

December Notes N' News

New Members

Welcome to our newest members: **Brandon Scott Fraim**, and **Matthew E. Nicholls** and our newest Affiliate member: **Lonnie D. McLane**.

Case Evaluation Late Fee Donors

Thanks to **Ricky Carlson**, **Amy DeNise**, **Peter Diesel**, **Glen Lenhoff** and **Otis Stout** for donating their Case Evaluation late fees, which are placed in a restricted building account.

Condolences

- To **K.C. Baran** on the death of his father, Lawrence Baran, who passed away on November 27, 2012.
- To **Steven Iamarino** on the death of his mother, Janet Lee Iamarino, who passed away on December 3, 2012.
- To **Dennis Haley** on the death of his mother, Marna Haley, who passed away on December 10, 2012. The funeral will be held Friday, December 14, 2012 at 11 a.m., Allen Funeral Home, 9136 Davison Rd., Davison, MI. Visitation will be Thursday 2 p.m. until 8 p.m. and on Friday from 10 a.m. until the time of the service. Burial will follow in New Calvary Catholic Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the National Marfan Foundation.

New Address

Tracey L. Merithew's office has changed its name to Julie A. Taylor & Associates. The address, phone and fax remain the same: 2000 Town Center, Suite 700, Southfield, MI 48075 Phone (248) 945-3800; fax: (248) 945-3858.

J. Dallas Winegarden has relocated to: 8455 S. Saginaw St., Ste. 103 Grand Blanc, MI 48439. Phone (810) 235-8555; fax: (810) 732-1170.

Lynnmarie Johnson has relocated to: 4488 W. Bristol Rd., Flint, MI 48507; Phone: (810) 820-2791; Fax: (810) 820-2794. The email remains the same.

GCBA Senior Attorneys

The GCBA senior attorneys will meet on December 13th, January 10th and February 14th, at 12 noon at Valley Coney Island, at Linden and Miller Rd. Anyone over 65 (retired or not) is welcome to attend.

Calendar of Events



2012

December 13th: Senior Attorney Luncheon; 12 Noon; Valley Coney Island.

December 13th: Holiday Party 2012 at Brick Street Bar & Grill with complimentary hors d'oeuvres from 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Open to ALL members and friends of the legal community.

December 18th: 22nd Annual Community Holiday Dinner, 4 p.m. – 7 p.m.; Masonic Temple. See enclosed flyer for more information.

2013

January 23rd: Affiliates Sack Luncheon featuring Hon. Joseph J. Farah on Circuit Court Procedures. See enclosed flyer for more information.

January 24th: Young Lawyers Lunch N' Learn featuring Hon. Joseph J. Farah on Hearsay Exceptions; the second in a three part evidence series. See enclosed flyer for more information.

January 28th: Monthly Membership meeting featuring Deborah Green SCAO Region 1 Administrator; noon; Masonic Temple. See enclosed flyer for more information.



**2012 Holiday Dinner
Goal \$12,000**

*It is not too late to donate. 100% of your donation is spent on the Holiday Dinner! A goal of \$12,000 was set for the 2012 Holiday Dinner. As of 12-11-12 \$7,420 has been raised and \$4,580 is needed to meet our goal. **Donations payable to the Genesee County Bar Foundation** are deductible as a charitable contribution. Thanks to the following donors:*

Santa's Workshop—\$500 donation

Michael Smith and State Bar of Michigan Young Lawyers.

Santa's Helper — \$250 donation

Philip Beauvais; Carol Fosse; Garan Lucow Miller P.C.; George Hamo; Roger Isaac; Barbara Menear & John Nickola; Danielle McCluskey & Dean Schink; Tom Pabst; Pat Parker; John Siler; and Temple Dining

Santa's Elf—\$ 150 donation

Shayla & Erin Blankenship; Kurt & Marlena Brown; William Delzer; Brett Howell; Hon. Robert and Lynne Ransom; and Reese Stipes.

Holiday Chef—\$100 donation

Kathleen Buckley-O'Neill; Ward Chapman; Chimovitz & Chimovitz; Hon. John L. Christensen; Cooley, Moulton & Smith; Flint Council #29 United Comm Travelers of America; Linda Warren Graham; Henry Hanflik; Hon. Michael Hluchaniuk; David Lawson; Hon. Mark McCabe; Elizabeth McDaniel; Tom Mitchell; Randall Petrides; Randolph Piper; Theresa Schurman; Anthony Tomaszewski; and Paul Watson.

Santa's Reindeer—\$0-\$50 donation

Bruce Courtade; Carol Fallis; Sheila Farr; John Folts; Jeffrey Himelhoch; Lynnmarie Johnson; Andrea LeGendre; LindaLee Massoud; Erwin F. Meiers; Tracey Merithew; Richard Morley Barron; Steven Moulton; Tricia Raymond-Ponsetto; Jeff Rocco; Richard & Arlene Ruhala; Robert Segar; Teresa Sullivan; J. Dallas Winegarden; and Hon. Thomas C. Yeotis.

Gift Wrap Party

Thanks to gift wrappers: Marlena Brown, Corinn Burhans, Linda Warren Graham, Sue Gregory, Jessica Hammon, Colleen Joliat, Ann Lossing, Eileen Thoma, Mary Jo Thoma and Jayne Walworth for donating their time. Many hands made it a pleasant afternoon.

Gift Shopping

Thanks to: Helen Church and Ann Lossing for their assistance in purchasing gifts for the Holiday Dinner.



Season Greetings

The Genesee County Bar Association
&
Friends of the Legal Community

Holiday Party 2012

Thursday, December 13th

at

Brick Street Bar & Grill

1223 E. Grand Blanc Road, Grand Blanc, MI 48439

Directions: east of Fenton Road and just west of Dort Hwy.

Coming from US-23 take Exit #88. Coming from I-75 take Exit #109.

The Party of Parties

Complimentary hors d'oeuvres from 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Piano Bar & Sing-A-Long



Who is Invited

Genesee County 67th & 68th District Courts, Circuit Court, Family, Probate Court and staff, All Federal Courts and Staff. Federal Bankruptcy Court and Staff. All Judges and staff. Genesee County Sheriff, Friend of the Court, Prosecutor, Registrar of Deeds, Treasurer, Drain Commission & Clerks Offices and staff. All Attorneys, paralegals and support staff. Court Reporters, Process servers, Title Companies and all others who are associated with the legal community.

For Reservations and information contact 810-603-2114



GCBA & GCBF



2012 COMMUNITY HOLIDAY DINNER

Tuesday, December 18, 2012 from 4:00 ~ 7:00 p.m.
Masonic Temple, Downtown Flint

DONOR FORM:

Donations are needed to support this program, which are used exclusively to purchase items for the dinner. Categories of giving:

- Santa's Helper** \$250 pays for 50 toys for 50 children
- Santa's Elf** \$150 pays for 150 children's pictures with Santa
- Santa's Chef** \$100 pays for a meal for 25 guests
- Santa's Reindeer** \$1-50 every \$5 pays for a child's toy

Enclosed is a check for \$_____made payable and sent to:

Genesee County Bar Foundation, 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502. Your gift is tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. As required by relevant Federal Statute we hereby confirm that we did not provide any goods or services in exchange for your gift.

GIFT WRAPPING PARTY:

We will have a gift wrapping party on Monday, December 3, 2012, at the GCBA/GCBF office. Pizza will be served. Please join us!
 3 p.m. - 5 p.m. 5 p.m. - until completed

VOLUNTEER FORM:

Tuesday, December 18, 2012

Please arrive at least 15 minutes before your shift
Children 12 & older welcome with a parent

1:30-3:30 p.m.	Decorations/Set up	_____	
3:30-5:30 p.m.	First Shift	_____	Assignments will be made upon arrival
5:30-7:30 p.m.	Second Shift	_____	Assignments will be made upon arrival
6:30-8:00 p.m.	Clean Up	_____	
Time: TBD	Sing/Entertainment	_____	

Please note special consideration for job duties: _____

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. (form may be photocopied/one volunteer per form)

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Genesee County Bar Association January Membership Meeting

featuring

DEBORAH GREEN

*REGION I ADMINISTRATOR
STATE COURT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE*



January 28, 2013
Masonic Temple ♦ 12 noon

CUSTOMER INFORMATION: *Please print legibly*

January 28th Sustaining Member - Free GCBA Member - \$10 Non-member - \$15

\$15 for walk-ins. Unpaid no-shows will be billed \$15.

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

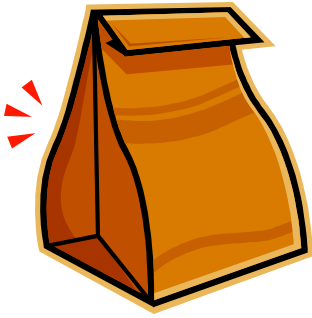
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GCBA Affiliates Sack Luncheon

on

Circuit Court Procedures

featuring

Hon. Joseph J. Farah

Come curb your craving for education and join us

on

Wednesday, January 23, 2013

12 noon

at the

Genesee County Bar Association

315 E. Court St. ♦ Flint, MI 48502

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Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Remember to bring your sack lunch

Young Lawyers Lunch N' Learn Three-Part Evidence Series

featuring

Hon. Joseph J. Farah,
7th Judicial Circuit Court

Session 2: January 24, 2013 Hearsay Exceptions

Session 3: March 28, 2013 Expert Witnesses

Remember to bring your Michigan Rules of Evidence!

12 noon

Genesee County Bar Association

315 E. Court St. ♦ Flint, MI 48502

Lunch will be provided

Don't miss this in-depth series lead by our favorite evidence expert!

Open to attorneys with five or fewer years of practice, or those under the age of 35. Reservations are absolutely required. Luncheon cost is \$5 per session, non-members \$10. Unpaid no-shows will be billed \$10.

Thanks to the GCBF MacGregor Restricted Fund for underwriting some of the costs relating to the luncheon.

CUSTOMER INFORMATION: Please print legibly

January 24, 2013

March 28, 2013

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