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YOUNG LAWYERS DIVISION

KENTUCKY BAR ASSOCIATION

FALL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

October 17, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. EST

Dudley's On Short

259 West Short Street, Lexington, KY 40507

Present in-person: Chair Miranda Click, 1st District Representative Trish Estes, 2nd District Representative Teresa McMahan, 3rd District Representative Brittany Riley, 5th District Representative Kyle Bunnell, 6th District Representative Frank Schultz, Kelly Ridings, Christine Stanley, Seth Fawns, Elizabeth Combs, Calesia Henson, Janet Luo, and Jack Phillips (taking minutes)

Present by phone: 7th District Representative Don Combs, 4th District Representative Chapin Schuemann, Sarah McKenna, Kalynn Wall, Tina Nance,

Absent: Chair-Elect Megan Keane, Vice Chair Lee Metzger, Immediate Past Chair Zachary Horn, Katee Neltner, Bill Brammell, Brandon Sword, Ashlea Hellmann, Leanna Homandberg, Michael Justice, Harrison Donnelly, Olivia Amlung, John Slack, Laura Salzman, David Spalding, Becca Sherman, and Jonas Bastien

I. Call to Order: 10:05 a.m.

II. Officer Reports

A. Chair: Miranda Click

1. September Board of Governor's Meeting- The Board of Governors is considering sweeping all sections and divisions funds to donate to charity after giving one year's notice. Any sweep would leave \$15,000 or what the division typically uses in a year. The Board was also complementary of the YLD and may exclude it from any sweep.
2. 2020 Awards Ceremony- Planned for October 27, 2020 in Norther Kentucky; KBA awards only, no YLD awards will be presented.
3. Update about NIA/LMICK- Both entities are looking for new avenues of promotion in light of few in-person YLD events in 2020 and have asked the YLD to help brainstorm. Both plan to draft Facebook ads.
 - i. Sarah McKenna suggested remote CLEs sponsored by LMICK which are already in development.
 - ii. Sarah McKenna also suggested checklists and sample briefs from LMICK.
4. KBA Health and Wellness Initiative- KBA President Tom Kerrick is forming district committees and volun-telling chairs. Please help cooperate with and attend committee events like hikes, yoga, and CLEs.

5. "Town Hall" Meetings in Districts- Mr. Kerrick is reconsidering this idea because of the continued COVID-19 outbreak. Instead, he is considering zoom meeting. YLD members are encouraged to participate.
6. YLD Committee Meetings- Please reach out to non-chair committee members to update and include them. Please try to host a committee coordination call before the next in-person meeting in January 2021. Miranda will send out committee member lists.
7. New Lawyer Program February 11-12, 2021- Date set and planned for the new Central Bank Center in Lexington or to be held virtually.

B. Chair-Elect: Megan Keane (given by Chair Miranda Click)

1. Financial Report- Predicted dues are down \$10,000, but the lack of events due to COVID-19 is also keeping our costs down. Overall finances look good. The YLD's budget from the summer meeting was approved by BOG.

B. Vice Chair: Lee Metzger (given by Chair Miranda Click)

1. Summer Meeting Minutes- Motion to approve minutes from summer meeting (Trish Estes), seconded (Frank Schultz), all in favor, approved.
2. Elevate/Leadership KY scholarship - Forms/applications for scholarships have been drafted.

III. District Representative Reports

1. First – Patricia Estes - nothing to report.
2. Second – Teresa McMahan - nothing to report.
3. Third – Brittany Riley - nothing to report.
4. Fourth – Chapin Scheumann – Considering putting together a virtual conversation regarding ongoing racial injustice protesting in Louisville. Looking for programming suggestions.
Sarah McKenna advised that LMICK is interested in sponsoring such an event. LBA is interested, too.
Calesia Henson expressed interest in helping out.
5. Fifth – Kyle Bunnell - nothing to report.
6. Sixth – Frank Schultz - nothing to report.
7. Seventh – Don Combs - nothing to report.

IV. Committee Reports

- A. CLE Committee: Seth Fawns and Brandon Sword

- A. CLE committee for convention – Fewer CLEs than in past years are planned, but there will be fewer conflicting time slots.
 - B. Legal Aid University – Legal Aid is not coordinating a Legal Aid University this year. KBA also may not be helping coordination. A Legal Aid University might not happen this year. YLD should consider changing the dates from January or February to less busy time of the year. Seth will follow-up with principle actors regarding coordination.
- B. Communications: Kyle Bunnell and William H. Brammell
 - A. Spotlight Series on Social Media – Has been successful but need more candidates. Facebook analytics: reached over 3,000 people, 587 likes, 10 new likes, 9 new followers.
Sarah McKenna suggested cribbing from past YLD award nominations
 - B. Echo Dot Give Away – 2 left. Always looking for potential recipients.
 - C. Updates to Website – Bill Brammell (per Kyle) wants to make changes to the YLD website, including deleting or promoting the chats/forums feature. not being used. Food Frenzy photos have been updated.
- C. Health and Wellness

Chair Miranda Click suggested Facebook posts regarding wellness tips.
Janet Luo suggested free/sponsored workout or cycle classes.
Kyle Bunnell planned and executed a great Zoom wellness event for UK alumni.
- D. Community Outreach: Jack Phillips and Patricia Estes
 - A. Disaster Legal Services (Jack) – No DLS programming related to COVID-19 planned. Looking for suggestions that the YLD can take on.
Janet Luo suggested legal aid training regarding evictions.
Seth Fawns will follow-up with Legal Aid University sponsors.
 - B. Voices Against Violence (Trish) – Working on start up.
 - C. Ideas for Community Outreach (Trish) – Home Safe Home? Looking for ideas to institute.
- D. Convention: Elizabeth Combs and Kelly Ridings
 - A. We are waiting to be instructed. Spotlight speakers have been selected but are still confidential. Looking for Lexington service opportunities, perhaps to combine with Legal Food Frenzy.
- E. Diversity: Calesia Henson and Tina Nance
 - A. (Calesia) One day pipeline program planned for April 2021; application is in progress; more updates coming.
A. Considering mentoring program. Could coordinate with ongoing law school programs.
 - B. (Tina) Plan to coordinate with KBA diversity committee.

- C. Why Choose Law Program – (Miranda) contacted by high school teacher for information
- F. Education Outreach: Olivia Amlung and Katee E. Neltner
 - A. Olivia (per Miranda) – working on virtual U@18; should be functional soon.
- G. Law Student Outreach: Christine Stanley and Don Combs
 - A. Road Less Traveled – Planning virtual event for law schools. UofL has responded; looking for UK and Chase contacts; could be joint event.
 - A. Fayette County Public Schools are Zoom recording different professions for children to observe.
 - B. Convention party update – planning for new UK law school building event.
- H. Legal Food Frenzy: Sarah McKenna and Janet Luo (and Elizabeth Combs)
 - A. 2020 Legal Food Frenzy Awards Ceremony on October 7, 2020 at Attorney General’s office was successful: 8 awards, 4 recipients attended live, other awards will be mailed.
 - B. New Feeding Kentucky Contact- Whitney Wilgus
 - C. Future Planning – planning meeting scheduled for October 23, 2020.
- I. Membership: Lee Metzger and Chapin Scheumann
 - A. Elevate Application – Not seen yet but will follow-up with Lee. Unclear if program is even happening this year.
 - B. New Lawyer Program Reception – considering virtual reception.
- J. Ad Hoc Barrister’s Ball Committee: Frank Schultz and Jack Phillips
 - A. Forgo this year due to COVID-19. Possible future venues: Keeneland and Versailles Castle.
- K. ABA YLD Representatives Reports
 - A. Jack Phillips – ABA YLD Fall Meeting was virtual and successful. Mid-Year Meeting likely virtual, too.
- V. Old Business - nothing to report.
- VI. New Business –
 - A. KBA ADR Section looking for co-sponsor for virtual advanced medication CLE virtual; details forthcoming.
 - B. Should the YLD pay for a premium Zoom account?
- VI. Next Meeting:
 - Monthly Phone Conference: November 10, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.
 - Winter Quarterly Meeting: January 9, 2020- Louisville, KY – could be virtual meeting. Could be relocated to Pikeville.

VII. Adjournment: 11:35 a.m.