

WELCOME JUDGE VELURE

Join the Lane County Circuit Court at the investiture of its newest member, the **Honorable Debra E. Velure**, on **September 14, 2018**, at **4:00 p.m.**, Harris Hall. Reception to follow at the Valley River Inn.



FROM THE BOARD

For those of you who were not able to attend the most recent monthly lunch meeting, we have a new Board and a number of changes that we intend to implement this year. One of those is to make better use of our monthly newsletter. For those of you who attended the annual Spring Bash and awards ceremony, you probably recall that we recognized Laura Gibson for all of her work over the years assembling the monthly newsletter. The recognition was long overdue. Some of you may have noticed that over the past few years Laura has been forced to push the limits of clip art technology in order to fill space.

We hope to make Laura's job (which she and Thorp Purdy take on voluntarily-thank you) easier by including interesting information from around the bar. Specifically, we are encouraging the submission of articles, reports from around the bar, letters to the editor, profiles of colleagues, etc... So, while you are sitting around recounting what a fabulous time you had at the LCBA Em's Game, or reflecting on the remarkable line of work we are in, write those thoughts down and share them with us. We have an exceptional bar, with the smartest, most civil, and best looking lawyers in Oregon, and we would like to put that on display more prominently in the monthly newsletter.

If you have any submissions that may be of interest to bar members, please submit them to **Amanda Husted** at husted@accessthebar.org. Thanks and we hope everyone is having a great summer.



NALS OF LANE COUNTY

NALS of Lane County will hold its next educational CLE meeting on **Tuesday, September 18, 2018**, from 12 noon to 1:00 p.m. at the law offices of **Hershner Hunter**, 180 East 11th Avenue, Eugene. Our guest speaker will be **Mr. Joseph Silence, Title Department Manager**, of **Evergreen Land Title Company** of Eugene, who will discuss title insurance and a little bit on escrow. Please send your RSVP to Charlene Sabini, PP, CLP, ALP, Director of Education, via email at besirius@pacinfo.com. *Parking is free at the back of the building off Pearl Street.*

LCBA LUNCHEON

Please join the LCBA for our September luncheon with speaker **Ethan Knight**. Mr. Knight is an Assistant United States Attorney in Portland, where he coordinates the office's national security and anti-terrorism practice. The discussion will focus on several high-profile cases handled by Mr. Knight in Oregon, including *U.S. v. Mohamed Mohamud* and *U.S. v. Ammon Bundy, et al.* The lunch will be held on **Thursday, September 13, 2018 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.** The Lunch will be held at the **Downtown Athletic Club, at 999 Willamette St. in Eugene**. The cost is \$16 for advance online registrations (payable at <https://lanecountybar.org/events/> until midnight on September 10th) or \$20 for day-of registrations (payable by cash or check at the door). If you intend to pay \$20 at the door, please RSVP by email to **Erik Bonn** or **Kristen Brouhard**, the Program Co-Chairs, at bonn@gleaveslaw.com or Kristen@adastralegalservices.com. LCBA will apply for one general CLE credit.



HOW TO WIN A CASE FROM A JUDGE'S PERSPECTIVE

Please join **Jim Wagstaffe**,* nationally acclaimed author, speaker and authority on everything Federal Civil Procedure, as he engages a panel of highly respected federal judges and litigators on issues important to winning your case. Members of the panel include **Judge Michael McShane** and **Judge Jolie Russo**. **This 1.5 hour CLE and lunch are FREE!**

When: September 27, 2018 from noon to 2:00 p.m.

Where: Eugene Federal Courthouse, Jury Assembly Room

Please RSVP at eugenefba@gmail.com so we know how much lunch to prepare. If you forget to RSVP, come anyway!

This CLE is sponsored by The Wagstaffe Group, the Oregon chapter of the FBA, and Harrang Long Gary Rudnick. This CLE series is provided through the combined efforts of Lane County Circuit Court, Oregon Federal District Court, Oregon Chapter of the Federal Bar Association, UO School of Law, LCBA and its Federal Court and Debtor/Creditor committees, and Lane County Women Lawyers.

* <http://www.thewagstaffegroup.com>



Announcements

2018 CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR DISTRICT OF OREGON CIVIL LOCAL RULES COMMITTEE

The U.S. District Court for the District of Oregon seeks nominations for its **Civil Local Rules Committee**. The Committee's mission is to ensure conformity between the District's Local Rules and the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The Committee convenes only as needed to recommend amendments to the Local Rules in light of changes to the Federal Rules. The Committee meets in Portland and Eugene. Committee members serve for two- or four-year terms. Those selected in 2018 will start their terms January 1, 2019. Individuals nominated must be lawyers admitted to practice in the District of Oregon who regularly practice in federal court. The Court seeks a Committee that constitutes a fair cross-section of practitioners in the District and will consider diversity of all kinds, including practice area and geography, when selecting members.

To nominate yourself or someone else, please send one or two paragraphs describing the nominee's qualifications and whether the nomination is for a two- or four-year term. Strong nominations will describe how the nominee meets the qualifications described above and also describe the nominee's success in other committee work. **Nominations are due on or before September 21, 2018.** Please send nominations to Gosia_Fonberg@ord.uscourts.gov.



FREE 1 HOUR PROBATE CLE

The September Lane County Probate Committee CLE will be held on **Tuesday, September 11, 2018, from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Courtroom 302.** At this time, the **Honorable Lauren Holland** will present *A View from the Bench - 2018*.



O'CONNELL CONFERENCE & CLE

Rajneeshpuram: Legal Legacy & Lessons

Friday, September 7th

12:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m., Knight Law Center

\$25 includes CLE, Lunch, & Reception

3.75 Credits Pending

More Information & Registration:

<https://law.uoregon.edu/event/oconnell-conference>



Oregon Law Alumni Weekend

Thursday – Saturday, September 6th - 7th

O'Connell Conference and CLE,

Oregon Law Alumni Awards Dinner,

Tailgate and more!

www.uoalumni.com/lawweekend2018

For questions: lawalum@uoregon.edu or 541-346-3970

2018-2019 LANE COUNTY PROBATE CLEs

Place: Judge Holland's Courtroom #302

Time: 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

(Subject to change.)

DATE	TOPIC / SPEAKER
September 11, 2018	A View from the Bench – 2018 Speaker: Judge Lauren Holland
October 9, 2018	Disclaimer Trusts for Oregon Estate Tax Planning - Planning and Postmortem Speaker TBA
November 13, 2018	Advance Directives - New Legislation, POLSTs & Advising Clients Speaker: Thomas H. Hoyt
December 11, 2018	OPEN: POSSIBLE HOLIDAY GATHERING
January 8, 2019	New Estate & Probate Legislation & Case Law Speaker: Jane B. Stewart
February 12, 2019	Wrongful Death in Probate: Single Action vs. Class Actions - Asbestos, Drugs & others Speaker: Panel Discussion
March 12, 2019	Probate & Trust Litigation: Pre-filing Considerations & Post-filing Practicalities: Motions, Discovery, Evidence & more Speakers: Jessica Rogers & David (Jake) Jacobs
April 9, 2019	Small Estate Affidavits: Requirements, Limits, Operation, Considerations Speaker: TBA
May 14, 2019	Postmortem Trust Administration: The Settlor died: What now? Speaker: TBA
June 11, 2019	Annual Planning Meeting Place: TBA

Position Wanted

Legal Assistant moving back to Eugene from Bend seeking employment in business, commercial transactions, estate planning and/or litigation in Eugene/Springfield - 45 years of experience. Resume and references available upon request. Contact **Denise Hay** @ 541-954-5107 or dchay1234@aim.com. Start date negotiable (estimate 9/1/18).

Announcements

Diment & Walker is pleased to announce that **Marjorie A. Schmechel** will join the firm in September 2018 as of counsel. Marjorie previously established herself as an esteemed domestic relations attorney in Lane County during her 25-year career with Spinner Law Group. Diment & Walker looks forward to bringing on board her expertise and experience in all matters related to domestic relations cases, including separation, divorce, custody, spousal support and child support. Marjorie will continue to focus her practice on family law.

Coming in October

“OH, YEAH! PROVE IT!”

You have the smoking gun; now make sure you can get it in front of the jury. **Judge Michael Mosman, Chief Judge for the U.S. District Court of Oregon**, will help you avoid common evidence pitfalls that he sees far too often at trial. Join your colleagues for what promises to be both an educational and an enjoyable noon time CLE and lunch. And did I mention **this 1 hour CLE and lunch are FREE!**

When: October 25, 2018 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Where: Eugene Federal Courthouse, Jury Assembly Room

Please RSVP at eugenefba@gmail.com so we know how much lunch to prepare. If you forget to RSVP, come anyway!

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Paralegal Position Available

Eugene law firm practicing in complex civil litigation is seeking an experienced paralegal for full time employment. Qualified candidates must have a minimum 5 years of paralegal experience in civil litigation; have a working knowledge of Oregon court rules and civil procedure; be proficient in drafting pleadings, motions, correspondence, and other case-related documents; have excellent oral and written communication skills; and be able to work independently and as part of a team. The position requires critical thinking and analysis of discovery, legal issues, and facts. Candidates with an AAS in Paralegal Studies and/or a professional paralegal certification are preferred but not required. Salary and benefits will be determined based on qualifications and experience. Qualified applicants should send their cover letters, resumes, and writing samples to: HiringSearchMail@gmail.com.

Attorney Positions Available

Gleaves Swearingen, a trusted and distinguished business law firm in Eugene for almost 100 years, is expanding and seeking lateral transfer attorneys to join the Gleaves team. We are seeking lawyers for our firm's Business and Transactions, Litigation, and Estate Planning practices. 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. Please send cover letter, resume, and writing sample to **Claudia Horner**, Gleaves Swearingen, 975 Oak St, Suite 800, Eugene, OR 97401, or email to horner@gleaveslaw.com. All inquiries will remain confidential.

Eugene Municipal Court is seeking interested Oregon attorneys who would like to be part of our court appointed criminal defense attorney pool as conflict counsel. Must have professional liability insurance. Sample annual contract and compensation information available upon request. Please email Kristina.L.Rhamy@ci.eugene.or.us or call **Kristi Rhamy** at 541-682-5405 to inquire.

The Local Government Law Group, a boutique government law firm in beautiful downtown Eugene, seeks a municipal attorney to join our thriving local government practice. We represent over 100 governments throughout Oregon, including cities and counties; fire districts; and utility, park, port and library districts.

The ideal candidate will have at least two years of government law experience (including a working knowledge of public records, open meetings, government ethics, and public sector employment law). Applicants with labor and arbitration experience strongly preferred. We offer challenging and interesting work in a cooperative and collegial environment with competitive salary and benefits. While we do work hard, we firmly believe that families, flexible work schedules, and free time is vital to a healthy work-life balance. If you believe that precise writing is an art form and government work a noble cause, you'll fit right in with our talented team.

Submit a cover letter, resume with references, and a recent writing sample by **September 30, 2018**, to: **Kim Dahlgren**, The Local Government Law Group PC, 975 Oak Street, Suite 700, Eugene, OR 97401. Or, you may submit your materials or questions by email to: kimd@localgovtlaw.com.

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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



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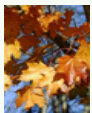
ATTENTION FAMILY LAW ATTORNEYS!

Are you having a busy summer and need extra help in getting projects off your desk. If so, then let me help you. I am **April Hatcher**, a highly experienced family law certified paralegal. I am the owner of [Assisting You Paralegal Services \(AYP\)](http://www.assistingyouparalegal.com), a freelance, virtual paralegal business. AYP provides quality, timely, and affordable family law legal support assistance to family law attorneys on a project-by-project basis. **Whether you need assistance with one project, with one case, or for an hour or two each day or week, I can assist you.**

Please visit my website: www.assistingyouparalegal.com, or call me at (541) 653-9656. *I look forward to assisting you!*

Upcoming Events

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| September 3 | Holiday - Court closed |  |
| September 6 - 7 | Oregon Law Alumni Weekend | |
| September 7 | O'Connell Conference
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Knight Law Center
12:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. | |



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The Honorable Lauren Holland
Courtroom 302
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. |  |
| September 13 | LCBA Luncheon
<i>National Security & Anti-terrorism</i>
Ethan Knight
Downtown Athletic Center
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. | |
| September 14 | Investiture of the Honorable Debra E. Velure
Harris Hall
4:00 p.m.
Reception to follow | |
| September 18 | NALS Educational Meeting
<i>Title Insurance & Escrow</i>
Joseph Silence
Hershner Hunter
12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. |  |
| September 21 | Deadline for nominations to Civil Local Rules Committee | |
| September 27 | Federal Practice CLE
<i>How to Win a Case from a Judge's Perspective</i>
Jim Wagstaffe
The Honorable Michael McShane
The Honorable Jolie Russo
Federal Courthouse
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. |  |
| October 2 | 10th Annual CEJ Lane County Luncheon
The Veterans Memorial Building
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. | |
| October 9 | Probate CLE
<i>Disclaimer Trusts for Oregon Estate Tax Planning - Planning and Postmortem</i>
Speaker TBA
Courtroom 302
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. |  |
| October 11 | LCBA Luncheon
Attorney General Ellen Rosenblum
Downtown Athletic Center
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. | |
| October 25 | Federal Practice CLE
<i>Oh Yeah! Prove It</i>
The Honorable Michael Mosman
Federal Courthouse
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. |  |

save the date

10th Annual CEJ Lane County Luncheon

October 2, 2018

12:00 □ 1:00 pm

The Veterans Memorial Building

(1626 Willamette Street, Eugene, OR 97401)

Featuring remarks by U of O School of Law Dean Marcilynn Burke!

For more information, call CEJ at 503-295-8442 or e-mail office@cej-oregon.org



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Banned Books Week:
 September 23 - 29, 2018



Grandparent's Day:
 September 9th



Labor Day: September 3rd

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