
YUBA SUTTER BAR ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER

September 2019

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Courtney E. Gengler, President

Tuesday, September 17, 2019, at 12:00 p.m.

The Refuge Restaurant

1501 Butte House Road, Yuba City, CA 95993

This month's presentation is "What to Do (and Not to Do) in Court," by Sutter County Judge Perry Parker. This presentation qualifies for 0.5 hours of MCLE credit.

Lunch will be served at noon and is \$15.00 per person.

**Please note that we previously had scheduled a program entitled, "Cellphone Forensics: Applications in Discovery and Investigations." This program has been moved to October 15, 2019.

Please RSVP by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 13, 2019

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

REMINDER NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Our next regular meeting will be **Tuesday, October 15, 2019**. Cory Hamma, Director of Digital Forensics, will be presenting "Cellphone Forensics: Applications in Discovery and Investigations." This presentation will qualify for 1 hour of MCLE credit. See the accompanying flyer for more information.
- Bar Association Membership dues for 2019 are \$50.00 and are now due.
- 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.

2019 YUBA SUTTER BAR ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

David Anderson	Laura Ferree	Bertrand Ithurburn	Deborah Micheli
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Ron Erickson	Paulla Hyatt McIntyre	Jana McClung	James Vasquez

It is not too late to join! Just send in your dues of \$50.00 or bring them with you to the meeting.

Yuba Sutter Bar Association Meeting Minutes, May 21, 2019, The Refuge Restaurant

1. Courtney Gengler, President, began the meeting with welcoming remarks and announcements.
 - a. Our next regular meeting will be Tuesday, June 18, 2019, program to be announced. We will be taking a summer break, there will be no YSBA meetings in July or August.
 - b. We are awarding \$11,000.00 in scholarships to local high school seniors from the Don E. Huckins Memorial Scholarship fund.
 - c. Bar Association Membership dues for 2019 are \$50.00 and are now due.
 - d. Jerry Johnson, former attorney for Sutter County DCSS, passed away. There will be a celebration of life on June 8, 2019 at 3:30 p.m. at the Hampton Inn & Suites. Contact Melissa for more information.
2. This month's presentation is entitled "Community Court" and our speaker is Chris Sachs, the Police Chief for the City of Marysville. Community Court is a homeless diversion program that started in 2018. It was developed to reduce barriers to services, help navigate the court system, and provide an enforcement and accountability tool for the homeless population who are involved in the judicial system.

Prior to his appointment as Marysville's Police Chief effective March 1, 2018, Chris Sachs was a 17-year veteran of the department, serving as a Patrol Officer, Sergeant, member of the Special Enforcement Team, Division Commander, and Lieutenant. He has received a CHP Lifetime Achievement Award for recovery of stolen vehicles, a Mothers Against Drunk Driving Award for the most DUI arrests in Northern California, the 2017 Marysville Employee of the Year Award, and the Yuba County Probation Department's Victims Service Award for exemplary service with victims of violent crimes.

Chief Sachs began the presentation with a brief overview of the different groups of homeless people and the different programs and facilities that have been developed to assist the homeless population. With the collaboration of several different groups and agencies, the Life Building Center in Marysville

is able to offer 27 types of services to the homeless population. With the availability of these services, the Community Court judge is able to defer enforcement of citations and refer to services to help the person navigate the system. If the person utilizes the resources and shows up to court, the infraction can be dismissed.

Future goals of Community Court are to incorporate more misdemeanor crimes and to possibly find funding to offer an adult work program. Community Court is still very new with room to develop and grow.

3. Adjournment – Courtney Gengler, President