

State Board of Governors Liaison Report

By Amelia Craig Cramer

State Bar Special Budget Meeting. The State Bar Board of Governors met in a special meeting on Thursday, January 18th from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. to discuss the Bar's 2007 budget. The Board approved a budget calling for revenues of \$8,427,473 and expenses of \$8,128,582, which would leave a surplus of \$314,232. In addition, the Board at that meeting added funding for new projects and initiatives totaling \$230,870, leaving a surplus of \$83,362. These new projects and initiatives include the following: a contingency fund for complex cases and conservatorships; disaster preparedness plans; member database enhancements from outside endors/contractors; and the hiring of a diversity director with a half time assistant.

State Bar Regular Monthly Meeting. The State Bar Board of Governors held its regular monthly meeting on Friday, January 19th. The following matters were discussed and acted upon:

1. Survey regarding proposal for admission on reciprocity. There is a petition pending before the Arizona Supreme Court asking that the rules for admission be amended to provide for reciprocity with other states' bars. The Board of Governors intends to evaluate the petition and to make a recommendation to the Court on behalf of the Bar with respect to whether it should approve, modify, or reject the proposal set forth in the petition. The State Bar will be distributing a survey to all its members asking for their opinions with respect to whether the State Bar of Arizona should afford reciprocity of membership with other states' bars. The Board of Governors expects to review the survey results and then to discuss this issue at its March meeting.

2. Diversity Task Force recommendations. The Diversity Task Force report and recommendations, which were discussed at length by the Board at its December 15, 2006 meeting, were discussed again at length at this January meeting. Herb Zinn, Task Force Chair, presented the Task Force's recommendations for the hiring of a full-time Diversity Director and for the establishment of a Leadership Institute. There was a report on how the Washington State Bar's program operates. There was a motion to table the matter, followed by extended discussion and debate. The motion to table was rejected 18-3 on a roll-call vote. The motion to establish a Bar Leadership Institute as recommended by the Diversity Task Force was approved unanimously. The motion to hire a Diversity Director as recommended by the Diversity Task Force and authorized in the budget as recommended by the Finance Committee and approved by the Board was approved 18-3 on a roll-call vote. (All of the members from Tucson voted in favor.)

3. Board of Legal Specialization. The Board of Governors unanimously voted to approve the American Board of Legal Specialization (ABC) as a national entity providing certification status in bankruptcy law to Arizona attorneys.

4. Executive Director's report. Teresa Schmid reported that two staff members recently won awards from outside agencies.

5. Chief Bar Counsel's report and Bar Discipline report. Bob VanWyck and Dan McAuliffe reported that 44% of cases are completed within the time frames set by the Supreme Court. If counting from the date of the last charge, 63% of cases are completed within these time frames. There is likely to be a rule proposed by the Bar Discipline Committee in the next month or two to require a one-hour course on trust account administration due to the prevalence of trust account violations. The Board will consider that proposal when the Committee presents it.

6. ABA report. The model judicial code and judicial discipline is being discussed by the ABA. The ABA also is discussing controversial comments by a member of the federal administration concerning whether private lawyers in large, corporate firms ought to provide pro bono legal representation to detainees in criminal cases alleged to be involved with terrorism. Leaders within the ABA have vehemently rejected those comments and affirmed the importance of pro bono work and representation for those accused of criminal acts. The Arizona State Bar delegation sought approval to support the ABA leadership's position if an official ABA vote is taken. The Board of Governors voted unanimously to provide this support.

7. Tucson Building Task Force. The Board of Governors approved a recommendation by the Tucson Building Task Force to authorize the Bar's executive staff to issue a letter of intent to Bourn Partners, LLC to acquire office condominium Suite 5130 at La Placita as the new location for the State Bar's Tucson office.

Treasurer's Report

by **Kathy Brauer**

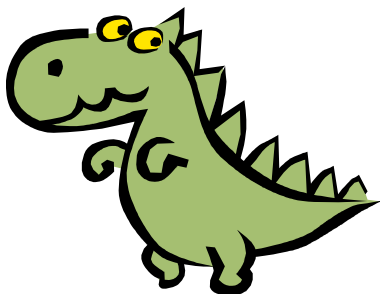


During 2006, the Southern Arizona Chapter of AWLA took in \$10,763 in membership dues and \$88.37 in interest income, for a total of \$10,851.37. The biggest expense for the chapter was the subsidy of the monthly and holiday luncheons, which totaled \$4,070.06.

The chapter made its annual donations of \$500 each to the Margaret M. Houghton and Mary Anne Richey scholarship funds. Additionally, \$200 was given to the Law Womens Association at the University of Arizona College of Law to help defray some of their meeting expenses.

Expenses for social events, including the February 2006 reception celebrating Chief Justice Ruth V. McGregor and Vice Chief Justice Rebecca White Berch, totaled \$1,391.07 for the year. Administrative costs for the year were \$1,108.98, and included the cost of a luncheon coordinator.

The chapter ended the year with a budget surplus of \$2,678.82.



MOTHERS' FORUM AT T-REX MUSEUM

On January 7, the Mothers' Forum went to the T-Rex Museum. A group of 15 mothers, fathers, and kids braved the cold for a chance to view and do "hands on" with dinosaur replicas, sift for fossils, and touch some of the museum's live reptiles like the leopard gecko and albino python.

The next Mothers' Forum event is a trip to Reid Park Zoo on Sunday, March 18 at 9:30 a.m. The Giraffe Encounter (chance to help feed the giraffes) starts at 10:00 a.m. Please call or e-mail Sally Digges to RSVP at (520) 661-1268 or sdigges@yahoo.com.



Social Committee Report

On Sunday, January 28th, six chapter members and a supporter turned out for AWLA's first social/fitness event of the year. Jane Eikleberry (Pima County Superior Court Judge), Ronna Fickbohm (Gabroy, Rollman & Bossé, PC), Abbe Goncharsky (Lewis and Roca, LLP), Vicki Otto (Deputy Pima County Attorney), Zada Edgar-Soto (Zada Edgar-Soto, PC), Merle Turchik (Ryan Turchik, PC), and Merle's long-time friend from Phoenix, Jean Blair, met where the Rillito riverbed meets Campbell Avenue for a brisk walk. We were done an hour later, and by that time, in addition to the good exercise, we had made some new acquaintances and enjoyed a lovely, clear morning. Afterwards, the Farmers Market at St. Phillips Plaza beckoned some of us.

There will be four other fitness/social events during the first half of 2007, as follows:

Sunday, March 18th, 8:00 a.m., hike the King's Canyon approach to Wasson Peak, which trail contains some shorter loops for those not wanting to tackle the entire outing, which can be strenuous. The lower elevations should have wildflowers on display by that date. (Carpool location to be announced.)

Saturday, April 22nd, 8:00 a.m., power walk at Sabino Canyon. (We will meet by the Visitor Center. Anyone wanting to carpool can meet at the Starbucks at Speedway & Wilmot no later than 7:40 a.m.)

Saturday, June 16th, 8:00 a.m., hike somewhere on Mt. Lemmon. (Trail and carpool location to be announced at a later date.)

If you want more information about the social/fitness events or have ideas about what fitness events the Social Committee might plan for the second half of 2007, please contact Ronna Fickbohm at 320-1300, Fickbohm@gabroylaw.com.



First Fridays Move to Thirsty Thursdays!



Our 5:30 p.m. purely social happy hour will now be the first Thursday of each month (going until approximately 7:00 p.m.). We will also alternate locations for those of you wanting a downtown venue, as follows:

Thursday, February 1, 2007 – Cuvee, located at 3352 E. Speedway Blvd.

Thursday, March 1, 2007 – Casa Vicente (located downtown, immediately north of the Community Center on Church Ave.).

Thursday, April 5, 2007 – Cuvee

Thursday, May 3, 2007 – Casa Vicente

Thursday, June 7, 2007 – Cuvee

AWLA representatives, including president Veronique Pardee, will be there to host this event, so please do not hesitate to come alone. This is an opportunity to make new friends, make new connections, or just let off a little steam at the end of the week.

If you would like to help plan or organize other social events, contact Ronna Fickbohm at 320-1300, Fickbohm@gabroylaw.com.

FEBRUARY LUNCHEON & CLE

DATE: February 26, 2007

TIME: Please arrive by 11:50 a.m. Program will begin at noon.

PLACE: The Manning House, 450 W. Paseo Redondo. A map and directions to the Manning House may be found at <http://www.manninghouse.com/map.htm>. Free parking is available behind the Manning House.

COST: \$20 AWLA Members / \$35 Non-members / \$15 Students.

RSVP: By Tuesday, February 20, 2007. Early reservations are required due to the Manning House's 5-day minimum guarantee policy. Members on AWLA's electronic list-serve will receive a separate email notice to RSVP for the luncheon. Please use this automated system to make your RSVP. If you are not on the list-serve, make your reservation by contacting Linda Peterson at lpeterson@thebigt.net or 744-1994. No shows and cancellations made after the reservation date will be billed. Please pay at the door. Checks prepared in advance are appreciated. We look forward to seeing you!

MENU: The Manning House offers a delicious buffet with both standard and vegetarian fare. The menu this month will feature garden salad, pan seared chicken breast, petite grilled salmon, seasoned orzo pasta, seasonal vegetables, cookies and brownies.

TOPIC: Did you know that in the Tohono O'odham culture you can be a grandparent without ever having had children? Did you know that, as a result of many Native American children attending boarding schools, there are now grandchildren that speak only English caring for elders that speak only O'odham? Did you know that not all legal practitioners or tribal judges on reservations are lawyers? On February 26, 2006 Sarah Michelle Martin will speak on these and other social and legal issues currently affecting local Indian nations.

Presented by Sarah Michelle Martin. Sarah Michelle is Director of the Tohono O'odham Nation's Advocate Program, a tribally funded law office providing services in family, probate, consumer, and juvenile law and criminal defense. Prior to joining the Advocate Program in 1997, Sarah Michelle taught criminal law and criminology at Florida State University's satellite campus in the Republic of Panama. She has also served as an Assistant Arizona Attorney General and Deputy Pima County Legal Defender. She earned her Masters of Social Work from Arizona State University in 1979 and her Juris Doctorate from the University of Arizona in 1983. She is also the adoptive mother of two Canadian Native American boys and the grandmother of three Native American grandchildren.

Available for up to 1 hour of CLE Ethics Credit.

Law Students! Who says there is no free lunch?! AWLA provides free lunch every month to the first two law students to RSVP via phone or e-mail. So that everyone may benefit, only one free lunch per student per year, please. Call or e-mail Joanne at (602) 218-5273 or admin@awla-state.org.



JOB OPPORTUNITIES

ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY The City of Tempe has an opening for Assistant City Attorney - Civil Division. The position requires the equivalent of five years of full-time professional civil litigation experience, including trial experience. The annual salary range is \$75,907-\$118,845. A complete job description can be found at <http://tempe.gov/hrcc/docs/>. First review of applications will be Friday, February 16, 2007, and the position may close at that time. The application must include a supplemental questionnaire which can be found on the website.

LABOR RELATIONS ATTORNEY Tucson Electric Power has an opening for a Human Resources/Labor Relations Attorney. The successful candidate will handle both union and non-union labor and employment matters. The position requires 2-5 years prior employment and labor law experience. Salary will be commensurate with experience and the position is open until filled. Send a resume referencing the position to Tucson Electric Power, Attn: Jen Nevenhoven, DS202, P.O. Box 711, Tucson, AZ 85702 or fax to 520-918-8332.

STATE BAR OF ARIZONA COUNSEL The State Bar of Arizona has an opening for Bar Counsel to represent the State Bar in attorney discipline and disability matters. The position requires a minimum of 3-5 years of practical legal experience, including investigative, litigation and trial experience. The salary range is \$70,000 to \$73,055. More information is available on the State Bar website at www.azbar.gov. To apply, submit a letter of interest reflecting the job title and a resume to: State Bar of Arizona, Human Resources - Attention CP, 4201 N. 24th Street, Suite 200, Phoenix, AZ 85016.

LAW CLERK NEEDED We are looking for a full time law clerk. Motivation, energy, excitement and a desire to be a part of our team is MUCH more important than experience! Please send resume and cover letter with available starting date and salary requirement to: Joeli Secrest, Office Manager, Benavidez Law Group, P.C., 7440 N. Oracle Road, Building 7, Tucson, AZ 85704, jsecrest@benavidezlaw.com.

LAW OFFICES OF MARY BROOKSBY has an immediate opening for an associate attorney with 3 to 5 years experience in personal injury litigation. The firm is primarily involved in medical malpractice defense and has established clientele. Excellent partnership and quality of life opportunity and competitive compensation. Please send resume by mail, facsimile or email to: Mary Brooksby, 3636 N. Central Avenue, Suite 550, Phoenix, Arizona 85012, 602-200-5815 (Fax), mary@brooksbylaw.com.

YAVAPAI COUNTY GOVERNMENT Yavapai County has an opening for a Public Defender for the Prescott area. The position requires graduation from an accredited law school and admission to the State Bar of Arizona. The position is full-time and the annual salary is \$53,429 plus certain benefits. More information is available at: http://www.awla-southernaz.org/AWLA_assets.asp (Yavapai County Government Opportunity).

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL # 070701 The Arizona Board of Regents (ABOR), acting on behalf of itself and Arizona State University (ASU), Northern Arizona University (NAU) and the University of Arizona (UA), is requesting sealed proposals from qualified firms or individuals for legal consulting services for ABOR and the Offices of General Counsel at ASU, NAU, and UA. ASU Purchasing and Business Services is acting as the contracting office for this RFP pursuant to a cooperative purchasing arrangement among ABOR, ASU, NAU and UA. Deadline for Inquiries is 5:00 P.M., M.S.T., 02/08/07. Time and Date Set for Closing is 2:00 P.M., M.S.T., 02/15/07. The complete package of information can be found at http://www.awla-maricopa.org/AWLA_assets.asp (070701 Legal Consulting Services.doc). If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Betty Ivan at 480.965-1816 or email her at Betty.Ivan@asu.edu.

AWLA has been contacted by incoming State Bar President, Dan McAuliffe, regarding recommendations for State Bar committee appointments. If you have applied for a committee or intend to do so, please contact Veronique Pardee no later than February 15, 2007 via e-mail at vpardee@scfaz.com.

Mark your Calendars!

February 23	State Bar Board of Governors meeting, 9:00 a.m.
February 26	February Luncheon, Manning House, noon
March 2	2007 Arizona Minority Bar Association Scholarship Banquet, Cocktails 5:30 p.m., Dinner 6:30 p.m. Contact Dev Sethi, 545.1663 or dsethi@kbsds.com
March 18	Social Committee, Hike King's Canyon, 8:00 a.m. Contact Ronna Fickbohm at 320-1300, Fickbohm@gabroylaw.com
March 18	Mothers' Forum, Reid Park Zoo Giraffe Encounter, 9:30 a.m. Contact Sally Digges to RSVP at 661-1268, sdigges@yahoo.com
March 19	March Luncheon, Manning House, noon
March 29	2nd Annual Diversity Symposium, Raising the Bar for Diversity, Hyatt Hotel, Phoenix, 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. Register at www.NBAPipeline.org
March 30	State Bar Board of Governors meeting, 9:00 a.m.
April 22	Social Committee, power walk Sabino Canyon, 8:00 a.m. Contact Ronna Fickbohm at 320-1300, Fickbohm@gabroylaw.com
June 16	Social Committee, Mt. Lemmon hike, more details TBA Contact Ronna Fickbohm at 320-1300, Fickbohm@gabroylaw.com

Don't Forget to Renew Your Membership for 2007!

For a membership form, visit http://www.awla-southernaz.org/AWLA_assets.asp (Membership Form 2007). You can also pay for your membership online using Paypal.

For more information about what it going on with our other Chapters remember to visit our websites:

Southern Arizona (www.awla-southernaz.org)

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Thank you to our Sustaining Members!

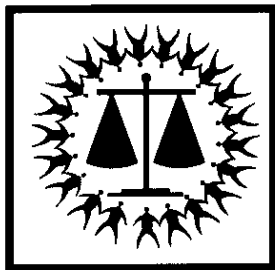
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2007 Arizona Minority Bar Association Scholarship Banquet

Friday, March 2, 2007

University Marriott - 880 E. 2nd Street, Tucson

5:30 p.m. - - Cocktails 6:30 p.m. - - Dinner

\$75/per person or \$750 for a table of 10

Please make plans to attend the 2007 AMBA Scholarship Banquet. This year we are proud to have a wonderfully accomplished slate of honorees.

- **Arizona State Bar Diversity Task Force**

Former Bar President, Helen Perry Grimwood, along with task force co-chairs Sal Rivera and Herbert Zinn, will be recognized for their work in conceptualizing and leading the task force through an in-depth study of diversity in Arizona's legal professional, best practices from around the nation, and tangible steps the State Bar of Arizona could, and has now, taken to put Arizona at the forefront of seeing that the legal profession appropriately reflects the makeup of the community at large. The recommendations of the Diversity Task Force, specifically the creation of a leadership institute and a full-time diversity coordinator staff position at the State Bar were recently adopted by the Arizona Board of Governors.

- **Lorraine Lee, Chicanos Por La Casa**

Ms. Lee is a well-know and well-regarded community activist who has devoted nearly three decades of work to Arizona's Latino community. She has worked tirelessly on immigration, English-only, education and housing issues. She has received the Maclovio Barraza Leadership Award from The National Council of La Raza, has a place of recognition in the Women's Plaza of Honor on the campus of the University of Arizona, and we are proud to recognize her this year.

**ARIZONA MINORITY BAR ASSOCIATION
2007 SCHOLARSHIP BANQUET
MARCH 2, 2007**

_____ YES, please reserve _____ seats at the 2007 AMBA Scholarship Dinner. Enclosed is my check for \$_____.

Please reserve the seats under the following names:

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| 2. _____ | 7. _____ |
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_____ Unfortunately, I can not attend, but enclosed is a contribution towards the AMBA Scholarship Fund.

Please return with your check payable to Arizona Minority Bar Association and mail to:

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Kinerk, Beal, Schmidt, Dyer & Sethi, P.C.
1790 E. River Road, Suite 300
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***PLEASE RESPOND BY FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2007.**



NBA Arizona Committee On
Diversity Pipeline Development

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2ND ANNUAL
DIVERSITY SYMPOSIUM
"RAISING THE BAR FOR"
DIVERSITY

REGISTER NOW!

Program:

Diversity Leadership Training:

4:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Speaker: Michael Welp, PhD
Discussion: "The Role of White Men
In Successful Diversity Initiatives"

Description: Managing partners and partners should attend this session. The training will examine white male culture and its effect on diversity initiatives, the role of white men in the inclusion effort, and leadership tools required to build partnerships with white men to increase diversity in law firms.

Networking Reception:

6:00 – 7:00p.m. - In-House & Outside
Counsel Reception

In-House Counsel Panel:

7:00- 8:30p.m.

Discussion:
"The Corporate Diversity Imperative"
No More Window Dressing

Moderator: John E. Page

Speakers: Gregory T. Kenney

Robert Johnson

Leah Maguire

Asst. General Counsel

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March 29, 2007

Hyatt Hotel
Phoenix, AZ

4:00 – 8:30p.m.
Tickets: \$55.00

Government
Employees \$35.00

2 Ethics Credits
Available!

Register at:

www.NBAPipeline.org

White
Men as
Full Diversity
Partners

Speakers



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General Counsel
Golden State Foods



Gregory T. Kenney
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2007 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION OR RENEWAL (January 2007 – December 2007)

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Ck Date:	_____
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Firm or Agency: _____

Business Address: _____

City _____ State _____ 9-digit Zip _____

Work Phone: () _____ Work Fax: () _____

Email: _____ Year Admitted to Arizona Practice _____

NOTE: Your e-mail address is critical. Luncheon notices and other announcements are sent electronically only. AWLA newsletters are sent electronically also. Check here if you do not have an e-mail address and require a paper copy.

Areas of Practice (Select up to 5):

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| | <input type="radio"/> Juvenile | Other _____ |

Other State Bar Admissions: _____

Please return this application and a check made payable to AWLA for 2007 dues in the amount of

- \$100 (Sustaining Member*) \$75 (Private Attorney earning more than \$50,000/yr)
 \$50 (Public Attorney; or Private Attorney earning \$50,000/yr or less) \$10 (Law Student)

Send to: AWLA
P.O. Box 676
Gilbert, Arizona 85299

We need your help and involvement on committees. Please check those that interest you.

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AWLA Southern Arizona Chapter



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