



# Boone County Bar Association NEWSLETTER

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## 'State of the Court' Address Planned for October 14 Meeting

13th Circuit Presiding Judge **Christine Carpenter** will deliver the 'State of the Court' address at the next regular BCBA meeting at lunchtime on Wednesday, November 13. Judge Carpenter will speak about current and anticipated court programs, the 13th Circuit budget, civil and criminal caseloads, and other topics of interest to the 13th Circuit. The program has been approved for 1.2 hours CLE credit.

Lunch will begin at 11:30 a.m. in the County Room at Bleu, 811 E. Walnut. The presentation will begin about noon. A brief business meeting will precede the program. Lunch will be \$10, with checks made out to Bleu.

**RSVP:** To reserve your spot for this meeting, contact BCBA Secretary **Jennifer Riedy** at 882-0940 or [riedyj@missouri.edu](mailto:riedyj@missouri.edu) by **Noon**, Tuesday, October 13. RSVP's are especially important for this meeting because members of the Callaway County Bar are specifically invited to join BCBA to hear Judge Carpenter's address, and management at Bleu want to prepare sufficient food and seating.

## Annual Chipping in for Charity Golf Tournament set for October 12th

The 9th annual Chipping in for Charity golf tournament is scheduled for Monday, October, 12, 2015 (Columbus Day - a court holiday). This year's tournament will be held at Columbia Country Club, 2210 Country Club Drive. Net proceeds from the tournament will be donated to Mid-Missouri Legal Services Corporation.

The tournament is a four-person scramble format, open to both lawyers and non-lawyers. The entry fee is \$125/person and \$500/team, which includes green fees, range privileges, cart, lunch, beverages (beer, soda, water), etc. Prizes will be awarded to winning teams and for various on-course games and contests. There will also be hole-in-one prizes. The registration deadline for the tournament is Monday, September 28th. To make the tournament a success and raise as much money as possible, sponsorships and prize donations for the tournament are needed. Please contact **Sander Sowers** at 875-1991 or [sowers@learwerts.com](mailto:sowers@learwerts.com) to sign up, donate, participate, and arrange sponsorships. The golf tournament has raised more than \$68,000.00 for charity since its inception thanks to the many donors, participants, and sponsors.

## YLC Invites Everyone to Ronald McDonald House Bingo Fundraisers

The Ronald McDonald House has upcoming fundraisers in partnership with Logboat Brewing Co. which you all might be interested in, details are as follows:

**LOGBOAT CHARITY BINGO:** At the Logboat Brewing Co. every Wednesday in October from 7-9pm for BINGO! BINGO cards are \$5 each and 100% of the proceeds will support Ronald McDonald House Charities of Mid-Missouri! Prizes will be provided by Logboat and RMHC – and include gear, gift cards, and more! Check the Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/events/1130622753633495/>) for more information and to share with friends!

## Attorney/Judges Needed October 29-30 for AGO Cup

The Attorney General's Office is pleased to announce the schedule for the 2015 AG Cup Mock Trial Competition:

Round 1	Thursday, October 29, 2015	9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Round 2	Thursday, October 29, 2015	2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Round 3	Friday, October 30, 2015	8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Round 4	Friday, October 30, 2015	1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

As you may recall, Missouri's four law schools send their best and brightest to this competition to compete for the honor of the AG Cup traveling trophy. We are fortunate to have the use of the courtrooms in the Christopher S. Bond U.S. Courthouse again this year. It would be an honor for us, and the competitors, to have you join us there and serve as a judge if your calendar permits. Please contact [Laura.Elsbury@ago.mo.gov](mailto:Laura.Elsbury@ago.mo.gov) if you would like to judge one or more rounds of the competition or if you would like more information.

## **Veterans Law Symposium Offered on Veteran's Day, November 11**

The Mizzou Law Veteran's Clinic would like to extend an invitation to the Boone County Bar Association to its annual symposium scheduled for Veteran's Day on November 11th, 2015. The title of the symposium is "Traumatic Brain Injury: Lessons Learned From Our Nation's Athletes and Military". A link to the 'Save the Date' card with more information about the event can be found at [http://bocomobar.org/other\\_news.htm](http://bocomobar.org/other_news.htm).

The symposium in its entirety is approved for 7.2 CLE hours, so it's a great opportunity for practitioners to learn about veteran's appeals involving Traumatic Brain Injury and the parallels between TBI in the NFL and the military.

The full brochure with registration information will be available mid-October. If you have any questions or concerns about the event, or need more information, you may contact Sophie B. Mashburn, J.D. Candidate 2016, via e-mail [atsbm8c8@mail.missouri.edu](mailto:atsbm8c8@mail.missouri.edu) or by phone at (573) 808-2969.

## **13th Circuit Awarding GAL Contract for Boone County**

The 13th Circuit is awarding an additional Guardian ad Litem contract for the 2016-2017 contract year. All contract attorneys must meet the qualifications of the 13th Circuit, the Missouri Supreme Court and the state statutes for serving as a Guardian ad Litem. Attorneys interested in the GAL contract in Boone County must turn in an interest form to the Court Administrator's Office no later than 5:00 pm Friday, October 30. If you have questions or would like an interest form, please call or e-mail Deputy Court Administrator Cindy Garrett at 573-886-4059, or [Cindy.L.Garrett@courts.mo.gov](mailto:Cindy.L.Garrett@courts.mo.gov). A copy of the Interest Form can be found at [http://bocomobar.org/other\\_news.htm](http://bocomobar.org/other_news.htm).

## **New Waiver of Preliminary Hearing Form on the 13<sup>th</sup> Circuit's Website**

The Court en Banc approved a new waiver of preliminary hearing form at the meeting on September 23. The form is posted on the court's website ([http://www.courts.mo.gov/hosted/circuit13/forms/CRIMINAL\\_WaiverOfPreliminaryHearing.pdf](http://www.courts.mo.gov/hosted/circuit13/forms/CRIMINAL_WaiverOfPreliminaryHearing.pdf)). At the bottom of the form, there is an "Instructions to Filer" requesting that the attorney designate the defendant's location if in custody and whether the circuit court arraignment should be set on a court docket, on a video docket or if a circuit court arraignment waiver/plea of not guilty form will be filed.

Also, a reminder about the circuit court arraignment waiver/plea of not guilty form. If your client intends to plead not guilty at arraignment and there are no other pending matters to be taken up at arraignment, it saves time for everyone if the form is used. The forms are available in the courtrooms and can be filed in court with the associate circuit judge after a preliminary hearing or waiver of preliminary hearing.

## **Guardian ad Litem Training on Veteran's Day, November 11**

The 13th Circuit will host its annual 3 hour GAL training on Veterans Day - Wednesday, November 11 - at the Boone County Courthouse. Details to follow, or contact Cindy Garrett with questions at: [cindy.l.garrett@courts.mo.gov](mailto:cindy.l.garrett@courts.mo.gov).

## **Around the bar . . .**

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Wednesday, October 21, 5 p.m.:** Young Lawyers Committee happy hour: The Young Lawyers Committee will meet for happy hour at Broadway Brewery, 816 East Broadway. Please contact **Sander Sowers** at 875-1991 or [sowers@learwerts.com](mailto:sowers@learwerts.com) for more information.

**Saturday, September 19:** The University of Missouri Law School welcomes alumni and friends to register for our tailgate, which will be held on September 19th before the Mizzou - UConn football game. The game starts at 11:00 a.m. Registration is requested by September 11th. Here is the link: <http://law.missouri.edu/alumni/tailgate/>.

## TRANSITIONS

**Joy Rushing** has updated her contact information to P.O. Box 61, Columbia, MO 65205, phone 573-999-5062, email [jrushing7@socket.net](mailto:jrushing7@socket.net).

**Elizabeth Magee** and **Noel Magee** have moved, effective September 28. Their new office location is 1310 Old Hwy 63 South, Ste. 201, Columbia, MO 65201-4438. Liz's phone number remains 256-2600, and Noel's phone number remains 442-3328. Liz's email remains [emageelaw@aol.com](mailto:emageelaw@aol.com) and Noel's email remains [magee@mageelawoffice.com](mailto:magee@mageelawoffice.com). Their fax remains 875-4754.

**Veronica Manahan** has a new email and a website added to her directory listing. Her website is [www.manahanlawfirm.com](http://www.manahanlawfirm.com), and her email is [veronica@manahanlawfirm.com](mailto:veronica@manahanlawfirm.com). The rest of her contact information remains Manahan Law Firm, LLC, 804 Locust Street, Columbia, MO 65201, phone 355-0321.

## NEW MEMBERS

Please note, when applying for membership for the BCBA, please complete the BCBA Enrollment form and forward it to BCBA webmaster/Newsletter editor **Thad Taylor** if you would like to be listed in the Membership Directory and to receive occasional announcements through the secure listserv.

**J. Bryan Allee**, Vice President and Relationship Manager, Central Trust Company – Columbia Office, 720 E. Broadway, Columbia, MO 65201, Phone 573-874-8533, Fax 573-817-8754, email [bryan.allee@centraltrust.net](mailto:bryan.allee@centraltrust.net), website [www.centraltrust.net](http://www.centraltrust.net). Bryan has his Juris Doctorate from the University of Missouri – Kansas City School of Law, and his Bachelor of Arts from William Jewell College. He has been a member of the Missouri Bar since 1989. Bryan has more than 20 years of experience in the financial services industry. Prior to joining Central Trust Company, Bryan held positions at Valley View Bank/Valley View Trust Company, and Midwest Trust Company. His primary role at Central Trust Company is to administer personal trusts, estates, investment management relationships and individual retirement accounts. In his free time, Bryan enjoys spending time with his wife, Renee, and his two children and two grandchildren.

**Chris R. Miller**, State of Missouri Family Support Division, 615 Howerton Court, Jefferson City, MO 65109, phone 573-529-0195, email [chris.miller@dss.mo.gov](mailto:chris.miller@dss.mo.gov).

**James Edward Impey**, Department of Social Service, State of Missouri, Human Resources Chief Legal Counsel, 4660 Southhampton Court, Columbia, MO 65203, phone 573-424-2789, email [James.Impey@dss.mo.gov](mailto:James.Impey@dss.mo.gov).

## OTHER NEWS

Judge Carpenter WILL have a Criminal Law Day Docket on Wednesday, October 14, 2015:

1:30 p.m.: PM Criminal in Custody Cases, All PD cases

3:00 p.m.: PM Criminal Not in Custody w/ Private Attorney Arraignments.

If you have any questions, please call Susan Tatters, Secretary to the Presiding Judge, at 886-4057, or email her at [susan.tatters@courts.mo.gov](mailto:susan.tatters@courts.mo.gov).

The 13<sup>th</sup> Circuit's Probate Division has updated its Fees and Costs Schedule effective September 23, 2015. A link to the updated list can be found at [http://bocomobar.org/fees\\_costs.htm](http://bocomobar.org/fees_costs.htm).

The Boone County Circuit Clerk's Office will be closing October 20 at 4:00 for some in-house training.

The Boone County Associate Court's current list of conflicts to the regular docket schedule has been updated effective September 30, 2015. The Boone County Circuit Court's list of conflicts to the regular docket schedule has been updated effective July 30, 2015. The updated lists can be found on the website at <http://www.bocomobar.org/docket.htm>.

About 120 members and guests attended the 2015 Annual Jim Butcher Memorial BCBA picnic on September 11.

## SEPTEMBER 2015 TREASURER'S REPORT BY JASON SIMMONS

Account balance as of August 30, 2015	<b>\$8,175.75</b>
<b>Receipts 8/30/15 to 9/30/15</b>	
8/31 Interest	\$0.08
9/30 2015 Membership Dues	\$62.50
9/30 Interest	\$0.06
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>\$62.64</b>
<b>Expenses 8/30/15 to 9/30/15</b>	
9/11 Red Weir- Plaques	(\$194.00)
9/12 Buckingham's – Picnic Expense	(\$225.00)
9/15 <b>Gretchen Yancey</b> – Picnic Expense Reimbursement	(\$138.53)
9/15 Hy Vee – Picnic Expense	(\$538.69)
9/15 <b>Christina Devine</b> – Picnic Expense Reimbursement	(\$162.81)
9/15 <b>Lisa Key</b> – Picnic Expense Reimbursement	(\$116.45)
9/30 <b>Mark Langworthy</b> – Picnic Expense Reimbursement	(\$10.00)
9/30 MU Meat Sales – Picnic Expense	(\$821.15)
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>(\$2,206.63)</b>
<b>Account Balance as of September 30, 2015</b>	<b>\$6,031.76</b>

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