

LAW DAY 2014
ANNUAL REPORT

The Law Day program was once again a successful event with many essay and art submissions from students in Kindergarten through 12th grade. The Law Day ceremony was held on May 2, 2014, in the Lycoming County Courthouse. The theme was "*American Democracy and the Rule of Law: Why every Vote Matters*". The Law Day singers sang the National Anthem. Sandy Adams, Lycoming County Director of Elections, was the guest of honor and featured speaker. John Pietrovito presented awards to the Regional Champions of the Mock Trial Competition. Additionally, Charles F. Greevy, III, winner of the 2014 William E. Nichols Community Service Award, recognized and designated his honorees.

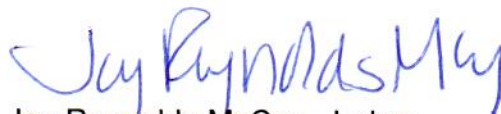
Thanks to Gary Weber, all of the winning essays and pictures of the art work are on the LLA's website again this year. Mike Strunk of Strunk Digital Video videotaped the ceremony and it was broadcast on Comcast Channel 70 on May 6th and 8th.

A reception for the students, their families and other attendees was held in the Jurors Lounge immediately following the ceremony. This reception was hosted by the Lycoming Law Association and the Lycoming Paralegal Association.

I would like to thank the Law Day Committee members for their continued participation in Law Day: John Pietrovito, Esquire; Tammy Taylor, Esquire; Robert Cronin, Esquire; and Executive Director of the Lycoming Law Association, Jessica Engel. A special thank you to member and Co-Chair, Janice Koziol, who frankly did a majority of the leg work.

Preparations are under way for Law Day 2015. Law Day is scheduled for May 1, 2014, at 4:00 p.m. in Courtroom No. 1 of the Lycoming County Courthouse. I am stepping down as Chair of the Law Day Committee. I had agreed to temporarily take over as Chairperson. Janice Koziol is also stepping down as Co-Chair of the Law Day Committee due to commitments with her employment. It would, therefore, be necessary for a new Chairperson to be selected. I will agree to continue to be a member of the Committee and be happy to assist the new Chairperson.

Respectfully submitted,



Joy Reynolds McCoy, Judge
Chairperson