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EIGHTH ANNUAL TAKE YOUR CHILDREN TO WORK DAY

Stephanie M. Roebuck

On April 22, 2010, the Westchester Women's Bar Association co-sponsored the Eighth Annual Take Your Children to Work Day event at the New York State Supreme Court Courthouse in White Plains. Nearly 100 students from across the County participated in the event. Co-sponsoring with the WWBA were Bleakley Platt & Schmidt, LLP, Jackson Lewis, LLP, Keane and Beane, P.C., McCarthy Fingar, LLP, Scalise and Hamilton, LLP, and Wilson Elser Moskowitz Edelman and Dicker, LLP, along with host sponsor the Ninth Judicial District Westchester County Court Staff. Mary Ellen Murray, Chief Court Officer coordinated the event, with the assistance of Nancy Mangold, District Executive; Donna Minort, Chief Clerk Supreme and County Courts; Frances Tursi, Commissioner of Jurors; James McAllister, Chief Clerk of the Family Court; and WWBA Community Outreach Co-Chairs, Gretchen Mullins Kim and Stephanie M. Roebuck.



Chief Court Officer Mary Ellen Murray addresses the attendees

The children were welcomed to the celebration by the Hon. Alan D. Scheinkman, Administrative Judge of the Ninth Judicial District. Thereafter, there

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WESTCHESTER WOMEN'S BAR ASSOCIATION GOLF OUTING AND RECEPTION

SEPTEMBER 13, 2010
Ridgeway Country Club

WESTCHESTER WOMEN'S BAR ASSOCIATION GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

SEPTEMBER 22, 2010
5:30PM
Location TBA
Topic: Bullying and Cyberbullying

▶ PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

June is here! At our Annual Dinner on June 9, 2010, we will continue our celebration of the WWBA's 35th Anniversary with the induction of new officers and the conclusion of my term as your President. Needless to say, this past year flew by. I am proud to report that along with our members, I derived the benefits from and learned much about this amazing organization devoted to issues involving women in the legal profession, as well as women, children and families.



Astonishingly, in my travels and appearances this past year I was still met with questions such as:

Why do you need a Women's Bar? and

Why aren't you satisfied with becoming part of one unified bar?

My answer was and is that although many of us (including myself) are members of several bar associations, the needs and issues addressed by the WWBA and our parent association, WBASNY, are largely unmet by other associations.

Indeed, a spate of recent media articles touted the fact that more women are employed than ever and that their roles in the family as well as the workplace are changing. However, the articles barely made reference to the fact

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▶ WWBA Member Newsletter



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President's Message

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that women are still discriminated against when it comes to equal pay for the same positions held by men. This is so notwithstanding the fact that more than 50 years ago, the Equal Pay Act, which was supposed to ensure parity in wages for men and women, was enacted by Congress and signed into law by President Kennedy in 1963. In fact, there is a new bill pending before Congress entitled the Paycheck Fairness Act which was passed in the House in 2009, but remains before the Senate to date. How can this be? Moreover, another article's headlines referred to the fact that New York has the largest percentage of female judges on the bench, but again the article later stated that only one-third of the judges in our courts were female. How is this possible when the law schools boast that they graduate classes which are more than one-half female and our general population is at least one-half female? Thus, it stands to reason that the legal work force and legal consumers are increasingly female, yet they are neither proportionately paid, nor represented in the legal system, so their voices are not being heard. These issues along with many others amply illustrate that the WWBA, WBASNY and other women's associations remain a necessity because there is still work to be done to ensure that such issues are addressed. Needless to say, we are here to stay!

Due to the work of the WWBA's and WBASNY's current members and our foremothers, our voices are continuously being heard. We speak out and are heard in a unified voice on issues ranging from no-fault divorce to the appointment of more female judges to the federal bench. I would be remiss if I did not thank all of those who have contributed to our success over the past 35 years, as well as this past year. Please forgive me for the long list of those who I remain grateful to and I apologize in advance if I inadvertently omitted anyone.

First and foremost, thank you to our foremothers who had the insight and wisdom to recognize and address the unmet needs noted above by establishing the

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▶ Editor's Note

It has been an honor and a privilege serving as Editor this year. I look forward to all of your articles and news for another year as I will be serving a second term as WWBA's Corresponding Secretary/Newsletter Editor. Have a great summer! ~ Lisa

▶ Making Dates and Getting Published

We welcome your submissions! The deadline for newsletter submissions is the twelfth of the month prior to publication (submissions received after the twelfth of the month are subject to the discretion of editor). Submissions should be sent as email attachments to Imbluestein@optonline.net (Microsoft Word only other than flyers or photographs).

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Please contact Lisa M. Bluestein, 2009-2010, Corresponding Secretary and Editor-in-Chief of the WWBA Newsletter, by email (Imbluestein@optonline.net) or telephone (914-948-4320) to schedule all WWBA sponsored or co-sponsored events, including, e.g., committee meetings, CLE programs, etc. To view existing event postings first visit our website: www.wwbany.org and click on the Calendar tab at the home page. Conflicts in scheduling will be assessed on a case by case basis, with priority for early submissions. Once you have reserved the date with Ms. Bluestein, you can submit an event form online at our website's calendar tab, which will publicize your event on both the website calendar and in the printed newsletter calendar. We will also consider event form submissions from outside organizations regarding upcoming events that may be of interest to our members. A new event recap form on the Calendar tab is available on the website as well, so that you can report on the success of your event and provide photographs of speakers and participants that can be included in an upcoming newsletter.

All flyers for WWBA programs will be displayed either within the body of the newsletter itself or as a link to an electronic flyer on WWBA's website, rather than as a loose page distributed with the newsletter. Before a flyer can appear in the newsletter or on the website, it must be approved by one of WWBA's program chairs, so please submit your flyers to Lisa M. Bluestein far enough in advance of the twelfth of the month to allow for review and approval.

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Eighth Annual Take Your Children to Work Day



Hon. Janet DiFiore
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were presentations by Westchester County District Attorney, Hon. Janet DiFiore; Chief Judge of the Family Courts, Hon. Kathie Davidson; and WWBA President-Elect Dolores Gebhardt. Mary Senko, the Deputy Commissioner of Jurors, detailed the role of jurors in the judicial system. The students were then provided with explanations of the roles of various types of jobs within the court system from a court



Dolores Gebhardt

reporter, a Senior Court Clerk, and a Senior Court Officer. Almost all the students were awarded prizes for asking questions or participating in the discussions with the various speakers, which made for a lively morning.

The students also took a tour of the Courthouse. In the ceremonial courtroom, Hon. Anthony A. Scarpino, Jr., Surrogate, explained his unique position within the Ninth Judicial District. Over a pizza lunch donated by the event



Hon. Kathie E. Davidson

sponsors, the students discussed the things they had learned that morning, as well as the sights they encountered on their tour.

The participating students were made up of sixth grade classes from PEARLS Hawthorne School in Yonkers, who were sponsored by Westchester Women's Bar Association member Gretchen Mullins Kim and children from the sponsoring firms and corporations, as well as the Courthouse staff. ▀

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Gender Fairness Committee Awards Essay Contest Winners

Hon. Terry Jane Ruderman

The Ninth Judicial District Committee to Promote Gender Fairness in the Courts held a breakfast on April 30, 2010 to recognize the winners of its Annual Essay Contest in celebration of Women's History Month. Court of Claims Judge, Hon. Terry Jane Ruderman presented the awards.

Students were asked to write on the topic, "Have we achieved gender equality in our society? Support your answer with personal observations and experiences." In the freshman/sophomore category, Siobhan Rubsam, from Red Hook High School, won First Prize and Samantha Ferguson, also from Red Hook High School, won Second Prize. In the junior/senior category, Clara Reyes,

**Congratulations to Contest Winners
Siobhan Rubsam, Clara Reyes,
Samantha Ferguson and Maile Hamilton**



Hon. Alan D. Scheinkman; James Straudt, President, WCBF; Maile Hamilton; Siobhan Rubsam; Samantha Ferguson; Hon. Terry Jane Ruderman; Clara Reyes; Peter Zeltner, President, WCBA; Dolores Gebhardt, Incoming President, WWBA

from Charles E. Gorton High School, won First Prize and Maile Hamilton, from Horace Greeley High School, won Second Prize.

The generosity of various bar associations, including the Westchester Women's Bar Association, enabled the committee to award cash prizes. The students read their essays to the 50 assembled guests, which included Women's Bar members Linda Markowitz, Dolores Gebhardt, Tanya Briendel, and Susan Kaufman, who also served on the essay contest subcommittee. The Gender Fairness Committee anticipates that this contest and awards breakfast will be held again next year and appreciates the continuing support of the Women's Bar Association. ▀



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▶ Westchester Women's Bar Committee Activities

Lawyering and Parenting

Benchmark Title Agency, LLC Named WWBA "Family Friendly Employer" of 2010

Virginia J. Clarke

The Lawyering and Parenting Committee of the WWBA announced the recipient of its annual "Family Friendly Employer" award in early May. This year's recipient, Benchmark Title Agency, LLC of White Plains, was selected from area employers for embracing employment policies and practices that allow for a balance of career opportunity with family responsibilities. President Thomas N. DeCaro and Chief Counsel Jean Partridge have achieved an impressive reputation and position in the industry while extending opportunities for employees to use flexible work arrangements in order to meet family obligations.

Co-founded by DeCaro and Partridge in 2005, Benchmark provides a variety of services to its clients. The 18-person agency combines experience in underwriting with experience as title agents, supported by a strong customer service department.

The Family Friendly Employer Award will be presented to Benchmark Title at the WWBA Annual Dinner and 35th Anniversary Celebration on June 9, 2010. The WWBA extends its congratulations and best wishes to Benchmark Title. Keep up the good work! ▀

Golf Committee

Gail M. Boggio

The golfing season is in full swing (bad pun intended) and we hope you have been able to take advantage of our recent spring/summer/winter weather. Now is the time to start practicing for our golf outing to be held September 13, 2010, at the beautiful Ridgeway Country Club in White Plains. The picturesque 18 hole, Par 71, golf course dates back almost a century to 1923 and has been the site of Metropolitan PGA and USGA tournaments. We hope you can join us for a relaxing day of golf followed by a sumptuous cocktail hour and buffet dinner. It will be a day of fun for golfers and non-golfers alike. For more details, see page 7 of this newsletter or www.wwbany.org. ▀

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▶ June Practice Management Tip

Developing a Plan “B” For Your Practice

Carol A. Seelig

Whether you are in a mega firm or a solo, every lawyer needs a Plan A and a Plan B.

Plan A for your practice consists of continuing to do what you are doing if you enjoy your work and you have enough work to support your practice. If you are a partner in a large firm, “enough work” may mean developing your own client base and having projects to assign to associates or junior partners.

Plan B comes in if Plan A stops working. These last 18 months of economic upheaval have confirmed the need for a Plan B. So how do you develop a Plan B? Start by thinking of complimentary areas of practice. Is there another practice area that thrives when your practice area does not? For example, if real estate is your field, learning the foreclosure process and its players is a good idea. If you develop this expertise in foreclosure, then you might find that the clients you represented when they bought a home, now need your help to prevent a foreclosure from happening.

In addition to looking at complimentary areas, research what is happening in the market place. Elder law was unheard of 15 years ago but Medicare has been around since the 1960s. Why has this practice area developed relatively quickly and expanded? What changed? Did the law become more complex? While I am not an expert in Elder Law, it

appears that this practice area developed using existing tools, such as powers of attorney and trusts, for new purposes. Living trusts are now being used as an estate planning tool for people other than the wealthy. I believe the Elder Law practice area grew because attorneys saw a need that was not being met, and creatively developed new uses for existing tools.

This means that you need to do some research to develop a Plan B. If you are business oriented, discover which industries are either new and growing or existing but still expanding. Does a new industry have needs that are not being met by a traditional corporate practice? Does representing this industry require a team approach, e.g., OSHA, EPA, tax, and corporate? If yes, put a team together and learn this new industry together.

Brainstorm new ways to use existing approaches. If the industry you are exploring is governed by several state and/or federal agencies, does creating a compliance department make sense? If it does, it may not exist in this industry yet. This is your opportunity to develop a training package, a compliance manual, and ongoing support for every business in that industry.

If you work with individuals can you think of new needs that individuals have?

“[D]o some research to develop a Plan B. If you are business oriented, discover which industries are either new and growing or exiting but still expanding.”

Many baby boomers are in the situation of caring for parents as well as their own children. Do they have special needs? Is there a package of services that you can offer as a single product that addresses an individual’s needs?

Developing Plan B requires research to discover how the market place is changing and where growth is occurring. Learn all there is to know about the industry and then use your creativity to find a niche that is not being filled, so you can fill it. You may find Plan B more interesting than your current Plan A. ▶

Carol A. Seelig is the founder of CSO Carol Seelig Operations LLC, which helps small businesses to grow by helping the owner to find and implement solutions to problems the business is facing. Her approach is unique, hands on and results in training employees how to continue to implement new operational procedures.

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An Interview with Susan Corcoran

Susan L. Pollet
Archive and Historian Chair
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New York State Parent
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Q: I see that you were a State Director for the WWBA starting in 1992-1993, when the Honorable Joanne Friia was President. Please tell us how you became involved with the WWBA?

A: This April I will be celebrating my 20th year as an attorney and I believe also as a WWBA member. How did I get started with WWBA? Early on in my career at Jackson Lewis, Donna Tsamis encouraged me to attend Board meetings on her behalf and somehow, I quickly became Chair of the Gender Dynamics Committee.

Q: Please describe the various ways you have been involved with the WWBA over time?

A: Over the years, I have participated as a State Director, member of the Judicial Screening Committee, member of the State WBASNY Employment Law Committee, and continue today as Co-Chair of WWBA's Employment Law Committee.

Q: What prompted you to be so active with the WWBA?

A: I never thought twice about being active in WWBA. It has always been a terrific organization for "new" attorneys and a positive experience for me. The longstanding friendships have made a difference in my personal and professional life.

Q: You are a well respected attorney in the labor and em-

"[The WWBA] has always been a terrific organization for "new" attorneys and a positive experience for me. The longstanding friendships have made a difference in my personal and professional life."

ployment law field. Tell us about your experience, and what you have accomplished over the years.

A: It has always been difficult for me to talk about my own accomplishments. Yes, I have "won" many cases and favorably settled others. My greater accomplishment is that I have many long-term client relationships for which I provide counsel whenever the need arises. I am most proud of an award I received in March 2008 from the Pro Bono Partnership, the "Volunteer of the Decade" award, recognizing my commitment in providing pro bono legal services.

Q: How has the practice of law changed since you first became an attorney?

A: Technology, as you can imagine, has tremendously changed the practice of law. From my perspective, it has been a powerful tool that has enhanced client responsiveness, communications and relationships. By having a home computer and carrying a BlackBerry, I can respond quickly to client needs while simultaneously it can provide me with flexibility in managing work/life balance.

Q: You combined a very re-

sponsible and high powered job with a thriving family life. Tell us about your family, and how you managed it all.

A: When I first began with Jackson Lewis, there were 110 attorneys and 11 offices. We now have over 500 attorneys and 44 offices across the nation. In addition to my full "caseload," I have leadership responsibilities which include being Chair of the firm's Women's Affinity Group. You cannot "do it all" without the support of colleagues and most of all family. Jessica (15 years) and Sarah (12 years) are thriving in school and their extracurricular activities. I talk, and now text them, as much as I can. I leave my cell phone on all day in case they need to speak to me. My husband, Francis, has always supported and encouraged my involvement in activities "beyond the workday" despite his busy schedule as a local elected official, and a job requiring travel. My family will agree that we cannot successfully manage this all without Jen, our sitter of 3 years. Jen's the best!

Q: What do you think women still need to overcome, if anything, to be fully productive as attorneys in today's world?

A: Interesting question. The



Susan Corcoran

legal profession gives women and men the flexibility to "succeed" at their own pace. Women need to be confident that they can succeed, even if it takes longer because of work/life choices. Patience and persistence, and seeking out mentors of all types, both male and female, will assist attorneys navigate their path to a successful, long term career in the legal profession.

Q: You are involved in many outside activities. How do you do it all?

A: One step at a time. Please learn from my mistakes. No one should try to do it all. You want to do a quality job on everything you do. You need to prioritize, and not always say "yes," and possibly limit, outside activities at different times in your career. Currently, if I add on anything new to my already full plate, I try to see what activities I can get someone else involved in. In 2010, for example, I have taken on a leadership role with a State Association (NYS SHRM) as legislative liaison, which will require greater focus and organization. In that regard, I'll report back to you next year as to whether I followed my own advice. ▀

▶ Chapter News and Announcements

Announcements & Notes on Members

- **Beth A. Willensky** has joined the Board of the New Rochelle Public Library Foundation.
- The Business Council of Westchester has named **Erin Guven** and **Sheryl Frishman** to the Council's prestigious "Westchester's Forty Under Forty" list and they will be honored on June 10. ▶

WWBA Foundation's "Art of Dressing Professionally" a Big Success

Linda Markowitz

Over 50 people attended the WWBA Foundation fund raiser on April 15, 2010 at the Wainwright House in Rye. The talented Tonia Tagliaferro of the "Art of Dressing," entertained and educated us about making ourselves look better through her humorous critique of the "professional looks" of some of our male and female colleagues who were generous enough to model for us: Lonya Gilbert, Carol Swidler, Steven Swidler, and Lionel Pina.



Linda Markowitz, Tonia Tagliaferro, Wanda Penasso, Robin Carton, Jody Fay

Due to the generosity of our sponsors, The Kelsey Company and Jody Fay, as well as EZKR, CPAs, the attendees enjoyed wine, soft drinks and hearty appetizers and still raised more than \$3,000 for the Foundation. Many thanks to co-chairs Robin D. Carton and Jody Fay. Funds raised will be used to support additional grants to be made by the WWBA Foundation.

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Westchester Women's Bar Association.

To our Past Presidents, having served as the WWBA President, I greatly appreciate all of your hard work in the past and your guidance throughout my membership in the WWBA. Your continued commitment ensures that we vigilantly maintain the respected reputation that we so enjoy in the legal community and our community at large.

A special note of gratitude to all Officers and Committee Chairs in the past as well as this past year for all of your voluntary efforts to educate and (sometimes entertain) our membership with the rich programs that you develop, coordinate and participate in.

And to our indefatigable Executive Director Linda Surace, your ten years of service to the WWBA have ensured and aided our growth in ways that are immeasurable.

To the WWBA's 35th Anniversary Committee and Dinner Committees chaired by Gail Boggio, Joy Joseph, Dolores Gebhardt, Trish LaPorta, Adrienne Orbach and

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The Westchester Women's Bar Association proudly welcomes our newest members:

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Julie Kattan, respectively. Thanks for all of your hard work in handling the behind the scenes details so that our events are enjoyed by all attendees.

Last but not least, to the officers and Executive Committee who served alongside me this past year: Lisa Bluestein, Fran DeThomas, Kathleen Donelli, Lucia

Chiocchio, Donna Frosco, Dolores Gebhardt, Lonya Gilbert, Julie Kattan, Hon. Lisa Margaret Smith, and Beth Willensky. Your collegiality, friendship, guidance, insight, loyalty and reason are invaluable to me as well as the WWBA.

In closing, I can honestly say that I am secure in the knowledge that over the next 35 years the WWBA will continue to

be a sound, secure and strong organization. This is so because WWBA members continue to make the time to participate in a necessary and vital organization that remains devoted to issues involving women in the legal profession, as well as women, children and families.

Happy 35th Anniversary WWBA!!



▶ WWBA Schedule of Upcoming Events

COMMITTEE	DATE/TIME	PLACE	TOPIC	RSVP
Domestic Violence Committee	6/2/10 12:00 – 2:00 pm Brown Bag Lunch	Westchester County Supreme Court 111 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., 9 th Fl. White Plains, NY	Lunch & Learn Lecture Series: Domestic Violence and Child Protective Services	Tanya Briendel (914) 422-4069 nbriendel@law.pace.edu Kitley Covill (914) 995-2665 ksc1@westchestergov.com
Elder Law CLE	6/2/10 8:30 am – 5:00 pm	Westchester Marriott 670 White Plains Road Tarrytown, NY	Advanced Document Drafting for the Elder Law Practitioner	Go to NYSBA website www.nysba.org for more details and price
WWBA's Annual Dinner	6/9/10 5:30 pm Cocktails 7:00 pm Dinner \$140	Mamaroneck Beach and Yacht Club 555 S. Barry Avenue Mamaroneck, NY	35 th Anniversary Celebration and Installation of Officers	Patricia LaPorta Skyline Title LLC 199 Main Street, Ste. 909 White Plains, NY 10601 (914) 428-4787
Placement Committee	6/10/10 6:00 – 9:00 pm Free	Pace Law School Aloysia Hall, Suite 207 78 N. Broadway White Plains, NY	Resume review by appointment only – each appointment 30 minutes. Email resume ahead of time	Amy Gewirtz agewirtz@law.pace.edu Rachel Littman rlittman@law.pace.edu
New Lawyers Committee CLE	6/23/10 12:30 – 2:00 pm Free with commitment to take pro bono case	Westchester County Supreme Court 111 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., 9 th Fl. White Plains, NY	Uncontested Divorce 1.5 credits	Carol Neiditch (914) 949-1305 ext.133 cneiditch@lshv.org
Networking Committee	6/23/10 5:30 – 8:00 pm \$35.00 WWBA members	Mamaroneck Beach and Yacht Club 555 S. Barry Avenue Mamaroneck, NY	Young Professionals Networking Event	Register online at www.westchester.org Questions: Julia Salem (914) 948-6444 jsalem@westchester.org
Environmental and Land Use Committee	6/29/10 5:30-8:00pm \$30 member; \$35 invited gues – extra \$5 at door	BNY Mellon 701 Westchester Avenue White Plains, NY 10604	Sustainable Development & Green Buildings: Local Considerations 2 credits	RSVP and check to Lucia Chiocchio Cuddy & Feder LLP 445 Hamilton Avenue 14 th Floor White Plains, NY 10601 (914) 761-1300

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