
YUBA SUTTER BAR ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER

February 2017

Charles S. Poulos, President

This month's meeting is on Tuesday, February 21, 2017, at 12:00 noon.

The Refuge Restaurant

1501 Butte House Road, Yuba City, CA 95993

The MCLE presentation will be provided by Kathryn Patterson from Cota Cole & Huber, LLP in Roseville. Ms. Patterson will be speaking on the topic of Reasonable Accommodations in the Workplace: Waltzing Your Way to a Reasonable Accommodation. The presentation will begin at 12:30 and will qualify for 0.5 hours of MCLE credits.

Katie Patterson specializes in employment litigation with an emphasis on FEHA and Title VII claims. Ms. Patterson has significant experience in employment-related defense litigation, managing cases from inception through trial. She taught legal writing as an adjunct professor at her Alma Mater, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law. Before going to law school, Ms. Patterson worked as a 911 paramedic, where she had the perhaps dubious honor of responding to a 911 call at the United States Supreme Court.

Additional Meeting Agenda Items:

1. The new board of the Yuba Sutter Bar Association would like to thank the 2016 board for all of their hard work and commitment to the association:

Navneet Singh, President
Philippa Lauben, Vice President

Janet Bender, Secretary
Kim Steffenson, Treasurer

2. The new board of the Yuba Sutter Bar Association is compiling a complete list of past YSBA presidents. If anyone knows of any past YSBA presidents, especially those who served during the 1980s, please let us know.
3. Law Day, May 1. President Dwight Eisenhower established the first Law Day in 1958 to mark the nation's commitment to the rule of law. In 1961, Congress issued a joint resolution designating May 1 as the official date for celebrating Law Day. Every president since then has issued a Law Day proclamation on May 1 to celebrate the nation's commitment to the Rule of Law.

In previous years, the YSBA has organized an event on May 1, where attorneys volunteer to give presentations at local schools. If anyone is willing to be part of this event, please let us know.

Please RSVP for the February meeting by Thursday, February 16, 2017

to Secretary Melissa Poulos, mpoulos@suttercourts.com, (530) 822-3368.

REMINDER NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Our March meeting will be held on March 21, 2017, at noon at the Refuge Restaurant.** Derek Cole, a partner of Cota Cole & Huber LLP, will be speaking on making effective requests for public records.
- YSBA member dues are \$50.00 for the year and are now due. Please send your check, payable to the Yuba Sutter Bar Association, to YSBA, P.O. Box 204, Marysville, CA 95901, or bring it to the meeting.
- We are now accepting scholarship applications. Letters and applications were mailed out to ten local high schools, with a deadline of April 1, 2017. One winner from each school will be announced in May.
- If you have any announcements that you would like included in the Newsletter, please send an email to Secretary Melissa Poulos at mpoulos@suttercourts.com.

Yuba Sutter Bar Association Meeting Minutes January 17, 2017 The Refuge Restaurant

1. Navneet Singh, President, began the meeting with welcoming remarks and announcements. Bar dues of \$50.00 for the 2017 year are now due.
2. Elections for officers were held. The following members were unanimously voted into office:

Charles S. Poulos, President
Courtney E. Gengler, Vice President
Melissa J. Poulos, Secretary
Jessica Hiller, Treasurer
3. The speaker, Mark Schwartz from Tyler Technologies, provided a presentation regarding E-filing and service for Yuba and Sutter Counties. A copy of his materials will be provided to the YSBA and will be available upon request.