PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

I honestly cannot believe that my time as President of the Larimer County Bar Association is coming to an end. It has been an amazing and rewarding twelve months. Again, it has been both an honor and a privilege to serve as your President, and to work with the incredible attorneys that serve as the Executive Committee. I have absolutely no doubt that the LCBA will be in good hands for many years to come and I look forward to other ways in which I will be able to serve both the LCBA and our community as a whole.

I continue to encourage all members of the bar to make an effort to serve the LCBA and the Larimer County community in any way you can. Whether it be by volunteering to coach high school mock trial teams, or reaching out to the Fort Collins community via Family Resource Day, the Veteran’s Clinic, Senior Law Day, National Adoption Day or Access to Justice, or taking on pro bono cases. Volunteers are invaluable to our outreach efforts to the community.

I would like to remind you that Friday, March 3, will be our annual Spring Term Day. Coffee, donuts and bagels will be offered in the Jury Assembly Room at the Justice Center beginning at 8:00 a.m., followed by our Business Meeting at 9:00 a.m. Supreme Court Justice Hood will be in attendance to hand out the annual pro bono awards and CBA President Patricia Jarzobski will also be in attendance and will speak at our lunch presentation. Lunch will be at the Agave Room above the Rio and our famous (and quickly growing) bowling tournament will take place at Chipper’s Lanes at Horsetooth and Mason. Be sure to check inside the Messenger for details. Word is that CBA President Jarzobski and our own CBA President-elect Dick Gast will be bowling as well! Please join us if you can.

Thank you for putting your trust in me to run this great organization that is the Larimer County Bar Association.

Pete Dauster  
2016-2017 LCBA President

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NEW LAWYERS

If you are a new lawyer or know of a new lawyer practicing in Larimer County, please remember to contact Roger Clark, at (970) 669-8668, no later than February 27, 2017, and provide him with your background information for your introduction at Term Day.
SPRING TERM DAY
MARCH 3, 2017
Agenda

8:00 a.m.  Coffee, juice, donuts and bagels at the Justice Center - Jury Assembly Room

9:00 a.m.  Business Meeting - Jury Assembly Room
            Special Guest – Colorado Supreme Court Justice William W. Hood, III

12:00 p.m. Luncheon at the Rio Grande Restaurant – The Agave Room (Upstairs) – 143 W. Mountain Avenue, Fort Collins. CBA President Patricia M. Jarzobski will be speaking at the luncheon.

            Cost is $13.00 per person. Send check payable to LCBA and send reservations form to Lisa Ritter, 419 Canyon Avenue, Suite 226, Fort Collins, CO 80521; Phone: 970-482-9770.

2:00 p.m.  Come join us for an afternoon of fun and prizes. No bowling skills required! Bowling will start at 2:00 p.m. at Chipper’s Lanes at 217 W. Horsetooth Road. Cost is $15.00 for 2 games and shoes.

            To register, please send a check made payable to LCBA to Dan St. John, Wick & Trautwein, LLC, P.O. Box 2166, Fort Collins, CO 80522. You may also deliver a check to Dan at 323 South College Avenue, Suite 3.

            You may register as a team (of no more than 5 members) or as an individual. If you are an individual, you will be assigned to a team. If you wish to be on the LCBA Young Lawyer Division team, please indicate that in your registration.

            Questions? Contact Dan St. John at 970-482-4011 or dstjohn@wicklaw.com. We’ve had a great turnout the last few years and we hope to see some more new faces again this year. Come join the fun!

            Deadline to Register:  February 24, 2017
SPRING TERM DAY  
MARCH 3, 2017  
LUNCHEON

12:00 p.m.  Luncheon at The Rio Grande Restaurant, Agave Room, 143 W. Mountain Avenue. Cost is $13.00 per person.

Enclosed is my Luncheon Reservation for March 3, 2017, at The Rio Grande Restaurant

Name(s): ________________________________________________________________
Address: _______________________________________________________________
Phone No: ______________________________________________________________

Check(s) in the amount of $13.00 per person made payable to Larimer County Bar Association

______ X $13.00 = $___________________ (amount enclosed)

Return To: Lisa Ritter, 419 Canyon Avenue, Suite 226, Fort Collins, CO 80521, 970-482-9770

Deadline to register February 21, 2017
SPRING TERM DAY
MARCH 3, 2017
BOWLING!

WHEN: 2:00 p.m. on Friday, March 3, 2017
WHERE: Chipper’s Lanes at 217 W. Horsetooth Road
HOW MUCH: $15.00 per person
WHAT DO I GET: Two games of bowling and bowling shoes

Enclosed is my Bowling Reservation for March 3, 2017.

Name(s): __________________________________________________________________________
___________________________________________________________________________________
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Remember, teams of no more than five members. Lanes are more comfortable with teams of four.

Team Name(if registering as a team): __________________________________________________________________________

Young Lawyer Division Team? Circle YES or NO

Check(s) in the amount of $15.00 per person made payable to:
Larimer County Bar Association

_________ X $15.00 = $__________________________ (amount enclosed)

Mail To: Dan St. John, Wick & Trautwein, LLC, P.O. Box 2166, Fort Collins, CO 80522
Deliver To: 323 South College Avenue, Suite 3, Fort Collins, CO 80524
Questions: 970-482-4011 or dstjohn@wicklaw.com

Deadline to register February 24, 2017
ATTORNEY OFFICE FOR LEASE  
(417 West Mountain Avenue, Fort Collins)

We have one office available for lease. We are looking for an attorney to join our legal building.

Minimum of one year lease required with lease options and long-term leases available as well.

Rent includes the use of common area spaces, including conference room, break room, copy room, internet services and client parking.

Monthly rent is $975 and the Security Deposit is $975.

Please call Bill Kneeland at (970) 493-6556 or (970) 217-5939

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FIDUCIARY SERVICES—CLIENTS SEEKING A COMPETENT FIDUCIARY TO EXECUTE THEIR ESTATE OR DECEDED’S TRUST?

I am an experienced Colorado elder law (EP, EA) attorney (former probate paralegal) using these skills to begin a fiduciary services business focusing on trust and estate administration as a PR or Trustee.

While I develop this business, I am seeking contract work assisting other professional fiduciaries already acting in this capacity.

If you have clients looking for a non-family fiduciary and less expensive alternative to a law firm or trust department, please contact me.

If you have or anticipate overflow work in probate/trust administration, please contact me.

Carol Johnson JD (15070)
5482 Balsam Court
Arvada, CO 80002
303-474-4235
Carol-530@comcast.net

OFFICES FOR LEASE IN LOVELAND

Two or more offices available for lease at 231 West 4th Street on the west edge of downtown Loveland, in the Loveland Professional Offices building. Approximate office size 110-120 square feet. Ground floor offices lease for $400/month, upstairs offices lease for $350/month.

Utilities included, common reception area, two conference rooms (one large, one small) available for meetings.

Contact Denise Bretting at 970 669-1185 or dbretting@swloveland.com for more information.
PART TIME RECEPTIONIST/ENTRY LEVEL LEGAL ASSISTANT

Busch Law Offices in Loveland is seeking a part time receptionist/entry level legal assistant. Hours are flexible and will vary. Pay is competitive. Potential for advancement.

Please email resume to matt@mbuschlaw.com
No phone calls or walk-ins please.

LARIMER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

Mark your Calendars

Upcoming CLE presentations:

February 8, 2017 - noon CLE
Colorado Women's Bar Roadshow
Professionalism inside and outside the Courtroom
Judge Field is the presenter
RSVP required by February 1 at noon. Lunch will be served.

March 21, 2017 - noon CLE
New Technology for Evidence Preservation: Drones, Dash Cams, Black Boxes and more
Stephen Scott of Fay Engineering is the coordinator

April 19, 2017 at the Lincoln Center
Annual Ethics Seminar
LCBA Professionalism Committee planning this event
See flyer in this edition.

May 17, 2017 - noon CLE
Student Loan Strategies back by popular demand.
Douglas Triggs, Esq. whose practice is dedicated solely to student loan law will lead the presentation.

June 14, 2017 – noon CLE
An Introduction to the International Contract – AKA a Riddle Wrapped up in a Mystery Inside an Enigma
Presenter: Mark B. Baker, Professor Emeritus, International Business Law, The University of Texas, Austin

Anyone interested in presenting to the LCBA, please contact Renee Doak, CLE coordinator 970-498-7267
Byron White Inn of Court
Meeting Dates 2016-2017

February 16, 2017
March 16, 2017
April 20, 2017
May 18, 2017

There are no regular meetings in December, June, July, or August.

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BYRON WHITE INN OF COURT 2/16/17 MEETING INVITATION

Amanda Peek will be presenting on ACE: Adverse Childhood Experiences. Kaiser Perm study in 80’s on 17,000 kids and the connections with chronic disease and contentious family court matters.

Please RSVP with your meal choice by February 14, 2017.
See flyer in this edition.
WELD AND LARIMER COUNTIES
BYRON WHITE INN OF COURT INVITATION

Please join us for the Byron White Inn of Court meeting
February 16, 2017

Membership is not required to attend. Guests and spouses are also welcome. The nonmembers and guest/spouse dinner charge is $35.00 payable the night of the dinner.

WHERE: Bent Fork the grill
The Promenade Shops at Centerra
5971 Sky Pond Drive
Loveland, CO 80538
970.613.9333

MEETING FORMAT:

6:00 p.m. Social time, networking opportunity
6:30 p.m. Dinner
7:00 p.m. One hour educational program
8:00 p.m. Formal adjournment, followed by social time at the bar (optional)

MENU CHOICES

GREEN CHILI MAC & CHEESE
Jalapeno elk sausage, elbow macaroni, cream, roasted poblano chile peppers, red bell peppers, red onion, corn, garlic, pepper jack cheese

PORK BELLY TACOS
Three spicy blend of pickled Asian vegetables, chili aioli, fresh cilantro leaves, corn tortillas

MAPLE GINGER CHICKEN
Seared airline chicken breast, maple syrup and fresh ginger glaze, jasmine rice, Asian napa slaw

FRESH SALMON FISH & CHIPS
Beer-battered, house slaw fries, lemon aioli

For vegetarian or allergy meal requests please e-mail Jillp@bentforkgrill.com

RSVP YOURSELF AND GUEST(S) TO: diane@suhrelawfirm.com or Suhre Law Firm (970) 330-7900 on or before Tuesday, February 14, 2017 to assist in planning. Thank you.
The LARIMER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION
PROFESSIONALISM COMMITTEE
PRESENTS ITS
ANNUAL ETHICS SEMINAR
AND Professionalism Award Presentation

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 2017
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

THE LINCOLN CENTER
FORT COLLINS, CO

Speakers for this seminar include the following:

Hon. Stephen Howard, Chief District Court Judge, 8\textsuperscript{th} Judicial District.

Hon. Stephen Jouard, District Court Judge, 8\textsuperscript{th} Judicial District.

Jamie S. Sudler, Esq., former Attorney Regulation Counsel, Defending the Grievance.

Eli Wald, Charles W. Delaney, Jr., Associate Professor of Legal Ethics and Legal Profession, University of Denver, Strum College of Law.

Derek Samuelson, Esq. Criminal Defense Attorney.

Jennifer L. Rice, Esq. Family Law Attorney, recent changes to CRPC Rule 2.1

Hon. John A. Jostad, District Court Magistrate, Moderator/Discussion Leader.

The Cost of this Seminar is $60.00 with your timely filed pre-registration, postmarked by \textbf{April 7, 2016}. Registration thereafter, and at the door, is $70.00. Approval for a minimum of \textbf{FOUR CLE/Ethics credits} is anticipated. Proceeds go to LCBA and have been used in the past for college funds. Early registration is greatly appreciated in helping us to anticipate numbers of attendees.

\textbf{NOTE:} The ANNUAL LARIMER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION PROFESSIONALISM AWARD will be presented at 4:40 p.m. at the seminar. Even if you are unable to attend the seminar, PLEASE plan to join us for the presentation of this award. Social gathering to follow the presentation.
Please send your registration and checks made payable to **LCBA** to:

Jennifer L. Rice  
Rice Law Office, P.C.  
19 Old Town Square, Suite 238  
Fort Collins, CO 80524

For more information, please contact Jennifer at (970) 494-1700.

Attorney: ________________________________________________
Address: ________________________________________________
Telephone: ________________________________________________
Email address ________________________________________________

More information about the LCBA Professionalism Committee can be found at www.larimerbar.org/professionalism-committee
LCBA YOUNG LAWYERS DIVISION

The Young Lawyers Division (YLD) has monthly lunch meetings on the third Wednesday of every month from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. at a location to be determined. If you are interested in attending these meetings, please contact Daniel St. John at (970) 482-4011 or dstjohn@wicklaw.com

You are invited to join the YLD and Kathy Harward, the director of Student Legal Services at CSU for our monthly lunch meeting. Please join us at Illegal Pete's located at 320 Walnut St, Fort Collins, CO 80524 from noon to 1pm on Wednesday, February 15th.

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THE YOUNG LAWYER DIVISION OF THE LARIMER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION PRESENTS LAW DAY 2017
THE 14TH AMENDMENT: TRANSFORMING AMERICAN DEMOCRACY

DATE: Monday, May 1, 2017
TIME: 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm
LOCATION: Rio Restaurant in the Agave Room
143 West Mountain Avenue
COST: $35 ($20 for YLD members)

1-2 CLE credits anticipated
Lunch Buffet will be provided

Presentations:
Steven J. Roy Memorial Scholarship Winners

Winners of the Northern Colorado Northern Colorado Regional High School Mock Trial Competition

Anticipated Speakers: ACLU representative on the history and recent case law surrounding voting rights, and a representative of the Larimer County, County Clerk and Recorder on the process of holding elections. Specifics coming soon.
LCBA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FEBRUARY 2017

Wednesday, February 8, 2017  LCBA Brown Bag CLE
Colorado Women’s Bar Roadshow
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Jury Room, Second Floor
Larimer County Justice Center
201 La Porte Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado

Friday, February 10, 2017  and Saturday, February 11, 2017  Mock Trial
Weld County Courthouse
901 9th Avenue
Greeley, Colorado

Wednesday, February 15, 2017  Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
Kathy Harward, Student Legal Services
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Illegal Pete’s
320 Walnut Street
Fort Collins, Colorado
If you would like to be added to their email list and notified of the future meetings and locations contact Daniel St. John at (970) 482-4011 or dstjohn@wicklaw.com

Thursday, February 16, 2017  Weld and Larimer Counties
Byron White Inn of Courts
6:00 p.m. (optional) networking and social time/ mentoring moment/Q&A session with a judge
6:30 p.m. dinner
7:00 p.m. one hour educational program
8:00 p.m. formal adjournment, followed by social time at the bar (optional)
Bent Fork the grill
The Promenade Shops at Centerra
5971 Sky Pond Drive
Loveland, Colorado
See flyer in this edition.
MARCH 2017

Friday, March 3, 2017  Larimer County Bar Spring Term Day  
(See flyer and details in this edition)

Wednesday, March 15, 2017  Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting  
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
Location TBD

Thursday, March 16, 2017  Weld and Larimer Counties  
Byron White Inn of Courts  
6:00 p.m. (optional) networking and social  
time/ mentoring moment/Q&A  
session with a judge  
6:30 p.m. dinner  
7:00 p.m. one hour educational program  
8:00 p.m. formal adjournment, followed by  
social time at the bar (optional)  
Bent Fork the grill  
The Promenade Shops at Centerra  
5971 Sky Pond Drive  
Loveland, Colorado  
(watch for email in late February or early March)

Tuesday, March 21, 2017  LCBA Brown Bag CLE  
New Technology for Evidence Preservation:  
Drones, Dash Cams, Black Boxes and more  
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
Jury Room, Second Floor  
Larimer County Justice Center  
201 La Porte Avenue  
Fort Collins, Colorado  
(watch for flyer)

APRIL 2017

Wednesday, April 19, 2017  Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting  
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
Location TBD
Wednesday, April 19, 2017
LCBA Professionalism Committee
Annual Ethics Seminar and
Professionalism Award Presentation
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Lincoln Center
417 West Magnolia Street
Fort Collins, Colorado
(see flyer in this edition)

Thursday, April 20, 2017
Weld and Larimer Counties
Byron White Inn of Courts
6:00 p.m. (optional) networking and social
time/ mentoring moment/Q&A
session with a judge
6:30 p.m. dinner
7:00 p.m. one hour educational program
8:00 p.m. formal adjournment, followed by
social time at the bar (optional)
Bent Fork the grill
The Promenade Shops at Centerra
5971 Sky Pond Drive
Loveland, Colorado
(watch for email in late March or early
April)

MAY 2017

Monday, May 1, 2017
Young Lawyers Law Day
The 14th Amendment: Transforming American
Democracy
12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Rio Restaurant in the Agave Room
140 West Mountain Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado
(see information in this edition and watch for
flyer)

Wednesday, May 17, 2017
Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location TBD
Wednesday, May 17, 2017

LCBA Brown Bag CLE
Student Loan Strategies back by popular demand
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Jury Room, Second Floor
Larimer County Justice Center
201 La Porte Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado
(watch for flyer)

Thursday, May 18, 2017

Weld and Larimer Counties
Byron White Inn of Courts
6:00 p.m. (optional) networking and social time/mentoring moment/Q&A session with a judge
6:30 p.m. dinner
7:00 p.m. one hour educational program
8:00 p.m. formal adjournment, followed by social time at the bar (optional)
Bent Fork the grill
The Promenade Shops at Centerra
5971 Sky Pond Drive
Loveland, Colorado
(watch for email in late April or early May)

JUNE 2017

Wednesday, June 14, 2017

LCBA Brown Bag CLE
An Introduction to the International Contract aka A Riddle Wrapped up in a Mystery Inside an Enigma
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Jury Room, Second Floor
Larimer County Justice Center
201 La Porte Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado
(watch for flyer)

Wednesday, June 21, 2017

Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location TBD
MISCELLANEOUS MEETINGS AND UPDATES

There is an informal group of “trust and estate” lawyers called the LCBA Trust & Estate Bar. It meets five times a year, from September through May, usually on the fourth Wednesday of the month. The meetings are from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. at First National Bank downtown. If you are interested you can email Pete Bullard at pete@estate-planning-help.com.

The Colorado Criminal Defense Bar (Larimer Chapter) meets monthly. Jeffrey Schwartz is the contact person at jeff@jskwlaw.com. He sends out notices by email so if you would like to be included, contact him.

The Larimer County Young Lawyers meets the third Wednesday of every month. If you are interested in their group, contact Daniel St. John at (970) 482-4011 or dstjohn@wicklaw.com

Anda Lincoln is the contact person for the Larimer County Women’s Bar. If interested, contact Anda at astephenson@gjmlawfirm.com

For those that do not know Larimer County Bar has a web page. Lisa Ritter keeps our webpage current. If there is something you would like to see on the page, please contact her at lritter@ftccolaw.com.

If you haven’t checked out our webpage, you can find it www.larimerbar.org