



# GENESEE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

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July Notes N' News

2024

## Welcome

Welcome new member: **Jami Anderson.**

## Dues Statement:

If you have already paid your dues - THANK YOU!!

If you have not already paid your dues please return the statement with remittance, phone the GCBA for credit card payment, or renew online at:

<https://cart.gcbalaw.org/memberships>.

## Genesee County Bar Foundation

Thanks to the following members who made a voluntary donation to the Bar Foundation through their dues statement **K.C. Baran, Carolyn Boegner, Morgan Jakeway, Kraig Sippell, and John Zintsmaster.**

Thanks to **Jakeway, Jakeway & Jakeway, P.C.** for making a donation to the Bar Foundation in memory of Sally Shaheen Joseph.

Donate to the Genesee County Bar Foundation by clicking [here](#).

## Grand Blanc Living Magazine

Grand Blanc Living, a local magazine for Grand Blanc residents, has given the GCBA space for an article monthly at no charge. We are in need of volunteers to contribute articles for Grand Blanc Living Magazine. This is a positive and free way to promote the Association as well as our members. Articles can be on any subject except for Estate Planning and Business Law (a local attorney has the exclusive ability to write on those two subjects.) Length: 500 words max. If you are interested please email me at [tyb@gcbalaw.org](mailto:tyb@gcbalaw.org) for more details.

## Summer Hours

Monday - Thursday

9 a.m. to 12 noon

1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Friday

9 a.m. to 12 noon

1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



## 46th Annual Golf Scramble

Thank you to everyone who participated in our 46th Annual Golf Scramble at the Flint Golf Club. A good time was had by all!

1st Place team: Michael Behm, Jeffrey Childers, Clint Perryman, and Michael Parillo.

2nd Place team: Steven Robb, Alex Elleman, Spencer Spurlin, and Nick Horton.

Longest Drive Female:	Becky Roth
Longest Drive Male:	Mitch Tucker
Closest to the Pin Female:	Hon. Jessica Hammon
Closest to the Pin Male:	Brendan Smith

## GCBA Senior Attorneys

The GCBA Senior luncheon will not be meeting in July or August. The next luncheon will be Thursday, September 12, 2024, at Redwood Lodge, located at 5304 Gateway Centre Blvd., off Hill Rd., close to US 23 and I-75. Lunch will be selected from the menu and may be ordered and paid for individually. All attorneys and their guests are welcome, regardless of age. Let us know if you are coming. RSVP to [gcbalaw.org](mailto:gcbalaw.org).

Luncheon



## Address Change:

**David Roth** has relocated to Ven Johnson Law, PLC. His address is 140 E. Second St., Ste. 201, Flint, MI 48502. Phone: 810-695-6100. Fax: 810-695-7884. Email: [droth@venjohnsonlaw.com](mailto:droth@venjohnsonlaw.com).

## GCBA Website Profile

Have you moved? Changed your contact information? Do you have a new professional headshot? Please update your member profile on our website. [Click here](#) to see what you have currently listed. If you need your username and password please email [tyb@gcbalaw.org](mailto:tyb@gcbalaw.org).



### **Neithercut Legal Education Fund**

The Neithercut Fund of the Genesee County Bar Foundation is committed to the continuing legal education of our members who are either sole practitioners or members of law firms. This year the Foundation has increased the scholarship benefits for our members. The Board of the Foundation policy is to encourage seminar participation.

Beginning December 1, 2020 and until further

notice, the Neithercut Fund of the Genesee County Bar Foundation will now pay for 60% of the cost of tuition per attorney per year, not to exceed \$500 per Attorney per year, to any

- Institute of Continuing Legal Education (ICLE) Seminar of the State Bar of Michigan (SBM);
- American Bankruptcy Institute;
- Federal Bar Association Bankruptcy Section;
- Criminal Defense Attorneys of Michigan; and
- Michigan Defense Trial Counsel.

This is not a need-based scholarship but a benefit available to every member whether they pay for their CLE or it is paid by their firm or partnership.

Details on the grant can be found [here](#). To take advantage of this opportunity please contact GCBA/GCBF Executive Director Tatilia "Tina" Burroughs at 810-232-6000 or by email at [tyb@gcbalaw.org](mailto:tyb@gcbalaw.org). This grant program can be discontinued at such time as the Foundation Board determines.

*The Neithercut Legal Education Fund was founded with gifts from Edward J. Neithercut, long-time Flint lawyer.*

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# 46th Annual Golf Outing

Thanks to everyone who supported the 2024 Annual Golf Outing

## **Flag Sponsors:**

Prosecutor David Leyton  
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Judge Jessica Hammon, 67th District Court  
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Committee to Elect Mary Hood Judge  
Soggy Bottom Bar  
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Jeff Wright Drain Commissioner  
Judge Christenson  
Brooke Tucker & Craig Datz on Behalf of the  
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Nancy Chinonis For Circuit Judge  
ELGA Credit Union  
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Legal Services of Eastern Michigan  
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M. Allen Robb, PC  
Matthew L. Norwood Attorney at Law



## **Donors & Door Prize Sponsors:**

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# THANK YOU!



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Executive Director  
Tatilia Y. Burroughs

## 2024-2025 Committee Registration Form

The GCBA is looking for you to sign up for a committee by placing a check in the space to the left of each committee you are willing to serve on.

**PLEASE PARTICIPATE IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE GCBA.**

### Committees

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ADR                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Golf Outing                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appeals                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Dinner                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bankruptcy               | <input type="checkbox"/> Law Day                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bar Beat                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Lawyer Referral                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bench and Bar            | <input type="checkbox"/> Marijuana                      |
| Subcommittees:                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Circuit Court;           | <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Law                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> District Court;          | <input type="checkbox"/> Negligence and Personal Injury |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Court            | <input type="checkbox"/> Pro Bono                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business and Real Estate | <input type="checkbox"/> Probate Committee              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Action         | <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Practice & Ethic  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Law & Defender  | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Security                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Court             | <input type="checkbox"/> Young Lawyers                  |

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

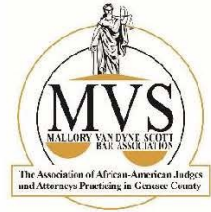
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**RETURN BY August 31, 2024**

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**THE 2024 BARRISTERS' BALL**  
**Sponsored by: Genesee County Bar Association &  
Mallory, VanDyne, Scott, Bar Association**

***THE BRIDGERTON EXPERIENCE***

The GCBA and MVSBA proudly present the 2024 Barristers' Ball - The Bridgerton Experience- on Saturday, September 28, 2024. We are excited to hold this year's event at The Sloan Museum. The Sloan Museum is a hands-on and interactive science and history museum located within the Flint Cultural Center. It was re-opened in 2022 after an extensive expansion and renovation. Attendees will have access to the wonderful displays during the evening with plenty of exhibits to explore and enjoy.

This buffet dinner event will be a black-tie/period costume elegant affair with visually stunning entertainment, dancing, and activities. We hope that you will consider being a part of our night by attending as well as electing to sponsor at one of the levels below. Every Sponsor will be recognized in the GCBA Bar Beat, and the GCBA Notes N' News. Additional recognition will be based upon your sponsorship level. We look forward to seeing you there!

**PLATINUM SPONSOR \$10,000**

- \* Your company's name on the event page of the GCBA website
- \* Your company's name on the event promotional gift
- \* Your company name displayed on all guest tables and projected on displayed event screens
- \* 2 tables of 8 in a preferred location
- \* Front inside cover in the event program
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**GOLD SPONSOR \$5,000**

- \* Your company's name on the event page of the GCBA website
- \* Your company name displayed on guest tables
- \* 1 table of 8 in a preferred location
- \* Back inside cover in the event program
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**SILVER SPONSOR \$2,500**

- \* Your name displayed at the event as well as announced at the event
- \* 4 tickets to the event
- \* 1 page advertisement in the event program
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**BRONZE SPONSOR \$1,500**

- \* Your name displayed at the event as well as announced at the event
- \* 2 tickets to the event
- \* 1 page advertisement in the event program
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**DESSERT SPONSOR \$1,000 (ONE EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY)**

- \* Your company's name on the event page of the GCBA website
- \* Your company name displayed on the Dessert Station
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**BEVERAGE SPONSOR \$1,000 (ONE EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY)**

- \* Your company's name on the event page of the GCBA website
- \* Your company name displayed at the Beverage Station
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**ENTERTAINMENT SPONSOR \$1,000 (ONE EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY)**

- \* Your company's name on the event page of the GCBA website
- \* Your company name displayed on the Entertainment Station
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**VALET SPONSOR \$1,000 (ONE EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY)**

- \* Your company's name on the event page of the GCBA website
- \* Your company name displayed on the Valet Station
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**PROGRAM SPONSOR \$500**

- \* Your name displayed at the event as well as announced at the event
- \* ½ page advertisement in the event program
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News

**BUSINESS CARD SPONSOR \$100**

- \* Your name displayed at the event as well as announced at the event
- \* Business card size advertisement in the event program
- \* Recognition in the GCBA Bar Beat and the GCBA Notes N' News



**2024 Barristers' Ball Sponsorship Form**

\_\_\_ Yes, I will be a Barristers' Ball Sponsor!

Sponsorship Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsorship Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please note that the deadline to send in your advertisement for the program is September 13, 2024. We will try our best but any ads submitted after this date cannot be guaranteed to be included!

Please list my company/ name as: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Methods (Please circle one)

Cash      Check      Visa      Mastercard      AmEx

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CCV: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address if different from above: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

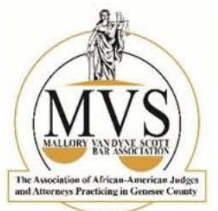
YOUR SPONSORSHIP IS NOT TAX DEDUCTIBLE.

Email advertisement content in jpeg or pdf format to [gcbalaw.org](mailto:gcbalaw.org).

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*Lady Whistledown's*  
SOCIETY PAPERS

GENESEE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION  
& MALLORY, VANDYNE, SCOTT,  
BAR ASSOCIATION PRESENT

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE  
2024 BARRISTERS' BALL



BRIDGERTON



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2024  
6:00PM EST

SLOAN MUSEUM  
1221 E KEARSLEY ST,  
FLINT, MI 48503







# GENESEE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

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## *Mark Your Calendar*

### *2024-2025 Monthly Membership Meetings*

September 16, 2024 ● October 21, 2024

November 18, 2024 ● January 27, 2025

February 24, 2025 ● March 17, 2025

April 21, 2025

### **Annual Meeting & Elections of Officers**

May 19, 2025



Ramsdell Room

300 E 1st St. ● Flint, MI 48502

Luncheon **FREE** to Sustaining Members;  
**\$15** members; **\$20** non-members; **\$20** walk-ins.  
Unpaid no-shows will be billed **\$20**.



# Sponsorship Opportunities Membership Meetings 2024-2025

## Meeting Sponsor - \$350

- 6 ft. table at luncheon
- Introduction at luncheon
- Complimentary registration for two attendees
- Corporate logo on registration materials
- Recognition in Notes N' News



## Beverage Sponsor - \$150

- Corporate logo on registration materials
- Recognition in Notes N' News

## Dessert Sponsor - \$150

- Corporate logo on registration materials
- Recognition in Notes N' News

Yes, I will be Sponsor!       Meeting Sponsor       Beverage Sponsor       Dessert Sponsor

Dates are available on a first-come first-serve base. Please indicate your meeting date choice:

September 16, 2024     October 21, 2024       November 18, 2024     January 27, 2025  
 February 24, 2025     March 17, 2025       April 21, 2025       May 19, 2025

Please list my company/name as: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Email your logo in  
jpeg or pdf format to  
tyb@gcbalaw.org

Payment Information: Checks payable to the GCBA

Check # \_\_\_\_\_       Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Credit card information:

Visa     MasterCard     American Express    Charge my credit card for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Account # : \_\_\_\_\_      Exp. date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name as appears on card: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Looking for New Clients?

## Here's the Affordable Answer!

# GeneseeLegal.Com

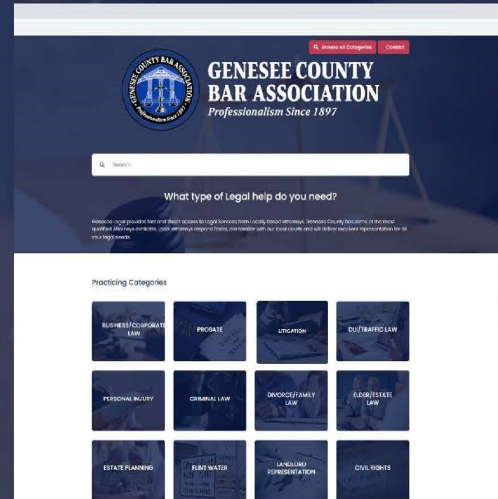
The newest most comprehensive way to promote legal services in Genesee County! GeneseeLegal.com is an online directory of local legal services available to the members of the *Genesee County Bar Association*. Different from any other legal directory, GeneseeLegal.com is consistently promoted in the market to build site awareness and generate results!

Subscribers will have an opportunity to promote their legal services with company information, images and direct links to their office. Make your services more findable! On the web. Enhance your own websites ranking. Become part of a cooperative advertising platform and most importantly, generate new clients!

### Program Results:

As of April, 2024

Website Visits	80,228
Clickthroughs to Subscriber websites	8,740
Direct Consultation Requests	321
Site Google Rank	#1-2
Multiple Categories of Law	



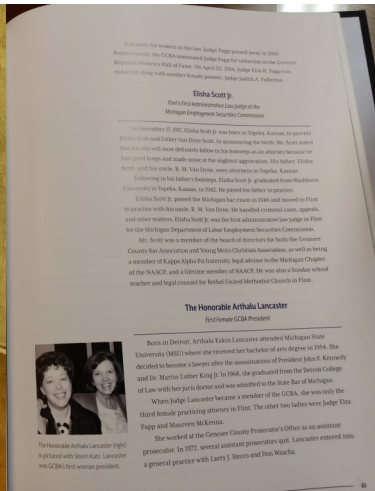
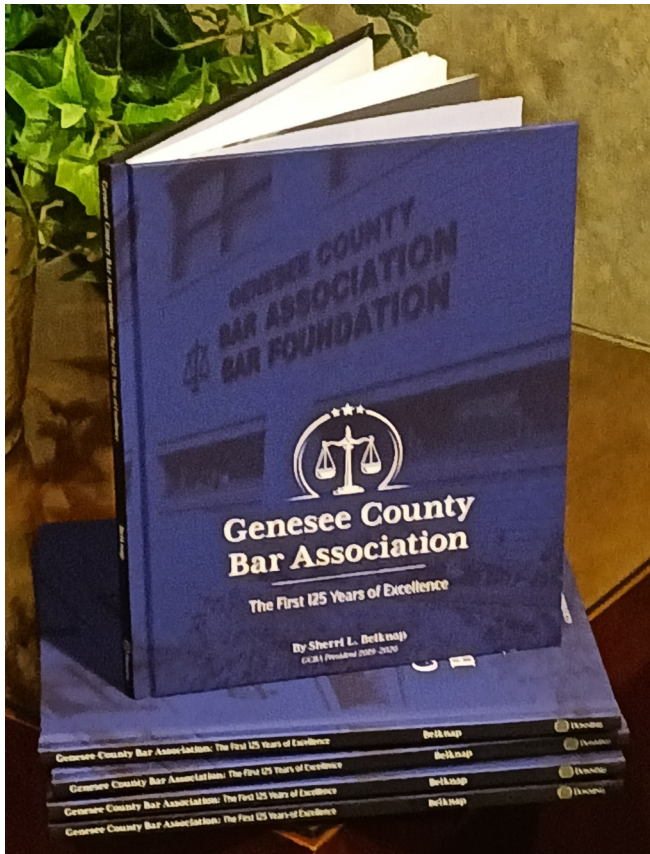
### Program Benefits:

- Makes you Findable, Easy to Contact
- Lead Generation Direct to You
- Enhances your Websites SEO
- Exponential Advertising Power
- Association with Established Credible Group
- Easy Dashboard Reporting & Accountability

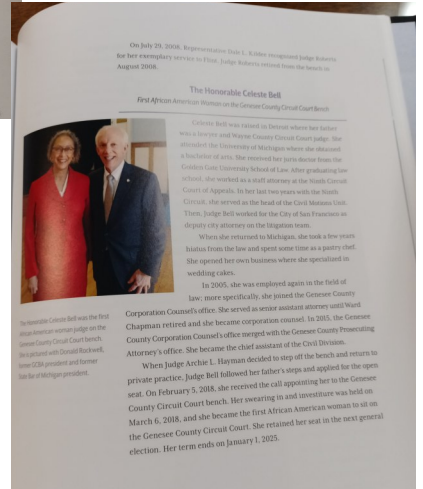
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## THE FIRST 125 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE

On November 18 and 19, 1897, the Honorable George H. Durand and 64 other attorneys met to form the Genesee County Bar Association “to promote social intercourse among the members of the profession and to advance the best interests of the commonwealth by improving the administration of justice.” This year, the Genesee County Bar Association celebrates 125 years. This book examines the events that shaped the association, the trailblazers, the awards, and the affiliations that helped it grow.

**Price \$65.00**

### Genesee County Bar Association “Celebrating the First 125 Years of Excellence”

\_\_\_\_\_ I want to purchase a book. \_\_\_\_\_ # of books  
 \_\_\_\_\_ I will pick up at the next Monthly Meeting. \_\_\_\_\_ I will pick up at GCBA Office.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Please ship the book. \$15 shipping and handling fee.

Payment Methods (Please circle one)

Cash      Check      Visa      Mastercard      AmEx

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_

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