

News & Updates

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Opportunity to Get Involved with the Law Society

Contribute to honoring the rich legal legacy of Newfoundland and Labrador by becoming involved with the SS Daisy Legal History Committee. Your participation is vital as we work to preserve the legal history of our province.

We're currently seeking expressions of interest for the following opportunity:

The Law Society's SS Daisy Legal History Committee

 Review the Terms of Reference for the SS Daisy Legal History Committee here

To express your interest, please send your resume or a synopsis of your qualifications to Erin Rowe at erowe@lsnl.ca no later than Friday, 28 June 2024.

Join us in celebrating our legal heritage and shaping the future of legal history in Newfoundland and Labrador.



The Law Society: The Regulation of the Legal Profession in NL

Join the Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador for a free seminar on the regulation of the legal profession in our province on **18 June 2024**.

This session will delve into the role of the Law Society, detailing its governance structure and providing an overview of its operations in areas such as discipline, practice management, education and admissions, and custodianships. Whether you are an experienced lawyer or new to the profession, this seminar offers valuable insights to enhance your practice and ensure compliance with regulatory standards. Don't miss this opportunity to stay informed and engaged with the key aspects of legal regulation in Newfoundland and Labrador.

REGISTER HERE



Our practice resources offer valuable insights regarding the complexities of law practice management. Created to help lawyers navigate the requirements and obligations outlined in the *Law Society Act*, 1999, Law Society Rules, and Code of Professional Conduct, they serve as supportive tools. While not exhaustive, they provide valuable insights.

Please remember that every practice management question should be considered within your unique context, and professional judgment is very important.

Reading Suggestions for Practice Management

Disciplinary Matters

Through the disciplinary process, the Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador reviews and assesses the professional conduct of its members. These assessments are made based on ethical standards outlined in the *Law Society Act, 1999*, along with the Law Society Rules and the Code of Professional Conduct.

DISCIPLINARY DECISIONS

HEARINGS

COUNSELS & CAUTIONS



Not So Risky Business Blog by CLIA

The Canadian Lawyers Insurance
Association (CLIA) Not So Risky
Business Blog aims to assist legal
professionals in practice management,
error avoidance, and gaining a deeper
insight into insurance coverage
requirements. Every Wednesday, CLIA's
blog will cover informative topics such as
loss prevention tips, fraud alerts, cyber
awareness, wellness, and more.

You can also subscribe to receive notifications of new posts directly to your inbox.

Recent Articles

- Time's Running Out to Renew Your Excess Coverage
- Think You Might Have a Claim Report By June 30



Call for Nominations: 2024 Minister of Justice National Youth Justice Policing Award

The Department of Justice Canada, in partnership with the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police (CACP) and the Canadian Police Association (CPA), invites nominations for the 2024 Minister of Justice National Youth Justice Policing Award. This award honours police-led initiatives that create innovative solutions or promising practices for handling youth in conflict with the law outside the formal court system. It aims to showcase and share creative policing responses within the community.

Please click here for more information or to submit a nomination before 5 July 2024.

Call for Presenters: Restorative Justice in Education '24

Relationships First Newfoundland & Labrador (RFNL) is looking for presenters for the 2024 RFNL Summer Institute. This immersive hybrid event, themed *Stories of Respect, Dignity, and Mutual Concern: Restorative Justice in Education*, will take place from August 26-28, 2024. Presenters will submit a pre-recorded video, and participate in a live virtual session to discuss their presentation and engage with attendees.

Anyone with a compelling story related to Restorative Justice in Education is encouraged to submit a proposal. For more information or to **apply before the deadline on 28 June 2024**, please click here.





Call for Host Organizations

CSCNL and the Department of Immigration, Population Growth and Skills (IPGS) released the return of AMPLIFY in 2024.

AMPLIFY empowers targeted youth with limited work experience, offering employment opportunities and personal development support. Participants connect with peers and gain valuable career skills.

CSCNL is seeking nonprofit or business groups as Host Organizations to facilitate employment and learning.

For more information or to apply by 14 June 2024, please click here.



Seeking Legal Representation

The Marystown Shipyard Families Alliance Inc. (MSFA) is seeking legal representation relating to potential claims of living and deceased workers from the former Marystown Shipyard.

If you are interested in representing the MSFA please contact Bernadine Bennet at bernadinebennett0@gmail.com.



The Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador website has an events section with updated CPD opportunities, events, conferences, and more. Seminar recordings are available here.

Law Society Events

• The Law Society: The Regulation of the Legal Profession in NL - June 18

Third-Party Events

- Civility in the Workplace by Human Skills Development On Demand
- Trauma-Informed Lawyering by the Journey Project June 14

- An Exclusive Insight: Marie Henein's Legal Expertise by the Canadian Bar Association - June 17
- Current Issues in Social Media and Copyright Law 2024 by the Continuing Legal Education Society of British Columbia - June 17
- Screening Best Practices for Identifying and Managing Power Imbalances and Family Violence by MDW Mediation - June 19
- Summary Trials 2024 by the Continuing Legal Education Society of British Columbia
 June 25
- Animals and the Law 2024 by the Law Society of Ontario July 3
- Stress Management for Legal Professionals by the Law Society of Ontario July 4
- 2024 National Criminal Law Program by the Federation of Law Societies of Canada
 July 8
- National Family Law Program by the Federation of Law Societies of Canada July 22
- Family Mediation Theory, Skills, and Practice by MDW Mediation September 19

VIEW ALL EVENTS

Did you know that the Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador website has a News section with updated information on job opportunities, professional development, notices, and more? Visit our website today to check out some of the great online resources available.



Current Opportunities

- Legal Counsel Nunatsiavut Government
- Crown Prosecutor (multiple positions) - Alberta Crown Prosecution Services Division
- Executive Assistant (Legal) -WorkplaceNL
- Associate Lawyer Brothers Law
- Crown Attorney (multiple positions) -Manitoba Justice
- Crown Counsel Manitoba Justice
- Crown Prosecutor (multiple positions) Ministry of Justice (SK)
- Director of Public Education and Professional Responsibility - Law Society of Prince Edward Island
- Crown Prosecutor Meadow Lake Public Prosecutions (SK)

Search for a Will

Members are reminded that they may only disclose the contents of a will where authorized to do so. By sending this search for a will, the Law Society is not in any way authorizing disclosure to the individual initiating the request. Members must assess whether that individual is entitled to review or know the contents of the will.

Cavell Sybil Normore (Bennett)

Born July 18, 1938; died September 24, 2023.

Last place of residence was St. John's.

Any member with information regarding the Last Will and Testament is asked to contact Geraldine Normore at (709) 682-2601.

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This is a mandatory communication.