GENESEE COUNTY PROFESSIONALISM SINCE 1897 BAR ASSOCIATION

New Members

Welcome to our newest members: Bruce Bagdady, Jonathan Rabin, Neil MacCallum and John Melton.

Genesee County Bar Foundation Donors

Howard Bueche made a donation in memory of Judge Dale Riker.

Teresa Knight made a donation in memory of Anna Herr, Jude Dowd's mother.

Barb Dawes; Hon. Judith Fullerton and Ward Chapman; Hon. Larry Stecco; Timothy Mac-Donald; James Dillard; Julia Black; George Hamo; John Northrup; Michael and Nancy Vance; George and Kathryn Menoutes; and Sandra Applegate made a donation in memory of Douglas Philpott.

Judge Duncan Beagle made a donation in memory of John Hermann, Russell Bowers, Douglas Philpott, and Judge Dale Riker.

Case Evaluation Late Fee Donors Thanks to **Michael Behm, Robert Schaffer, Peter Diesel, Denise Couling, Robert Chimovitz, Timothy Knecht, and Michael Rizik** for donating their Circuit Court Case Evaluation late fees which are placed in a restricted building maintenance account.

Address Change

Megan E. Barnes has rejoined the nonprofit legal advocacy organization Center for Civil Justice on a part time basis. Center for Civil Justice is located at 436 S. Saginaw St., Flint, MI 48502. Phone: (810) 244-8044. She is also maintaining an "Of Counsel" relationship with The Law Offices of Timothy J. Lozen, P.C.

Membership and Marketing Committee

The Membership and Marketing Committee is exploring a day long bus trip to visit Henry Ford Museum and the Grand Rapids Museum of Art, on a Friday in the fall. If you might be interested, contact the GCBA at (810) 232-6012.

Dues

Just a reminder that dues must be paid in full in order to participate in the 2010 Courthouse Composite. Members can use their pictorial directory photo; email a photo to the GCBA; or call the GCBA at 810-232-6012 to schedule a photo session at the GCBA office. See the enclosed flyer for details and prices.

Condolences

... to D. Craig Henry, Edwin W. Jakeway, Justin D. Henry, Craig Jakeway, and Morgan H. Jakeway on the death of their mother, mother-inlaw, and grandmother Constance Ewing Henry.

Congratulations

... to **David S. Leyton** on being elected secretary to Prosecuting Attorneys Association of Michigan.

Vacation Notice

George R. Rizik, II will be on vacation August 6, 2009-August 13, 2009. George F. Rizik, II's office will be closed from August 10, 2009-August 13, 2009 and will re-open on August 14, 2009.

GCBA Summer Hours

Just a reminder that the GCBA closes at 4 p.m. on Fridays during the summer until Labor Day.

Calendar of Events

See a complete list of the dates and times for the August/September Video Replay Seminar Series. Due to limited space, this series is open to GCBA members only.

September 21st: Monthly Membership Meeting featuring Justice Hathaway; noon; Masonic Temple.

October 19th: Monthly Membership Meeting featuring State Bar President Charles Toy; noon; Masonic Temple.

November 16th: Monthly Membership Meeting featuring Flint Mayor Dayne Walling; noon; Masonic Temple.

2009

2010 Courthouse Composite



You **MUST** be a member of the GCBA (paid in full by December 1^{st}) in order to participate in the 2010 composite – and yes, this is the composite which hangs in the courthouse, produced every ten years since 1930.

You may use your member directory photograph for the composite. However, since the photography studio still has to screen and reformat the photo, the price remains \$30.00.

Check One	e: Please use my 2009-2010 pictorial directory photo on file with the GCBA	=\$30.00	
	I will contact the GCBA at (810) 232-6012 to schedule = an in-house photo appointment on or before November 25, 2009		
	I will email/mail the GCBA a photo before November 25, 2009	= \$30.00	
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GENESEE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION 2009-2010 COMMITTEE REGISTRATION FORM

Want to know what is happening in your practice area? Just sign up for a committee by placing a check in the space to the left of each committee.

Fax this form by September 30, 2009 to the GCBA at 810-232-8310 or mail to:

Genesee County Bar Association 315 E. Court St. Flint, MI 48502

PLEASE VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME TO SERVE YOUR PROFESSION.

Committees

	ADR	Bankruptcy			
	_Bar Beat	Bench and Bar			
	Business Law	Criminal Law			
	District Court Family Court				
	Federal Practice	Golf Outing			
	_Law Day	Lawyer Referral			
-	_ Legal Aid	<u>Membership and Marketing</u>			
	_ Probate Committee	Professional Practice			
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	RETURN BY SEPTEMBER 30, 2009				
	FAX TO (810) 232-8310				
Ad-Hoc Committees will be appointed by the president as needed.					



Seminar DVD's Available



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Family Law and Professional Practice Co "What Do You Mean I Care Too Much?" □ Seminar Attendee—GCBA member DVD/no material x\$12.00 per set = \$ *\$5.00 shipping = \$ TOTAL = \$ □ Non-Attendee—GCBA member DVD/materials x \$25.00 per set = \$ *\$7.50 shipping = \$ TOTAL = \$ TOTAL = \$	seminar (2 disk set)
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2009 GCBA VIDEO REPLAY SERIES

Materials are NOT included, but can be purchase at \$0.10 per page

~ beverages will be provided ~ ~seating limited to 10 individuals per replay~

\$10.00

Probate Committee "Contested Matters and Non-Jury Trial" Seminar (Feb 09)

- \Box Thursday, August 13th from 1:00-4:45p.m.
- \Box Friday, August 21st from 9:30-1:15 p.m.

\$10.00

Probate Committee "*Probate Court Practice*" Seminar: Special needs trust and medicaid update, social security probate matters, probate court accounting practices (May 08)

- \Box Friday, August 14th from 10:00-12:45 p.m.
- \Box Thursday, August 20th from 2:00-4:45 p.m.

\$10.00

Family Law and Professional Practice Committee "*What Do You Mean I care Too Much Seminar*" (June 09)

- Given Friday, August 28th 9:30-1:15 p.m.
- $\Box \qquad \text{Thursday, September 3^{rd} 1:00-4:45 p.m.}$

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Search Engine Marketing for Law Firms Seminar

26 Million Searches for "Lawyers" in Google Each Month! Are They Finding You?



Join us to learn more about online lead generation with an industry expert In this seminar, you'll learn more about how to generate leads from the Web using search engine marketing. Search engine marketing is a measurable marketing effort—allowing you to see and prove a return on our investment. In this session you'll learn:

- What is search marketing? How does it work?
- What are the drivers of search?
- What is the difference between search engine optimization (SEO) and pay-per-click (PPC)?
- SEO best practices
- PPC best practices

Speaker: Stephanie Fraley

Stephanie Fraley is the Internet Marketing Consultant for Lexis Nexis helping law firms in the Midwest drive measurable leads to their business. With over 11 years of sales and business development experience in the marketing and advertising industries (three within the legal vertical), Stephanie understands law firm customer needs & overall search marketing trends as the basis for developing and executing the best products & services.

Location:

Flint Golf Club 3100 Lakewood Flint, Michigan 48507

Date/Time:

Flint, Michigan – Wednesday September 2nd Registration September 2 at 8:00 a.m. Presentation 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.

Co-sponsored by the Practice Management Resource Center of the State Bar of Michigan And the Centennial American Inn of Court

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Preregistration	\$15
Door	\$25

Price of Registration Includes Hot Breakfast!

Please mail this registration, with your check payable to "Centennial American Inn of Court", to P. O. Box 320133, Flint, Michigan 48532 no later than August 28, 2009.

You may direct any questions to: Linda A. Pohly at (810) 733-7480 or via e-mail at lindapohly@iavbbs.com

All proceeds will benefit the Centennial American Inn of Court Scholarship Fund

September 21, 2009 Membership Meeting

Featuring Justice Diane M. Hathaway Michigan Supreme Court



Masonic Temple — Noon

Save the Date

for the following monthly membership meetings

October 19, 2009 featuring Flint Mayor Dayne Walling
November 16, 2009 featuring State Bar President Charles Toy

January 25, 2010
February 22, 2010
March 15, 2010
April 19, 2010
May 17, 2010



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

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