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Cover Photo:
Mock Trials Region 10, District 2
winners, Pocono Mountain East
with Attorney Advisors Jessica
Jones (far left) and Emily Hasle-
bacher far right)

Monroe County Bar Association

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Mission Statement

The mission of the Monroe County Bar Association is to maintain the honor and dignity of the profession of law, to cultivate social interaction among its members and to increase its usefulness in the administration of justice.

President's Message



I want to personally thank immediate Past President Tim McManus for his leadership and continued dedication to the Monroe County Bar Association. It is never an easy task to step into the shoes of your predecessor and this year is no exception. Tim was (and is) a dynamic leader. He supported the initiatives of our members and was instrumental in forming both the Mediation and Collaborative Family Law Committees. Tim also held several retreats with board members of both the MCBA and the YLD. One of the key outcomes of the retreats was the launch of our online Career Center. He has also been there for me every step of my first few months as President.

As you read through this newsletter, you will notice some changes to the MCBA Board. In February we regretfully accepted Elizabeth Field's resignation from her position as Treasurer. Liz's resignation came with happiness for her and her husband as they expand their family. Hillary Madden has advanced to the position of Treasurer and joining the Board as a Member at Large is Vince Rubino. Vince is the Chair of the Find a Lawyer program Committee and a member of the Fee Dispute Committee.

As I take on the role of President, I am reminded that this is your organization. For any organization to be successful, two key things are needed. One is to understand the expectations of the members and the second is to provide members with a reason to be a member! I encourage you to provide your voice through participation. Complete surveys sent to you so we have your input. Join committees, form relationships by attending various events and get to know your fellow members.

As you know, the down turn in the economy several years ago hit Monroe County harder than most areas of the country. The higher than average unemployment rate in January of 6% in Monroe versus 4.8% in PA means continued record breaking foreclosures. The trickle down affect will be increased default of personal debt and the breakdown of the family unit, leaving

a population in need of legal services. MCBA continues to financially support a second attorney at North Penn Legal Services, but the need for legal assistance is greater than the two attorneys can handle. Residents continue to try to represent themselves, slowing down an already overburdened court system. I challenge each and every one of you to please take on at least one pro-bono case through North Penn Legal Services this year. Not only will you be providing a very valuable service assisting a family in need, but you will be improving our community as well.

We face a challenging year as an Association as we expect Legal Reporter revenue to decrease and anticipate many worthy organizations requesting our help. With an excellent Finance Committee and Bar Foundation, it is my hope that the MCBA can continue our charitable endeavors well into the future.

Thank you for the opportunity to be your President for 2018. I look forward to serving you!

Mark A. Primrose



March 28th, Tim McManus happily turns the "gavel" over to Mark Primrose!

Monroe County Bar Association Officer and Directors - 2018

Mark A. Primrose, Esquire
President

Elizabeth Bensinger Weekes, Esquire
Vice President

Brian C. Jordan, Esquire
Secretary

Hillary A. Madden, Esquire
Treasurer

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Immediate Past President

Deborah L. Huffman, Esquire
Member at Large

Vincent Rubino, Esquire
Member at Large

David Marra, Esquire
Member at Large/YLD President

Monroe County Bar Foundation Board of Trustees - 2018

William J. Reaser, Jr., Esquire
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Vice Chairman

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Secretary

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Treasurer

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Trustee

Matthew Field, CRPC
Trustee

Hillary A. Madden
Trustee

Young Lawyers Division Officers and Board - 2018

David Marra, Esquire
President

Don Gual, Esquire
Vice President

Emily Haslebacher, Esquire
Secretary

Briana Gaumer, Esquire
Treasurer

Elizabeth M. Field, Esquire
Member at Large

Casey Schweppenheiser, Esquire
Member at Large

Young Lawyers Division

This year the YLD has committed to taking on at least two service community projects. We once again worked at Saint Luke's in their soup kitchen. Members spent several hours preparing and serving food to those in need. A special shout out goes to Jessica Jones, Gary and Jennell Saylor, Casey Schweppenheiser, Victoria Strunk and team organizer and photographer Elizabeth Field. What a reward way to spend a Saturday morning!

On Columbus Day, October 8th, we plan to put our driving skills to work, and deliver meals to local residents through the Monroe County Meals on Wheels program. We welcome all YLD members and longstanding members to join us. If you are interested in spending a few hours exploring Monroe County and bring smiles to those residents we deliver to, please let Denise at the Bar Association know.

The Member Mixers continue for 2018, giving the longstanding members and YLD a chance to get to know each other a little better. And we add that level of fun with the monthly trivia contest.

Thank you to Hillary, Joel and Bronte Madden and James and Krista Fulmer for raising \$400 for Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Bridge by participating in the local annual Bowl for Kids Sake. The YLD thanks the Monroe County Bar Foundation for matching the \$400 bring the total donation to \$800.00!

"Thank you!" to all who joined the YLD in our adventures!



Gary and Jennell Saylor at St Luke's Soup Kitchen

February winning Trivia Contest Team:
Joe Donegan, Mary Moore, Justin Wisnewski, & Don Gual



March winning Trivia Contest Team:
Bill Watkins and Syzane Arifjai

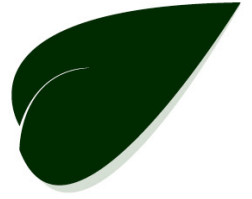


January winning Trivia Contest Team:
Justin Wisnewski, Judge Stephen Higgins, Don Gual & Mary Moore



Casey Schweppenheiser, Jessica Jones & Victoria Strunk at St Luke's Soup Kitchen

MONROE COUNTY BAR FOUNDATION



The Monroe County Bar Association and the MCBA membership have again stepped up to support the work done through the Monroe County Bar Foundation.

In addition to the \$100,000 donated by the Bar Association, members have contributed \$4,100 so far this year. Funds will be used to support worthy students continue their education through our scholarship program, many local charities will raise more funds through sponsorships and others will receive project specific funds through the grant program.

Grant applications have been mailed to non-profits across the county. Deadline for submission is June 1, 2018. If you know of an organization that may be interested in applying for grant funding please reach out to Marsha at journal@monroebar.org and she'll forward the information to you.

You may not realize that MCBF does not have any paid staff, nor do we pay rent, purchase supplies or contribute to the overall overhead of the use of the building. We do pay our own insurance and accounting related expenses which are minimal. This gives the Foundation the ability to inject more funding into the community.

The Board of Trustees are grateful for the support of the members of the Monroe County Bar Association and the continued support of the Board of MCBA as well. Together we are making a difference in Monroe County.

Thank you.

William J. Reaser, Jr.

Welcome New Members!

Paul J Bender

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Date admitted to the
Monroe Co Bar: 2/22/2018

Attorney Bender is an associate at the law firm of Benner and Trovato in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. A general practitioner with a focus on criminal defense, Paul is licensed in both Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

Bender earned his BS in Finance at LaSalle University and his J.D. at Western Michigan University's Cooley Law School.

Nicole M Heritage

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Date admitted to the
Monroe Co Bar: 3/5/2018

Attorney Heritage joined North Penn Legal Services, Stroudsburg Office, as a Staff Attorney in February. Nicole is a graduate of Rutgers University and of New York Law School. She is licensed to practice in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Heritage will represent clients in Monroe County, within the scope of legal services offered through North Penn.

Joel D. Johnson

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Monroe Co. Bar: 2/13/2018

Attorney Johnson earned his BA from Baylor University and his Juris Doctorate from the University of Arkansas. Licensed and actively practicing in Arkansas, Wisconsin and Pennsylvania, Johnson focuses his practice in the areas of commercial business, railroad defense, real estate, product liability, construction, domestic relations, oil and gas and Appellate practice.

In addition to his legal practice Joel is very active in both local, state and national bar associations. Johnson is the 2018 President of the American Board of Trial Advocates.

Matthew Mugno

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Date admitted to the
Monroe Co Bar: 2/5/2018

Attorney Matthew Mugno joined ARM Lawyers earlier this year. With ARM he will focus his practice on criminal defense. In addition to criminal law, Matt is an experienced bankruptcy attorney.

Mugno is a graduate of East Stroudsburg University and Widener University where he obtained his J.D. Matt is licensed to practice law in both Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

Welcome New Members! (con)

Frank J Trovato

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Date admitted to the
Monroe Co Bar: 3/8/2018

Partner in the firm Benner & Trovato, Attorney Frank Trovato is a general practitioner. After receiving his undergraduate degree from Lehigh University, he attended the Florida Coastal School of Law.

Trovato is licensed in New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Jamie Wagenhoffer

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Law Clerk for Judge Mark
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Date admitted to the
Monroe Co Bar: 3/15/2018

Local to the Poconos, Attorney Jamie Wagenhoffer is a law clerk for the Honorable Jonathan Mark. The Pike County resident attended East Stroudsburg University where she majored in Political Science before going to Widener Commonwealth School of Law. While at Widener she received the CALI Award for Excellence for legal writing.

In her free time, Attorney Wagenhoffer enjoys traveling, learning new languages and snowboarding.

Justin Wisniewski

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Already an active member of the MCBA, Wisniewski is a member of the Law Day Run Committee and will be assisting with the Fairy Tale Trials for Law Day.

Prior to attending Temple University Beasley School of Law where he earned his J.D., Justin was a Philosophy major at Juniata College.

One of his most rewarding internships during law school was when he was at the Camden County Public Defender's Office. He plans to utilize the experience gained at Camden and now with Judge Higgins to work for the Public Defender's office, whether it be in Monroe County or in Philadelphia.

Key Happenings

APRIL 2018

- YLD Mentor Lunch 4/2/2018 - 12:00 PM Yard of Ale
- Bridge the Gap 4/4/2018 - 12:00 PM Lunch, 12:30-4:30 PM Program
- MCBA Board Meeting 4/9/2018 - 12:00 PM Bar Center
- YLD Bowling with Judges 4/14/2018 - 12:00 PM
- CLE: **Monroe County Zoning and Muncipal Update** 4/18/2018 - 11:30 AM Lunch, 12:00 PM Program Bar Center
- Memorial Service 4/19/2018 -3:30 PM Courtroom 1
- Member Mixer & Trivia Contest 4/19/2018 - 5:00 PM Trackside Grill & Bar
- MCBF Board Meeting 4/20/2018 - 12:00 PM Yard of Ale
- YLD Member Meeting 4/23/2018 - 12:00 PM Bar Center
- Law Day Ceremony 4/27/2018 - 9:00 AM Courtroom 1
- Fairy Tale Trials 4/27/2018 - 10:00 am Courtrooms to be announced
- Wills for Heroes 4/28/2018 - 9:00 am Bar Center
- Law Day Race Judicata 4/29/2018 - 9:30 am

MAY 2018

- YLD Mentor Lunch 5/7/2018 - 12:00 PM Yard of Ale
- MCBA Board Meeting 5/14/2018 - 12:00 PM Bar Center
- CLE: **When the Homeowner Becomes the Tenant: Post Foreclosure and other Tenant Rights** 5/16/2018 - 11:30 AM Lunch, 12:00 PM Program Bar Center
- NYC Bus Trip 5/19/2018 - 8:30 AM Departure Bar Center
- Office Closed 5/28/2018
- Member Mixer & Trivia Contest 5/31/2018 5:00 PM Trackside Grill & Bar

JUNE 2018

- YLD Mentor Lunch 6/4/2018 - 12:00 PM Yard of Ale
- MCBA Board Meeting 6/7/2018 - 4:00 PM Bar Center
- Member Meeting 6/7/2018 - 4:30 PM Bar Center
- Social on the Veranda 6/7/2018 -5:00 PM Bar Center Veranda
- MCBA Board Meeting 6/11/2018 - 12:00 PM Bar Center
- CLE: **Marijuana Laws** 6/20/2018 - 11:30 AM Lunch, 12:00 PM Program Bar Center
- Member Mixer & Trivia Contest 6/28/2018 - 5:00 PM Trackside Grill & Bar

JULY THRU DECEMBER 2018

- Bridge the Gap: August 1, 2018 - 12:00 pm Bar Center
- YLD sponsor 'Rafting on the Delaware': August 11, 2018 - Time & Location to be announced
- Member Meeting & Social on the Veranda: September 6, 2018 - 4:30 pm Meeting with 5:00 pm Social
- Bench Bar Conference: September 28, 2018 - 8:00 am Northampton Community College Monroe
- Member Meeting & Free CLE: November 8, 2018 - 11:30 am Location to be announced
- Mock Trials: November 17, 2018 - 8:00 am Location to be announced
- Swearing in Ceremony: December 14, 2018 - 3:30 pm Courthouse
- Holiday Open House: December 14, 2018 - 4:30 pm Bar Center

Member Changes

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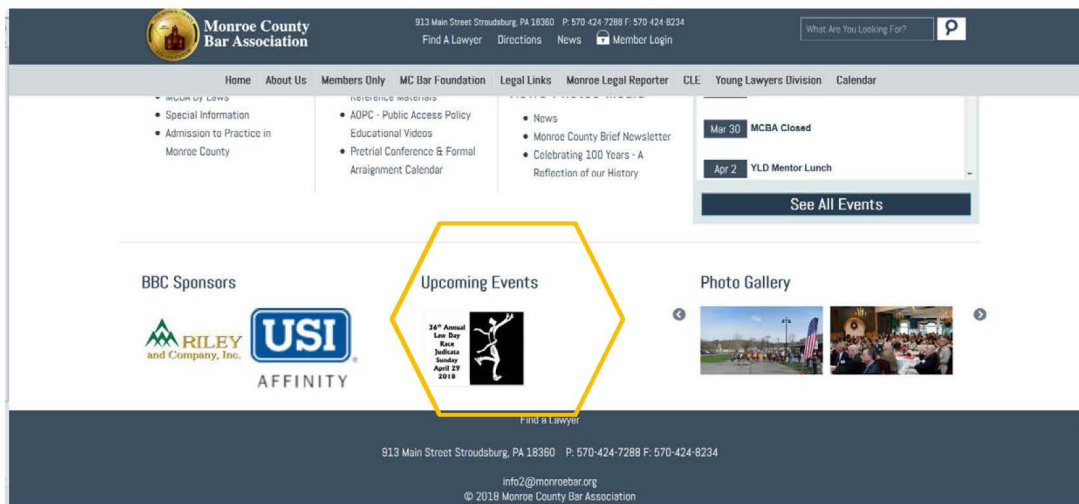
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What's New?

MCBA New 'Upcoming Events' Link

Just click for more information on an upcoming MCBA event!



MCBA Mixer

Meet and Mingle with Members

Thursday, April 19, 2018

Thursday, May 31, 2018

Thursday, June 28, 2018



Test your knowledge!

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*Sports

*Pop Culture

*Movies

*History

*Useless Information



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50 Crystal Street, East Stroudsburg



Complimentary Appetizers Courtesy of the YLD

Special Drink Prices from 5-6 pm

Tap Beer—Sangria—Well Drinks

RSVP's are encouraged by the Wednesday before the Mixer
info2@monroebar.org • 570.424.7288 • Courthouse Box

Committees Updates

Bench Bar Conference (BBC)

Conference planning is underway. Program topics are being narrowed down with consideration being given to what happens when an illegal immigrant is involved in the case, alternate case resolution through mediation, attorney health and welfare to name just a few.

This year the BBC Committee will be seeking a wider variety of vendors, with emphasis on those relevant to the law practice management, IT, and other supportive services. If you have a vendor that you are extremely happy with and think other firms may benefit from their services, please share that with the MCBA staff.

The Conference will be held on the Monroe Campus of Northampton Community College on Friday, September 28, 2018. Don't forget to mark your calendars now!

Children's Advocacy (CAC)

The CAC will be offering an informative three hour CLE on July 19, 2018, delving into key issues in dependency, delinquency, and family law. This panel will be comprised of local experts in the practice in Monroe County.

Collaborative Family Law

The newest MCBA Committee consists of members of the association who are certified collaborative family law attorneys. The initial objective of the group is to create a marketing campaign that allows both peers and the public know of this alternative amicable option to the dissolution of marriage.

Continuing Legal Education (CLE)

Programs this year will be very diverse, with the goal of providing current and relevant programs for as many practice areas as possible. We will cover local municipal codes, landlord/tenant and ejections, issues relating the legalization of medical marijuana, changes to the family law rules and more.

We hope you will take advantage of the many PBI courses offered at the Bar Center as well. You can find current opportunities on both the MCBA calendar on our website as well as the PBI's website, www.pbi.org. MCBA hosts these for your convenience, saving you both travel time and expense.

Topic suggestions are always welcome. Please just contact Brian Jordan or Denise Burdge with your ideas.

Fee Dispute

The Fee Dispute Committee has been fairly quiet in the past several months, with only one dispute being filed just recently. We contribute that to our members insuring clients understand their financial responsibilities when they hire you. Having a signed fee agreement in place as well as clear records of all work done on their behalf will help you if your client decides to file a formal fee dispute complaint.

Find a Lawyer (FAL)

At the recent Conference of County Bar Leaders meeting, it was learned that Chester County Bar Association, with a membership of over 700, handles 2000 lawyer referral contacts per year. Monroe County Bar Association, with a membership of 275, referred over 4000 potential clients to members in 2017.

Committees Updates (con)

(FAL con.)

Members who participate in the program can be assured that the MCBA staff never tells potential clients that an attorney's services are free. Staff directs callers to discuss all fees with the attorney because all fees are the responsibility of the client, including the consultation fee. Staff will not look at or assist with the completion of any paperwork that a client has. Their role is to only assist them in finding an attorney through the Find a Lawyer program.

Those individuals wanting a pro-bono attorney are referred to North Penn Legal Services with an explanation that North Penn is a separate agency that has their own criteria based on case type and household income. For representation for things like criminal defense, personal injury and malpractice MCBA staff will redirect them to the FAL since these cases aren't within the scope of NPLS.

Law Day Ceremony and Fairy Tale Trials

Plans for the Law Day Ceremony and Fairy Tale Trials are in the final stretch. In addition to awarding the top three creativity contest winners, we will celebrate the contributions made to our community by Sharon Taylor, Executive Director of Pocono Area Transitional Housing (PATH).

Immediately following the Ceremony, students in the fifth and sixth grades will arrive to learn how the court system works by witnessing the case of Iron Man versus Captain America.

Law Day Race – 36th Law Day Race Judicata

The 5 mile race and 5k fun walk will take place on Sunday April 29th. Registration is set to begin at 8:00 am with a race start time of 9:30. This year's beneficiary is the Valor Clinic Foundation. Dogs are welcome to come with their families as long as they are on a leash.

As usual the first 100 registered participants will receive a free t-shirt. Runners are also entered in a drawing to win a number of prizes donated by local businesses.

Mediation

The committee has been developing a mediation program for launch in early to mid- summer. Certified mediators will be available for hire to individuals and businesses wishing to resolve cases and avoid the added expense of court. In addition the committee will develop a Modest Means Mediation Program, modeled after the Modest Means Program.

Mock Trials

Another successful Mock Trial season has been completed. Congratulations to Pocono Mountain East and their attorney advisors Emily Haslebacher and Jessica Jones on their winning year! The committee would also like to thank all who volunteered as advisors, judges and scores/jurors. Volunteers assisted with the districts, regional and statewide competition this year. David Martino, Richard Tomsho, David Marra, Joseph Donegan and John O'Brien also were attorney advisors for our Monroe County schools.

Pro-Bono

Nicole Heritage, Staff Attorney for North Penn Legal Services Stroudsburg, has joined MCBA and is the newest member of the Pro-Bono Committee. Attorney Heritage will cover Monroe County for North Penn.

The committee will be sponsoring a CLE in May. This year's topic is "Landlord/Tenant and Ejectment Issues". More information will follow in the next couple of weeks.

MAJOR



NEW YORK CITY BUS TRIP!

A “FREE STYLE” day in the City

8:45 AM - Depart MCBA— 913 Main Street, Stroudsburg, PA

6:00 PM - Depart New York City

8:30 PM - Approximate return to Bar Center

NYC Drop off and pick up

6th Avenue (Avenue of the Americas) and 48th Street

this location may vary

Event is open to:

*Members, family, friends, staff,
Courthouse staff & County employees*

\$30.00 per person (including tip)

Email info2@monroebar.org or call 570.424.7288 to make reservations

Checks made payable to MCBA

913 Main Street, Stroudsburg PA 18360

****MCBA Reserves the right to cancel due to lack of reservations****

Making plans? Check out these websites: 911memorial.org, broadway.com, tdf.org, ny.co/museums

**New York City
Bus Trip**

**Saturday
May 19, 2018**

**30.00 per seat
(Includes Tip!)**

Primary Contact: _____

Cell Phone #: _____

Secondary Contact: _____

Secondary Cell #: _____

Number of Seats: _____

Total enclosed: _____

Reservations are accepted until bus is at capacity or May 10, 2018



Iron Pigs vs Pawtucket Red Sox



Sunday, June 17, 2018

Bus leaves MCBA at 11:30 am

Game start at 1:35 pm

*This event is open to:
Members, family, friends, staff,
Courthouse staff & County employees*

Ticket Prices

Father's Day Special: All dad's are FREE!!

\$35 Adults

\$30 YLD Members

\$10 Children 3– 16

Free Children under 2

Price includes: Lunch and bus to stadium and back

**** Tickets are limited! ****

Please RSVP to MCBA

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Lehigh Valley Iron Pigs vs Pawtucket Red Sox	Sunday June 17, 2018 Bus Leaves MCBA at 11:30 am Game Starts at 1:35 pm	*All dads are free!* \$35 Adults \$30 YLD Members \$10 Children 3– 12 Free Children under 2
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Primary Contact: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Tickets: _____ # of Children Tickets: _____ Taking the Bus Yes: _____ No: _____

Reservations are accepted until bus is at capacity

MONROE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

LUNCH AND LEARN

PRESENTS:

“Monroe County Zoning and Municipal Update”

Short Term Rental and Outdoor Advertising and Other Stuff

Presented by:

Joseph P. McDonald, Jr., Esquire

Joseph P. McDonald, Jr., Esquire, P.C

Robert Kidwell, Esquire

Newman, Williams, Mishkin, Corveleyn, Wolfe & Fareri, PC

Wednesday, April 18, 2018

11:30 am - Lunch

12:00 – 1:00 pm - CLE

Members: \$30.00

YLD Members: \$25.00

Non-members: \$35.00

*In accordance with the Event Payment Policy: If you reserve a seat and do not attend
you will be charged for the full amount of the CLE*

ALL RSVP'S VIA PHONE, EMAIL OR WEBSITE WILL BE INVOICED

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****All attorneys present for entire seminar will receive 1 Substantive CLE credit****

Please RSVP by Wednesday, April 11, 2018

“Monroe County Zoning and Municipal Update”

Wednesday, April 18, 2018

In accordance to the Event Payment Policy: If you reserve a seat and do not attend you will be charge for the full amount of the CLE

Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

If you have special dietary requirements, please contact a staff member of the MCBA



MONROE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

LUNCH AND LEARN

PRESENTS:

HotDocs and the Wills for Heroes Program

Training for the "Non-Expert"

Presented by:

Victoria Strunk, Esq.
Amori & Associates, LLC

April 24, 2018

4:30-5:30 pm

Refreshments will be served

WFH September 28, 2018 Volunteers - Free

Members: \$15.00

YLD Members: \$10.00

Non-members: \$25.00

To be a volunteer at the WFH event, please email Denise @ dburdge@monroebar.org (See reverse for details)

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ALL RSVP'S VIA PHONE, EMAIL OR WEBSITE WILL BE INVOICED

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**** All attorneys present for entire seminar will receive 1 CLE credit****

Please RSVP by Friday, April 20, 2018

HotDocs and the Wills for Heroes Program

Training for the "Non-Expert"

April 24, 2018

In accordance to the Event Payment Policy: If you reserve a seat and do not attend you will be charge for the full amount of the CLE

Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

If you have special dietary requirements, please contact a staff member of the MCBA

MONROE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

LUNCH AND LEARN

PRESENTS:

**“Marijuana Laws –
Federal & State Ethical Implications for Attorneys”**

Presented by:

Brain C. Jordan, Esquire
Cramer, Swetz, McManus & Jordan P.C.

Wednesday, June 20, 2018

11:30 am - Lunch

12:00 – 1:00 pm - CLE

Members: \$30.00

YLD Members: \$25.00

Non-members: \$35.00

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ALL RSVP'S VIA PHONE, EMAIL OR WEBSITE WILL BE INVOICED

**Monroe County Bar Association
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Stroudsburg PA 18360**

****All attorneys present for entire seminar will receive 1 Ethics CLE credit****

Please RSVP by Wednesday, June 13, 2018

“Marijuana Laws – Federal & State Ethical Implications for Attorneys”

Wednesday, June 20, 2018

In accordance to the Event Payment Policy: If you reserve a seat and do not attend you will be charge for the full amount of the CLE

Name: _____
Telephone: _____
Email: _____

If you have special dietary requirements, please contact a staff member of the MCBA

Upcoming PBI Schedule at the MCBA Bar Center
Live-feed Group-casts & Video Replays
For more details or to register for any PBI seminar, go to www.pbi.org
or call 800.932.4637
Courses are subject to cancellation by PBI if a minimum number of attendees do not
pre-register.

[PBI: The New Tax Act - Video](#)

4/10/2018 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
2 Substantive Credits

[PBI: Trial Evidence Artistry & Advocacy in the Courtroom \(PEG – Tom Mauet\) – Groupcast](#)

4/13/2018 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM
5 Substantive Credits
1 Ethics Credit

[PBI: Internet Defamation 2018 - Video](#)

4/24/2018 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
3 Substantive Credits

[PBI: Dealing with Financial Institutions in Estates and Elder Law - Groupcast](#)

4/30/2018 9:00 AM – 1:15PM
3 Substantive Credits
1 Ethics Credit

[PBI: PA Workers' Compensation Practice & Procedures - Groupcast](#)

5/15/2018 8:30 AM – 12:45 PM
4 Substantive Credits

[PBI: Drug and Alcohol Issues in Civil Litigation
From the Liability of Physicians to Issues in Employment - Groupcast](#)

5/18/2018 8:30 AM – 1:00 PM
3 Substantive Credits
1 Ethics Credit

[PBI: Susan B. Anthony to Alice Paul: Carrying the Torch of Equal Rights – Video Replay](#)

5/22/2018 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
3 Substantive Credits

[PBI: Fundamentals of Estate Planning - Groupcast](#)

6/12/2018 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM
5 Substantive Credits
1 Ethics Credit

[PBI: Trying a Personal Injury Case from Start to Finish - Groupcast](#)

6/14/2018 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM
6 Substantive

[PBI: Civil Practice in Magisterial District Court 2018 – Video Replay](#)

6/22/2018 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
2 Substantive Credits
1 Ethics Credit

New PBI programs are added to the MCBA calendar regularly.
Please go to www.monroebar.org or www.pbi.org for more information.

