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NEWS

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LCBA Luncheon

This month's LCBA Luncheon on **February 10, 2022 at 12:00 noon** will be our remote presentation of the 2021 Lane County Bar Association Awards to our recipients, **Hon. Lauren S. Holland** (*Distinguished Service*); **Lara C. Johnson** (*Andrew Clements Pro Bono Award*); and **Stephen Behrends** (*Joseph M. Kosydar Award for Professionalism*). Please join us for our luncheon to congratulate our 2021 recipients for their laudable accomplishments. Registration is required and Zoom links will be sent out upon registration.



Derrick Bell Lecture

DERRICK BELL LECTURE

Wednesday, February 9, 2022

5:30 pm

110 Knight Law Center & streaming

Guest lecture by author & producer A'Leia Bundles.

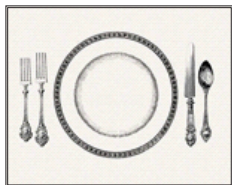
More information at law.uoregon.edu/life-law/diversity/engagement



Announcement

OREGON LAW STUDENTS PUBLIC INTEREST FUND
ANNUAL EVENT & AUCTION

*Celebrating 30 years of
supporting our future public
service leaders*



Friday, February 11, 2022

5:00 p.m. to ?

Ford Alumni Center



Registration opened on **January 3**
and attendance will be limited

Online Silent Auction, **February 11-17**
Registration link & information at:
charityauction.bid/OLSPIF2022

COVID-19 Operations Plan

As a reminder, the Lane County Court COVID-19 Operations Plan is being updated regularly as proceedings are being added back in and/or changes are made to how proceedings are being managed. A link to the Operations Plan can be accessed on the homepage of the Lane County Circuit Court website, or at: https://www.courts.oregon.gov/Documents/CJO_2021-025.pdf

Announcement

Sally R. Claycomb has become a partner with Hershner Hunter, LLP. She has practiced law since 2014 and has been with the firm since 2017, specializing in estate planning, business formation and succession planning, and probate and trust administration. Sally approaches client questions with compassion and skill, ensuring clients are confident with their outcomes.



NALS Educational Meeting

NALS of Lane County will hold its next educational meeting on **February 15, 2022, from 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.** by ZOOM. Our guest speaker will be **C&C Court Reporting**. The presentation will be *How we can help your office*. Please send your RSVP to **Sharon Stribling**, Director of Education, via email at sharonstrib@comcast.net.

The class is free and worth one (1) CLE credit for those who are accumulating credits or need proof of attendance. When you RSVP, please let me know if you'll need a certificate.

Probate & Estate Free CLE

The next Probate & Estate CLE of the 2021-2022 season will be held on **Tuesday, February 8, 2022 from 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.** The scheduled topic will be *New Advance Directive 2021 and Beyond/POLST/DNR & Advising Clients* presented by Estate Planning Attorneys **Judith Moman & Lynda Zukatis**.

This will be a ZOOM Meeting - please contact **Joel Smith**, Chair for invitation: joel@schultz-law.com

From the LCBA President's Inbox

Dear Bar President:

Practicing law can be challenging, and the past two years have presented additional challenges for legal communities everywhere. We want to take this opportunity to let you know that PLF staff is available to help enrich and support your local bar.

Practice Management Assistance Program (PMAP)

Our three practice management attorneys (PMAs) assist lawyers and law office staff around the state in all aspects of law practice management and malpractice prevention. They are available for free and confidential assistance by phone, email, or videoconference. We encourage you to [read more about the PMAs](#) and reach out to them to connect! You can call **503.639.6911** and ask to speak with a practice management attorney.

Customized Presentations, Virtual CLEs, & Upcoming Program

The PMAs are also available to present live webinars through Zoom on topics tailored to your local bar members' interests. To request a presentation, please contact **Hong Dao**, Director of the Practice Management Assistance Program, at hongd@osbplf.org or **503.726.1467**. In addition, all of our CLEs are now presented virtually, so your members can easily access and watch these [educational programs](#) at their convenience. Our next webinar is scheduled for **February 23, 2022**, when the PLF and the OAAP will team up to present on the importance of productivity and how to grow skills to manage your time. [Click here](#) for more information about this free program and details on how to register.

Other Resources for Law Practice

Besides our CLEs and educational programs, the PLF offers a number of different resources to assist Oregon lawyers, including forms, toolkits, blog posts, newsletters, and books from the PLF. We invite you to browse or search our robust online library of [CLEs & Resources](#). If you have questions about our resources or need assistance, please call us at **503.639.6911** and let us know how we can help.

Wishing you a happy and healthy 2022!



Announcement

SEEKING FAMILY/ JUVENILE LAW CLE IDEAS

Kasia Mlynski was recently appointed the new chair of the LCBA Family and Juvenile Law Section. The section has been on COVID hiatus but is looking to restart programming. Please submit any CLE ideas to: kmlynski@oregonlawcenter.org

Announcement

PRO BONO OPPORTUNITY WITH RE-ENTRY NONPROFIT SPONSORS

Efforts are underway to restart a monthly legal clinic for previously incarcerated individuals. We have a couple volunteer attorneys, but we would like to build a small team that can rotate into this role every few months. Oregon Law students assist with intake. Many of the individuals who use the clinic have civil law questions. Email Jennifer Geller, jgeller@uoregon.edu, if you are interested or would like more information.

Probate & Estate CLE Schedule

LANE COUNTY PROBATE & ESTATE 2021-2022 CLEs (2nd Tuesday of Month) @ NOON (Subject to change)

DATE	TOPIC / SPEAKER
March 8, 2022	<i>Part I - Probate - Administering Decedent's Estates</i> <i>Nuts & Bolts When, Why and Beginning</i> [TO BE DETERMINED - PANEL]
April 12, 2022	<i>Part II - Probate - Administering Decedent's Estates</i> <i>Follow through, Problems, & End Game</i> [TO BE DETERMINED - PANEL]
May 10, 2022	<i>Amendment, Restatement, & Revocation of Trusts</i> [TO BE DETERMINED]
June 14, 2022	<i>Business Interests in Estate Planning</i> [TO BE DETERMINED]

Attorney Positions

DISTINGUISHED BUSINESS LAW FIRM is seeking an attorney to join our business litigation team. Gleaves Swearingen is a trusted full-service business law firm in Eugene and has served the legal needs of prominent businesses, individuals, and institutions throughout the Pacific Northwest for almost 100 years. Our firm takes great pride in providing clients with high quality legal guidance and our people with a rewarding work/life balance. Candidates must have strong academic credentials and meaningful professional experience is preferred. Please send your cover letter and resume to Joshua Smith at jsmith@gleaveslaw.com. All inquiries will remain confidential.



GLEAVES SWEARINGEN LLP is seeking an attorney to join our Trusts and Estates team. Gleaves Swearingen is a trusted full-service business law firm in Eugene and has served the legal needs of prominent businesses, individuals, and institutions throughout the Pacific Northwest for almost 100 years. Our firm takes great pride in providing clients with high quality legal guidance and our people with a rewarding work/life balance. Candidates should have meaningful experience with trusts and estates, experience with probate and trust administration is preferred. Please send your cover letter and resume to **Joshua Smith** at jsmith@gleaveslaw.com. All inquiries will remain confidential.



Associate Attorney Position

Associate Attorney position available at the **Center for NonProfit Law**, a small but busy law firm that works exclusively with nonprofit organizations with a focus on helping progressive and humanitarian organizations. We help our nonprofit clients make a more just, compassionate, and sustainable world for everyone. We value kindness, teamwork, and collaboration, and we are a family friendly office that can accommodate flexible work schedules. We seek an attorney with 2 to 3 years of practical legal experience in Oregon in employment law, contract law, and intellectual property law. Prior experience in nonprofit law is a plus but not required. Excellent writing skills, legal research skills, ability to manage multiple projects at once, and the ability to work collaboratively as part of a mission-oriented team are all essential. Beginning baseline salary range starts around \$65,000 a year, with more DOE. Please send your resume and cover letter by email to: billing@centerforprofitlaw.com.

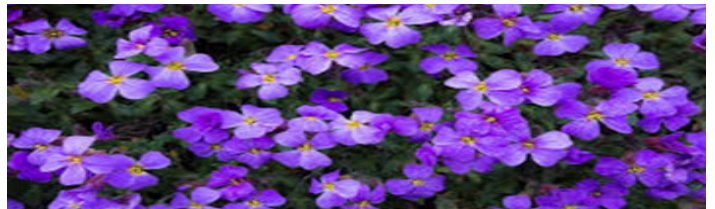
Legal Assistant Positions

BUSINESS/CORPORATE TRANSACTIONAL LEGAL ASSISTANT

The law firm of **Gleaves Swearingen LLP** seeks a business transactional legal assistant. The day-to-day job duties include drafting, proofreading, and editing documents, as well as assisting in the facilitation of business and real estate transactions and closings. Requirements include (1) strong communication skills, (2) being highly organized, detail oriented, and a self-starter, (3) proficiency in Microsoft Office, and (4) ability to work collaboratively with both attorneys and staff. Please send your cover letter and resume to **Candace Chadwick** at chadwick@gleaveslaw.com.



Immigration Law office of **Hecht and Norman LLP** in Eugene seeks a bi-lingual (Spanish) legal assistant to work on immigration law cases. No prior experience necessary (we will train you). Bachelor's degree or higher. Competitive salary and benefits. Please contact **Kenna** at Kenna@immigrationoregon.com for more information.



Bar News Deadline



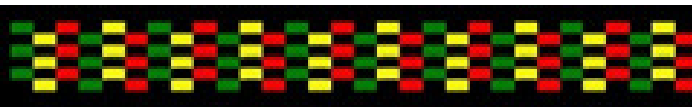
Please help us get the Bar News to you in a timely manner. While all submissions are welcomed, remember the **deadline is the 20th of each month**. We try to accommodate the inclusion of all submissions, but cannot guarantee that any submissions received after this deadline will be included in the next issue. Submissions that do not make one issue of the newsletter will, of course, be included in the subsequent issue. We try to release the newsletter as close to the first of the month as possible; however, sometimes things happen to prevent that. Please keep that in mind when submitting information for an event that takes place during the first week of the month. The preparation of this newsletter is a labor of love, but it does take some time and effort. Your support of this process is greatly appreciated. Thank you.



Office Spaces Available



Three offices available in friendly, professional COVID-safe environment in downtown Eugene (142 W. 8th Ave.); ample parking, short walk to all municipal, state & federal courthouses, jail, city/county offices, & downtown businesses, amenities. Rent includes full reception services (subject to COVID limitations, restrictions), twice weekly janitorial service and use of three conference rooms, kitchen-break room, and two work rooms equipped with photocopiers, fax, postage meter, shredder and related amenities. Optional high-speed internet and monthly parking passes available. Rents are \$525, \$675 or \$900/month, depending on size, with optional assistant work stations at \$175/mo. For more information or viewing, please contact **Alan Seligson** at (541) 338-8500, aseligson@scslaw.org or text (541) 521-6009.



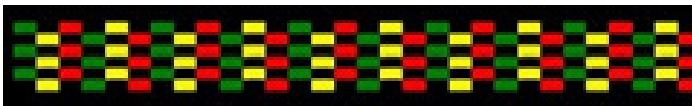
Temporary Law Office

Now Available in Eugene

*The Ultimate Law Firm Experience
When You Need It!*

TemporaryLawOffice.com

One office in beautiful downtown building on 8th and High, right across from Whole Foods. \$600 per month. Shared kitchen, bathroom and common areas. Free internet. Contact **Raquel** at raquel@immigrationoregon.com.



Office Space Available

2 PRIME PROFESSIONAL OFFICES STILL AVAILABLE

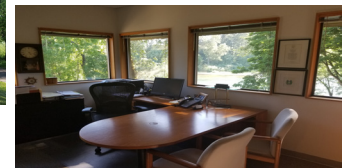
Office sharing on the Willamette River at the Northbank Office Complex 66 Club Road, Eugene, Oregon. Ideal for attorneys, accountants, and other professionals.

Two (2) beautiful river-view offices (one 10' x 15' @ \$1,050/mo. and one 10' x 10' @ \$730/mo. Also, one (1) non-river staff or smaller professional office (about 10' X 10' - \$550/mo). Available January 2022.

All offices share common reception area/waiting room, conference room, lunchroom with appliances, restrooms, and free parking. Part time reception and notary available. Showers and locker facilities available through building manger.

- * Copy, scan, print and fax machine. High-speed business internet; phone lines available; postage metering.
- * Close proximity to courts, downtown Eugene, Oakway & Valley River shopping center and restaurants, and University of Oregon.

Postage, copies, faxes charges based on monthly usage. A phone line available at cost through Comcast. Call 541-485-0777 or email John @ john@northbanklaw.com to view or for more information.

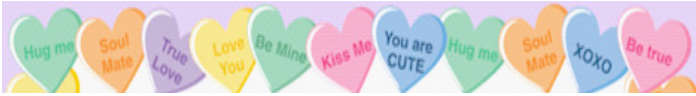


Office space for rent with great sign visibility at 735 W. 7th Ave. Two spaces for rent which could include separate entrances. Common areas include conference room, kitchen, and bathrooms. Parking onsite so that client's do not need to pay for parking. Reception available at no extra cost. Utilities included excluding phone line. Contact Willamette NW Law Firm for more details.

Services Offered

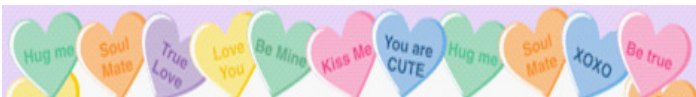
BOOKKEEPING SERVICES

Paralegal with 10 years of experience specializing in small practice bookkeeping and payroll. Contact Marisela Taylor, 541-942-0000, or mari@paintedmountaindesign.com



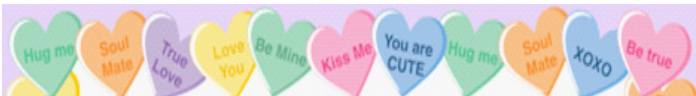
CONTRACT PARALEGAL SERVICE S&T SUPPORT, LLC

Seasoned Paralegals available on an as-needed basis. Backgrounds in estate planning, probate/trust administration, business law, and litigation. Will work remotely or on-site serving Salem, Portland and Eugene. Visit <https://www.stsupportllc.com/> for services and staff. Call (503) 967-6023 or email tammy@stsupportllc.com to discuss your paralegal needs.



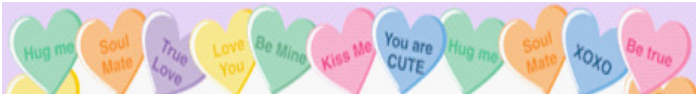
INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES

Criminal and civil investigations, background checks, witness interviews, process service, reasonable rates. **Stacy D. Stumbo Private Investigations** (PI-ID No. 63668) Call (541) 514-5179 or email [sdspi@yahoo.com](mailto:sdsp@yaho.com) for details.

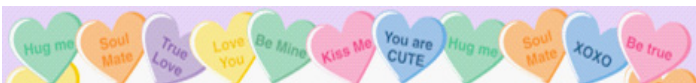


MEDIATION SERVICES

Retired senior judge **Jack Billings** is available for mediation and arbitration services. Judge Billings has settled literally hundreds of domestic relations, tort, real estate, construction defect, contract and other disputes during his more than 45 years of bar service. He can generally arrange a mediation within a few weeks. For information on fees and availability contact him at: srjudgejab@yahoo.com, 541-510-6239.




Law for the People is a new nonprofit legal services organization offering assistance to low-income clients with family law cases in Lane County. Rather than providing traditional comprehensive legal services, our focus is on empowering our clients by helping them represent themselves. Our goal is to keep legal costs to a minimum by charging a low hourly rate without the necessity of a retainer and relying upon our clients to perform their own legwork. For more information, contact **Michael L. Quillin** at (541)632-6453 or mlquillin@lawforthepeople.org, or visit our website at <https://www.lawforthepeople.org>.



Upcoming Events

Check the LCBA or Lane County Circuit Court websites for further developments during this time of COVID-19

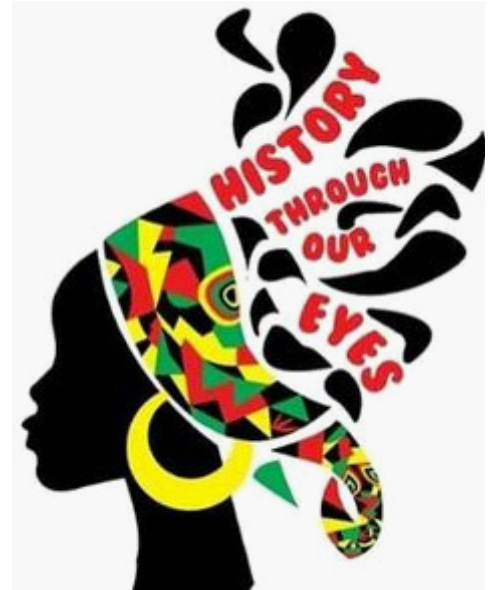
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Virtual
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m. |
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A'Leia Bundles
110 Knight Law Center and Streaming
5:30 p.m. - ? |
| February 10 | LCBA Luncheon
Presentation of 2021 Lane County Bar
Association Awards
Virtual
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. |
| February 11 | OLSPIF Annual Event & Auction
Ford Alumni Center
5:00 p.m. - ? |
| February 15 | NALS Educational Meeting
C&C Court Reporting
<i>How We Can Help Your Office</i>
Zoom
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. |
| February 21 | Holiday - Court Closed  |
| March 8 | Probate & Estates CLE
<i>Part I - Probate -
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 Nuts & Bolts When, Why and Beginning</i>
Panel to be Determined
Virtual
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. |



Lane County Bar Association
 c/o Secretary
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World Social Justice Day
 February 20



February is Black History Month

Freelance Legal Secretaries/Assistants:

Kelly Lee (541) 515-2962

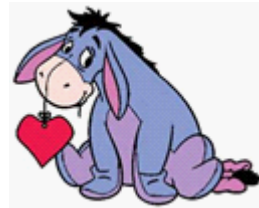


Groundhog Day
 February 2

encourage someone thank the custodian
 start a kindness campaign hold a foodbank drive be more positive
 take time to really listen to a friend hold the door open-speak kindly
 post inspiring quotes around the school write a thankyou note
 write a positive note on a sticky and post it be grateful
 surprise another class with a treat volunteer do something kind for the environment
 bake cookies for someone write a letter do a chore without being asked thank a parent
 befriend someone new smile at someone new pick up litter
 call a grandparent forgive someone
 start a kindness club
 hold a fundraiser

Random Acts of Kindness

Random Acts of Kindness Day
 February 17



President's Day
 Monday February 21

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Next Submission Deadline: **Monday Feb. 21, 2022**

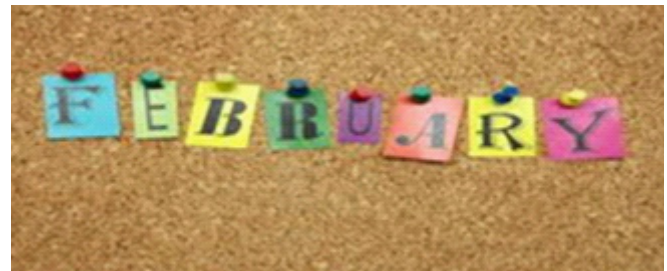
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