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November Notes N' News

2022

Welcome New Members

Welcome new members: **Laura D. Breckenridge**, **Sharla Charpentier**, **Stacy Davis**, **Stacy Olivier**

Condolences

Our condolences to **Jeffrey Chimovitz** on the death of his brother **Robert M. Chimovitz** who passed away peacefully at home Tuesday, October 25, 2022.

Genesee County Bar Foundation

Thanks to the **GCBA** for making a donation in memory of Robert Chimovitz.

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

Case Evaluation

Thank you to **Brian Barkey** and **Timothy Ruwart** for donating his Case Evaluation late fees, which are placed in a restricted building account.

GCBA Senior Attorneys

Luncheon



The GCBA Senior Luncheon is Thursday, November 10th at Logan's Roadhouse on Miller Rd. east of the Genesee Valley Mall. 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.

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A Night of Honor & 125th Anniversary Celebration

On November 12, 2022, the Genesee County Bar Association will celebrate its 125th year as an Association as well as honoring **Judges Duncan M. Beagle**, **Nathaniel C. Perry III**, and **Michael J. Theile** for their service to the legal community. To those who have purchased a ticket...thank you!

Time: 5pm - 8pm

Location: Genesys Conference & Banquet Center

See you Saturday!

Office Closed

The GCBA will be closed Friday, November 11th in observance of Veterans Day.



Thanksgiving

The GCBA will be closed November 24th & 25th in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.



Amy K. Harris Criminal Law Seminar

- Thursday, December 1, 2022
- Friday, December 2, 2022

Confirmed speakers include:

- Anne M. Yantus, Michigan Sentencing PLLC
- Kristin Nicole Henning, Blume Professor of Law and Director of the Juvenile Justice Clinic and Initiative at Georgetown Law

More information to follow





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; and
- Criminal Defense Attorneys of Michigan.

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. 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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A NIGHT OF HONOR

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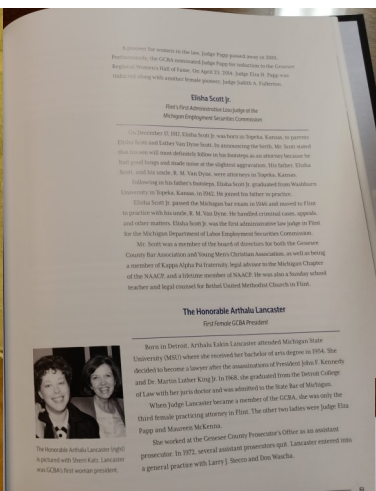
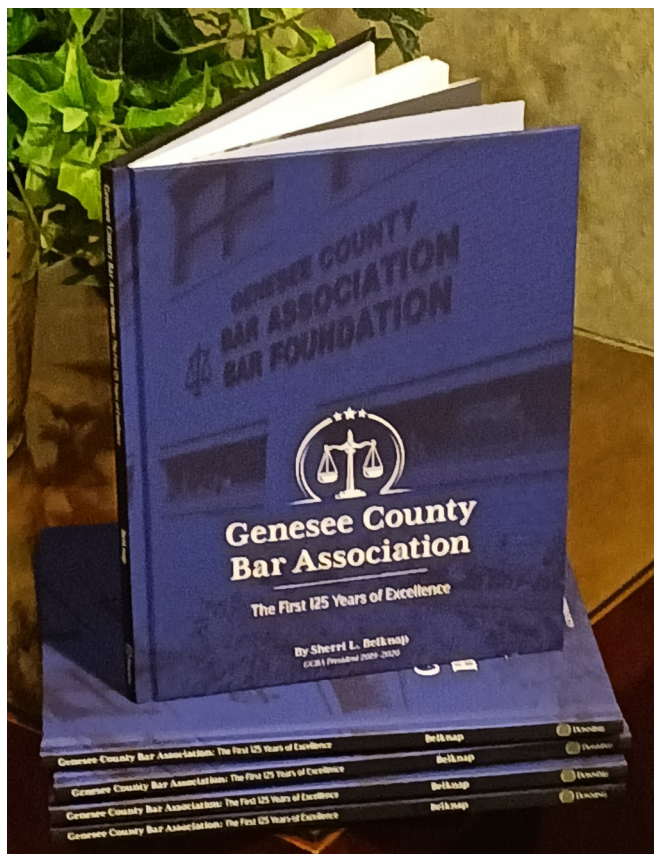
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THE FIRST 125 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE



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”

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Monthly Membership Meeting



featuring

**Genesee County Prosecutor
David Leyton**

topic:

Update on the Prosecutor's Office

**November 21, 2022 • 12 noon
Flint Farmers' Market
Ramsdell Room
300 E. 1st St. • Flint, MI 48502**

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**RSVP Deadline:
November 16th**

Registration Fees:

- ☐ Sustaining Member - Free
- ☐ GCBA Member - \$12
- ☐ Non-member - \$15
- ☐ Walk-ins - \$15
- ☐ Unpaid no-shows - \$15

Event Registration:

- ☐ November 21, 2022

Cancellation Policy:

No refunds for cancellations the day of the luncheon.



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Mail: 315 E. Court St. • Flint, MI 48502. Fax: to (810) 232-8310. On-line: register at www.gcbalaw.org.
Telephone reservations are not accepted.



Seasons Greetings



The Genesee County Bar Association
&
Friends of the Legal Community

Holiday Party 2022 *Wednesday, December 7th* at

Brick Street of Grand Blanc

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

Cash Bar

Complimentary hors d'oeuvres from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Piano Bar & Sing-A-Long



Who is Invited

Genesee County 67th District Courts, Circuit Court, Family Court, Probate Court and staff, All Federal Courts and staff. Federal Bankruptcy Court and staff. All Judges and staff. Genesee County Sheriff, Corporation Counsel, Friend of the Court, Prosecutor, Public Defender, Register of Deeds, Treasurer, Genesee County Drain Commissioner and staff. Clerks Offices and staff. All Attorneys, Senior Attorneys, paralegals and support staff. Court Reporters, Process Servers, Title Companies and all others who are associated with the legal community.

**Plan on attending? Let us know 810-232-6000 or on-line at
www.gcbalaw.org**



2022 Holiday Giving Project

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In lieu of our traditional Holiday Dinner we will continue our successful Holiday Giving Project. The Holiday Giving Project consists of serving meals catered by local, non-franchised restaurants to Carriage Town Ministries, Shelter of Flint, Whaley Children's Center, East Side Mission and the family residential programs at the YMCA and Salvation Army. Additionally, gifts will be purchased for each of these shelters residents from their Christmas wish list.

Please consider funding this year's effort by making a donation to the Genesee County Bar Foundation. We have established a fundraising goal for this project of \$15,000 to ensure its success.



Categories of giving:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Santa and Mrs. Clause | \$1,500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Santa's Elf | \$150 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Santa's Workshop | \$500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Santa's Reindeer | \$1-\$99 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Santa's Helper | \$250 | | |

100% of your donation is spent on the Holiday Giving Project! The Foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Your gift is tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law.

[To donate online click here.](#) To mail a donation send a check payable to the Bar Foundation to: 315 E. Court St., Flint, MI 48502.



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Goal \$15,000

Amount collected \$8,441

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Santa & Mrs. Clause—\$1,500

Valdemar Washington

Santa's Workshop—\$500

CF Legal

Cline, Cline, & Griffin, P.C.

Hamo Law Firm

Matthew Norwood

Jeremy R.M. Piper

Plunkett Cooney

Santa's Helper - \$250

Philip Beauvais

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Brooke Tucker

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Santa's Elf - \$150

Francine Cullari

Carol Fossee

Byron Latter

Santa's Chef - \$100

Nancy K. Chinonis

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Anthony McDowell

Erwin Meiers III

Jeffrey Reem

Andrea Rossi

Lori Tallman

Michael Tesner

Dawn Weier

Santa's Reindeer - \$25

Julia Black & Associates P.L.C.

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Cost: \$350



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