## Lycoming Law Association Young Lawyers Division Report for the 2010 Lycoming Law Association Annual Meeting

The Young Lawyers Division of the Lycoming Law Association ("YLD") has raised its active members number to a new height. This is attributable to the numerous events that the YLD conducted in 2009 and the events planned for 2010.

In 2009, the YLD hosted "Lawctoberfest" on November 7, 2009 at the Herdic House. "Lawctoberfest" is an opportunity for local attorneys and members of the community to enjoy an evening of dining and auctions to raise money for the Law Foundation. Approximately 30 people attended the festival, which raised approximately \$1,100 for the Law Foundation.

In addition to the Fourth Annual Lawctoberfest, the YLD continued its participation in the Salvation Army Angel Tree Toy Drive. Nine boxes filled with toys were collected from a total of eight law firms. Even in this trying economic time, the Toy Drive saw an increase in donations.

In addition to the civic events in 2009, the YLD has participated in a number of social events seeking to keep the collegiality of the local bar. In particular, the YLD hosted the admission ceremony reception at the Old Corner following the admission of six new attorneys. Many of these attorneys were already planning "Lawctoberfest", as well as attending a number of YLD committee meetings. The YLD looks forward to growth in membership and activity.

In 2010, the YLD anticipates a number of civic and social events. The YLD has already planned a "Strike-Out Hunger" Bowling Program. At this dual social and civic event, members and their families will participate in a fun night of bowling at the Faxon Bowling Lanes. Each person will donate a canned food good to enter the program. This Bowling Program will kick-off the canned food drive to benefit St. Anthony's.

The YLD has recommended to the LLA Executive Committee that the undersigned serve as the YLD Chairperson for 2010. I look forward to a great year in 2010 and I hope for a bridge to connect the YLD and its members with the many great seasoned attorneys from Lycoming County.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert Cronin, Esq. 2010 YLD Chair