**The Bar Association of Frederick County, Maryland, Inc.**

**Monthly Membership Meeting**

**MINUTES May 3, 2022**

**Call to Order by J. Flores at 12:20p.m.**

**Sponsor: None**

**Guests: None**

**Meeting Minutes and Treasurer’s Report:** April minutes and March Treasurer’s Report were approved.

**Old Business**

* The BAFC is hosting a 4-hour **Mediation Skills Update Seminar** on **May 4th from 8a-12p** at the Delaplaine Arts Center tomorrow. Registration has passed.
* Thank you to all of those who came out for the **Celebration of Life** **for BAFC member Stephen LeRoux** on **April 14th.**  Anyone who did not receive a Stephen LeRoux bracelet and would like one or anyone who would like an additional one, please stop by Carin Golze's office located at 19 N. Court Street, Suite 101, Frederick, MD 21701 or email her at [carin@winiklaw.com](mailto:carin@winiklaw.com) to make alternative arrangements.

* The **Business Law Section** is having a virtual presentation entitled **“Mind Your Business: Coordinating Business and Estate Plans to Preserve Value” on** **September 15, 2022 at 12pm, via Zoom.**

# New Business

* The **Business Law Section** would like to invite all attorneys to a presentation **“What the Practicing Attorney Needs to Know about Business Valuation”** by speaker Alan Zipp. The presentation will be on **June 28th from 4:30-6p at Lusk Law.** (More details on what to expect can be found in the "Upcoming Trainings/Presentations" section of the newsletter.) To ensure enough space, if you plan to attend, **please RSVP to Rebekah Lusk at**[**rlusk@lusk-law.com**](mailto:rlusk@lusk-law.com)**.**
* The **Business Law Section** will meet on **July 21, 2022 at 12pm at Lusk Law.** (Zoom available upon request.) For more information about the Business Law Section, please contact Rebekah Lusk at [rlusk@lusk-law.com](mailto:rlusk@lusk-law.com).
* The **Family Law Section** will meet via Zoom on **Wednesday, May 25th, at 5pm**. The Honorable Ricky Sandy, Magistrate Joanie Raymond, and Lindsay Parvis, Esq., will provide an overview of Maryland's contempt laws and how *Breona C. v. Rodney D.*,  253 Md. App. 67, 263 A.3d 1090, (2021) changes the civil contempt landscape. For more information about the Family Law Section, please contact Carin Golze at [Carin@WinikLaw.com](mailto:Carin@WinikLaw.com).
* **BAFC Friends & Family Night at the Frederick Keys** is on **July 8th**. Game starts at 7pm. Picnic hosted by McNees Wallace & Nurick LLCwill start at 5pm. Tickets are $15. Register online [**www.frederickbar.org/events.html**](http://www.frederickbar.org/events.html).
* There will be a **pro bono event on May 17 from 4:30-7:30p** to provide the **LGBTQ+ community** with a free legal advice clinic. Attendees will have the opportunity to meet for fifteen minutes, one-on-one with local volunteer attorneys who can answer their questions and provide legal information and advice about specific legal matters they may have. The event is being held at The Frederick Center and registration is required at : .<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/lgbtq-legal-advice-clinic-registration-307083824987>
* **Brief Introduction of Litigant in need of representation:** Monnique Nettleford-Bruce, [mnbruce@mdlab.org](mailto:mnbruce@mdlab.org)

**New Members**

* **Derek Roussillon** (Sponsor: Paul Rose Jr.)-approved.

**Guest Speakers**

Our speaker today is Sheriff Chuck Jenkins. Sheriff Jenkins spoke at length about new policing law. It was an informative talk.

**Adjournment**

The next meeting will be our monthly luncheon on **June 7th at 12:00 p.m**. with speaker Senator Michael Hough at the Delaplaine Arts Center. Our sponsor will be Community Living Inc.