PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

Like sands through the hourglass... so are the Days of Our Lives – Intro, The World’s Fourth Longest Daytime Soap Opera

Let’s be honest – anytime I have the chance to quote the iconic opening from Days of Our Lives, I have to do it. Surprisingly, it is also timely as we advance deeper into another fall season, looking backward longingly at an awesome summer (I hope) or looking forward expectantly at an amazing winter (I hope). In a profession that dictates we celebrate rarely and grind regularly, let us take a brief moment and celebrate our impressive footprint in Northern Colorado. We serve our clients, our communities, our colleagues. We promote the rule of law in the work we do, each and every day. So take a deep breath and count your blessings, take care of you and keep on being awesome. If that includes watching Days of Our Lives from time to time, know this is a safe space. No judgment. Only applause.

Know the LCBA continues its efforts to provide services and activities that promote the profession, serve the public, help you in your practice and provide opportunities to engage with your peers. Your VP Renee Doak continues to coordinate an impressive array of local and affordable CLEs, among many other civic contributions. Anda Stephenson is an impressive steward of the treasury, and Kandace Majoros keeps us accountable in recording all of our deeds. Dan St. John and the Young Lawyers continue to serve our entire LCBA membership while demonstrating the future of law in Larimer County is in good hands. Cody Knebel and Ben Kramer are admirably guiding the Pro Bono program and as always, could not do it so effectively without the extensive volunteer efforts and commitment of all of you. Kara Clark continues the good fight with access to justice work. Brett Busch has become the unofficial bar liaison to all things golf in Northern Colorado, a significant and important undertaking. And these are just a representation of all the goings on, all the good work you, our Bar membership, are doing each and every day.

Thanks for lifting the profession, serving our community and making this such a wonderful place to live and practice.

Josh Zugish
2017-2018 LCBA President
PROFESSIONAL OFFICE FOR LEASE
(417 West Mountain Avenue, Fort Collins)

We currently have one office available for lease. We are looking for professionals to join our building.

Convenient downtown location that is within walking distance to the Larimer County Justice Center (2 blocks).

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

Rent include the use of common area spaces, including conference room, break room, copy room, internet services (Wi-Fi) and client parking.

Monthly rent is $1000.00 and the Security Deposit is $1000.00.

AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY.

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

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PROFESSIONAL OFFICE SPACE
OLD TOWN FORT COLLINS

123 North College Avenue, Suite 330
Fort Collins, Colorado  80524

One office available in four-office suite with conference room, receptionist area and receptionist, fax, copy machine and break room.

Secretarial space also available if needed at additional cost. Park garage pass available.

Minimum of one-year lease required.

Please contact Diane M. Lathrop at (970) 484-5858 Or lathrop@lathroplawoffice.com
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ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY

Small Fort Collins law firm, Weaver & Associates, P.C., is looking for an associate attorney. 2-5 years of prior experience, with significant experience in family law preferred. On or before October 13, 2017, submit cover letter, resume, law school transcript, and writing sample to info@weaverlegal.com.

NEW FIRM NAME

Cannon Hadfield Stieben is pleased to announce that Bill Doutt has joined the firm as its fourth member as of September 20, 2017. The firm name is now Cannon Hadfield Stieben & Doutt, LLC.
LEGAL PROFESSION MONTH
BREAKFAST GATHERING HOSTS:

October is Legal Profession Month. Please join the Larimer County Young Lawyer Division to continue the tradition of getting together every Friday morning in October for fellowship, fuel, and fascinating conversations. You will be treated to coffee and light breakfast snacks. Attorneys and their staff are welcome to attend, grab a cup of coffee or a snack, and mingle.

Gatherings take place between 8:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. on Fridays at the locations below:

Friday, October 6, 2017:
Gast Johnson & Muffy, PC
323 South College Avenue, Suite 1
Fort Collins, CO 80524

Friday, October 13, 2017:
Lamborne & Clark, LLC
2625 Redwing Road, Suite 200
Fort Collins, CO 80526

Friday, October 20, 2017:
Cannon Hadfield Stieben & Doutt, LLC
3534 John F. Kennedy Parkway, Suite B
Fort Collins, CO 80525

Friday, October 27, 2017:
Oliver Law, LLC
19 Old Town Square
Conference Room
Fort Collins, CO 80524

Please contact Dan St. John, danstjohn2@gmail.com or 970-305-5899 with any questions.

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THE LCBA PROFESSIONALISM COMMITTEE AND THE YOUNG LAWYER DIVISION Invite You to THE SIXTH ANNUAL LCBA PROFESSIONALISM SEMINAR!

PROFESSIONALISM: “Dealing with Client Expectations”

Friday, October 13, 2017
11:30 a.m.: Catered Lunch
12:00-2:00 p.m.: Professionalism Presentations

LARIMER COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER
JURY ROOM, SECOND FLOOR

Approved for TWO CLE / ETHICS CREDITS.

Early Registration Fee (All Registrations Received on or Before to October 6, 2017):
Young Lawyers - $20.00; General LCBA Members $25.00

Late Registration Fee: All Registrations Received After October 6, including at the door - $30.00

The seminar will feature a discussion, in various practice areas, of how to address initial representation, the fee agreement, the client’s goals and expectations, the duty of candor to the court, by the following presenters:

Joseph (Andy) Galváldón, Esq., Gavaldon & Mestas, LLC, criminal defense attorney

Thomas Metier, Esq., Metier Law Firm, personal injury attorney

Sarah Liggett, Esq., Liggett, Johnson & Goodman, P.C., criminal defense and family law attorney

Jamie Sudler, Esq., defense counsel for attorney grievances, former Deputy Attorney Regulation Counsel

Hon. John A. Jostad, District Court Magistrate, 8th Judicial District
Send your registration and checks made payable to LCBA YLD to:

Ben Kramer
323 S. College Ave, Ste. 1
Fort Collins, CO 80524
bkramer@gjmlawfirm.com

For more information please contact Ben Kramer at the address above

Attorney: ___________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________
Telephone: _________________________________________
Email Address: _______________________________________

***No Refunds can be offered after the Early Registration Deadline ***
LARIMER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION
CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

Mark your Calendars
Upcoming CLE presentations:

October 10, 2017 – noon to 1:30 (LCWBA & CWBA) **CANCELLED – BEING RESCHEDULED TO A LATER DATE (WATCH FOR FLYER)**
  Unconscious Bias
  Presenter: Rosalie Chamberlain

October 16, 2017 – noon CLE
  **The DUI Court**
  Presenters: Members of the Larimer County DUI Ct team

November 7, 2017 – noon CLE
  Insurance 101 – Insurance Basics on Personal Injury Cases
  Presenters: Sam Cannon, Gordon Hadfield, Sara Steiben and Bill Doutt

November 14, 2017 – 12-2 CLE (ABA & LCBA)
  **Celebrating Mediation Week – Civility, Civil Discourse and the Power of Understanding (1 gen cle and 1 ethics cle)**
  Presenter: Burns Logan – Litigation & Claims Group

Anyone interested in presenting to the LCBA, please contact Renee Doak,
  CLE coordinator 970-498-7267

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Byron White Inn of Court
Meeting Dates 2017 - 2018

October 19, 2017
November 16, 2017
January 18, 2018
February 15, 2018
March 15, 2018
April 19, 2018
May 17, 2018

There are no regular meetings in December, June, July, or August.
WELD AND LARIMER COUNTIES
BYRON WHITE INN OF COURT INVITATION

Please join us for the Byron White Inn of Court meeting
October 19, 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

GRILLED SALMON CEASAR SALAD
Grilled salmon fillet, marinated in brown sugar, white wine, f/g soy sauce, crisp romaine, parmesan, sourdough croutons

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

FRENCH DIP
Tender beef, caramelized onions, melted jack cheese, baguette, side creamy horseradish, au jus, served with house slaw or fries

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, October 17, 2017 to assist in planning. Thank you.
LARIMER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION
CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION
PRESENTS

The DUI Court

Come learn about the DUI Recovery Court, a rehabilitative resource available in Larimer County for DUI defendants with multiple similar prior offenses and for whom recidivism is traceable to a clinical substance abuse disorder.

Presenters:
- Matthew Zehe, Magistrate
- Sara Keck, DUI Court Coordinator
- Renee Doak, Deputy District Attorney
- Alison Wender, Deputy State Public Defender
- Nathan Hansen, Private Defense Attorney
- Other members of the DUI Recovery Court team available to comment and take questions.

DATE: October 16, 2017
TIME: 12:00 to 1:00
PLACE: JURY ROOM, JUSTICE CENTER
FREE OF CHARGE AND NO RESERVATION REQUIRED

1 credit hour of General CLE applied for
Insurance 101
Insurance Basics in Personal Injury Cases

PRESENTERS:
Sam Cannon, Gordon Hadfield, Sara Stieben and Bill Doutt
Law Partners at Cannon, Hadfield, Stieben and Doutt

DATE: November 7, 2017
TIME: 12:00 to 1:00

PLACE: Jury Room Side B, Larimer County Justice Center

FREE OF CHARGE AND NO RESERVATION REQUIRED

1 credit hour of General CLE has been applied for
LCBA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCTOBER 2017

Tuesday, October 10, 2017
CWBA and LCWBA CLE
CANCELLED
BEING RESCHEDULED
TO A LATER DATE

Unconscious Bias
12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Jury Room, Second Floor
Larimer County Justice Center
201 La Porte Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado
(see flyer in this edition)

Friday, October 13, 2017
LCBA Professionalism Committee and
The Young Lawyer Division
Sixth Annual LCBA Professionalism Seminar
Professionalism: Dealing with Client Expectations
11:30 a.m. – Catered Lunch
12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Professionalism Presentations
Jury Room, Second Floor
Larimer County Justice Center
201 La Porte Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado
(see flyer in this edition)

Monday, October 16, 2017
LCBA Brown Bag CLE
The DUI Court
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Jury Room, Second Floor
Larimer County Justice Center
201 La Porte Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado

Wednesday, October 18, 2017
Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location to be determined.
(watch for flyer)
Thursday, September 19, 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

NOVEMBER 2017

November 7, 2017
LCBA Brown Bag CLE
Insurance 101
Insurance Basics in Personal Injury Cases
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Jury Room, Second Floor
Larimer County Justice Center
201 La Porte Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado
(see flyer in this edition)

Tuesday, November 14, 2017
ABA and LCBA Brown Bag CLE
Celebrating Mediation Week – Civility, Civil Discourse and the Power of Understanding
12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Jury Room, Second Floor
Larimer County Justice Center
201 La Porte Avenue
Fort Collins, Colorado

Wednesday, November 15, 2017
Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location to be determined.
(watch for flyer)
Thursday, November 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
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Loveland, Colorado

Friday, November 17, 2017
National Adoption Day Celebration
(watch for flyer)

Tuesday, November 28, 2017
Northern Colorado DR Best Practices
Dinner Programs
Legal Panel
(watch for flyer)

DECEMBER 2017

Wednesday, December 20, 2017
Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location to be determined
(watch for flyer)
JANUARY 2018

Wednesday, January 17, 2018
Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location to be determined
(watch for flyer)

Thursday, January 18, 2018
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

Tuesday, January 23, 2018
Northern Colorado DR Best Practices
Dinner Programs
TBD
(watch for flyer)

FEBRUARY 2018

Thursday, February 15, 2018
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

Wednesday, February 21, 2018
Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location to be determined
(watch for flyer)
MARCH 2018

Friday, March 2, 2018
Spring Term Day
(watch for flyer)

Thursday, March 15, 2018
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
Wednesday, March 21, 2018  Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location to be determined
(watch for flyer)

APRIL 2018

Wednesday, April 18, 2018  Young Lawyers Division Lunch Meeting
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location to be determined
(watch for flyer)

Thursday, April 19, 2018  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

Tuesday, April 24, 2018  Northern Colorado DR Best Practices
Dinner Programs
Judicial Panel
(watch for flyer)

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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

Gail Goodman is the contact person for the Larimer County Women’s Bar. If interested, contact Gail at ggoodman@ftccolaw.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

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