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TAYLOR TIMES

Activities at George C. Taylor Law Center



CALENDAR

February

February 12-15
National Trial Moot Court
Team to Little Rock, AK
for Regionals

February 14
Happy Valentines Day!

February 18
Alternative Practice Forum
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Moot Court Room

February 20
Tennessee Law Review
Banquet

February 28
Mid-South Placement
Consortium in Nashville

March

March 13
Alumni Reception
The Orangery

March 14
Alumni Advisory Council
Mid-Year Meeting

"Alternative Practice Forum" Wednesday, Feb. 18, 1987

11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

The Lawyers Guild presents Bob Warren and various local attorneys in an "alternative practice forum." Mr. Warren will speak on the practical aspects of a Civil Rights Law practice at 11:00 a.m. (Moot Court Room). He will then be joined by local attorneys engaged in "alternative" practice for an informal discussion. Charlie Thomas will represent worker-side Labor Law; Gary Davis, environmental defense; David Gall, indigent and low-income criminal defense; Judy Cornett, legal services; and Jean Munroe, domestic violence law. They will hold a question-answer session in the Faculty Lounge from 12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Refreshments will be served. For further information, call George Allen at 673-4670 or Betty Stuart at 974-4241.

TAYLOR TRIVIA: Which editor of a GCT publication has a subscription to the Dolphin Digest?

Last month's **TAYLOR TRIVIA:** Which GCT staff member has a relative who graduated from the College of Law? Tony Greene's brother, John Thomas Greene, was a member of the Class of 1969.

**THE CONSTITUTION:
THAT DELICATE BALANCE
Video Presentation and
Discussion Series - 7:00 p.m.
Crest Room - University Center**

Monday, Feb. 16 - "Somehow It Works ... or Does It? (The Presidency: Nomination Procedure, the Electoral College) - Thomas Unga, Political Science Professor

Monday, Feb. 23 - "A Creeping, Crawling Crud" (Rights of the Accused in Criminal Cases) - Neil Cohen, Law Professor

Monday, March 2 - "Jail ... Prison ... Something Worse" (Prison Conditions, the Death Penalty) Neal Shover, Sociology Professor

Monday, March 9 - "Shouting Fire: Rights and Duties of the Press" (Near, the Pentagon Papers, etc.) - Dean Rivkin, Law Professor

Monday, March 30 - "Praise the Lord and ..." (School Prayer, Gun Control, and the Right to Assemble) - Fred LeClercq, Law Professor

**TIMELY TENNESSEE LAW REVIEW
ISSUE OUT IN FEBRUARY**

Issue 53 #3 entitled "Nuclear Waste Disposal: A Symposium," will be out in late February. This issue should prove to be very timely in Tennessee due to the current debate concerning monitored retrievable storage facilities (MRS) issue.

The Afro-American and the Constitution: Colonial Times to the Present

Thursday, Feb. 19, 1987
7:00 p.m. - UC Auditorium
John O'Neil, Storyteller, in "Don't Start Me to Talking or I'll Tell Everything I Know."

Thursday, Feb. 26, 1987
7:00 p.m. - UC Auditorium
Susan Taylor, Editor-in-Chief of Essence Magazine

Each Wednesday in February at Noon - UC Room 225
"Noon Day Discussions"
Nation of Islam: Past and Present; A talk with Edye Ellis; Apartheid: Soweto vs. Sun City.

The 1987 Stephen P. Ladas Memorial Award
In recognition of the outstanding contributions made to enhance the world-wide protection of intellectual property by Stephen P. Ladas during his years of international practice, an incentive Award Program has been established. A cash prize of \$1000 along with a set of the three-volume work Patents Trademarks and Related Rights-National-International Protection by Dr. Ladas will be awarded once a year to the paper on the subject of trademarks and related matters world-wide, judged best in accordance with the rules set forth. See the PLI bulletin board for further information.

MOOT COURT TEAMS ARE BUSY!

Three moot court teams have upcoming competitions. The Jessup International Law team will compete in Abington, VA, Feb. 28 - March 1; the Frederick Douglas team in Atlanta, March 5-7; and the Wagner Labor Law team in New York, March 26-29. We wish them all much success!

The National Moot Court team finished in the top 8 teams in the nation in the National Competition in New York last month. Susan Bartell, Kate Stephenson, and Lynn Taylor made it to the quarterfinals in the competition.

The Stetson Tax team, Elaine Burke, Marshall Peterson, and Robyn Ryan, competed in Florida last month and finished with second-place oral argument and third-place brief honors.

Our congratulations and thanks to both teams for representing GCT so well.

A Mid-South Law Placement Consortium and Spring Recruiting Conference will be held at the Park Suite Hotel in Nashville on Saturday, February 28. The following firms and employers have signed up to participate:
Air Force Judge Advocate Corps
AFG Industries, Inc.
Kingsport
Attorney General and Reporter
State of Tennessee
Nashville

(Placement continued)
 Bagwell, Bagwell, Parker,
 Riggins & Kennedy
 Clarksville
 Boulton, Cummings, Connors &
 Berry
 Nashville
 Campbell & Campbell
 Chattanooga
 Law Office of Donald G.
 Dickerson
 Cookeville
 English, Lucas, Priest &
 Owsley
 Bowling Green, KY
 FBI - Nationwide
 Foley & Weiss
 Nashville
 Grant, Konvalinka & Grubbs
 Chattanooga
 Hill & Killiam
 Jasper
 IDS Financial Planners of
 American Express
 Memphis
 Leitner, Warner, Moffitt,
 Williams, Dooley, Carpenter
 & Napolitan
 Chattanooga
 Manier, White, Herod,
 Hollabaugh & Smith
 Nashville
 Marine Corps Judge Advocate
 Corps
 McClellan, Powers & Ehmling
 Gallatin
 Murfree, Cope & Moore
 Murfreesboro
 Neal & Harwell
 Nashville
 Tennessee Department of
 Revenue
 Nashville
 Thomas, Price, Alston, Jones &
 Davis
 Jackson, MS
 Waldrop, Breen, Bryant, Crews,
 Taylor & McLeary
 Jackson
 See Joann Gillespie in Career
 Services for further
 information.

FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

ONWARD AND UPWARD ... OUTWARD

Three members of our support staff have moved onward and upward, alas, outside the University. Cheryl Mays in Career Services has accepted a position with Rowland & Rowland where she will be doing work with their computer system as well as training to be a paralegal. Jeannie Robinson has left her position in the Word Processing Center to join the staff of Wagner, Myers & Sanger. Our annex secretary, Julie Monday, will be leaving Feb. 25th due to her husband's acceptance of a job in Nashville. They all added a great deal while they were here and we will miss them. Good luck to all three!

ONWARD AND UPWARD ... INWARD

Terri Daugherty has been transferred to the word processing specialist position in our Word Processing Center. Congratulations, Terri!

THE GOOD NEWS!

Our recent addition to the Records Office is Connie Hicks. Connie has over three years of related experience in the UTK Undergraduate Admissions Office. Please take an opportunity to welcome her to the Law School.



MEMPHIS LAW FIRM DOUBLES SIZE OF MCKNIGHT SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT AT UT COLLEGE OF LAW

Partners of the Memphis law firm of McKnight, Hudson, Henderson, Clark, Fisher & Warren have given \$10,000 to the UT College of Law to further honor the memory of their deceased senior partner and to benefit students interested in a career in labor law.

This gift doubles the size of the Robert L. McKnight Memorial Scholarship endowment, first established in 1979. Mr. McKnight, who died in 1976, was a noted labor lawyer and a 1933 graduate of the University of Memphis Law School. The income earned by the McKnight endowment provides an annual scholarship to a third-year student who has manifested an interest and shows promise of distinction in the field of labor law.

The partners are Fletcher L. Hudson, Kenneth D. Henderson, Ross B. Clark, II, Donna K. Fisher, and Keith A. Warren. Hudson, Henderson, and Clark are all graduates of the UT College of Law, and Clark is currently serving as Chairperson of the College's Alumni Advisory Council.

IN MEMORIAM

The entire GCT family wishes to express our sincerest sympathy to Professor Fred LeClerc and his family due to the recent death of his father.



**ATTENTION LAW STUDENTS!
ONE OF YOU IS WANTED!**
There is an opening for a Student Advisor for this year's Mock Trial competition. Oak Ridge High School needs you. Come to PLI & volunteer!

RESEARCH AND SERVICE

NEIL COHEN ...

... will speak to the West Knoxville Exchange Club, Feb. 18, on the death penalty.

... will speak to the Knoxville Area Psychological Association, Feb. 24, on the insanity defense.

... received a summer research grant from UT to finish an insanity defense study.

GRAYFRED GRAY ...

... ,as the Knox County Director of the Teen Crime Prevention Program, started the Teen Crime Prevention Council of local high school students and will advise them on projects. The program is sponsored by the National Crime Prevention Council and the National Institute for Citizen Education in the Law.

... will co-teach an all-day training session on "The Teens, Crime, and The Community Curriculum" for high school teachers and law enforcement officers with Judith Zimmer of the National Institute for Citizen Education in the Law on Feb. 20.

(Research and Service continued)

Professor Gray ...

... will coordinate the Feb. 20th poetry reading at The Wrangler at 8:00 p.m. The featured poets are Bill Chapman, Claud Crawford, Carol Malone, and Pat Benjamin.

... continues to work with the First United Methodist Churches' single's support group.

JOE KING ...

... will travel to Washington, DC, on Feb. 20 at the request of the Secretary of Health and Human Services to participate in a round table on the reform of medical malpractice law.

CAROL MUTTER ...

... spoke to the Blount County Bar Association, Feb. 4, on tort reform.

... will speak on tort reform to the Executive Women's Association on February 25.

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