

LAW DAY 2011
ANNUAL REPORT

Once again, the Law Day was a successful event, but had less participation in 2011 than in the past. In an effort to reduce mailing costs and in recognition of the electronic age in which we live, the Law Day Committee sent the invitations to participate to the Teachers via e-mail in 2011. Overall, there were fewer submissions for the Kindergarten through Eighth grades and there were no submissions from High School students. Thus, 2011 we are going to return to sending the invitations by regular mail in an effort to increase participation again.

The Law Day ceremony was held on May 6, 2011, which Judge McCoy officiated on behalf of the Court with all of the Judges participating. The Law Day singers sang the National Anthem and Senior Judge Kieser was the guest of honor.

Thanks to Gary Weber, all of the winning essays and pictures of the art work are on the LLA's website again this year. Mike Strunk of Strunk Digital Video videotaped and the Law Day Ceremony was broadcast on Comcast 70 on May 10th and May 12th.

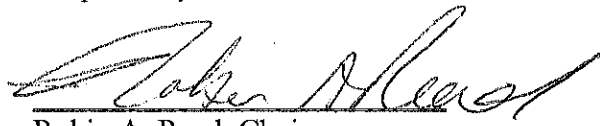
As in the past, the Lycoming County Paralegal Association hung some of the art work outside of the Courtrooms on the second and fourth floors of the Courthouse. In addition, the Lycoming County Paralegal Association hosted a pizza and cake party for the winners and their families immediately after the ceremony. The Paralegal Association's assistance and participation in the Law Day is extremely important and I want to thank the members of the Paralegal Association for their ongoing assistance and commitment to the Law Day project.

A reception for the legal community was held at the Old Corner by the Lycoming Law Association.

Preparations are underway for Law Day 2012. I will again chair the Law Day Committee and Paralegal Janice Koziol will co-chair the Committee.

I want to thank the Law Day Committee Members for their continued participation including Judge McCoy, Attorneys John Pietrovito, Tammy Taylor and Michael Collins; and Paralegals Janice Koziol, Jessica Engel, Ken Try, Alice Force and Courtney Johnson.

Respectfully Submitted,


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