thank you to the GCBA for making a donation to the Foundation in memory of **Albert H. Callahan**.

Case Evaluation Late Fee Donors

Thanks to **Glen Lenhoff**; **William Brickley**; **Robert Chimovitz**; and **Arthur Busch** for donating their Case Evaluation late fees, which are placed in a restricted building account.

GCBA Senior Attorneys

The GCBA senior attorneys will meet at noon on April 14th at Valley Coney Island, at Linden and Miller Rd. Anyone over 65 (retired or not) is welcome to attend.

Notice of Furlough Day Closure

The 67th District Court, Genesee County Probate and Genesee County Circuit Courts will be closed to the public for 3 furlough days during the current county fiscal year. Please note that the furlough dates coincide with other court closed holidays. The dates are as follows: Friday, May 27; Friday, July 1; and Friday, September 2.

Law Day Luncheon Donations

\$490 Raised with an additional \$510 Needed

Thank you to **Carolyn Boegner**, **George Brueck**; **Heather Burnash**; **Dolores Coulter**; **Ebbott Law Office**; **Lynnmarie Johnson**; **Tracey Merithew**; **Richard Ruhala**; **Stephanie Satkowiak**; **Robert Segar**; **Anthony J. Tomaszewski**; and **Roberta Wray**. Donations of \$15-\$20 are needed to sponsor student meals for the Law Day Luncheon and related activities.

Law Day Posters

Thanks to **Lynnmarie Johnson**, **Sherri Belknap**, **Dawn Crichton** and **Glenn Simmington** for their help in selecting the top 10 posters for the 2011 Law Day poster competition.

Baby Barristers Congratulations

. . . to **Jeremy and Amy Piper** on the birth of their son, Theodore "Teddy" Andros Piper. Teddy was born February 22, 2011 weighing 7 lbs. 15 oz.
. . . to **Peter and Starr Philpott** on the birth of their daughter, Madison Lynn Philpott. Madison was born March 29, 2011 weighing 6 lbs.

New Members

Welcome to our newest members: **Ronald Puzio** and **Jessica R. Mainprize-Hajek**.

Genesee County Circuit Court Record Duplication Format

Effective May 1, 2011, court record duplication will be available only in CD format. *Barbara A. Menear, Administrator.*



Calendar of Events

April 14th: GCBA Senior attorney meeting; noon; Valley Coney Island; No RSVP needed.

April 18th: Monthly Membership meeting; noon; Masonic Temple.

April 22nd: GCBA and Courts Closed. Good Friday.

April 29th: Law Day Luncheon; 11:30 a.m.; Masonic Temple.

May 16th: GCBA Annual Meeting and Election of Officers.

May 26th: Lunch N' Learn; noon; GCBA.

May 27th: County Furlough Day.

May 30th: GCBA and Courts Closed. Memorial Day.

June 3rd: 33rd Annual GCBA Golf Outing; Shotgun Start 10 A.M.; Sugarbush Golf Club.

June 9th: GCBA Senior attorney meeting; noon; Valley Coney Island; No RSVP needed.

July 1st: County Furlough Day

Email Address

We want to keep you informed. Please add: tyb@gcbalaw.org; sje@gcbalaw.org; emh@gcbalaw.org and gcbalaw@gcbalaw.org to your address book, as well as your "safe sender" list in order for you to continue to receive emails from GCBA staff.

GCBA Facebook

"Like" the GCBA on Facebook. Sign up and keep up with the latest news, see photos, and network with other attorneys. Sign up at:



<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Genesee-County-Bar-Association/142757561178>

Golf Outing

Thanks to those who have committed early to sponsor the 2011 Golf Outing. Please remember to support businesses that support the GCBA! Contact us at (810) 232-6012 for sponsorship information.

Flag Sponsors (16 more available)

Soggy Bottom Bar

Yeo & Yeo, P.C.

Tee and Green Sponsors

Todd McCredie, Piper McCredie Agency, Inc.

John Proffer, Centennial Title Insurance Agency, Inc.

Lawrence J. Day Mediation Services

Security Credit Union

Little Joe's

Door Prizes

Guardian Alarm

Italia Gardens

The Medalist Golf

PD's Pub

The Majestic at Lake Walden



SAVE THE DATE:

33RD ANNUAL

GCBA GOLF OUTING

FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 2011

SUGARBUSH GOLF CLUB

1 Sugarbush Drive

Davison, MI 48423

SHOTGUN START AT 11 A.M.

GCBA Membership Meeting
Monday, April 18th, 2011, 12:00 p.m., Masonic Temple

A LAWYER HELPS
Lawyers in Relationship With a World Community

Featuring



Sally Shaheen Joseph



Richard Morley Barron

The Avoidable Blindness Initiative Into Mexico

And



Michael A. Kotarski and friends

World Medical Relief: Building Relationships as a Bridge to Peace

An early R.S.V.P. would be appreciated. Luncheon free to Sustaining Members; \$10 members; \$15 non-members; \$15 walk-ins. Unpaid no-shows will be billed \$15.

CUSTOMER INFORMATION: *Please print legibly*

April 18th Membership Meeting

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Payment Information: Note the attached check # _____ Checks payable to the GCBA

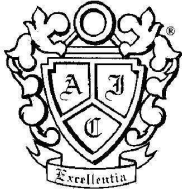
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MAIL registration form with check to the Genesee County Bar Association, 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502. **FAX** registration form with credit card information to the GCBA at (810) 232-8310. **ON-LINE** register on-line at www.gcbalaw.org. **Telephone reservations are not accepted.**



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invites you to a Special Meeting of our Inn:

featuring

Justice of the Michigan Supreme Court

THE HONORABLE BRIAN K. ZAHRA

“The Future of Trial Courts in Michigan”

Wednesday, May 18, 2011

6:00 P. M.

Flint Golf Club

No charge for Centennial Inn Members

Non-Members \$25.00

Please RSVP with your check no later than May 12, 2011

to

P. O. Box 320133

Flint, Michigan 48532

NAME: _____

Number in party: _____ Amount enclosed: _____



LAW DAY 2011



Donations are needed to sponsor student meals for the Law Day luncheon on Friday, April 29, 2011. A modest gift of \$20.00 or more would very much be appreciated and will cover the cost of two student lunches.

Luncheon & Awards Ceremony

Featuring

Laura Sager

Executive Director

Michigan Campaign for Justice

Awards Bestowed:

Crime Victim's Advocate of the Year: TBA

Liberty Bell Award: Barbara A. Menear

Golden Apple Award: Arlene Sparks

Friday, April 29, 2011

Masonic Temple, 755 S. Saginaw St., Flint
11:15-12:45 p.m. (registration at 11:00 a.m.)

Luncheon Menu

Chicken breast, twice-baked potato, vegetable blend, salad, rolls and butter, punch, milk, iced tea, coffee, dessert.

Lunch tickets \$15.00 each x # _____ \$ _____
Donation to sponsor a student _____ \$ _____
Total _____ \$ _____

Due to the large crowd expected, no walk-ins will be allowed.

REGISTRATION FORM

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Registration Deadline: April 22, 2011

Return to the GCBA at 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502; or fax to (810) 232-8310; or e-mail the GCBA at tyb@gcbalaw.org. For additional information or special dietary needs, contact the Genesee County Bar Association at (810) 232-6012.

METHOD OF PAYMENT

◆ I have enclosed a check payable to the GCBA:
check # _____

◆ Card: VISA MasterCard

_____ Credit Card #

Expiration date _____

3 digit pin number on back of card _____

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Genesee County Bar Foundation ~ Law Day Sponsor

May Membership Meeting featuring Election of Officers & Awards Ceremony

Masonic Temple, downtown Flint ♦ May 16, 2011 ♦ 12 Noon

♦ Election of Officers & Board of Directors:

President Karen L. Folks	2011-2012	Vice President James J. Wascha	2011-2012
Treasurer Erwin F. Meiers III	2011-2012	Secretary Jeffrey J. Himelhoch	2011-2012
Director R. Paul Vance	2011-2014	Director Morgan R. Cherry	2011-2014
Director Leo P. Carey	2011-2014	Director Michael A. Kowalko	2011-2014

♦ 2011 Herbert Milliken Jr., Civility Award: **TBA**

♦ 2011 Legal Services of Eastern Michigan Pro Bono Attorney of the Year: **TBA**

♦ 2011 Centennial American Inns of Court Jerome F. O'Rourke Advocacy Award: **Dennis R. Lazar**

Genesee County Bar Foundation Annual Meeting to Immediately Follow

An early R.S.V.P. would be appreciated. Luncheon free to Sustaining Members.
\$15 members; \$20 non-members; \$20 walk-ins. Unpaid no-shows will be billed \$20.

Name(s): _____

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____ Check # _____ I will Pay at the Door

CREDIT CARD

Visa MasterCard Charge my credit card for \$: _____

Credit Card Account #: _____ Exp. date: _____ Last 3 #'s on back of card: _____

Name as appears on card: _____

Billing address of credit card: _____

Phone #: _____ Signature: _____

Return to the GCBA at 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502; or fax to (810) 232-8310; or email us at gcbalaw.org; or register on-line at www.gcbalaw.org. No refunds after the Friday before each luncheon. No-shows not paid in advance will be billed \$20.

~Telephone Reservations Are No Longer Accepted~



2011 Genesee County Bar Association 33rd Annual Golf Outing



**Friday, June 3, 2011 ♦ 11:00 a.m. Shotgun Start
SUGARBUSH GOLF CLUB**

One Sugarbush Dr., Davison, MI ♦ Near Davison Rd. and Baxter Rd. ♦ (810) 653-3326

Schedule

- ♦ 8:00 a.m. Registration & Complimentary Driving Range
- ♦ 11:00 a.m. Shotgun Start
- ♦ Light Lunch on the Turn
- ♦ Dinner Buffet immediately following outing

Prizes

- ♦ 1st Place, 2nd Place
- ♦ Cash Putt
- ♦ Oil Change
- ♦ Longest Drive male & female
- ♦ Closest to the Pin male & female
- ♦ Hole-in-1
- ♦ 50/50 Raffle
- ♦ Sugarbush Membership

\$90 Price Includes

- ♦ Driving Range ♦ Golf & Cart ♦ Lunch ♦ Dinner Buffet

~ JOIN US FOR A FUN FILLED DAY OF GOLF AND CAMARADERIE ~

Limited number of teams available: register early

Please note: Golf fees are not waived for members. Dress Code: shirts with collars; no metal spikes and no blue jeans.

TEAM (4 person scramble)

Name _____
(Captain)

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

Telephone Number: _____

GOLF FEE

\$90 p/golfer x _____ = \$ _____

DINNER ONLY

\$25 for dinner only x _____ = \$ _____

Payment received by April 1st

Payment received after April 1st

ADVERTISEMENT AND DONOR OPPORTUNITY (May 20th: deadline for flag and sign advertisements)

\$125 tee/green sign x _____ = \$ _____ \$175 embroidered flag x _____ = \$ _____

I cannot attend but would like to make a donation of \$ _____

PAYMENT

Enclosed is a check, made payable to the GCBA, in the amount of \$ _____

Credit Card Payment: Visa MasterCard Charge my credit card for \$ _____

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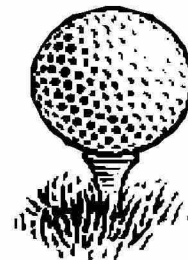
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Register by May 20, 2011

Please support your local Bar Association

2011 GENESEE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION 33rd ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

Friday, June 3, 2011 ♦ Sugarbush Golf Club



FLAG & TEE/GREEN ADVERTISING FORM

- YES!** I will sponsor _____ embroidered personalized tee flag(s) for \$175 each, as a souvenir of the outing. Only 18 will be sold! Hole choice: _____ (first come, first served)

Name you wish to appear on the flag (you may use two lines):

- YES!** I will sponsor _____ personalized tee/green sign(s) for \$125 each, as a souvenir of the outing. Tee/Green hole choice: _____ (first come, first served)

Name you wish to appear on the tee/green (you may use two lines):

- I will donate _____ as a door prize for your outing. The value is \$_____.**
- Please contact me about donating door or golf prizes.**
- Please contact me about playing in the outing.**

Contact Person _____ Telephone Number _____

Name of Business _____

Address _____

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Visa MasterCard Expiration date _____

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Return to the GCBA at 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502; or fax to (810) 232-8310; or e-mail the GCBA at tyb@gcballaw.org.

DEADLINE: MAY 20th

EMPLOYMENT AVAILABLE

Simen, Figura & Parker, PLC is looking for an associate with 3 to 5 years experience. Experience in business, business litigation, tax, probate or estate planning is preferred. A small book of business would be helpful. Please send your resume to Sue Chaplin at Simen, Figura & Parker, PLC, 5206 Gateway Centre, Flint, MI 48507

OFFICE SPACE AVAILABLE

Simen, Figura & Parker, PLC has a suite of approximately 1200 square feet. Will finish suite to your specifications.

In addition there are two individual offices with space for a secretary.

Both the suite and the offices may share conference rooms and reception areas. There is also the possibility of sharing other items such as phone, receptionist and electronic library.

Please contact either Sander Simen or Pat Parker at 810-235-9000.



Notes N' News
A Little of What's Inside This Issue!



- ◆ Membership Meeting
- ◆ Law Day Lunch and Volunteer Signup
- ◆ Annual Meeting
- ◆ Golf Outing Registration

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