

Genesee County Bar Association

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November Notes N' News

2006

New Members

Welcome new member **Thomas McCombs**.

Case Evaluation Late Fee Donors

Thanks to **Susan Philpott Preketes, Douglas Philpott, Otis Stout** and **Kurtis Brown** for donating their September Circuit Court Case Evaluation late fees.

Congratulations

... to **Gwyn Petrella** on her recent marriage to Bradley J. Abbott on September 22, 2006. Her legal name is now **Gwyn Abbott**.

Baby Barristers Born

... to **Judge Richard L. Hughes** and **Suzanne Hughes**, on the birth of their first grandson, Wesley Arthur Hughes, who was born on October 24, 2006. He weighed in at 8 lbs., 14 ounces and was 20 inches long.

... to **Jerry** and **Ronnie Winegarden** on the birth of their first grandson William Atlas Barnes, born November 3, 2006, 6lb 8 oz, 19" long.

Condolences

... to family, friends and colleagues of **Guy Hill** who passed away on Tuesday, October 18, 2006.

Attorney Update

Raymond J. Branch's new telephone number is (810) 813-3825.

Lisa G. Lanxton has relocated to 1036 S. Grand Traverse; Flint, MI 48502; Phone: (810) 238-9200; Fax: (810) 234-0335.

GCBA Senior Attorneys

The GCBA senior attorneys will meet at 12 noon on November 9th and December 14th at Valley Coney Island at Linden and Miller Rd. Anyone over 65 (retired or not) is welcome to attend.

ADR Seminar

Thanks to **Clifford Hart, Hon. Judith Fullerton, Janet Patsy**, and **H. William Reising** for their presentation on "Case Evaluation: Mysteries Explained" seminar. Also, thanks to **Linda Pohly** and **Richard Barron** for organizing this seminar.

Upcoming Social Gathering

Mark your calendar for Tuesday, November 14, 2006 for a social gathering at the Greater Flint Arts Council. See the enclosed flyer for additional information.

Thanks

... to **Flint Northern Class of 1956** for making a donation to the GCBF to honor the memory of **Leonard Shulman**.

... to **Joan Pierson** and **Jeremy Piper** for donating clothes to Ellen's Closet.

... to **Bobbie Wray** for donating candy to the GCBA office. Thanks for the treat!

Holiday Dinner Donors

Thanks to: **Hon. Peter Anastor; K.C. & Shari Baran; Ira Bare; Philip Beauvais; Shayla Blankenship; Herbert Booth; Kathleen Buckley-O'Neill, David O'Neill, & Scott Rider; Ward Chapman; Cooley, Moulton & Smith; Dolores Coulter; Janey Dillard; Garan Lucow Miller; Roger Isaac; S. Olof Karlstrom; George Killeen; Byron Latter; Robert MacDonald; Barbara Menear; Tracey Merithew; Anne Randall; Gilbert Rubenstein; Richard & Arlene Ruhala; Bob Segar; Tess Sullivan and Barney Whitesman.**

It is not too late to donate. Please make your check payable to the Genesee County Bar Foundation, in care of 315 E. Court Street, Flint, MI 48502. 100% of your donation is spent on the Holiday Dinner!

Calendar of Events

November

- 14 Social Gathering at GFAC. See enclosed flyer.
- 20 Monthly Membership Meeting featuring Supreme Court Justice Marilyn Kelly.

SPECIAL INVITATION

to Genesee County Bar Association
members, spouses, family and staff for
a night to socialize with friends and colleagues

Greater Flint Arts Council
816 S. Saginaw Street ♦ downtown Flint

Tuesday, November 14, 2006 ♦ 5 – 7 p.m.
Cocktail Reception with hors d' oeuvres

Premier of Original Artwork from GCBA Members and their Family

*Featuring: Denise Couling ♦ Lawrence Day ♦ William Hayes ♦ Thomas
McCombs ♦ Suellen Parker ♦ Patric Parker ♦ Gerald Snodgrass III
♦ Shelly Spivack ♦ Hon. Michael Theile ♦ Patricia Yuille ♦ Ruby Allen
♦ James Draper ♦ Jeremy Piper ♦ ♦ Randolph Piper ♦ Linda Pohly ♦*

Special Opportunity: Auction of selected items crafted by GCBA members
with proceeds to benefit the Genesee County Bar Foundation

This event is hosted by Sustaining Members of the GCBA

*If you are an artist and wish to display your artwork please contact the
GCBA at (810) 232-6012.*

ELLEN CLOSET & KINGS CLOSET CLOTHING DRIVE

Helping Men & Women Get Interview Appropriate
Clothing!

Clean out your closets and bring your
new and gently used
Professional Clothing to:

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

Donations being accepted until
Wednesday, November 22, 2006

Clothing must be clean and pressed.

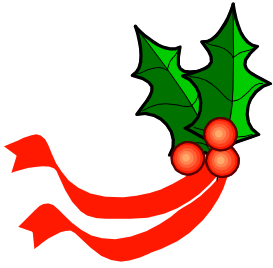
PROFESSIONAL CLOTHING ONLY!

We encourage everyone to participate!

For more information, call the G.C.B.A. at (810) 232-6012.

-All donations are tax deductible

GENESEE COUNTY BAR FOUNDATION & GENESEE COUNTY BAR
ASSOCIATION



COMMUNITY HOLIDAY
DINNER



VOLUNTEER FORM

December 20, 2006

4:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Masonic Temple, Downtown Flint

Donations are needed to support this program, which are used exclusively to purchase items for the dinner (i.e. food for the meal, toys for the children). A modest gift of \$25.00 or more would very much be appreciated.

Enclosed is a check for \$ _____ made payable and sent to: Genesee County Bar Foundation, 315 E. Court St., Flint MI 48502.

If you want to volunteer a few hours of your time to this worthwhile cause, please fill out the form and return by fax to the GCBF/GCBA at (810) 232-8310.

NAME: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

GIFT WRAPPING PARTY

The GALSP will be hosting a gift wrapping party on Tuesday, December 5, 2006, at 5:30 p.m. at the GCBA/GCBF office. Pizza will be served. Please join us!

DAY OF THE DINNER:

1:30-3:30 p.m. Decorations/Set up _____

3:30-5:30 Sing/Entertainment _____

OTHER ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE MADE UPON ARRIVAL

3:30-5:30 p.m. _____

5:30-8:00 p.m. _____

Please note special consideration for job duties: _____

Your gift is tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. As required by the relevant Federal Statute we hereby confirm that we did not provide any goods or services in exchange for your gift.

NOVEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

featuring

HON. MARILYN J. KELLY

MICHIGAN SUPREME COURT JUSTICE

Monday, November 20, 2006

Masonic Temple - 12 noon

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 \$ _____

Credit Card Account #: _____ Exp. date: _____

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

Billing address of credit card:

Phone #: _____

Email Address: _____ @ _____

Signature: _____

Return to the GCBA at 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502; or fax to (810) 232-8310; or email the GCBA at rls@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 \$15. TELEPHONE RESERVATIONS ARE NO LONGER ACCEPTED!