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#### SCHEDULED EVENTS

- Additional information about any of these events is available on the Lycoming Law Association website at www.lycolaw.org.
- 12/5/2019 New Attorney Admission. The New Attorney Admission Ceremony will be held at 4 PM in Ctrm. #1. After the ceremony there will be a reception held at The James. Download the flyer. Time: 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM.
- 12/12/2019 Memorial Service for Yvonne Campbell. The memorial service for Yvonne Campbell will be held on December 12th at 4 PM in Ctrm. #1. Time: 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM.
- 12/17/2019 Criminal Brown Bag Lunch. Regular meeting of the Criminal Bar. Time: 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM.
- 12/18/2019 Lycoming Law Association Foundation. Monthly meeting of the LLA Foundation. Time: 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM.
- 1/13/2020 Annual Meeting. LLA Annual Meeting (at LLA Office). Please plan to attend. Time: 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM.
- 1/13/2020 Annual Banquet. Details to be announced. Please mark your calendars! Time: 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM.



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#### **UPCOMING LYCOMING COUNTY CLE OPPORTUNITIES**

- 12/12/2019 Criminal Law Update 2019. PBI Groupcast. Register at www.pbi. org. CLE Credits: 3 Substantive Time: 12:00 PM to 4:15 PM.
- 12/18/2019 The Year in Review for the General Practitioner 2019. PBI Groupcast. Register at www.pbi.org. CLE Credits: 5 Substantive / I Ethics Time: 8:30 AM to 3:45 PM.
- \*For more information on these events and CLEs go to www.lycolaw.org or contact Michele Frey at the LLA Office at (570) 323-8287.

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The full text of the following Lycoming County Court opinions is reported at www.lycolaw.org/cases/search.asp

► Commonwealth vs. Moy (11/18/2019)—Judge Marc F. Lovecchio Criminal: Appeal; timeliness of trial under 120-day rule under Interstate Agreement on Detainers; waiver of issues not raised in lower court: claims of ineffective assistance of counsel asserted on direct appeal; applicability of exception for individual claims alleged to warrant exceptional treatment; prejudice from late disclosure of confidential informant's criminal record information where informant not called as witness at trial; need for continuance; objections to failure of Commonwealth to call informant as witness because of inability to confront the witness; missing witness charge where Commonwealth has satisfactory explanation for non-appearance of witness; authenticity of text messages where facts and circumstances conform to information in the messages; sufficiency of evidence; testing a representative sample of controlled substances; prejudice from failure to suppress where the court did not consider the evidence at issue; reasonableness of sentence; waiver of issues not raised at sentencing hearing. (moy11182019L) (Posted: November 22, 2019)

► Gentry vs. Herlihy Helicopters, Inc. (11/19/2019)—Judge Eric R. Linhardt

Civil: Motion to quash subpoena for protective order and for sanctions; authority of court to enforce non-party, domesticated subpoena after subpoenaed party has become a named defendant in a foreign action; compliance with procedures of discovery state. (gentry111919Li) (Posted: November 21, 2019)

## **EFFECTIVE DECEMBER IST, 2019**

All deeds that require a registration form need to have the registration form attached and completed at the time the deed is filed. We are attaching a list for your reference of the city/boros/twps that require a registration form. Starting **December 15th** deeds without the required completed registration form will be rejected.

If a statement of value form is required for a deed please see attached list as to how many copies of that form are needed. We always need at least two and certain twps/boros require more.

We are requiring return information to be placed on all incoming documents. The back of the document is the preferred placement for this information. If there is "mail to" information on the front of the document and you do not wish for it to be returned there, it will need to be crossed out. Then note on the back of the document where it should be returned to. If the document is not being returned into a mail box in our office an envelope will need to be provided.

For those who are already completing these items we thank you. Having everyone's cooperation in these matters is greatly appreciated. Participation from all will help relieve potential errors.

**THANK YOU** 

Register and Recorder Staff

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City/Twp/Boro	School Dist	Reg	SOV	ent of Value Requireme City/Twp/Boro	School Dist	Pog	sov
Anthony Twp	JS JS		2		JS JS	Reg	
		no	_	Mifflin Twp		YES	2
Armstrong Twp	SWMPT	no	2	Mill Creek Twp	ELS	no	2
Bastress Twp	JS	no	2	Montgomery Boro	MTGY	YES	2
Brady Twp	MTGY	no	2	Montoursville Boro	MTSV	YES	3
Brown Twp	JS	YES	2	Moreland Twp	ELS	YES	2
Cascade Twp	MTSV	YES	2	Muncy Boro	MUN	YES	2
Clinton Twp	MTGY	YES	2	Muncy Creek Twp	MUN	YES	2
Cogan House Twp	STIOGA	no	2	Muncy Twp	MUN	YES	2
Cummings	JS	YES	2	Nippenose Twp	JS	no	2
Duboistown Boro	SWMPT	YES	2	Old Lycoming Twp	WMSPT	YES	2
Eldred Twp	MTSV	YES	2	Penn Twp	ELS	no	2
Fairfield Twp	MTSV	no	2	Piatt Twp	JS	YES	2
Franklin Twp	ELS	YES	2	Picture Rocks Boro	ELS	no	2
Gamble Twp	MTSV	YES	2	Pine Twp	WELLS	no	2
Hepburn Twp	WMSPT	YES	2	Plunketts Creek Twp	MTSV	YES	2
Hughesville Boro	ELS	YES	2	Porter Twp	JS	YES	2
Jackson Twp	STIOGA	no	2	Salladasburg Boro	JS	no	2
Jersey Shore Boro	JS	YES	2	Shrewsbury Twp	ELS	no	2
Jordan Twp	ELS	no	2	So Williamsport Boro	SWMPT	YES	3
Lewis Twp	WMSPT	no	2	Susquehanna Twp	SWMPT	YES	2
Limestone Twp	JS	YES	2	Upper Fairfield Twp	MTSV	YES	2
Loyalsock Twp	LOY	YES	2	Washington Twp	MTGY	no	2
Lycoming twp	WMSPT	YES	2	Watson Twp	JS	YES	2
McHenry Twp	JS	YES	2	Williamsport City	WMSPT	YES	3
McIntyre Twp	CAN	no	2	Wolf Twp	ELS	YES	2
McNett Twp	CAN	no	2	Woodward Twp	WMSPT	YES	2

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### **Legal Aid Attorney and Paralegal Openings**

North Penn Legal Services is seeking to fill an attorney and paralegal position in a newly formed medical-legal partnership in Williamsport, PA. Additionally North Penn has new positions for disability advocacy as follows: paralegal in Bethlehem and Bloomsburg and an attorney opening in Pittston, PA. For information on the positions and how to apply, visit www.northpennlegal.org/about/careers. EOE.

Nov. 29; Dec. 6

### **Chief Justice John Roberts Visits With LLA Members**



Photo (left to right): Denise Dieter, Chris Kenyon, Rachel Planas, Chief Justice John Roberts, Christian Frey, Tiffani Kase, Mary Kilgus, Liz and Austin White.

As part of the LLA's 150th Anniversary celebrations, a group of LLA members went to Washington, D.C. for admission to the United States Supreme Court. On November 18, 2019, seven LLA members were admitted upon motion by District Judge Christian Frey. Eight out of the nine Justices appeared on the bench for the admission ceremony. Chief Justice John Roberts honored the LLA's Anniversary by attending a private meeting with the members of the LLA and their guests after the ceremony.

#### **ESTATE AND TRUST NOTICES**

Notice is hereby given that, in the estates of the decedents set forth below. the Register of Wills has granted letters testamentary or of administration to the persons named. Notice is also hereby given of the existence of the trusts of the deceased settlors set forth below for whom no personal representatives have been appointed within 90 days of death. All persons having claims or demands against said estates or trusts are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to said estates or trusts are requested to make payment, without delay, to the executors or administrators or trustees or to their attorneys named below.

#### FIRST PUBLICATION

#### Mack, Renate C., dec'd.

Late of Lycoming County.

Executor: Shannon N. Mack, 1225 Governor Bridge Road, Davidsonville, MD 21035.

Attorney: John A. Shoemaker, Esquire, 127 Headley Avenue, Dushore, PA 18614, (570) 928-7374.

#### McKeag, James P., dec'd.

Late of Jersey Shore.

Executrix: Melissa M. Young, 1289 Fox Road, Jersey Shore, PA 17740. Attorneys: Scott T. Williams, Esquire, Law Offices of Perciballi & Williams, LLC, 429 Market Street, Williamsport, PA 17701.

#### Pfirman, Sherrylee, dec'd.

Late of the Borough of South Williamsport.

Executrix: Mara L. Hause, 704 Curtin Street, S. Williamsport, PA 17702. Attorney: Andrea B. Bower, Esquire, 426 Broad Street, Montoursville, PA 17754.

#### **SECOND PUBLICATION**

#### Bartle, Helen D., dec'd.

Late of Williamsport.

Executrix: Karen D. Mitchell c/o C. Edward S. Mitchell, Esquire, Mitchell Gallagher, 10 West Third Street, Williamsport, PA 17701.

Attorneys: C. Edward S. Mitchell, Esquire, Mitchell Gallagher, 10 West Third Street, Williamsport, PA 17701, (570) 323-8404.

#### Bay, Jasper H., dec'd.

Late of 1130 Bardo Avenue, Jersey Shore.

Executrix: LuAnn Catherine, 343 Bennardi Development Road, Williamsport, PA 17701.

Attorney: Leroy H. Keiler, III, Esquire, I 10 Oliver Street, Ste. 2, P.O. Box 263, Jersey Shore, PA 17740, (570) 398-2750.

#### Bellows, Derrike Jordan, dec'd.

Late of Williamsport.

Co-Administrators: Amy L. Bellows, and Randy L. Bellows, 1001 Sterling Hill Road, Canton, PA 17724.

Attorneys: Gerald W. Brann, Esquire, Brann, Williams, Caldwell & Sheetz, Attorneys at Law, 1090 West Main Street, Troy, PA 16947.

#### Fior, John P., dec'd.

Late of Linden.

Executor: Richard Robert Mazzocco, Ir.

Attorneys: James E. Higinbotham, Jr., Esquire, Higinbotham Law Offices, 45 East Main Street, Suite 500, Uniontown, PA 15401.

#### George, Harriet J., dec'd.

Late of Wolf Township.

Executor: Harry E. George, 119 Sawmill Road, Hughesville, PA 17737.

Attorneys: Thomas D. Hess, Esquire, Hess and Hess, P.C., 30 South Main Street, Hughesville, PA 17737.

## Kephart, Cherilyn R., dec'd.

Late of Cogan Station.

Administratrix: Theresa Kephart c/o Mitchell Gallagher, 10 West Third Street, Williamsport, PA 17701.

Attorneys: C. Edward S. Mitchell, Esquire, Mitchell Gallagher, 10 West Third Street, Williamsport, PA 17701, (570) 323-8404.

#### THIRD PUBLICATION

#### Fioretti, Dusty June, dec'd.

Late of Jersey Shore.

Administratrix: Taryn K. Peters c/o Denise L. Dieter, Esquire, 227 Allegheny Street, Jersey Shore, PA 17740.

Attorney: Denise L. Dieter, Esquire, 227 Allegheny Street, Jersey Shore, PA 17740.

#### Wodrig, Oscar S., Jr., dec'd.

Late of Williamsport.

Executrix: Barbara L. Wodrig, 1330 Warren Avenue, Williamsport, PA 17701.

Attorneys: McNerney, Page, Vanderlin & Hall, 433 Market Street, Williamsport, PA 17701.

### Young, Dale W., dec'd.

Late of Williamsport.

Executrix: Patricia A. Young, 1705 Richards Avenue, Williamsport, PA 17701.

Attorneys: James D. Casale, Esquire, Casale & Bonner, P.C., 331 Elmira Street, Williamsport, PA 17701, (570) 326-7044.

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**\$7,630.00** to North Penn Legal Services to provide civil legal services to indigent people and operate the Lycoming County pro bono program;

\$1,600.00 to Jersey Shore School District's Education Foundation for a student field trip to the Lycoming County courthouse to see a trial;

\$1,500.00 to the Lycoming County Court of Common Pleas for production of a juror orientation video.



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