

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF
THE YOUNG LAWYERS DIVISION
OF THE
UTAH STATE BAR

December 7, 2007

A special meeting of the Executive Council of the Young Lawyers Division of the Utah State Bar ("YLD") was held in conjunction with eating lunch with members of the Utah Bar Commission at the Utah State Bar offices on Friday, December 7, 2007.

The following individuals were present: Stephanie Pugsley, Karthik Nadesan, Michelle Allred, Julie Ladle, Carma Harper, Rachel Terry, Kelly Latimer, Candice Pitcher, Chris Snow, Chad Derum, Amber Mettler, Craig Hall, Wendy Peterson, Gary Guelker, Dennis Flynn, Matt Wride, David Johnson, Seth Hobby, Brian Rosander, and Keli Beard.

Stephanie Pugsley, President of the YLD, and Lowry Snow, President of the Utah State Bar, welcomed the members.

The following items were discussed:

1. Announcements & Upcoming Events

- a. Justin Goldstein, ABA YLD President, will visit Utah next week and wants to meet with members of the YLD.
- b. ABA Midyear Meetings in Los Angeles, CA, February 6-8, 2008.

The following YLD committees reported on their activities to the members of the Bar Commission:

2. Committee Chair/Liaison Reports:

- a. **Activities**—Wendy Peterson
 - i. Recently held a panel discussion at Jones Waldo entitled "Been There, Done That" that addressed the challenges and rewards of being a female attorney.
- b. **Community Service**—Rachel Terry
 - i. Organized a holiday clothing/game/book drive
 - ii. Planning to implement "Wills for Heroes" at the Spring Convention in St. George

- d. **And Justice For All**—Candice Pitcher
 - i. Held “Bar Sharks for Justice” pool tournament in October; raised approximately \$6,000
- e. **Utah Bar Conferences**—Chris Snow
 - i. Lining up speakers for CLEs for Spring Convention
- f. **Needs of Children**—David Johnson
 - i. Planning toy drive in April for foster receiving homes throughout the state
- g. **Utah Debate Tournament**—Chad Derum
 - i. Debate Tournament was held in October and was a success

3. **Attachments**

- a. February E-Newsletter Assignments

The meeting was adjourned at 1:15 p.m.

YLD February E-Newsletter Assignments

Due to Stephanie by January 15 (or earlier)

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1. Calendar (Stephanie)
2. Upcoming CLEs & NLCLEs (Keli/Amber)
3. Write up & Photos from Holiday Service Event (Rachel/Emily)
4. Write up & Photos from UMBA / Activities committee event in Jan/Feb (Cheylynn/Wendy/Angelina)
5. Ad re: Spring Convention (Kurt/Chris)
6. Ad re: Wills for Heroes (Rachel/Emily)
7. Write up re: Public Ed Committee events (Angelina, Ben, Marianne)
8. Needs of Children Toy Drive info / pictures (David)
9. Anything from the U or Y (Seth / Brian)
10. Law Day info (Tyson / Gary)
11. BLOG / Website (how many hits, or something) (Craig)
12. Professionalism Committee – update on how many new videos now on On Demand Mentor, maybe list and topics (Chris / Dennis)
13. Gov't Relations – legislative update or hot topics (Jonathan)