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# TAYLOR TIMES

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## *Activities at George E. Taylor Law Center*

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### WEST PUBLISHING COMPANY'S GRADUATION PRESENT WORTH MORE THAN \$250 FOR SPRING LAW SCHOOL GRADUATES

West is pleased to announce a major, unprecedented offer available to spring law school graduates. Any "WESTLAW Certified" graduating law student will be entitled to receive two (2) free hours of WESTLAW usage after graduation provided the student meets the qualifications. See Professor Ruth Hill in the Law Library for details on qualifications.

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### NATIONAL MOOT COURT REGIONALS TO BE HOSTED BY GCT NOV. 13-15

The University of Tennessee College of Law will host the regionals of the National Moot Court competition November 13-15. The competition begins at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, November 13, with teams representing L.S.U., Loyola, Vanderbilt, the University of Mississippi, Mississippi College, Memphis State University, the University of Alabama, Tulane, Southern University, Cumberland School of Law at Samford University, and the University of Tennessee. The elimination rounds will be held in the Supreme Court Building, the Court Square in the Plaza Tower, the old post office building, and the Moot Court Room of GCT. The final round begins at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 15, in the GCT Moot Court Room. The championship round will begin at 11:00 a.m. The awards ceremony will be held in the Moot Court Room immediately following the championship round. Susan Bartell, Lynn Taylor, and Kate Stephenson comprise the UT team. The team advisor is UT law professor John Sobieski. Mary Ann Bledsoe, Judy Barckhoff, and Professor Joseph Cook are coordinating this special event. The public is cordially invited to attend all the competition rounds. For further information call 974-4241.

**CALENDAR**

**NOVEMBER 1986**

November 3-7

Pre-registration for Spring Semester 1987

November 5

Organizational Meeting for Constitution Week, 1987

11:00 a.m. - Room A116

November 6

3L Composite Pictures Taken by Ray Wolf - Room 104 -

3:00-9:00 p.m. - see Tim Warnock for details

November 6

Survival Seminar - Knoxville Barristers

November 7

Advocates Ball

November 8

Homecoming - Barbeque and Open House

November 10-14

Lawyers Guild Clothing Drive White Avenue Lobby and Student Lounge in basement

November 12

A Legal Career in the Marine Corps - 1Ls only - Moot Court Room - 11:00 a.m.

November 13-15

Regionals of National Moot Court Competition

November 14

Bench-Bar Conference - Knoxville Bar Association

November 26

On Campus Interviews End

November 27-28

Thanksgiving Holidays

**DECEMBER 1986**

December 5

Classes End

December 6

LSAT

December 9-19

Examination Period

December 12

Commencement



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**HOMECOMING '86 FESTIVITIES**

**ADVOCATES BALL**

Friday

November 7, 1986

9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

Downtown Hilton

501 W. Church Street

Knoxville

Featuring "The Jack Thomas Orchestra" - a 19-piece swing band from Knoxville.

\$25 per couple/\$15 single

Proceeds to benefit the Alan Novak Student Loan Fund

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**BARBEQUE PARTY**

Saturday

November 8, 1986

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Front lawn of GCT

Sponsored by the SBA

\$5 per person - catered by Buddy's

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**OPEN HOUSE**

Saturday

November 8, 1986

Immediately following the football game

GCT Main Lobby and Basement Offices

Relax, refresh yourself, and visit with alumni, faculty, and friends.

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For further information call Betty Stuart at 974-6691.

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**SURVIVAL SEMINAR**

Sponsored by the Knoxville Barristers  
Thursday, November 6, 1986  
Small Assembly Room, in the City-County Building  
For further information: call Cecilia Lambert 525-5134; or Robyn Askew 522-4400; or Tom Mabry 546-8706

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**LAWYERS GUILD CLOTHING DRIVE**

November 10-14  
White Avenue Lobby & Student Lounge  
Please donate new and used, adult and children, men and women clothing. The collection containers will be located in the White Avenue Lobby and Student Lounge throughout the entire five-day period. The clothing will be distributed to rural families in upper East Tennessee by the Mountain Women's Exchange in Jellico. Thank you.

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**COLLEGE OF PRACTICAL LAW**

November 11 - 7:30 p.m. - A118  
Final arguments on a case from Tennessee Family Law will be heard from high school teams. Judges will be Professor Nicole Russler, Professor Jerry Black, and Chancellor Frederick McDonald. Students are welcome to come and observe.

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**A LEGAL CAREER IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS**

November 12 - 11:00 a.m.  
Moot Court Room - 1Ls only  
Captain Brian Hearnberger will speak to interested first-year law students about a military legal career. For further information, see Cheryl Mays in Career Services.

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**BENCH BAR CONFERENCE**

Hyatt Regency Hotel  
November 14 - 9:00 to 4:30  
The purpose of this conference is to improve and encourage communication between the Bench and the Bar. It is free to law students. Moderators will be presenting areas of difficulty as seen by judges and lawyers.

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**1987 MOCK TRIAL COMPETITION**

Sign up in PLI - Room 14  
Throughout November  
All law students are invited to sign up as advisors to teams of high school students competing in the 1987 Tennessee Street Law Mock Trial Competition. You can indicate a preference for co-advisors as well as for schools. If you have any questions, talk to any of last year's advisors, coordinators Brook Thompson, Rod Umberger, and Ben Pitts, or Betty Stuart or Dean Julie Hardin in PLI.

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**ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING FOR CONSTITUTION WEEK**

Wednesday, November 19  
11:00 a.m. - Room A116

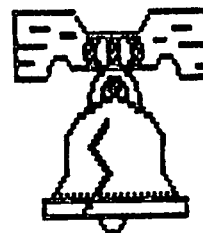
The steering committee and all interested law students will meet to decide what issue to debate, to choose a guest speaker, and to help organize Constitution Week.

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**1987 MOCK TRIAL COMPETITION**

In honor of the upcoming bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution, the case for this year's mock trial concerns one of our most precious rights: freedom from unreasonable searches and seizures. A teenager is arrested for possession of and intent to sell drugs on a high school campus after his parked car is searched by an undercover police officer acting on a tip from an anonymous informant.

Materials will be mailed to the schools during the first week of December and will be available to advisors the same day. All law students are invited to sign up as advisors to teams. Sign up sheets will be available in PLI, Room 14, throughout November. Formal competition rounds begin in February and run into the first week of April. We are looking forward to retaining the state championship here in Knoxville (Doyle is the defending champ), or at least maintaining our excellent reputation for fielding well-prepared teams. You'll be in for a great experience, so sign up by December 1!



**LIBERTY!**

**CONSTITUTION WEEK  
PLANNED FOR  
TAYLOR LAW CENTER  
FEBRUARY 2-6, 1987**

We the people... intend to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the United States Constitution in style!

February 2-6, 1987 will be "Constitution Week" at the University of Tennessee College of Law. The tentative schedule is as follows:

- Monday - Symposium
- Tuesday - Panel Discussion on Textbooks and Religion
- Wednesday - Law Student Debate and Mock Constitutional Convention for High School Students
- Thursday - SBA Constitution Birthday Party
- Friday - Speaker

The Steering Committee consists of Scott Davis (Chair), Elaine Burke (Publicity Coordinator), Lynn Bergwerk, Mark DeBord, Richard Demontbreun, Elizabeth Farr, and Teresa Mahan. We need your help! An organizational meeting will be held Wednesday, November 19, 11:00 a.m. in Room A116. What issue should we debate? AIDS discrimination, Affirmative Action, war powers, obscenity laws? Please indicate your preference to the members of the steering committee. Also, give us your suggestions for a speaker to give a proper finale for the week we choose to honor our Constitution.

# HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL!

## TENNESSEE JUDICIAL NEWSLETTER EDITORIAL BOARD SELECTED

The following students have been selected for a position on this year's Editorial Board of the Tennessee Judicial Newsletter: Steven A. Dix, Elizabeth A. Farr, John J. Hollins, Jeffrey G. Jones, Jeff S. Rosenblum, and Andrew M. Walsh. Thomas A. Bickers has been selected as Associate Editor. Congratulations, all!

## TENNESSEE LAW REVIEW MEMBERS ANNOUNCED

Joe Wheeler has announced that the following students have been conferred the status of full membership on the Tennessee Law Review: Michael L. Agee, Thomas L. Blankenship, James C. Bradshaw, Teresa D. Daniel, Deanna F. Daugherty, James W. Elrod, Holly D. Hoffman, Scott A. Hooper, Collette R. Jones, Douglas A. Lynn, Cynthia K. Mancebo, Richard D. Moore, Gregory K. Morgan, George J. Phillips, Perry Piper, Benjamin Y. Pitts, Richard T. Saas, John C. Tishler, Robert D. Thomas, William G. Traynor, and Laura Walter. All of your hard work has paid off. Congratulations!

## MOOT COURT TEAMS SELECTED

Moot Court Board Chairperson Susan Bartell takes pleasure in announcing the members for the following Moot Court teams.

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National Trial teams

Scott Davis, Patricia Mogan, and Tom Bickers

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Daniel Clayton, Julie Taylor, and Steve Rothenburg

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Tax Moot Court team

Robyn Ryan, Elaine Burke, and Marshall Peterson

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Members of the Labor Law team will be selected November 11.

## YOU SHOULD KNOW...

### TO POST OR NOT TO POST NOTICES BELONG ON BULLETIN BOARDS, NOT MARBLE.

Now that we have large bulletin boards in strategic locations around Taylor Law Center, there is no need to cover our gracious marble walls with tape and paper.

Please post your notices on the bulletin boards and use tacks, not staples. On those special occasions when you need to display posters which will not fit on the bulletin boards, easels will be made available to you. Just ask the personnel in the Public Law Institute or in the business office for assistance.

This policy applies to the entire law school community.

## THE LIBRARY

A new day has dawned in the Law Library. Four brand new Ricoh FT5070 photocopier machines have been installed. The Law Library now has at least one photocopier located on each floor; one is the east end of the lower reading room near the Reference Librarian's office, one in the upper reading room in front of the Law Library Director's office, and two on the top floor of the stacks (one at each end). The locations were designated in response to user requests.

The most unique feature of the new machines is the optional coin/dollar/card operation. Under this system, students will be able to obtain cards to which they can add value with the coin/dollar operation mechanism. This in turn will eliminate the need to carry a lot of change to make copies. The suppliers of the system have told us that in January they will install validators which will also accept five dollar bills.

Library staff is currently being trained to use the machines and to deal with malfunctions. Any comments or suggestions should be directed to Bill Beintema.

**TAYLOR TRIVIA:** Which GCT staff member will earn a UTK degree this quarter?  
Answer to last month's Taylor Trivia: Professor Doug Wickham

## FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

### LOOK OUT BROADWAY, MICKI FOX IS BACK!

Micki Fox will appear in Neil Simon's The Odd Couple at The Knoxville Dinner Theatre from December 4-29. Call 966-8768 for reservations. Take time to go see our Micki in one of the best comedies from one of the premier playwrights in America.

### VIRGINIA WHITE FROM LAW TO FINANCE

Virginia White, the second-floor secretary, has accepted a position with Harold Whitehead, Director of Finance, as his secretary. She will begin her new job in Andy Holt Tower in November. Virginia has been with the GCT family for two years. We will all miss her, and we wish her the best.

### HILARY CHARLESWORTH IS IN AFRICA!

Hilary Charlesworth, whom many of us met a few summers ago when she came as a Visiting Professor, has kept in touch through Judy Barckhoff. Since she left us, she has gotten married and worked for nine months at a New York law firm.

Hilary and her husband are now on a 5-month holiday, travelling throughout Africa. She plans to return to Australia and resume teaching. She will teach beginning January 1987 in the same school as Gerald McGinley. Her experience at Tennessee "gave her a taste of the rewards of teaching."



RESEARCH AND SERVICE

PROF. GARY ANDERSON ... is working with the School of Social Work on an "Alternative Sentencing Project."

ALLEN BOYER ... will have an article, "Federalism and Corporation Law: Drawing the Line in State Takeover Regulation," in the Ohio State Law Journal in early 1987.

NEIL COHEN ... serves as an ad hoc member of the Tennessee Sentencing Commission which is rewriting the penal code and sentencing structure for the state.

JOSEPH COOK ... will coordinate the regional of the National Moot Court Competition to be held at GCT, November 13-15.

GRAYFRED GRAY ... taught a class through the Sociology Department called "The Impact of Computerization on the Practice of Law."

JOE KING ... is doing research on tort law reform. ... is writing an article, "The Exclusiveness of an Employee's Workers' Compensation Remedy against Employers and Co-employees in Tennessee" for a law review. ... has had his second edition of The Law of Medical Malpractice in a Nutshell published.

JIM KIRBY ... will promote his new book, Fumble, at the Kentucky Book Fair in Frankfurt, November 22.

BOB LLOYD ... taught an AALS workshop for contracts professors in Dallas, TX on October 10-11.

JERRY PHILLIPS ... continues his work with Governor Alexander's Torts Commission. ... is preparing an article on joint and several liability for Leader's Product Liability Newsletter. ... is writing a supplement for the Cartwright & Phillips products liability treatise. ... serves as a member of the Board of Editors for Leader's Product Liability Newsletter.



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