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NOVEMBER MEETING AND CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

Date: November 22, 2016
Topic: **Ethics for the Modern Lawyer**
Speaker: Michael Burg
Burg Law Firm
Time: 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM
Place: Hasta La Pasta, 1450 West Grand Parkway South, Katy, TX
Menu: Delicious salad, entrée, assorted beverages
Cost: \$25 for members \$30 for non-members or walk-in members
CLE: 1 hour ethics

IMPORTANT: RSVP NO LATER THAN 1:00 PM on Friday, November 18.

You may RSVP by email to christy@gtkatylaw.com and pay at the meeting, or you may register on line and either pay via credit card or at the meeting. You will also have the opportunity to register for the Featured Lawyer drawing for an additional \$5 paid in advance of the meeting. Entering the drawing at the meeting will cost you \$10. If you RSVP and do not attend or cancel, you are still responsible for your meal's cost. **If you do not RSVP, the meeting cost is \$30.00, but we cannot guarantee you either a seat or a meal.**

NOVEMBER CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION



Pictured to the left is our November speaker, KBA member and former KBA Treasurer Michael Burg of the Burg Law Firm in Katy. Michael combines his business law experience with a personal desire to see his clients grow and prosper. He has assisted numerous clients in the creation of new entities, partnerships, incorporations and limited liability companies. His business experience encompasses mergers and acquisitions (both sale and purchase), contracts, employment agreements, confidentiality and non-disclosure agreements, buy-sell agreements, real estate, franchise agreements, business litigation and other commercial representation. Michael is experienced in the creation and review of private placement memoranda for a variety of investments, including oil and gas and medical facilities. He has also defended physicians and other medical professionals in licensing matters concerning the Texas Medical Board. His clients include individuals, computer companies, banks, general contractors and subcontractors, stock brokerage firms, accounting offices, architectural firms, law offices, physicians and other medical professionals, real estate partnerships, aircraft service companies, and many others, from startup to Fortune 500 entities.

Don't miss out on what is sure to be an excellent CLE presentation. Come out for our fourth meeting of the 2016-2017 Bar Year at **11:30, November 22, 2016, at Hasta La Pasta, 1450 West Grand Parkway South, Katy, TX, and get a FULL HOUR OF ETHICS CREDIT!**

OCTOBER MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The well-attended October meeting at Hasta La Pasta was highlighted by an excellent CLE presentation on the new Federal Trade Secrets Law. The program included a comparison between the Federal law and the Texas Trade Secrets Law. There was great interest in the topic and many members participated in the Q & A during and after the presentation. President Elizabeth Pratt conducted a lively business meeting which included reports by various committees on many KBA activities and projects. Be sure to attend the November meeting for a FULL HOUR OF ETHICS CLE and to keep up to date with what is happening with the KBA.



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Photos to far left are of the attendees at the luncheon meeting, listening to our speaker Stanley Santire (pictured above) speaking about the new Federal Trade Secrets Law. Pictured left is Gerald Zimmerer, pleased having just won the Featured Lawyer Drawing. Pay just \$5 in advance of the CLE Luncheon or \$10 at the luncheon to participate in the Featured Lawyer Drawing and be front and center on our website for a whole month!

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22 IS OUR FOURTH MEETING OF THE 2016-2017 BAR YEAR. PLAN TO ATTEND! RSVP'S ARE DUE TO christy@gtkaty.com NO LATER THAN 1:00 PM ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18.

COMMITTEES

Committee work is a great way to get involved in your Bar Association, and it's fun! From time to time, ad hoc committees will be formed, so be ready to volunteer to staff those committees. In addition, there are standing committees which always are in need of additional help. Current committees and their chairs are as follows:

SOCIAL COMMITTEE	KERRI GRAHAM
AUDIT COMMITTEE	ESTELEE GARRISON
MEMBERSHIP	GERALD ZIMMERER
YOUNG LAWYERS	KELLY RIZZO
EDUCATION	STU LEVIN
PUBLIC INFORMATION	DAVID FRISHMAN
PEOPLE'S LAW SCHOOL	KATRINA ROGERS

Please feel free to contact the Chair of any committee in which you have interest.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

If you would like to be a part of the scholarship process for the 2016-2017 Bar year, please contact Education Chairman Stu Levin at stulevin@levinandatwood.com to volunteer. Our scholarships this year will be tied to the State Bar's Law Day contest, as was done for the 2016 scholarships.

Given the organizational and financial limitations that we operate under, we will disseminate information as to the totality of the State Bar Law Day award programs to the Administration of KISD, but the KBA will directly sponsor and screen only essay submissions for all of the KISD high schools as per the State Bar contest theme and rules. Any KISD high school student, regardless of grade, may enter. Submission deadline is March 1, 2017. Submissions should be submitted by the deadline to the KBA care of Elizabeth Pratt as follows:

Elizabeth Pratt, PLLC
21815 Oak Park Trails Drive, Ste. 109
Katy, Texas 77450

The KBA Board to adopted the committee's recommendations of a first place award of \$1,500, second place of \$1,000, and third place of \$500. In addition, the Education Committee reserves the right to issue "honorary mentions" to additional contestants based on merit.

Committee members will contact the KISD high schools to deliver the Texas Bar pamphlet, provide instructions to school staff, and motivate each campus to promote this program as a real opportunity for their students. Accordingly, the members have agreed to divide such responsibilities as follows:

Seven Lakes HS	Elizabeth Pratt
Katy HS and Raines HS	David Frishman
Cinco Ranch HS & Taylor HS	Teresa Lechner-Fish
Morton Ranch HS & Mayde Creek HS	Andrew Weisblatt
Tompkins HS & Wolf IBP	Rehan Alimohammad
KISD Administration	Gerald Zimmerer and Stu Levin

David Frishman and Teresa Lechner-Fish graciously volunteered to handle publicity for this program. In addition to press releases, it was recommended that that the KBA make a posting of this program on our Facebook page and that KBA Members be encouraged to make postings on their social media pages as well.

The Education Committee will judge the applications received and caucus to determine winners and those to receive honorable mentions.

PEOPLE'S LAW SCHOOL COMMITTEE PLANS FIRST EVENT

The People's Law School Committee is hard at work planning the first People's Law School event. Katy Bar Association has sponsored similar events in the past, and the Committee's goal is to both educate community members about important areas of law, as well as display the top-notch legal professionals who work and live right here in the Katy area.

The first session will cover estate planning issues and will occur Saturday, February 11, 2017, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, at the Maud Marks Public Library, 1815 Westgreen Boulevard. Subsequent sessions are planned for February 11, May 13, August 12, and November 11, 2017, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Future topics will include family law and consumer law.

The Committee opted to have shorter, more specific sessions on a quarterly basis, rather than a longer, more inclusive agenda once a year. This choice will allow community members to come to sessions covering only topics in which they are interested.

All sessions will feature presentations from Katy attorneys who focus on the particular area of law upon which they are teaching. Presentations will be accompanied by critical reference materials that community members will find helpful, including comprehensive lists of resources available through the Harris County and Fort Bend County law libraries.

If you are interested in planning these sessions, assisting on the day of the event, or being a speaker, please contact Alex Hunt at ahunt@huntlawtexas.com. The Committee also welcomes additional members. The People's Law School committee is led by Katrina Rogers. Other committee members are Rehan Alimohammad, Tiffany Garraton, Alex Hunt, Kate Marinacci, and Drew Zimmerman.

CANDIDATES FORUM COMMITTEE

The Candidates' Forum we had been planning will be postponed to the 2018 election cycle as there was not sufficient positive response from the political parties and candidates. Tentative plans for 2018 will be for two events, one for Republican candidates and one for Democratic candidates. If you would like to take part in the planning, please contact Michael Cramer, mwcramer18@sbcglobal.net or John Kelly, johnkelly@experiencedhoustonmediator.com.

KATY YOUNG LAWYERS

The Katy Bar Association now has a Katy Young Lawyers group! If you are interested in joining the KBYLA or serving on the committee, contact Kelly Rizzo, krizzo@huntlawtexas.com. The committee is planning a trivia night sometime between Thanksgiving and Christmas—no specific date or location as yet. Stay tuned to the Newsletter for announcements of future events. The purpose of the KBYLA is to provide opportunities for young attorneys who live and/or work in the Katy area to meet other attorneys of similar ages and experience levels.

BENEFITS OF BAR MEMBERSHIP

Take advantage of the many opportunities available to our members to get involved in our Bar. Volunteer for a committee! Come out for a Veterans' Clinic! Volunteer to give a CLE presentation in your field of practice. Involvement in your Bar Association is beneficial for your professional and your personal lives. There are great people in the KBA who live and work in Katy.

FEATURED LAWYER

Congratulations to **Gerald Zimmerer** for winning the October 2016 Featured Lawyer drawing. Take a look at our website--the Featured Lawyer is everywhere! The website is optimized and comes up when people are looking for a lawyer in Katy, so it's a great opportunity to be in the drawings for this bar year. You may pay \$5.00 per meeting to enter at the time you register online for the meeting. If you come to the meeting, want to be in the drawing, and you haven't paid in advance, the "on-the-spot" entry will be \$10 for that month's drawing. We will be drawing at the upcoming meeting for the November 2016 Featured Lawyer winner. The lucky winner will have

two months as Featured Lawyer due to the holidays, so please give yourself this opportunity for great publicity! The proceeds from our website ads and the Featured Lawyer drawings help support the continued visibility and optimization of our website, so please consider participating and supporting our Bar.

WEBSITE ADS

Purchase an ad on our website! For a mere \$100, you will be front-and-center with an ad promoting your law practice on the optimized and wonderfully maintained Katy Bar website. If you wish to purchase an ad, please send your check for \$100 to Christy Theander, KBA Treasurer, 21559 Provincial Blvd., Suite A, Katy, TX 77450. You may also pay for your ad online. Please provide full ad content for our use in setting up your ad. The ads are rotated in position, so your ad will change in position each time the website is loaded. What a great bargain! Reserve your space now, and help support our website. Ads purchased now will remain on the website through September 30, 2017, so the sooner you purchase, the more time you have to display your ad.

We have only four ads at present, so get your money in to Christy to ensure placement on the webpage. Those who had ads but have not paid for their renewal have been removed, so remember to send a mere \$100 to Christy Theander and get yourself noticed.

KATY AREA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

The Katy Bar Association has paid dues to become an Associate Member of the Katy Area Economic Development Council. If you are interested in attending KAEDC events as a representative of the KBA, please contact Elizabeth Pratt to advise of your interest. We rotate attendance among KBA members due to the participation limits of our membership.

FEATURED ARTICLE



This issues' Featured Article is penned by KBA Member Marianne Robak, Senior Associate Attorney at Ceronsky, Rosen & Garcia, P.C. This month's article is part one of four articles on fraudulent transfers. Marianne is pictured to the left.

FRAUDULENT TRANSFERS SERIES: INTRODUCTION

By: Marianne G. Robak of Ceronsky, Rosen & Garcia, P.C. Part one of a four part series.

During the next few months, Ceronsky, Rosen & Garcia, P.C. ("CRG") will be presenting a series on the Texas Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act ("TUFTA"). This portion of the series is intended to provide a primer to the reader on what TUFTA is and how it can be used by companies, individuals, investors, vendors, and other creditors as a pre and post-judgment remedy. TUFTA is a very valuable statute of which any creditor, potential creditor, or business owner should be aware. However, it is often overlooked by attorneys and, in some circumstances, is misunderstood by the trial courts.

The purpose of TUFTA is to "prevent fraudulent transfers of property by a debtor who intends to defraud creditors by placing assets beyond their reach." *Kaufmann v. Morales*, 93 S.W.3d 650, 653 (Tex.App.-Houston [14th Dist.] 2002, no pet.)

TUFTA provides that a transfer of an asset is fraudulent, as to a creditor, if the debtor made the transfer with the actual intent to hinder, delay or defraud any of the debtor's creditors. *Blackthorne v. Bellush*, 61 S.W.3d 439, 443 (Tex. App. — San Antonio 2001, no pet.); *Jackson Law Office, P.C. v. Chappell*, 37 S.W.3d 15, 25 (Tex. App. — Tyler 2000, pet.

denied); TEX. BUS. & COM. CODE. § 24.005(a)(1). The UFTA lists 11 non-exhaustive “badges of fraud” to assist in determining whether the debtor made the transfer with the requisite fraudulent intent. *Id.*; § 24.005(b)(1)-(11.) The list includes whether:

- (1) the transfer or obligation was to an insider;
- (2) the debtor retained possession or control of the property transferred after the transfer;
- (3) the transfer or obligation was concealed;
- (4) before the transfer was made or obligation was incurred, the debtor had been sued or threatened with suit;
- (5) the transfer was of substantially all the debtor's assets;
- (6) the debtor absconded;
- (7) the debtor removed or concealed assets;
- (8) the value of the consideration received by the debtor was reasonably equivalent to the value of the asset transferred or the amount of the obligation incurred;
- (9) the debtor was insolvent or became insolvent shortly after the transfer was made or the obligation was incurred;
- (10) the transfer occurred shortly before or shortly after a substantial debt was incurred; and
- (11) the debtor transferred the essential assets of the business to a lienor who transferred the assets to an insider of the debtor. *Id.*

In order to prove to a jury that a fraudulent transfer occurred (by way of showing that some of the badges of fraud listed above occurred), a creditor will have to ‘trace the assets’ of the debtor. Tracing assets, oftentimes, requires the creditor to conduct litigation discovery such as sending requests for production of relevant documents to the debtor (to obtain bank records, wire reports, check images, contracts, accounts receivable/payable logs, employment records, accounting records, etc), subpoenas to non-parties and/or subsequent transferees and take depositions of the debtor and other key witnesses.

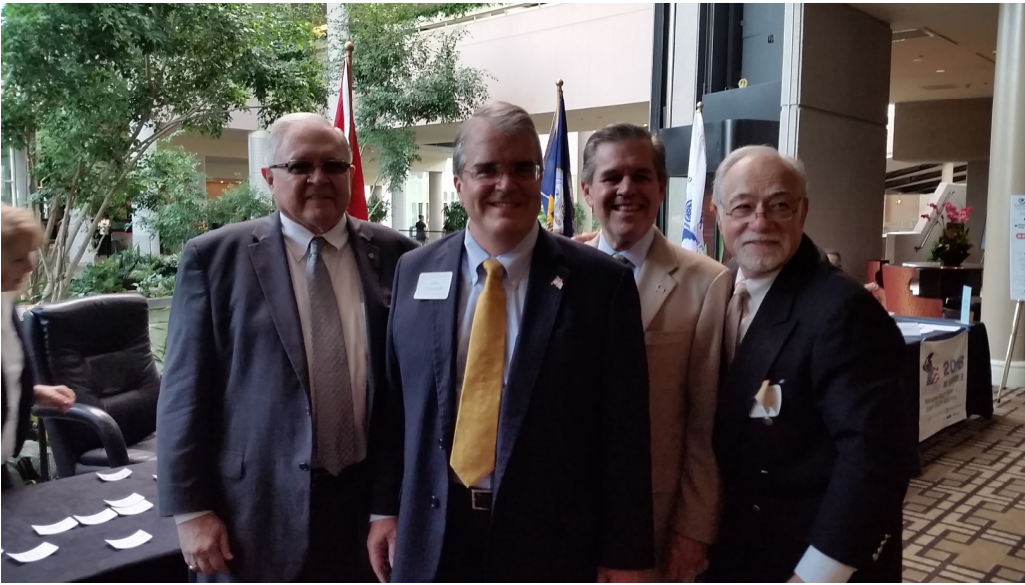
Ultimately, the evidence compiled will be presented to a judge or jury during trial (or an injunction hearing), and the decision will then be made as to whether a fraudulent transfer occurred. If the fact-finder determines that a fraudulent transfer has taken place, TUFTA permits a creditor, under certain circumstances, to set aside a debtor's fraudulent transfer of assets. *See* TEX. BUS. & COM.CODE ANN. § 24.008(a) (West 2009); *Wohlstein v. Aliezer*, 321 S.W.3d 765, 776 (Tex.App. - Houston [14th Dist.] 2010, no pet.) Depending on the facts of the case, the subsequent transferee can be held liable for the full amount of the creditor’s claims, regardless of the value of the property transferred. *See Airflow Houston, Inc. v. Theriot*, 849 S.W.2d 928, 933-34 (Tex. App. – Houston [1st Dist.] 1993 no writ.) (Using the broad language of §24.008(a)(3)(c) to permit the court to award a judgment against the transferee for the full amount of the debt, regardless of it the full value of assets or interest was received by the transferee.); *Trigeant Holdings, Ltd. v. Jones*, 183 S.W.3d 717, 727 (Tex. App. – Houston [1st Dist.] 2005, pet. denied).

The next part of the series will answer the question: Who is a creditor under the Texas Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act?

If you have a blog post you would like to share or a CLE article you may have put together, please share with Sarah Springer, KBA Newsletter Editor, for inclusion in future editions. Thank you! sarah@sarahspringerlaw.com.

As you are getting your offices organized for the new year, you may want to check out Elizabeth Pratt's blog post regarding important handbook updates: <http://elizabethpratt-legal.com/#!/blog>.

MEMBER NEWS—



Our own Publicity Chair, long-time KBA member and Silver Jubilee Service Award winner David Frishman recently attended a West Houston Chamber of Commerce Luncheon where he and Ken Burton were special guests in honor of their tireless work to honor and assist area Veterans. Pictured at left are former KBA Member Ken Burton, Congressman John Culberson, Dr. Zach Hodges, HCC Northwest President, and David Frishman. Thank you for sharing your news, David! David does a great job in getting publicity about our CLE luncheons and other events to area media.

HALLOWEEN HAPPENINGS RELATED TO THE KATY BAR ASSOCIATION

Thank you to KBA Members for sharing your pictures with us.



Pictured at left is KBA Member Ashley Hallene with her cute little Picachu on Halloween.



To our left is KBA Member and Audit Committee Chair Estelee Garrison with her puppy Poppy in witch hat above and witch dress below. Poppy refused to wear both elements of her costume at once.



Pictured above are KBA Member Sarah Springer's son Colin, his wife Jennifer, and Baby Audrey, sending greetings from Japan. From left to right, Lady Bug, Kitty Kat, and Totoro.



Rehan Alimohammad claims these cuties-
twins Ariana and Serena buzzed through trick or treating with Big Brother Danyal AKA Optimus Prime (a transformer), who was an impressive Defender of Bees on Halloween. They made it all the way down the street!

NEW LAWYERS SWORN IN AT BAKER BOTTS IN HOUSTON



Kyle Doherty, son of KBA Member Sarah Springer, was sworn into the Texas Bar November 10th at Baker Botts where he is a new Associate. Judge Andrew S. Hanen, US District Judge in the Southern District of Texas administered the oath to the new attorneys. At the far left are Anna Doherty, Kyle, Sarah; Kyle is second from the right in the near left photograph. Pictured below left is Judge Andrew Hanen, who also swore in his daughter, Kelly Hanen, another new Associate at Baker Botts.

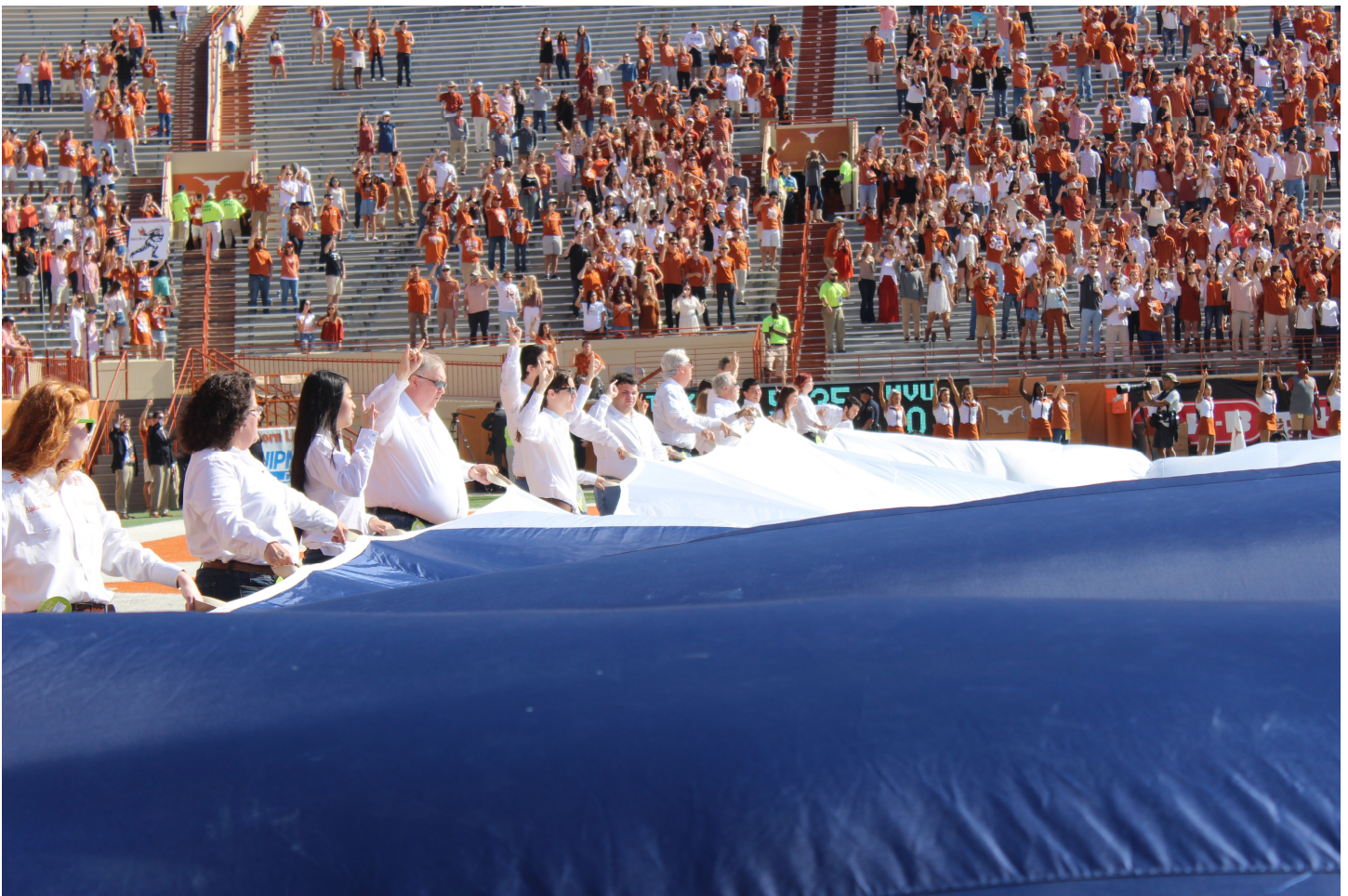


We want to brag about all of the honors and achievements of our members and their families! If you have news or photos you would like to see in the KBA Newsletter, please contact any member of the Board of Directors, or send an email to sarah@sarahspringerlaw.com.

DAVID FRISHMAN HELPS RUN TEXAS FLAG AT THE TEXAS-WEST VIRGINIA GAME



Dateline November 12, 2016: Our own David Frishman helped run the Texas flag onto the football field, pregame by Alpha Phi Omega. According to David, he created this event when he was at UT. Looks like a few more fans could have filled the stands, but when you have a fan like David, who needs full seats, right? Editor's note: I will be happy to put in news about other schools, if anyone is offended by all the burnt orange. Aggies??



Don't miss out on what is sure to be an excellent CLE presentation next week. Come out for our fourth meeting of the 2016-2017 Bar Year at **11:30, November 22, 2016, at Hasta La Pasta, 1450 West Grand Parkway South, Katy, TX, and get a FULL HOUR OF ETHICS CREDIT!** RSVP TO christy@gtkatylaw.com FOR OUR NOVEMBER MEETING AT HASTA LA PASTA BY 1:00 PM ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2016.

UPCOMING CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION AT KBA LUNCHEON MEETINGS

Be sure not to miss our **November 22nd** meeting, when KBA Member and former KBA Treasurer Michael Burg presents "Ethics for the Modern Lawyer". **The CLE is a FULL HOUR OF ETHICS CREDIT!**

Our meetings are a wonderful opportunity not only to network with Katy area lawyers, but also to learn about areas of law outside our usual areas of practice. Our programs cover a very broad array of topics, including but not limited to immigration, tax, disposal of bodies, cutting edge policing programs, employment law, personal injury, professional malpractice, end of life choices, estate planning, family law....you name it, you have learned about it at a KBA meeting or you will learn about it! We walk away from every single meeting having learned interesting and useful information, even if it is well outside our usual silo!

We will not be having a meeting in December as we will have our annual HOLIDAY PARTY in place of our Luncheon meeting, so the November meeting will be the final CLE luncheon for 2016.

All CLE luncheons offer 1.0 hour of CLE, and usually at least .25 Ethics credit. Our November meeting featuring KBA Member Michael Burg will **provide a full hour of ethics credit**.

KBA Second Vice President Charles Knobloch (713-335-3021) is seeking Katy Bar members and/or others who wish to give presentations during 2017 at the Katy Bar monthly meetings. We would like to have a broad variety of topics and especially topics that are relevant to the practice areas of our members. Judges at all levels are very much welcome to share with us their insights and peeves so that we may improve our litigation and appeal practice skills. If you are not the speaking type, let us know your topic and/or speaker suggestion. All input is most welcome. You may email Charles at: charles@aklaw.com or CKnobloch@arnold-iplaw.com with a cc: to DBena@arnold-iplaw.com (713-335-3022).

UPCOMING CLE SCHEDULE:

11-25-16	Michael Burg	Update on Ethics
12-10-16	NO MEETING	HOLIDAY PARTY!!
1-24-17	Teresa Lechner-Fish	What We All Need to Know about Copyright Law
2-10-17	Various speakers	ETHICS PROGRAM FOLLOWED BY HAPPY HOUR AT THE SWINGING DOOR IN RICHMOND, 11:00 am to 5:00 PM for the program including lunch, then socializing.
2-16-17	Andrew Weisblatt	Reviewing a Commercial Lease—a practical guide for the general Practitioner.

If you know someone who may be interested in joining the Katy Bar Association, please forward this Newsletter to them. The more we grow our local bar, the more it will be able to provide a useful service to our members, community, and potential clients.

RSVP TO christy@gtkatylaw.com FOR OUR NOVEMBER MEETING AT HASTA LA PASTA BY 1:00 PM ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH, 2016.

SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR HOLIDAY PARTY!

KBA Member and Chair of the Social Committee Kerri Graham and her husband Joe have volunteered to host the Katy Bar for our annual holiday again this year. Details will be announced soon, but **SAVE THE DATE!!**

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10TH 2016.

SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR FEBRUARY ETHICS CLE!

The KBA is sponsoring an Ethics CLE on Friday, February 10, 2017 at the Swinging Door in Richmond. Heather Hughes of US Legal Support will be doing her one-hour HIPAA program (a must-do CLE for all lawyers and their staff), and Jett Hanna, Senior Vice President of Texas Lawyer's Insurance Exchange will present a two-hour CLE program on general professional responsibility/ethics. Michael Burg will also be presenting an Ethics CLE. Our plan is for everyone to satisfy their entire annual ethics CLE requirement at one time. The program will include a delicious lunch and the CLE will be followed by a happy hour, so be sure to calendar this event as it is a MUST DO! Thank you to President Elizabeth Pratt for putting the program together and for working tirelessly to promote our wonderful Bar Association. If you are interested in sponsoring the event or if you have vendors who might be interested, please get in touch with Elizabeth Pratt for more information. Chase Bank plans to underwrite a happy hour for us, so we already have a great event underway. Excess proceeds go to fund our scholarships, so please work on getting sponsors and consider a sponsorship yourself! SAVE THE DATE!!

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, 2017 beginning at 11:00 AM.

TEXAS BAR BENEFITS

There are many benefits available to members through the State Bar of Texas. Did you know that TLAP (Texas Lawyer Assistance Program) has wellness classes for free on line? You can get on the blind notice list by contacting cameron.vann@texasbar.com. Classes include: Anger and Boundaries; Dealing with Grief and Loss, Lawyer Addiction and Recovery, Lawyers Fighting Back Against Burnout and Depression, Lawyer Happiness, Practical Tips for Lawyer Self-Care, Taking Care of You and Your Colleagues: Donald Davis Story, Unstuck from Depression. There are also in-person wellness groups which are confidential and all lawyers are welcome. In Houston, the meetings are the first Monday of the month, 6:30 p.m., 303 Jackson Hill, Houston. The telephone number for TLAP is 800-343-8527, website is www.texasbar.com/TLAP.

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NEWS!

Send your news and events to Sarah Springer at sarah@sarahspringerlaw.com for inclusion in future newsletters. We also invite our members to write and submit short posts on recent case law updates or areas of practice, or anything else you think might be a benefit for our members.

Editor: Sarah Springer

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The Katy Bar Association website is a great place to get your name out there! Ad space can be purchased for \$100 and will run through September 30, 2017. If you are interested in purchasing an ad, please visit www.katybar.org and click on the payment link.

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Provide ad copy to Editor Sarah Springer and pay \$10 to Christy Theander and you can have an ad in our Award Winning Newsletter!! You may purchase several months of ads at a time or advertise in a single issue.

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