

Dues

Dues statements have been mailed. Please return the statement with remittance. While we are receiving dues payments daily we would like to take this opportunity to thank the following sustaining members as of 8-8-08: **Brian Barkey, Carl Bekofske, Shayla Blankenship, George Brueck, John Burgess, James Dillard, Paul Goyette, Ronald Haldy, Clifford Hart, Jeffrey Himelhoch, Dennis Lazar, David Leyton, Michael Manley, Danielle McCluskey, Erwin Meiers, Tom Pabst, Joan Pierson, Randolph Piper, Hon. Robert Ransom, John Siler, William Smith, James Wascha, and Kendall Williams.**

Baby Barristers Born

. . . to **Robert & Laura Schaffer** on the birth of their daughter, Georgie Kaye, on July 27, 2008, weighing 5lbs 5 ounces, and 19 inches long.

Congratulations

. . . to **Richard & Arlene Ruhala** on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Condolences

. . . to family, friends, and colleagues of **Melvin Bragman** who passed away May 3, 2008. The GCBA made a donation to the GCBF in his memory.

Address Change

Jade Edwards has relocated to The Williams Firm, 8263 S. Saginaw St., Grand Blanc, MI 48439. Phone: (810) 695-7777. Fax: (810) 695-9549. Email: jedwards@thewilliamsfirm.com.

Case Evaluation Late Fee Donors

Thanks to **Amy DeNise, Clifford Hart, Randolph Piper, Steven Iamarino, Peter Diesel, Michael Behm, and Tom Connolly** for donating their Circuit Court Case Evaluation late fees. Donations are placed in a restricted account for long term maintenance of the building.

New Members

Welcome new members **Hon. Tracy Collier-Nix, Jade Edwards, Joseph Kuptz, Andrew Thompson** and **Stephen Witenoff**.

Foundation Dues Donations

Thanks to the following members who made a voluntary donation to the Bar Foundation through the dues statement as of 8-8-08: **Robert Bellairs, Bruce Bigler, Hon. Earl Borradaile, Laura Breckenridge, George Brueck, Howard Bueche, Robert Burchfield, Howard Cline, William Coppel, Rees Dean, James Dillard, John Folts, Ernest Gifford, Norman Gottlieb, John Hermann, Roger Isaac, Edwin Jakeway, David Karr, Matthew Karr, Edward Neithercut, Harry Piper, Linda Pylypiw, Hon. Robert Ransom, James Ricker, Hon. Dale Riker, Gilbert Rubenstein, Richard Ruhala, Reese Stipes, Jack Straley, Henry Thoma, and John Wright.**

Free Michigan Reports

If you are interested in obtaining **FREE** Michigan Reports, Volumes 310 - 410, please contact Harvey Kruse, P.C., 810-230-1000.

Summer Hours

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

2008-2009 Membership Meeting Calendar

Please book your calendar for the following monthly membership meetings that will take place at the Masonic Temple, downtown Flint: September 15, 2008; October 20, 2008; November 17, 2008; January 12, 2009; February 9, 2009; March 16, 2009; April 20, 2009; and May 18, 2009: *Annual Meeting & Election of Officers.*



**Have a wonderful
summer!**

September 15th Membership Meeting Honoring 50+ years of GCBA Membership



MASTERS OF CEREMONY

Reese W. Stipes and Allan "Duke" Parker

Featured Speakers: Gilbert Y. Rubenstein and Hon. Thomas C. Yeotis

Masonic Temple, Flint

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ENTERTAINMENT BY PAT CRONLEY



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.

Name(s): _____

Amount Enclosed: _____ Check # _____ I will pay at the door

CREDIT CARDS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED

Debit Card Visa MasterCard Charge my credit card for \$ _____

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Name as appears on card: _____ Last 3#'s on back of card: _____

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Signature: _____

Return to the GCBA at 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502; or fax to (810) 232-8310; or email the GCBA at tyb@gcbalaw.org or register on-line at www.gcbalaw.org. No refunds after the Friday before each lunch. No-shows not paid in advance will be billed \$15. Telephone reservations no longer accepted. Thank you.

BEGINNER'S GOLF CLINIC

Explore the world of golf in a fun and relaxed atmosphere!

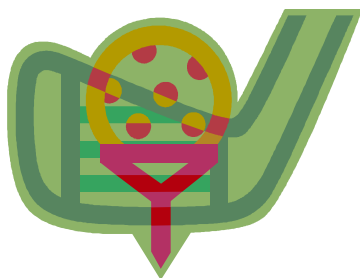
Open to Genesee County Bar Association attorneys, family members, employees, and friends of the legal community. While the focus will be on women interested in learning the game of golf, all are welcome.

Already a golfer? Our two pros will work with intermediate golfers in concurrent clinics.

LOCH LOMOND GOLF COURSE

G 5191 S. Dort Highway (between Saginaw St. and Maple Rd.), G.B. Twp.
\$65 GCBA Members \$80 Non Members

Golf professionals Doug Main and Rick Kent will teach fundamentals of the golf swing, chipping, pitching, putting, playing with irons and woods, rules and etiquette.



Lessons on September 12th, 19th, 26th from 2:30pm—4:30 pm. 9 hole golf scramble on October 3rd beginning at 2:30 pm.

Don't have clubs? Don't worry . . . clubs will be provided!

Register now! Limited space available on a first come first serve basis. No refunds for missed days.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Level of golf experience:

- Beginning
- Intermediate

Do you need clubs?

- Yes
- No



Questions? Contact Ramona at the GCBA at (810) 232-6012.



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June 2008

Dear Colin's Angels,

We hope everyone is having a great summer! Thank you very much for your support of last year's fundraiser, the First Annual Colin's Angels Golf Outing. Your support made last year's event a tremendous success. The Colin J. Dembo Memorial Foundation is pleased to announce it exceeded their initial fundraising goals.

As a result of the success of last year's event, we are able to kick start the Foundation's mission of promoting viral myocarditis awareness and donating funds for viral myocarditis research, as well as for local area schools to support the education of our communities youth. Colin's Foundation is very excited to be partnering with Dr. Jeffrey Towbin, Pediatric Cardiologist in Houston, Texas. Dr. Towbin has numerous affiliations including Professor and Laboratory Director at Baylor College of Medicine, Chief of Pediatric Cardiology at Texas Children's Hospital, as well as, Medical and Research Director at several cardiology laboratories. Proceeds raised by Colin's Foundation will be donated to advance Dr Towbin's research causes. Dr. Towbin's major areas of interest focus on myocarditis, cardiomyopathies and other causes of sudden cardiac death and congenital heart disease. Dr. Towbin will be a major contributor to Colin's Foundation with its viral myocarditis awareness campaign in an effort to educate the general public and medical community of improved diagnostic approaches and treatments. For more information about Colin's Foundation, please visit, www.ColinsAngels.org. For more information about Dr. Towbin, please visit his website at Baylor College of Medicine, Pediatrics department, Google Dr. Jeffrey Towbin or cut and paste https://www.bcm.edu/pediatrics/index.cfm?Realm=99992426&This_Template=Towbin.

It's getting time for the Second Annual Colin's Angels Golf Outing. This year it is on Monday, August 25, 2008. It will be played at the Flint Elks again, as they did an awesome job last year! Attached is the flyer for this year's golf fundraiser. We hope you all can make it to participate or volunteer. If you cannot attend, we hope you will make a donation in support of Colin's Foundation. We look forward to your continued support of the Foundation's mission goals. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

"Be Happy & Keep Smiling!" 😊

With Love,

Colin, Mitch, Patrice, LuAnn, & Jason



SECOND ANNUAL COLIN'S ANGELS GOLF OUTING 2008

MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 2008

Registration & Lunch 11:30 a.m.

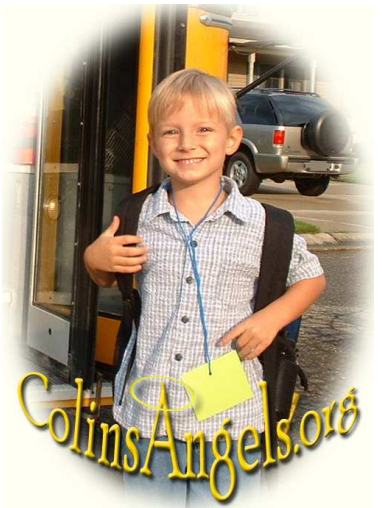
Shotgun start 1:00 p.m., Dinner after golf

THE FLINT ELKS CLUB

7177 E. Maple Road, Grand Blanc, MI, 810-743-0730

(Maple Road at Vassar Road)

All proceeds benefit the **Colin J. Dembo Memorial Foundation**, a Michigan non-profit corporation established to benefit local, state and national organizations, with the mission to provide funding for donations in education, medical research of viruses and heart disease, and promote awareness about viral myocarditis. Sponsors, participants, volunteers and all donors become one of "Colin's Angels."



Sponsorship/Participant/Donations/Volunteers

18 holes of golf w/cart, lunch and dinner, prizes, contests and lots of fun!

Team & Hole Sponsor _____ \$500 your company brings a team and is also a hole sponsor
Team Sponsor _____ \$400 your company brings a team
Hole Sponsor _____ \$100 your company name will appear in text at a tee or green
_____ \$100/per person, bring your own team of 4 or we can place you w/team
Beverage Cart Sponsor _____ \$200 your company name on the beverage cart
Putting Green Sponsor _____ \$100 your company name will appear in text at the putting green
Dinner only _____ \$30/per person for three meat buffet dinner with all the fixin's

Individual Partici-

Donations in Memory of Colin Dembo \$ _____ (donation enclosed)
(Please make all checks payable to: Colin J. Dembo Memorial Foundation)

If you would like to donate prizes for additional advertising exposure for your company or business, please consider either or both of the following; please fill in below the donation item(s):

Prize Donation: _____ Golfer Goodie Bag Donation: _____

Sponsor/Company/Volunteer Name: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____ Email: _____

Authorized signature of sponsor/company rep.: _____

Team players names _____

We MUST give a final headcount for golf and food on August 18, 2008

FOR GOLF AND DINNER, PLEASE RETURN BY AUGUST 18, 2008

FOR PRIZES & SPONSORS BY 8/20/08 ; DONATIONS ALWAYS ACCEPTED

Please mail to: Colin J. Dembo Memorial Foundation, 934 Church Street, Flint, MI 48502

For more information, please contact Colin's Angels at (810) 232-5678,

www.ColinsAngels.org, Mitch@ColinsAngels.org, ColinsAngels@comcast.net



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The Inn of Court is made up of lawyers and judges at all levels of experience who are dedicated to the improvement of the legal system and profession. The Centennial Inn was chartered by the American Inns of Court Foundation, which is a nationwide organization designed to improve the skills, professionalism and ethics of the bench and bar.

Our organization meets monthly on Tuesday evenings beginning in September and ending in April at the Flint Golf Club. These program meetings last about two hours, and include dinner and a program. Past programs have explored ethical issues as well as practical ones – such as dealing with troublesome clients, and reacting to uncivil opposing counsel. Every year our Circuit and Family Court bench has presented a “Tips from the Bench” program. These presentations are followed by an often lively discussion of ethical and professional issues as seen through the eyes of experienced as well as inexperienced members of the bar and bench. In addition to these fine programs, our meetings offer members an opportunity to enhance professionalism, legal excellence and ethics through contact with others who value these attributes.

This year, the Inn will be offering a formal mentoring program to provide guidance and feedback to its recent admittees.

Annual dues are based on experience levels

More than 15 years in practice—\$300;

8-14 years in practice—\$225;

7 years or less in practice—\$ 150.

Membership dues include the cost of 8 meeting dinners.

Please complete the application on the reverse side, and mail it to:

**The Centennial Chapter of the American Inn of Court
Post Office Box 120133
Flint, Michigan 48532**

If you have questions, please call Richard Morley Barron, Membership Committee Chairperson (810) 422-8098

GENESEE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

2008-2009 COMMITTEE REGISTRATION FORM

If you would like to serve on a committee(s) for the 2008-2009 bar year, place a check in the space to the left of each committee. Fax this form by September 30, 2008 to the GCBA at 810-232-8310 or mail to:

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

PLEASE CONSIDER YOUR WILLINGNESS AND ABILITY TO SERVE – YOUR CONTRIBUTION IS VALUABLE.

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Name _____
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Signature _____ Date _____

Email Address _____

RETURN BY SEPTEMBER 30, 2008
FAX TO (810) 232-8310

Ad-Hoc Committees will be appointed by the president as needed.

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