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Looking for Film Buff(s)

Are you an attorney who likes movies? Do inaccuracies in films about lawyers, courtrooms, and the law make you want to set the record straight? Do you have a favorite courtroom/legal themed movie that you like to talk about? Have you always wanted to share your knowledge of the legal profession with an audience in a non-legal setting? If any or all of these apply to you, please contact the Library about helping with an ex-

citing new project that is currently under development.

Program for New Drivers

Shon Qualseth of Thompson Ramsdell & Qualseth will present a program titled "My child just got a driver's license ... Now what?": legal concerns for new drivers and their parents, at 7:00 PM, Tuesday, June 6, 2006, in the Lawrence Public Library Auditorium. The program will present information on aspects of the law of which young drivers and their parents should be aware. The program, sponsored by the Douglas County Law Library, will last approximately half an hour and be followed by a question and answer session.

Mr. Qualseth gave this program last year as part of the ongoing Douglas County Law Library Public Education Program Series. It was so well received that it is being offered again this year.

The program is free and open to the public.

Current Art Gallery Exhibition

The May exhibit in the Douglas County Law Library Art Gallery is artwork by Nate Rightmeier.

The exhibit will run through the end of May. All of the pieces are for sale and may be purchased directly from the artist. Contact information for Mr. Rightmeier is available in the Library.

The June 2006 exhibition will feature watercolors by Shannon Cloud. More information on this exhibit will be in the June E-Mail Newsletter.

Art Gallery Exhibitions

For more information on past, current, and future Art Gallery exhibitions, or for more information on the Art Gallery, please consult the Art Gallery page on the Law Library's website.

If you would like to exhibit your art in our gallery, or know of local artists who would like to show their original art here, contact Bill Pendleton, the Library's Art Gallery Exhibitions Coordinator at 843-3536 ext. 19 or billpen@pendletonandsutton.com, or the Law Library at 838-2477 or by e-mail at info@douglascolawlibrary.org.

New Acquisitions

Newly acquired material added to the Law Library's holdings:

Advanced sheets of the Kansas Supreme Court and the Kansas Court of Appeals, v.280:2/34:3-v.281:1/35:1 (Nov. 2005-Mar. 2006).

Attaching in adoption: practical tools for today's parents, by Deborah D. Gray.

Did You Know?

Every other week, a bit of Law Library trivia is posted in the Law Library and on the Law Library's website. The previous month's "Did You Know" tidbits are then published here in the Newsletter. The hope is for this to improve communication between the Law Library and its users.

April's entries were:

- Regardless of whether or not they file material with the Clerk of the District Court, all attorneys whose principal office is in Douglas County, or whose residence is in Douglas County and whose principal office is located in another state, are required by statute to register with the Law Library and pay an annual Law Library Registration Fee.
- On May 1, 2006, the Law Library will begin its fourth year serving the legal research needs of Douglas County.

Current Law Library Volunteer Opportunities

The Library is looking for individuals to fill the following volunteer positions:

E-Mail Newsletter Editor.

Patron Education and Training Assistant.

Publicity and Marketing Assistant.

Recycling Assistant

Reference Assistant.

Volunteer Coordinator.

Work Station Maintenance Assistant.

The Library also has opportunities for volunteers to create positions around their own interests and skills.

For more information and/or for position descriptions, contact the Library or visit the "Volunteers" page on the Law Library's website.

Library Volunteer Program

The Law Library Volunteer Program provides a capable and dependable voluntary work force to assist with the day-to-day operations of the Law Library and its special projects. This work force supplements the paid Library staff and allows the Library to provide the best possible service to local judges, attorneys, and the public.

The Volunteer Program is instrumental in linking a valuable community resource - the citizens - with a valuable community institution - the Douglas County Law Library - for the benefit, growth, and enrichment of both.

If you or someone you know might be interested in volunteering for one of them, or if you would like more information on our program and/or the positions we have open, please contact the Library or visit the "Volunteers" page on the Law Library's website.

Feedback

This Newsletter is intended to be useful to its readers. As in any enterprise, feedback on how the Newsletter is fulfilling this goal is crucial to our achieving it. If our articles are helpful, let us know. If they are not, let us know. If you have suggestions on how to improve the Newsletter, please let us know. Thank you.

Submitting Articles for Newsletter

The Editor encourages readers to submit articles for publication and/or make suggestions on material to be included in future issues of the Newsletter.

To Subscribe

Contact the Law Library by mail, e-mail, or telephone and request a free subscription to the Newsletter. It will be sent to you as a PDF attachment to an e-mail. The Library's mailing address is: Douglas County Law Library, Judicial and Law Enforcement Center, 111 East 11th Street, Lawrence, Kansas, 66044. The Library's e-mail address is: info@douglascolawlibrary.org. The Law Library's telephone number is: 785-838-2477.

Classified Ads

Free classified ads may be placed in the Newsletter by contacting the Law Library. The Editor reserves the right to refuse anything deemed inappropriate and to add restrictions as the need arises.

For Rent:

Historic residence, beautiful and unique, Lg. 3 BR apt. \$750.00/mo. 715 New York, References Required. Avail. Aug. 1. 842-1133. M-F

Historic brick duplex. Great location, restored, 2 BR. 1809 Massachusetts. \$700.00/mo. References required. Avail. Aug. 1. 842-1133. M-F.

Historic brick duplex. Great location, restored, 2 BR. 1809 1/2 Massachusetts. \$700.00/mo. References required. Avail. Aug. 1. 842-1133. M-F.

Luxurious 2 and 3 bedroom apts. in Baldwin, KS. \$475.00 to \$650.00/mo. References required. Avail. Aug. 1. (785) 842-1133 M-F.

Luxurious 2 bedroom apt in Baldwin, KS.
\$525.00/mo. References required. Available
immediately. (785) 842-1133 M-F.

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