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County Bars Share Success of PBA Education Campaign

The PBA's 2001 Public Education Campaign, "Put Your Future in Order," which ran March 16 through 30, focused on the legal rights of Pennsylvania's seniors. Local bar associations statewide contributed to the campaign by sponsoring related events including free public seminars, radio call-in programs and informational expos.

"We are pleased that 31 local bar associations, the Office of Attorney General and the Department of Aging partnered with the PBA for this important project," said Robert Davis, PBA Client and Community Relations Committee chair. "Through this campaign, we are hoping that seniors and their families will be reminded of the importance of putting one's future in order."

Local bar associations involved in the campaign included the Allegheny County Bar Association; Beaver County Bar Association; Berks County Bar Association; Bucks County Bar Association; Butler County Bar Association; Centre County Bar Association; Chester County Bar Association; Columbia-Montour County Bar Association; Crawford County Bar Association; Cumberland County Bar Association; Dauphin County Bar Association; Delaware County Bar Association; Erie County Bar Association; Franklin County Bar Association; Lancaster Bar Association; Lebanon County Bar Association; Bar Association of Lehigh County; Luzerne County Bar Association; Lycoming County Bar Association; Monroe County Bar Association; Montgomery Bar Association; Northampton County Bar Association; Northumberland County Bar Association; Pike County Bar Association; Schuylkill County Bar Association; Somerset County Bar Association; Susquehanna County Bar Association; Washington County Bar Association; Wayne County Bar Association; Westmoreland Bar Association; and Wyoming/Sullivan County Bar Association.

The effort was funded through grants from the Pennsylvania Bar Foundation and the Pennsylvania Bar Trust. ❐

PBA Web Site Enhanced for CCBL and PABE Members

Important information about the PBA Conference of County Bar Leaders is now just a few quick computer-key clicks away.

Members of the organization and others interested in it can access CCBL information and program materials on the PBA Web site, *www.pabar.org*. Go to the site and select "County Bar Services" from the items listed on the navigation bar at left. Select "CCBL" from the list of linked materials, and you're there.

"We've posted a lot of useful information for the members of CCBL as well as for members of the Pennsylvania Association of Bar Executives," said Art Birdsall, PBA county bar services director. "We're pleased with the start we've made with this material," he added. "We're encouraging CCBL members to use the Web site now and in the future as we update material and add to it."

The current material includes the following:

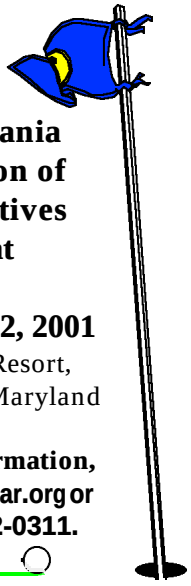
- An electronic version of the PBA's County Bar Directory;
- Names and contact information for the members of the CCBL Executive Committee;
- CCBL bylaws;
- Information on CCBL annual meetings and the annual County Bar Recognition, Arthur J. Birdsall and Gilbert Nurick awards; and
- A brief CCBL history.

As Birdsall notes, visitors to the site also can find material compiled by and for members of the Pennsylvania Association of Bar Executives, including their Resource Guide and the extensive PABE Survival Guide for Bar Leaders. Birdsall said this material will be posted in the CCBL area of the Web site until a planned PABE area is set up. ❐

Pennsylvania Supreme Court Chief Justice Addresses CCBL Conference

CCBL seminar attendees were once again fortunate to hear Pennsylvania Supreme Court Chief Justice John P. Flaherty as the keynote speaker at the CCBL luncheon on Friday, March 2. The chief justice first described the enormous importance CCBL plays in the activities of the Pennsylvania Bar Association. He focused on the importance of the profession of law — and those who practice law — in the function of our society. According to Chief Justice Flaherty, because the law impacts life, liberty and freedom — crucial components of life itself — the practice of law can be a terrifying responsibility. He went on to say that law practitioners who put forth extra efforts in this endeavor are not fully appreciated, which in no way diminishes the true nobility of the profession.

The chief justice closed his remarks by stressing the importance of voluntary pro bono activities as a way of sharing the rights and responsibilities of the bar. ❐



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How to ... Seize the Future, *Part 4 of a Series*

Submitted to the PBA by Maryland State Bar Association President James L. Thompson and excerpted from his notes on the November 1999 "Seize the Future" conference co-produced by the ABALaw Practice Management Section and Lotus Development Corporation.

Innovation through Technology is a concept presented by Seth Earley, Michael Harnish and Carl Liggio. In confronting the revolution with technology, we as lawyers should not focus on obstacles but rather on the value we create. Consider what it is like to compete against others who do have Internet applications.

• Customers are not interested in the billable hour, they are interested in results. They are beginning to dictate standards for law firms to meet.

• There are a number of barriers to change. Attorneys are resistant to change and don't like to take time from billable work. We have lots of disparate and outdated technologies and technology players are constantly changing. Think of the Internet as the "forklift" for white collar workers.

Main Point: Lawyers need to imbed their work product and concepts into their clients' needs and their clients' software and document systems.

We should evaluate our own internal processes to see what our Internet capabilities are. Then we should look at what repetitive work we get from clients and how we could improve that work by having them directly access our Web site and vice versa.

Michael Harnish did this for Dickinson Wright PLLC, the law firm that does all of the financial work for Chrysler and Kmart. They used simple application software (Lotus Notes) which allowed clients to answer a few questions from various sites throughout the United States and then they plugged that data directly into the Internet applications. This had the effect of causing Chrysler to use this law firm for all of its financial work nationwide and it also protected the firm from having the partner who created the relationship take the client when he or she left the firm. Now the firm and Chrysler are bound to one another by a system.

Note: We need to evaluate a national practice for niche areas of law and how to address state-by-state licensure requirements. We need to tap into and exploit the knowledge of clients at all levels. We need to invent new ways of doing business that will tie client and counsel together, that will save the client money, and that will provide a better product, while at the same time increasing our volume of business. We should create "anytime-anywhere" work environments and fully use internal and external Web systems seamlessly.

• The law firm of 2005 will look different. The structure and makeup of staff will be different. Voice recognition will change the role of clerical staff. Technical skills will change, the training of law students will change and there will no longer be any libraries. There will be no walls, and each lawyer will have a laptop computer and access files through cellular technologies. There will be minimal file rooms and few, if any, secretaries.

The only constant is change. The barriers between firms of different sizes will become somewhat irrelevant. Technology and the Internet will allow small firms to compete for legal work on a global basis.

Note: If firms change like this, how will bar associations need to change to meet their needs?

• We must improve our client focus. Corporations are defining needs and services. Law is a knowledge-based profession. Information is available to everyone with or without Lexis, Nexis or Westlaw. Clients want from lawyers benchmarking, quality, control, lessons learned, values added and best practices. Globalization will occur.

We need to be clientcentric/client focused.

• Lotus Notes has 42 million seats worldwide and is growing daily. Our speaker believes that this is one of the single most dynamic products available for lawyers. Almost every major corporation in the United States today uses this system.

• We will see "Culture Shift Changes": far-reaching organizational changes and organizational innovation plus interorganizational networking. Knowledge workers. There will be greater demand on management skills and different skill sets. We as law firms need to enlist creative thinkers and allow these people more opportunity to run things.

• If lawyers do not hear the wake-up call, business will walk right around the legal profession. Further, when the client pays you one dollar, you must maximize what that dollar buys. How do you leverage your service to the client?

• We need a team approach. Use technology and Lotus Notes since this allows access to the same data set for each member of the team.

• How do we become proactive with our services to our clients? e. g. help the client clean up the e-mail sites from discovery litigation — a service done prior to the litigation being instituted.

• If we only do legal services in a narrow market, that's not good enough. We need to become integrated with our clients and provide value-added services and we need to define what our practice will be and not allow others to do so. ❐

Look for "Seize the Future" Part 5 in the July 2001 issue of *The County Line.*

Send Us Your News

To submit news for *The County Line*, please use the enclosed "News and Views" form or contact PBA County Bar Services Director Arthur Birdsall at (800) 932-0311, ext. 2218.

June 11 is the deadline for the next issue of the newsletter.

Photo Highlights from the 35th Annual Seminar of the Conference of County Bar Leaders - Harrisburg, PA

Incoming President William Z. Scott presents outgoing President Judge Rea Boylan Thomas with a plaque commemorating her service to the CCBL.

Judge Thomas passes the president's gavel to William Scott.

In his role as host-county bar association president, Dauphin County's Samuel T. Cooper III gives the welcome address.

Montgomery Bar Association President-Elect Keith B. McLennan was one of the speakers for "Planning Your Year as Bar President."

These CCBL members participate in one of the seminar's many well-attended and useful sessions.

(Left to Right) Robert Opel II, Luzerne County Bar Association president; Carolyn Seibert-Drager, Franklin County Bar Association executive director; and George (Ed) Wenger Jr., Franklin County Bar Association president, were among the county bar executives who attended the seminar.

Washington County's Robert D. Beck was the recipient of the Gilbert Nurick Award for his leadership in the PBA and in Washington County.

Robert D. Beck is Recipient of 2001 Gilbert Nurick Award

Washington County lawyer Robert Beck was honored for his long history of service and dedication to the Washington County and Pennsylvania bar associations with the 2001 Gilbert Nurick Award March 2 during the 35th annual seminar of the CCBL.

The award, which is named for the late Harrisburg lawyer who served as PBA president, is presented to a member of the PBA who exhibits dedication and service to the leadership and promotion of the organized bar and its activities. Although the award is not intended to be an annual accolade, it has been presented every year since it was given to Gilbert Nurick in 1991.

In nominating Beck for the award, the Washington County Bar Association (WCBA) said, "Bob Beck has not only held high office in many bar association activities and organizations, but he has used those leadership positions to initiate new activities and to improve on old ones." The nomination also mentioned Beck's "… great leadership skills and his contribution to the development of leadership in our profession."

Beck is a past president and secretary of the WCBA. He also is the founder and former chair of the association's Young Lawyers Section and is a founding trustee and past treasurer of the Washington County Bar Foundation. In 1998, the WCBA presented Beck with its highest award, the Distinguished Service Award.

In addition to his activities with the local bar association, Beck has been an active member of the Pennsylvania Bar Association. A past member of the PBA Board of Governors, Beck also has served in the PBA House of Delegates for the past 17 years. He is a past president of the Conference of County Bar Leaders and a past chair and treasurer of the PBA Young Lawyers Division.

A partner in the Washington law firm of Goldfarb, Posner, Beck, DeHaven & Drewitz, Beck is a graduate of Princeton University, Allegheny College and the University of Pittsburgh School of Law. ❐

Retired Chester County Bar Association Executive Director Peggy Halfpenny expresses her thanks for the Arthur J. Birdsall award.

Peggy Halfpenny Receives Arthur J. Birdsall Award

Retiring Chester County Bar Association Executive Director Margaret R. Halfpenny was honored for her commitment to the legal profession with the fourth annual Arthur J. Birdsall Award during the 35th annual seminar of the CCBL, March 2.

The award is presented to a county bar executive who demonstrates the highest traditions of professional excellence, is committed to the success of his or her bar association and has enhanced significantly the stature of his or her bar association.

Chester County Bar Association (CCBA) President Elizabeth Howard said in her nomination letter that Halfpenny's "commitment to the legal profession and her comprehensive awareness of the needs of a professional association have not only benefited the Chester County Bar Association, but have become benchmarks that have raised standards throughout Pennsylvania." Aletter from another member noted, "Halfpenny is diligent, conscientious, hard-working, and she was an effective and well-liked ambassador not only for the CCBA, but for all local associations, large and small."

In the nomination, the CCBAcommended Halfpenny for being at the forefront of identifying new programs and finding more cost-effective ways of doing business. From implementing the association's first computer system to maintaining an annual budget that guided and focused the association, Halfpenny has been instrumental in bringing the CCBA into the 21st century. Halfpenny also worked as a strong advocate for law-related education in classrooms. As such, she worked with members of the association to bring the Legal Education for Youth Program to Chester County schools.

Halfpenny, who served as executive director of the CCBA for the past 18 years, retired in 2000. She is a past president of the National Association of Bar Executives (NABE). She also was active on numerous Pennsylvania Bar Association and NABE committees. ❐

Allegheny

Foundation Makes Pro Bono Grants

The Allegheny County Bar Association's charitable arm, the Allegheny County Bar Foundation, recently awarded $20,000 to the following organizations for providing pro bono legal services to those who could not otherwise afford representation: Disabilities Law Project, NLSA/YWCA's Legal Resources for Women, Senior Action Coalition and the Pittsburgh AIDS Task Force.

Law School Scholarships Awarded

The Environmental Law Section of the Allegheny County Bar Association recently awarded two $500 scholarships to two county law students pursuing careers in environmental law.

New Web Site Takes Off

The Allegheny County Bar Association has launched their new Web site (www.acba.org). The new site is more interactive and allows for site searches by the members and the public.

Attorneys Wrap for Charity

Gifts donated by local attorneys were wrapped by members of the Young Lawyers Section of the Allegheny County Bar Association and distributed over the holidays to shelters for battered women and the homeless.

Beaver

Holiday Contributions Aid Children

Individual contributions from members and a matching grant from the Beaver County Bar Association made up a holiday donation of $8,550 that will be used to purchase portable feeding pumps for handicapped children at the McGuire Memorial Home.

Berks

Association Receives Grant for Immigration Work

The Berks County Bar Association and its partnering nonprofit agency, the Pennsylvania Immigration Resource Center, are the recipients of a $5,000 grant from the American Bar Association Immigration Pro Bono Development and Bar Activation Project. The award recognizes providers of legal services to immigrant and refugee children and will be used by PIRC to help raise awareness in the legal community about the detention of children in the county, to offer training sessions for lawyers representing children in detention and to develop pro bono representation projects.

Blair

Law Library and Librarian Profiled

Lucy Wolf, who oversees the Blair County Bar Association's lawyer referral service, was recently featured in a newspaper article on the county's new law library. Wolf is also the librarian for the county. The Blair County Bar Association provides many of the supplies for the library.

Justice and Law Award Presented

The Bucks County Bar Association has named the Rev. Alfred C. Krass, a long-time champion of equality and human rights, the recipient of the William Penn 1683 Award. The award, the most prestigious honor bestowed upon a non-lawyer by the association, promotes better understanding of the justice system and stimulates a deeper sense of individual responsibility for the rule of law.

Chester

Pro Bono Work Recognized

Phoenixville attorney Liz Howard and West Chester attorney Mark Tunnel have both recently been named Chester County Bar Association "Pro Bono Attorney of the Month." Howard was recognized for her work with the association's Volunteer Attorney program and her volunteer activities in the community. Tunnel's service includes Legal Aid of Chester County where he has handled cases for victims of abuse, and serving as a volunteer and on the board of directors for the United Way of Chester County.

Cumberland

Portrait Donated

A $3,000 painting of County President Judge George Hoffer was recently presented to county commissioners by the Cumberland County Bar Association. The association has a long tradition of donating portraits of county president judges.

Dauphin

Volunteer Program Reduces Case Backlog

Members of the Dauphin County Bar Association Family Law Section recently participated in a unique three-month volunteer program to hear new support cases at the county domestic relations office. The Family Law Attorneys Volunteer Program was an effort to address a six-month backlog in support conference scheduling at the domestic relations office caused by system changes and the unanticipated loss of two conference officers. The Volunteer Attorney Program substantially reduced delay in support conferences to an average of 11 weeks from the initial filing to the conference dated.

Annual Meeting Honors Several

At the annual meeting of the Dauphin County Bar Association, Jan. 24, Harold R. Prowell received the Lifetime Distinguished Service Award for serving over 55 years on the Bar Foundation Board of Directors. Jessie L. Smith received the Angelo Skarlatos Award from the Young Lawyers Section, presented to those who have given their time and attention specifically to young lawyers, and the Hon. Clarence C. Morrison Equal Professional Opportunity Award was presented to James H. Rowland Jr. and in

memoriam, to his father, the late James H. Rowland Sr. The Morrison Award was established one year ago to mark important contributions made to the cause of equal professional opportunities for minority lawyers.

Erie

Association Works with Children

The Erie County Bar Association's AKT (Attorneys and Kids Together) program is reaching out to area homeless children with new backpacks, a high school senior fund, a mentoring program, and through the creation of study rooms in area homeless shelters. The association is also participating in Project PEACE (Peaceful Endings Through Attorneys, Children & Educators) and has received a Martin Luther King Jr. grant from the Corporation from National Service for the program.

Real Estate Records Donated

The Erie County Bar Association has donated thousands of real estate title records to the Erie County Historical Society and Museum. The records, publicly available for the first time, will be useful to business owners, genealogists and community historians.

Association Publishes Two Titles

The Erie County Bar Association has published two new titles: *Memoirs of the Erie County, Pennsylvania, Bench and Bar, Volume II,* which features photos and biographies of Erie attorneys who died between 1928 and 1999, and *Helpful Internet Sites for Lawyers.*

Franklin

Speakers Bureau Available

The Disability Rights Committee of the Franklin County Bar Association has indicated their availability as community speakers on the Americans with Disabilities Act, criminal and family law, employment discrimination, contracts, Social Security disability, personal injury, unemployment compensation and workers' compensation.

Attorneys Ring Bells for Holidays

Members of the Franklin County Bar Association helped the local Salvation Army chapter over the holidays, volunteering as bell ringers, spreading cheer and collecting donations over the organization's famous red kettles. This was the fourth year that the bar association has helped, and given the well-publicized short supply of bell ringers this season, the attorneys felt their efforts were more important than ever.

Judges Play New Role in Admission Ceremonies

The most recent admission ceremony for attorneys at the Franklin County Courthouse was somewhat unusual. Normally the four county judges remain on the bench in historic Courtroom One and oversee the proceedings. This time, however, the judges were the actual sponsors of four of the five attorneys. All the judges' law clerks signed the registry and were admitted to practice before the Bar of Franklin County. Each judge stepped down from the bench, joined his or her clerk and recommended the attorney for admission to the bar — a first for the county.

Lackawanna

Holiday Breakfast Aids Kids

The Lawyers Auxiliary of the Lackawanna Bar Association held a holiday breakfast which netted $2,000 for clothing for children at Friendship House.

Pro Bono Award Made

Scranton attorney Susan Luckenbill has been awarded the 2001 Equal Access to Justice Award by the Lackawanna Bar Association and by Lackawanna Pro Bono Inc. The award recognizes service helping the underprivileged of the county obtain legal assistance.

Mock Trial Contest Hosted

The Lackawanna Bar Association hosted the 13th annual District III Northeastern Region Mock Trial Competitions in February and March, with Sacred Heart High School, Carbondale, claiming the championship.

Young Lawyers Host Activities

The Young Lawyers Division of the Lackawanna Bar Association was a sponsor of the March 24 Bowl for Kids' Sake event benefiting Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Lackawanna, Wayne and Susquehanna counties. The division also sponsored a March "Get to Know the YLD" reception for new attorneys to acquaint them with YLD programs and encourage involvement with local activities.

Montgomery

Elder Law Handbook Developed

Volunteer lawyers from the Montgomery Bar Association have designed the *Montgomery County Elderly Law Handbook* to assist the senior community with decisions about property, finances, health care, living arrangements and more.

Family Law Education Provided

Members of the Montgomery Bar Association Family Law Section recently presented a continuing legal education course about support, custody and equitable distribution agreements.

Community Groups Receive Grants

The Montgomery Bar Foundation, an arm of the Montgomery Bar Association, presented $1,000 grants to the Women's Center of Montgomery

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County, a volunteer organization committed to equality of the sexes and freedom from domestic violence and other forms of abuse; to Developmental Enterprises Corporation, a provider of programs and facilities for adults with mental retardation and physical handicaps; to The MBF Center, a provider of education and employment assistance to adults with disabilities; to People Caring & Sharing's Grant-A-Wish program which provided holiday gifts for needy families; and to Bethlehem Baptist Church and Wissahickon Faith Community Association to defray costs associated with televising the annual Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Service.

Northampton

Essay Entries Awarded

The Northampton County Bar Association, in association with the Naturalization Court, awarded five county students ranging from seventh-graders through 12th-graders with a $100 U.S. savings bonds for their entries in the essay contest titled "What Being an American Means to Me."

Association Recognizes Members

The 31st annual Reception for the Court , on March 9, honored attorney Norman A. Peil Jr. for his 50 years as a member of the bar, as well as Judge James C. Hogan who retired from the Northampton County Court of Common Pleas. A portrait of Judge Hogan was commissioned by the Northampton County Bar Association and unveiled at the reception.

Father and Son Fill President's Role

This year, Bethlehem attorneys Milton B. and Michael E. Riskin became the first parent and child to hold the position of president of the Northampton County Bar Association. Milton Riskin, now in his 90s, held the title in 1961, and his son assumed the office exactly 40 years later. Both father and son have practiced law together in the same office since 1965 when Michael graduated from law school. "We also have another distinction that is hard to beat," Michael Riskin said. "Not only are we father and son, but we both served as the president in different centuries."

Schuylkill

Community Service Recognized

The Schuylkill County Bar Association recently acknowledged county lawyers who donate time toward pro bono activities, rules committees, Women's Law Caucus holiday gift-giving, Law Day educational programs, high school mock trial competitions, county scholarships and fee disputes.

Washington

Association Recognizes Members

The Washington County Bar Association recently honored five members for 50 years of service: Gaylord W. Greenlee, Charles C. Keller, Michael E. Kusturiss, retired U.S. District Court Judge Paul A. Simmons and Davis G. Yohe. Paul N. Barna Jr. and Kenneth J. Yablonski received awards for 40 years of service.

Conservationist Honored

The Wayne County Bar Association, in association with the Dorflinger-Suydam Wildlife Sanctuary, recently presented nationally-noted conservationist Arthur Watres with the Judge James Rutherford Community Service Award.

Westmoreland

Code of Civility Highlighted

The Inns of Court, an organization within the Westmoreland County Bar Association, was featured in a recent newspaper article on the Pennsylvania Supreme Court's new Code of Civility. The article quoted Westmoreland County President Judge Charles H. Loughran and described the organization's mentoring program for young lawyers, which often touches on legal matters, civility and appearance.

Founding Fellows Honored

The Westmoreland Bar Foundation, an arm of the Westmoreland County Bar Association, recently recognized its Founding Fellows at a dinner/dance. Through individual contributions from Bar members, the Fellows Fund guarantees the future of mock trial scholarships, while allowing startup funding for the endowment fund which supports outreach projects including law-related education, community partnering projects and other philanthropic endeavors.

Wilkes-Barre

Attorneys Volunteer at Soup Kitchen

Volunteers from the Young Lawyers Division of the Wilkes-Barre Law and Library Association/Luzurne County Bar Association, along with their friends and families, served at the St. Vincent dePaul Soup Kitchen on March 3.

York

Pro Bono Service Awarded

Attorney Robert A. Krug and the law firm of Countess Gilbert Andrews are recipients of the York County Bar Association's 2000 Pro Bono awards. ❐

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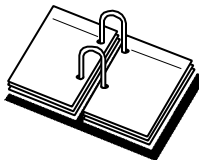

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Allentown

Internet for Pa Lawyers 2001, April 20, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Bar Association of Lehigh County, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Bar Association of Lehigh County, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Residential Real Estate Documents, June 7, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., Bar Association of Lehigh County, 4 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

Chambersburg

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Chambersburg Hospital Lecture Center, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Doylestown

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Delaware Valley College, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Erie

The Ultimate Trial Notebook, *live via satellite,* April 20, 2001, 11:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., The Conference Center, 4 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

Ethics Potpourri: The New Code of Civility, *live via videoconference,* April 25, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., Erie County Bar Association, 1 CLE credit (0 substantive, 1 ethics)

Ethics Potpourri: PBA Legal Ethics & Professional Responsibility Committee Update, *live via videoconference,* April 25, 2001, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Erie County Bar Association, 1 CLE credit (0 substantive, 1 ethics)

Ethics Potpourri: Ethical Issues for Bankruptcy Counsel, *live via video-conference,* April 25, 2001, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 a.m., Erie County Bar Association, 1 CLE credit (0 substantive, 1 ethics)

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., The Conference Center, 2171 W. 38th St. at Pittsburgh Ave, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Greensburg

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Westmoreland Intermediate Unit 7, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Hollidaysburg

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Appalachia Intermediate Unit 8, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Honesdale

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Penn State Cooperative Extension-Wayne County, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Indiana

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., ARIN Intermediate Unit 28, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Johnstown

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., University of Pittsburgh - Johnstown Campus, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

King of Prussia

The Real Estate Development Transaction: Undeveloped Property, May 25, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., Radisson Hotel Valley Forge, 4 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

Kingston

Ethics Potpourri: The New Code of Civility, *live via videoconference,* April 11, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., Luzerne County Intermediate Unit 18, 1 CLE credit (0 substantive, 1 ethics)

Ethics Potpourri: PBA Legal Ethics & Professional Responsibility Committee Update, *live via videoconference,* April 11, 2001, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Luzerne County Intermediate Unit 18, 1 CLE credit (0 substantive, 1 ethics)

Ethics Potpourri: Ethical Issues for Bankruptcy Counsel, *live via video-conference,* April 11, 2001, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 a.m., Luzerne County Intermediate Unit 18, 1 CLE credit (0 substantive, 1 ethics)

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Luzerne County Intermediate Unit 18, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Non-Medical Examinations in Civil Litigation, *live via videoconference,* June 29, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., Luzerne County Intermediate Unit 18, 6 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

Pennsylvania Bar Institute Courses, continued

Lancaster

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Hotel Brunswick, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Lewisburg

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Mansfield

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Mansfield University, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Media

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Penn State Delaware County Campus, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Montrose

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Penn State Susquehanna County, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

New Castle

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Penn State Cooperative Extension of Lawrence County, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Plymouth Meeting

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Plymouth Whitemarsh High School, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Reading

Get Organized, April 26, 2001, 9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Inn at Reading, 3 CLE credits (3 substantive, 0 ethics)

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Reading Area Community College, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Schnecksville

The Ultimate Trial Notebook, *live via satellite,* April 20, 2001, 11:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Carbon-Lehigh Intermediate Unit 21, 4 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

Schuylkill Haven

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Penn State University-Schuylkill Haven, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Scranton

Trial Practice & Advocacy in the Middle District, April 24, 2001, 9:00 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., William J. Nealon Federal Bldg. & Courthourse, 235 North Washington Ave., 4 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Scranton Children's Library, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Residential Real Estate Documents, May 24, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., Radisson Lackawanna Station Hotel, 4 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

State College

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Central PA Institute of Science & Technology, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Stroudsburg

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monroe County Bar Center, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Uniontown

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Penn State University Fayette Campus, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Waynesburg

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Waynesburg College, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

West Chester

The Ultimate Trial Notebook, *live via satellite,* April 20, 2001, 11:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Chester County Bar Association, 4 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Chester County Bar Association, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Residential Real Estate Documents, May 31, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., Holiday Inn West Chester, 4 CLE credits (4 substantive, 0 ethics)

West Decatur

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Central Intermediate Unit 10, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

Williamsport

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Pa. College of Technology, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

York

Representing an Individual Entering a Nursing Home, *live via satellite,* May 18, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Martin Library, 6 CLE credits (5 substantive, 1 ethics)

PBA Malpractice Avoidance Seminar Schedule

For more information, contact Art Birdsall, PBACounty Bar Services, at 800-932-0311, ext. 2218.

SNYDER
Wednesday, April 18 - 10:00 a.m.
Ted's Landing, Shamokin Dam
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

UNION
Wednesday, April 18 - 3:00 p.m.
Lewisburg Hotel, Lewisburg
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

CUMBERLAND
Tuesday, May 1 - 9:00 a.m.
Clarion Inn, Carlisle
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

PERRY
Tuesday, May 1 - 2:00 p.m.
Courthouse Center Square, New Bloomfield
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

CARBON
Tuesday, May 22 - 9:00 a.m.
Inn at Jim Thorpe, Jim Thorpe
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

MONROE
Tuesday, May 22 - 1:30 p.m.
MCBA Headquarters, Stroudsburg
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

LEHIGH
Wednesday, May 23 - 10:00 a.m.
BALC Headquarters, Allentown
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

COLUMBIA/MONTOUR
Thursday, May 24 - 9:00 a.m.
Magee's Main Street, Bloomsburg
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

LYCOMING
Thursday, May 24 - 3:00 p.m.
Genetti Hotel, Williamsport
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

FRANKLIN
Wednesday, May 30 - 9:00 a.m.
Lighthouse Restaurant, Chambersburg
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

ADAMS
Wednesday, May 30 - 1:30 p.m.
Best Western Gettysburg Hotel, Gettysburg
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

TIOGA
Tuesday, June 26 - 9:00 a.m.
Penn College, Wellsboro
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

BRADFORD
Tuesday, June 26 - 3:00 p.m.
Williamston Inn, Towanda
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

WYOMING
Wednesday, June 27 - 9:00 a.m.
Shadowbrook Inn, Tunkhannock
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

SUSQUEHANNA
Wednesday, June 27 - 3:00 p.m.
County Office Building, Montrose
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

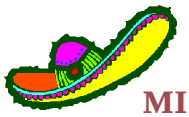
WAYNE
Thursday, June 28 - 9:00 a.m.
Wayne County Courthouse, Honesdale
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

PIKE
Thursday, June 28 - 3:00 p.m.
Best Western Inn at Hunts Landing, Matamoras
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

LUZERNE
Friday, June 29 - 9:00 a.m.
Genetti Hotel, Wilkes-Barre
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

LACKAWANNA
Friday, June 29 - 3:00 p.m.
Radisson Lackawanna Hotel, Scranton
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits

LEBANON
Thursday, August 2 - 9:00 a.m.
Quality Inn, Lebanon
You be the Judge, Tape 2
1.5 ethics credits



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January 22-27, 2002
Cancun, Mexico

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