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October Bar Meeting:
Oct 5, 2015

Venue:
Mermaids Restaurant
2217 N College Ave
Fayetteville, AR

**Speaker for
October 5th:**
Dean Stacy Leeds,
University of Arkansas
School of Law will
speak.

UPCOMING SPEAKERS

November 2nd:
John McClarty, NWA
Regional Planning
Commission

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DEAN STACY LEEDS, U OF A LAW SCHOOL, TO SPEAK

Our October program will feature Stacy Leeds, Dean and Professor of law at the University of Arkansas School of Law. Dean Leeds will highlight some of the current happenings at the law school in Fayetteville as well as offer some insight on the direction of the school and its challenges and opportunities for faculty and students.

Dean Leeds came to Arkansas in 2011 from the University of Kansas where she served as Interim Associate Dean, Professor of Law and Director of the Tribal Law and Government Center. While at KU, she received the annual teacher of the year recognition, the Howard M. and Susan Immel Award for Teaching Excellence. Prior to that, she taught at the University of North Dakota where she served as the Director of the Northern Plains Indian Law Center. She began her career in higher education at the University of Wisconsin where she was a William H. Hastie Fellow.

Among her many honors, Leeds is a 2013 recipient of the American Bar Association's Spirit of Excellence Award, an elected member of the American Law Institute, and a former Alphonse Fletcher, Sr. Fellow with a 2008-

2009 affiliation to the W.E.B. DuBois Institute at Harvard University.

Dean Leeds has a strong record of public service. From 2011-2013, she served on the National Commission on Indian Trust Administration and Reform. The Commission conducted a comprehensive evaluation of the U.S. Department of Interior's management and administration of nearly \$4 billion in American Indian trust assets and published recommendations for systematic reform. She is currently serving a three-year term as Chairperson of the Cherokee Nation Gaming Commission.

In addition to being a former Justice on the Cherokee Nation Supreme Court, Leeds has served as judge for seven Indigenous nations and was the inaugural recipient of the National American Indian Court Judges Association's Annual Outstanding Service Award. She is frequently tapped to serve as a mediator or arbitrator to resolve conflicts in government and higher education sectors.

At Arkansas, she teaches Property and American Indian Law and contributes to projects of the Indigenous Food and Agricultural Initiative



CLE BY S.C.J. BRILL TO KICK-OFF REUNION WEEKEND

The University of Arkansas School of Law will present a 1-hour CLE to kick off reunion weekend on Friday, October 2, from 4-5 PM, at Waterman Hall, U of A School of Law. Arkansas Supreme Court Chief Justice (Professor) Howard W. Brill will present "Baseball Mascots and the Law."

Mascots have been involved in a breadth of

violations, or alleged violations of law. From trademark cases to employment disputes, criminal charges and constitutional issues, baseball mascots offer a picture of legal disputes within the game itself.

The cost of the CLE is \$10. To attend the Dean's reception following the CLE is \$30. See attached flier for registration information.

ATTACHMENTS

- Reunion Weekend with SCJ Howard Brill CLE



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OCTOBER JUDGES' CALENDARS

Judge Barry

Fayetteville – October 6, 9:00 a.m.
Fort Smith – October 15, 9:00 a.m.
Hot Springs – October 29, 9:00 a.m.

Judge Beaumont

Defaults – October 2, 16, 30
Madison Co. – October 21

Judge Brooks

The Judge will be in Fayetteville all month.

Judge Bryan

Default Days – October 9, 16, 30
Madison County – October 20

Judge Lindsay – (479)444-1548

Madison County – October 13, 9:00 a.m.

Judge Martin – (479)444-1552

October 1 & 2 – Judge Martin out-of-state for judicial education

Default divorces – Oct 8, 22 & 29, 8:30 a.m.
Madison County – October 12
Default divorces – Oct 15, 8:30 a.m. --
(Spanish Interpreter Available)

Judge Threet

Defaults – Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28
Madison County – October 21

Judge Taylor

Default – October 5, 12, 19, 26
Madison County – October 9
Interpreter Day – October 20

Judge Zimmerman

Delinquency Cases – Monday
Delinquency/FINS Cases – Tuesday
Dependent-Neglect Cases – Wednesday
Delinquency/FINS/
Dependent-Neglect Cases – Thursday
Delinq./Dependent-Neglect Cases – Friday
Madison County Court – October 2, 23

SEPTEMBER MINUTES

- Introduction
- Approval of August Minutes
- Treasurer's report/Approval
- Introduction of Guests
 - o Kael Bowling with the Law School Board of Advocates was introduced. The BOA is asking for volunteer judges for the upcoming trial competition.
- Announcements
 - o There will be a cocktail hour for the Women's Lawyer Association on October 15th from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at Theo's in Fayetteville.
 - o President Lane gave an update on the condition of Lucas Regnier. He is home and continuing to show signs of progress in his recovery.
 - o Dean Stacey Leeds will be our October speaker.
- Speaker: Carrie D. Wilson
- Adjournment

September Treasurer's Report:

Previous Balance: \$6,841.64
Checks: \$2,500.00
Deposits: \$ 0.00
Current Balance: \$4,341.64

Respectfully Submitted,
Tyler H. Benson, Secretary/Treasurer

ARKANSAS BAR CLES

Please go to <http://www.arkbar.com/cle/clelisting.aspx> for information and registration.

Thu Oct 01 - Ethics: Marketing, Social Media or Online Presence; AR Bar Center

Fri Oct 02 - Hot Legal Topics; Jonesboro

Thu-Fri Oct 15 & 16 - Collaborative Law Basic Training; AR Bar Center.

Thu Oct 22 - Article 9: What It Is, How to Use It and Update on the New Rules; AR Bar Center.

Fri Oct 23 - Privacy Law; AR Bar Center.

Thu Oct 29 - Rock and Roll CLE; AR Bar Center.

Fri Oct 30 - Gun Trusts; Remington Gun Club.

Fri Oct 30 - Trick or Treat: General Practitioner's Guide to Handling Workers' Compensation; AR Bar Center.

DEADLINE FOR
THE NOVEMBER
NEWSLETTER IS
OCTOBER 20TH

CLE to Kick off Reunion Weekend

with

Arkansas Supreme Court Chief Justice (Professor) Howard W. Brill



Baseball Mascots and the Law*

Christian H. Brill & Howard W. Brill[†]

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Howard Brill - aka Pork Chop
Calling the Hogs!

Friday, October 2, 2015
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
1 Hour General CLE
University of Arkansas
School of Law
Waterman Hall



**Join us as we kick off
our Reunion Weekend with Chief Justice Brill!**

Cost: \$10
Dean's Reception following CLE: \$30
Register at: attend.com/UALawReunion2015

*This paper was originally presented at the Twenty-Seventh Cooperstown Symposium on Baseball and American Culture, 2015.

[†] Christian H. Brill is an Attorney at Law with Mallory Law Office, LLC in Columbus, Ohio. Howard W. Brill is the Chief Justice of the Arkansas Supreme Court. The authors' previous publications include Take Me Out to the Hearing: Major League Baseball Players Before Congress, 5 ALB. GOV'T L. REV. 90 (2012) and ARKANSAS LAW OF DAMAGES (6th Ed. 2014).