

## *From the LCBA President's Desk*

Dear LCBA Members:

Hello! I am happy to introduce myself as the new LCBA President. I am starting my fifth year on the LCBA Board where I have twice served as Treasurer and most recently was President-Elect.

Here are some of my goals for the year. My priority is to build community and engagement within and outside LCBA. This year, I am asking our membership, including myself, to get more involved, learn, and to have some fun in the process.

First, we plan to have all our monthly programming in person this year. The lunches are the second Thursday of each month at noon starting in September. Calendar the lunches today. We intend to address a variety of topics, including access to justice issues that impact the legal community and our society. Our aim is to find some new speakers that bring a diversity of experience to LCBA's programs. In addition to the monthly lunches, consider getting involved with a [LCBA committee](#) like Access to Justice, DEI, and more.

Second, I will highlight a range of volunteer opportunities each month for our members. For July, I encourage our membership to consider reaching out to [Food for Lane County](#) to [volunteer their time](#) at least once during July. The website is very user friendly, and you can sign up online to volunteer for just a few hours. If you volunteer, let LCBA know so that we can acknowledge you.

Third, in an effort to keep learning, I will also support our membership undertaking the six [ABA 21-Day Habit Building Challenges](#) where short daily assignments are "designed to educate and make participants more aware of the historic and current challenges impacting unrepresented communities." We will start the first Challenge in September with the [Hispanic Heritage Equity Habit](#).

Finally, another priority this year is to inject these events and others with fun. In keeping with that, I want to encourage all our members to attend the LCBA picnic at the [Emeralds game](#) on August 10. Join me as we gather as a community to eat, enjoy each other's company, and perhaps watch a little baseball. Friends and family, including children, are welcome. Renew your annual LCBA membership to receive a discount on your tickets.

Please reach out to me with any programming suggestions, volunteer opportunities, or just to make a connection. I am looking forward to the year. -- Felipe Alonso III

## *Circuit Court Operations Plan*

The Lane County Court 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 at: [Oregon Judicial Department : Lane Home : Lane County Circuit Court : State of Oregon](#)

## *LCBA Officers & Board Members*



Welcome to our new LCBA Officers! We wish them well in the coming year and we look forward to seeing what exciting things lie ahead for the LCBA with this slate of Officers and Directors at the helm.

<b>Felipe Alonso III</b>	President
<b>Jinoo Hwang</b>	President-Elect
<b>Elizabeth Stubbs</b>	Treasurer
<b>Jennifer Hisey</b>	Secretary

We also want to welcome our newly elected LCBA Directors:

**Taylor Herbert**  
**Elaina Bauer**  
**Julian Marrs**

Finally, we want to thank the continuing LCBA Directors for their continued service to the local legal community.

**Lillian Marshall-Bass**  
**Shane Davis**  
**Esack Grueskin**

## *Time to Renew*

**LCBA Members:** It is a new membership year (July 2023 to June 2024) and time to renew your \$60.00 membership [online](#).



## Oregon Law Perspective Webinars

The **Oregon Law Perspectives** webinar series features distinguished law faculty and others on important and timely issues impacting the law and society today. The series also provides a space for practitioners, students, alumni, and others to learn about faculty members' diverse areas of expertise, scholarship, clinical work, and research projects. Join us from wherever you are to engage, expand your knowledge, and stay connected to the intellectual life of the law school.

### STAR WARS AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION

Thursday, July 13, 2023

12:00 pm–1:00 pm

Presenters:



Jen Reynolds and Noam Ebner (Creighton)

Can we learn anything from the *Star Wars* saga about how to negotiate deals and manage disputes more effectively? We've got a good feeling about that. Join Oregon Law professor [Jen Reynolds](#) and her co-editor, Creighton business professor [Noam Ebner](#), to hear more about their new book [Star Wars and Conflict Resolution: There Are Alternatives to Fighting](#) (DRI Press 2022). This fun and informative session will explore the complexities of aggressive negotiations and diplomatic solutions, in the *Star Wars* universe and closer to home. 1 OREGON CLE CREDIT (GENERAL) [REGISTER](#)



## Coming in August

### RETROSPECTIVE: INDIAN LAW AND THE 2022-23 SCOTUS

Thursday, August 10, 2023

12:00 pm–1:00 pm

Presenter:



Howie Arnett

The Supreme Court's recent focus on Indian Law cases has been remarkable, and the Court's 2022-23 Term has continued that trend. The major case of *Brackeen v. Haaland*, for example, raised important questions of sovereignty, separation of powers, and federalism—not to mention core concerns around adoption and Native American children. Join us for a discussion with Oregon Law's [Howie Arnett](#) on the outcomes of Indian Law cases from the past Term and what these decisions portend for Indian law and policy. 1 OREGON CLE CREDIT (GENERAL) [REGISTER](#)

## EMs Picnic

### EUGENE EMERALDS PICNIC IS BACK!

Thursday, August 10, 2023, at 6:35 pm, PK Park

Buy tickets for the [LCBA Emeralds picnic game](#). Members get a discount on their tickets. *Once you have renewed your annual LCBA membership for the 2023 to 2024 membership year*, you may purchase \$20 tickets for adults and \$10 for children (4-10 years old). Kids three and under are free. The ticket price includes admission to the game, 2 beverages, and a picnic buffet (vegetarian options are available). The tickets for non-LCBA members will remain what the Emeralds charge us for tickets (\$35 for adults and \$29 for children).

## Announcement



Lane County Family Mediation is pleased to announce **Brian Law** as Interim Program Supervisor. Brian graduated from the Conflict and Dispute Resolution master's program at the University of Oregon School of Law and has been a family mediator with Lane County for eight years.



### 5th Annual Chief Justice Martha Walters Award

Lane County Women Lawyers is accepting nominations for the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Chief Justice Martha Walters Award to be presented on **Friday, November 17, 2023**, at a luncheon in Eugene. The Award recognizes a Lane County attorney who has demonstrated leadership in the pursuit of equal justice for all. Nominations may be made by visiting <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/K8BXHB2> and are open through **July 28, 2023**. The 2023 program is being underwritten at the Lady Justice level by **Johnson, Johnson, Lucas & Middleton**. If you are interested in underwriting for this year's event, please contact [lanecountywomenlawyers@gmail.com](mailto:lanecountywomenlawyers@gmail.com).

## Attorney Positions Available

**Tullos Beckett LLC** is seeking an associate family litigation attorney to join its busy and expanding firm. We are offering a competitive starting salary with high earning potential and are interested in candidates who are members of the Oregon State Bar. Preference will be given to those with demonstrable courtroom experience. Please send your cover letter, resume, and three professional references in a single pdf to [jordan@tullosbeckett.com](mailto:jordan@tullosbeckett.com). The full job posting can be viewed at: <https://www.tullosbeckett.com/seeking-litigation-associate>

## Attorney Positions Available

**Thorp, Purdy, Jewett, Urness & Wilkinson, P.C.** is a well-established law firm serving the Eugene-Springfield area. We are a full-service civil firm specializing in a variety of practice areas, including Elder Law, Business, Real Estate, Municipal Law, Civil Litigation and Family Law. We are seeking an attorney to work primarily in our thriving Elder Law practice area, including Estate Planning, Guardianships/Conservatorships, Medicaid Planning, Probate, and Trust Administration. We offer a collegial atmosphere, strong mentorship, excellent support staff, and the opportunity for immediate client contact. Qualified candidates must have strong organizational skills, including the ability to successfully manage a high-volume workload and the ability to work well as a team, including with legal assistants and paralegals. The ideal candidate will have strong academic credentials, excellent legal writing and analytical skills, enthusiastic professional references, and the ability to be a self-starter. We will consider candidates for a full-time associate attorney position or a full or part-time staff attorney position. Experience is not required but preferred. We offer a competitive salary and benefits package, commensurate with experience, as well as a strong focus on work-life balance. Oregon State Bar admission is preferred, but not required upon application. Please send cover letter, writing sample and transcript (unofficial is okay) to: **Julia Belcher, Administrator**, Thorp Purdy Jewett Urness & Wilkinson, P.C., 1011 Harlow Road, Suite 300, Springfield OR 97477 or via email [tojbelcher@thorp-purdy.com](mailto:tojbelcher@thorp-purdy.com).



**Gleaves Swearingen LLP** is seeking attorneys to join our Business Transactions Team and our 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 **Josh Smith** at [jsmith@gleaveslaw.com](mailto:jsmith@gleaveslaw.com). All inquiries will remain confidential.



## Paralegal Position Available

### PLAINTIFF PERSONAL INJURY PARALEGAL

**Corson & Johnson** would love to hire another experienced personal injury paralegal. If you are passionate about helping injured people, already know the ropes for this type of work, and are willing to work full time in-office, we would be happy to share details and talk with you. We offer competitive compensation, good benefits, in addition to a legal staff bonus program. If interested, please email your resume to [info@corsonjohnsonlaw.com](mailto:info@corsonjohnsonlaw.com).



## Office Space Available

One office in beautiful downtown building on 8th and High, right across from Whole Foods. \$500 per month. Shared kitchen, bathroom and common areas. Free internet. Contact **Raquel** at [raquel@immigrationoregon.com](mailto:raquel@immigrationoregon.com).



8 offices available in friendly, professional environment in downtown Eugene (142 W. 8<sup>th</sup> Ave.); ample parking, short walk to all municipal, state & federal courthouses, jail, city/county offices, & downtown businesses, amenities. Rent includes reception services, high-speed internet, twice weekly janitorial service, use of three conference rooms, kitchen-break room, and two work rooms equipped with photocopiers, fax, postage meter, shredder, and related amenities. Rents are \$500, \$675, \$775 or \$950/mo, depending on size and view, with optional assistant workstations at \$150-\$175/mo. For more information or viewing, please contact **Alan Seligson** at (541) 338-8500 or [aseligson@scslaw.org](mailto:aseligson@scslaw.org).



**66 CLUB, LEGAL PRACTICE IN EUGENE RIVER VIEW OFFICE SPACES** available for sublease. West wing has a river view office approximately 8ft x 8ft at \$700 per month with two support offices adjacent at \$400 per month each. All with reception support, conference/Zoom meeting room and including internet and telephone. Subleasing arrangement shared with legal practice. Contact **John Davis** Realtor at [john@ineugenere.com](mailto:john@ineugenere.com) and 541 222-9477.



Available: One (1) executive office on 7th Floor of Citizens Building (975 Oak St 97401).

**TENOR:** For discerning solo practitioner seeking: (1) powerful -YET- (2) tranquil space. Views of city & coast range. Minimalist clutter-free décor. Impressive reception area.

**UTILITIES:** Kitchen, janitorial service, modern phone system + ultra-fast internet (*i.e. fiber optic*).

**PERKS:** Full time building attendant warmly greets your guests -AND- keeps public spaces & sidewalks litter-free + notably secure. Heart of downtown core, with lunch options galore. Mere blocks from courthouse.

**RENT:** \$850 monthly.

**OPTIONAL:** \$65 parking permit (*heavily discounted "legacy" rate*).

**VIEWING:** Email good day(s)/time(s) for walk through to [scheduling@northwestlegal.org](mailto:scheduling@northwestlegal.org).



## Services Offered

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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](mailto:tammy@stsupportllc.com) to discuss your paralegal needs.



**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](mailto:mlquillin@lawforthepeople.org), or visit our website at <https://www.lawforthepeople.org>.



**The District** is an invaluable resource for local or out-of-town attorneys who may need a place for depositions or a temporary office while working in the Eugene/Springfield area.

A month-to-month membership for a flex desk is \$375 per month, an annual membership has a discounted rate of \$340 per month. There is no deposit associated with a flex membership, but we do collect a one-time \$50 registration fee.

A month-to-month membership for a dedicated desk is \$490 per month, an annual membership has a discounted rate of \$440 per month. A deposit equal to your membership selection is collected at the beginning of your membership.

There are (3) private conference rooms available. Our conference rooms vary by size and can be rented by the hour. Our hourly rates start at \$10 and increase up to \$20 an hour for members (depending on the size). The only additional fee associated with the meeting space is a \$150 cleaning fee. This fee is collected during the meeting booking process. There are 1-5-person private offices available. Pricing varies by size and location. A deposit is not required for new members, but there is a one-time \$50 registration fee.

For further information contact **Nicole Klapman**, *Business Manager*  
**Main** 541-343-6505 | **Direct** 541-914-7080



## Upcoming Events

July 4

Court Closed - Holiday



July 13

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PK Park  
6:35 p.m. - ?



## Services Offered

### BOOKKEEPING AND PAYROLL SERVICES

Former paralegal with 20 years of experience specializing in small practice bookkeeping and payroll. Contact **Marisela Taylor** at either 541-942-0000, or [mari@paintedmountaindesign.com](mailto:mari@paintedmountaindesign.com).



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Parent's Day is celebrated on the fourth Sunday of July. It is a day that commemorates parenthood and appreciates all parents - mothers, fathers, grandmothers and grandfathers, great-grandmothers and great-grandfathers, stepmothers and stepfathers and foster mothers and fathers.



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