



## 2018 CCBA COMMITTEES

### **BENCH BAR**

Plan and organize our Bench Bar Conferences.  
Meets regularly.

### **BYLAWS**

Reviews Bylaws regularly; makes recommendations for amendments as necessary. Meets as needed.

### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

Plans programs to promote the legal profession. law. Administers our Law Exploring, Peoples Law School and Law Related Education programs.

### **CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION**

Plans seminars for the continuing professional education of lawyers. Meets regularly.

### **DIVERSITY**

Strives to explore programs and initiatives to achieve greater diversity in the Chester County legal community.

### **FEE DISPUTE**

Supervises the expeditious resolution of fee disputes between attorneys and clients. Prior experience required. Meets infrequently.

### **HISTORICAL**

Plans for the securing, cataloging and publishing of the historical record of the bar association and its members. Meets regularly.

### **LAW DAY**

Plans events in observance of Law Day. Programs include a luncheon with keynote speaker, essay & poster contests and scholarship. Meets as needed.

### **LAW RELATED EDUCATION (LRE)**

Develop and implement curriculum for the legal education for youth program. Meets as needed.

### **LAW RELATED EDUCATION (LRE)**

**CLASSROOM VOLUNTEER** - Present curriculum for the LRE program in Chester County schools.

### **LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE (LRS)**

Review/administer the LRS program. **Members must be registered for the LRS.** Meets as needed.

### **LEGISLATIVE**

Reports on current legislative issues affecting the legal profession. Meets infrequently.

### **MEMBERSHIP**

Focuses on membership recruitment and retention, member activities and events, member services, member feedback. Meets regularly.

### **MEMORIAL**

Responsible for making all necessary arrangements to give fitting expression to the sense of loss of the Association upon death of any of its members.

### **NATURALIZATION**

Organizes and hosts three (3) Naturalization Ceremonies a year. Meets as needed.

### **NEWSLETTER**

Determines editorial and news content of **New Matter**. Plans and solicits material for publication. Meets monthly.

### **PRO BONO**

Monitors the administration of our "Access to Justice" program to assure delivery of legal services to those who qualify financially for Legal Aid administered programs. Meets monthly.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Supervises the operation, management and marketing of the Law Reporter. Meets as needed.

### **SKIPPERS**

Plans annual Bar Sail outing. Meets as needed.

### **TECHNOLOGY**

Provides programming regarding new technology affecting the profession. Meets as needed.



## 2018 CCBA SECTIONS

### **Alternative Dispute Resolution Section**

Deals with methods of resolving disputes without resorting to court intervention

### **Bankruptcy Section**

Discusses issues related to bankruptcy practice and the bankruptcy code

### **Business Law Section**

Addresses issues of business law and transactional practice

### **Civil Litigation Section**

Discussion forum for civil trial lawyers

### **Civil Rights & Constitutional Law Section**

Deals with civil liberties and constitutional law

### **Construction & Surety Law Section**

Basic construction law concepts and industry practices including changes in the law.

### **Criminal Defense Lawyers Section**

Forum for criminal trial practitioners from a defense perspective

### **Elder Law Section**

Discussion of issues related to the representation of older adults

### **Employment Law Section**

Discussion forum for practitioners on a variety of topics involving federal and state employment laws

### **Entrepreneurial Law Section**

Discuss issues relevant to entrepreneurs and entrepreneurial endeavors. For attorneys who represent entrepreneurs (intellectual property, finance, transactional, employment, etc.). Also for attorneys who want to pursue their own entrepreneurial endeavors.

### **Environmental Law Section**

Discussion of issues related to the representation of clients involved with a potential environmental impact

### **Estate/Probate & Trust Law Section**

Helps you keep current on issues related to estate practice and administration

### **Family Law Section**

Forum for issues related to divorce, support, custody, equitable distribution and other family law related subjects

### **Immigration Law Section**

Discusses current trends in immigration law, provides CLE training for experienced/ new immigration attorneys, and meets with other CCBA sections on how immigration matters impact their practice

### **Intellectual Property Section**

Deals with matters of patent, trademark, copyright and trade secret law; discuss IP issues of common interest.

### **International Business Law Section**

Addresses issues of international business law, arbitration and transactions

### **Lawyer/Realtor Section**

Multi-disciplinary exchange of ideas among both attorneys and realtors

### **Municipal & Land Use Section**

Offers state and local speakers on topics of importance to practitioners. Discussion areas include land use and zoning law updates, practice tips, open records, and regulatory developments

### **Real Estate Law Section**

Exchange ideas, strategies and practice tips, discuss pending and new legislation and developing trends in real estate

### **Sole Practitioner/Small Firm Section**

Discusses issues unique to practice of the sole and small firm practitioner

### **Worker's Compensation Section**

Discuss relevant topics, legislation and cases

## CHESTER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION:

### **GOLF LEAGUE**

Play 9 holes; 12 weeks mid May - Early August

### **SKI CLUB**

Group planned day trips to various local ski resorts in January and February

## CHESTER COUNTY BAR FOUNDATION:

### **GOLF CLASSIC COMMITTEE**

Plans and secures sponsors and golfers for this annual event. Meets as needed prior to the event in Spring.

### **KEY GALA COMMITTEE**

Plans and secures sponsors for this annual event. Also solicits donations for the silent and live auction. Meets as needed prior to event in Fall.

## YOUNG LAWYERS' DIVISION (YLD)

The Young Lawyers' Division of the Chester County Bar Association promotes and preserves the interests of our younger members by encouraging professional development through educational and service programs and activities. The YLD offers the benefits of meeting and socializing with other members of the Chester County Bar Association and encourages young lawyers to participate in the general activities of the Association. Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month on a rotating basis at 12:00 PM at the Chester County Bar Association Building or 5:00 PM Happy Hour at a local establishment.