

Genesee County Bar Association

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June Notes N' News

2007

Dues

Our primary printer is being repaired. Consequently, we were unable to print personalized dues statements. Please fill out the enclosed dues statement and submit your dues by July 1, 2007. If you have any questions, please contact the GCBA at 232-6012. Thank you for your assistance.

Attorney Update

Lynette M. Ward has relocated to The Law Office of Lynette M. Ward, 1000 Beach St., Flint, MI 48502, Phone: (810) 232-3100. Fax: (810) 232-3109.

Hensick, Blankenship & Associates, PC has relocated to 5409 Gateway Centre Drive, Ste. C., Flint, MI 48507. Phone: (810) 244-8480. Fax: (810) 244-2326.

James Stephenson II has relocated to 5409 Gateway Centre Drive, Ste. C., Flint, MI 48507. Phone: (810) 732-6300. Fax: (810) 244-6928.

Condolences

... to **Randolph Piper** and **Jeremy Piper** on the death of Karen Piper, wife of Randy Piper and mother of Jeremy Piper.

... to **Rochelle J. Thompson** on the death of her husband, Marc J. Gardner.

Thanks

... to **Judge Thomas Yeotis, Roberta Wray, and Peter and Kay Doerr** for making contributions to the Genesee County Bar Foundation in memory of John Stecco, father of Hon. Larry J. Stecco.

... to **Judge Thomas Yeotis** for making contribution to the GCBF in memory Michael B. Rizik, Sr., father of Michael Rizik and George Rizik.

... to **Judge Duncan M. Beagle and Clifford H. Hart** for making a contribution to the GCBF in memory of Karen Piper, wife of Randy Piper and mother of Jeremy Piper.

... to **Kurtis L.V. Brown** for making a donation to the GCBF as part of his incoming president's gift.

... to **Gilbert Rubenstein** for making a donation to the Genesee County Bar Association to honor those at the Annual Meeting and Election of Officers.

GCBA 5K Run for the BAR Volunteers

Volunteers are needed for our annual road race on Friday, June 15, 2007 We need additional course volunteers (9) and mile counters (3). If you are interested in volunteering please contact Tina at 810-232-6012 or see the enclosed volunteer form.

Foundation Donations

... to **David Leyton; James Zimmer; Robert MacDonald; Edward Henneke; The Williams Firm; Julia Black; Shaker Brackett; Kathleen Buckley-O'Neill; Carl Bekofske; Randolph P. Piper; John P. Siler; Henry C. Thoma, Jr.; Linda Pohly; Richard Barron; Brian Barkey; Ron Haldy; Michael Jablonski; Barbara Menear; Don Rockwell; James Trembley and James Wascha** for contributing to the Annual Meeting. Thanks to the generosity of the **Genesee County Bar Foundation** for graciously underwriting any remaining costs for the meeting.

Case Evaluation Late Fee Donors

Thanks to **Arthur Busch, Susan Philpott Preketes and Timothy Ruwart** for donating their Circuit Court Case Evaluation late fees. Donations are placed in a restricted account for long term maintenance of the building.

Listserv

One of the outcomes of the Board of Directors strategic planning efforts was the creation of a member only e-mail listserv. We are pleased to announce this listserv is now available. Below is an invitation to join a general discussion listserv that is available to all GCBA members. You can subscribe any time at <http://lists.gcbalaw.org>

Notes N' News by Email

More than 100 members have signed up to receive Notes N' News by email. Sign up at www.gcbalaw.org to add your name to the list.

Summer Hours

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

Golf Volunteers

Thanks to **Lynn Gray** from Jeff Birrell's office, **Tracey Simpson** and **Heather Nagy** from Carl Mason's office, **Tina Burroughs** and **Star Estep** from the GCBA for volunteering at the Golf Outing.

Support Those Who Support the GCBA!

Thanks to the following businesses who provided door prizes and gifts for the 2007 Golf Outing: **Paul Goebel Group, Oliver T's, The Flint Journal, Krispy Kreme, HealthPlus, Thomson West** and **Temple Dining**.

Thanks to our Flag Sponsors

Yeo & Yeo, P.C.; Carl L. Bekofske and Chimovitz & Chimovitz; Genesee County Prosecutor David Leyton; Metropolitan Title Company; James C. Dillard; Cisko Title Company; Halo Burger; Ronald L. Haldy; Kraig Sippell; YWCA; Ebbott Law Office; Ramona Sain & Bill Khouri; Ripka, Boroski & Associates, LLC; Christenson & Fiederlein, and Allen & Hope Process Servers.

Thanks to our Golf Tee/Green Sponsors

The Hamo Group at Smith Barney; Piper McCredie Agency; Plunkett & Cooney (2); Elliot Parnes PLLC; Cline, Cline & Griffin; Barry Simon Builders Assoc. of Metro-Flint; Hon. Mark C. McCabe; Mediation Services by Larry Day (Civil and Domestic Relations); Allen & Hope Process Servers; Tom Mix, Jr. PC ; and Ripka, Boroski & Associates, LLC.



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2007-2008 ANNUAL DUES

Name: _____

P#: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Add me to the GCBA email list: _____

2007-2008 DUES SCHEDULE

Please select the appropriate category below

- Sustaining Membership: \$350** includes free monthly membership meetings.
- Regular Membership: \$190** practicing more than 5 years.
- New Admittee: \$95** practicing less than 5 years.
- Associate Membership: \$75** not practicing for compensation in the last year and in the forthcoming year.
- Student Membership: \$35** law school students.
- Honorary Membership:** Free for those with 40 years of continuous membership in the GCBA, 70 years or older.
- Optional: \$25 Bar Foundation Donation or more.**

TOTAL DUE: \$ _____

Dues must be paid in order to receive members rates for seminars and meetings. Dues are deductible as a business expense, but are not deductible for charitable purposes.

PAYMENT Make checks payable to the GCBA at 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502

- Enclosed is a check/credit card information for payment in full.
- Please register me for the installment plan. Enclosed is \$ _____, with a balance of \$ _____ leaving two equal payments due on October 31, 2007 and January 31, 2008.
- Automatically deduct from my credit card the two remaining payments on October 31, 2007 and January 31, 2008, using the information provided below.

For credit card payment please complete the following information and fax to (810) 232-8310.

FIRST NAME (as it appears on credit card) **M.I.** (if applicable) **LAST NAME** (as it appears on credit card)

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Debit Card Visa MasterCard Account # _____

Exp. date _____ Last 3#'s on back of card _____

Email Address: _____ @ _____ (For confirmation of credit card transaction)

Billing Address for credit card: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Signature: _____

PLEASE SEND ME LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE INFORMATION AND APPLICATION

GENESEE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

2007-2008 COMMITTEE REGISTRATION FORM

If you would like to serve on a committee(s) for the 2007-2008 bar year, place a check in the space to the left of each committee. Fax this form by October 31, 2007 to the GCBA at 810-232-8310, register on line at www.gcbalaw.org, 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.

Committees

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ADR | <input type="checkbox"/> Bankruptcy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bar Beat | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Circuit Court | <input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> District Court | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Court |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Practice | <input type="checkbox"/> Golf Outing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Law Day | <input type="checkbox"/> Lawyer Referral |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Aid | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership and Marketing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Probate Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Practice | <input type="checkbox"/> 5K Run for the BAR |

Name _____
(Please Print)

Signature _____ Date _____

Email Address _____

**RETURN BY OCTOBER 31, 2007
FAX TO (810) 232-8310 OR
REGISTER ON LINE AT WWW.GCBALAW.ORG**

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

GCBA 5K Run for the BAR

Volunteer Opportunities



Volunteer Name _____ Phone# _____
Please Print

Email Address: _____

VOLUNTEERS PLEASE INDICATE YOUR SHIRT SIZE (Circle) S M L XL XXL

RACE DAY: Friday, June 15, 2007

(time includes 30 minute orientation)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Deliver supplies | 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. | (4 volunteers needed) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Picnic | 2:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. | (10 volunteers needed) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Office volunteers & finish line | 3:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. | (10 volunteers needed) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course volunteers | 5:15 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. | (20 volunteers needed) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Clean-up | 6:30 p.m - 8:00 p.m. | (10 volunteers needed) |

Note: Volunteers can check off more than one time slot.

Event Sponsor Opportunities

- \$350.00 Supreme Court Sponsors**
 - ◆ Logo on t-shirt sleeve: limited to 2 donors
 - ◆ Listing in *Bar Beat* ◆ 2 race entries ◆ 2 t-shirts

- \$250.00 Court of Appeals Sponsors**
 - ◆ Larger name printed on top back of t-shirt (imprint area: approx 4.5" x 2"): limited to 3 donors
 - ◆ Listing in *Bar Beat* ◆ 2 race entries ◆ 2 t-shirts

- \$200.00 Circuit Court Sponsors**
 - ◆ Name printed on back of t-shirt (imprint area: approx 1" x 3"): limited to 7 donors
 - ◆ Listing in *Bar Beat* ◆ 2 race entries ◆ 2 t-shirts

- \$150.00 Post Race Party Sponsor**
 - ◆ Name printed on banner: limited to 3 donors
 - ◆ Listing in *Bar Beat* ◆ 2 race entries ◆ 2 t-shirts

- \$100.00 Finish Line Refreshment Sponsor**
 - ◆ Name printed on race-day refreshment sign: limited to 10 donors
 - ◆ Listing in *Bar Beat* ◆ 1 race entry ◆ 1 t-shirt

- \$ 50.00 Water Station Sponsor**
 - ◆ Name printed on race-day water station sign: limited to 10 donors
 - ◆ Listing in *Bar Beat* ◆ 1 race entry ◆ 1 t-shirt

Sponsor Name _____ Phone# _____
Please Print

For more information: Please contact the GCBA at (810) 232-6012; or email us at rls@gcbalaw.org. Fax this form or make checks payable to the GCBA at (810) 232-8310; or mail to 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502.



GCBA 5K Run for the BAR Pre-Race Picnic

FREE hotdogs & soft drinks



3:30 p.m.

Friday, June 15, 2007

Memorial Park

(5th Street, between Church
and Grand Traverse)

Featuring Entertainment by
The Habitual Offenders!



All are welcome
members, family and support staff

5K begins at 6 p.m.

Feel free to cheer on the participants!